



# COP22 Call for Resources for Youth Climate Action & Global Challenges Youth Empowerment Partnership GloCha



We Must. We Can. We Will  
**#GiveYouthAChance**  
to Take Climate Action Now!



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In the context of the **UN Climate Change Conference COP22** the **International Association for the Advancement of Innovative Approaches to Global Challenges IAAI** is organizing with partners (CliMates, Youthink Center, CCEN, UNESCO MOST et al.) a **resource mobilization campaign for youth climate action** (hashtag **#GiveYouthaChance**).

The initiators of **#GiveYouthaChance** campaign are convinced that the **time is ripe for a large scale social movement towards resource mobilization for youth climate action**. COP22 will be an important milestone for setting up **transformative partnerships** for Paris agreement implementation and therefore a unique **opportunity for all those who have resources** and who are inclined to use them in a globally coordinated way to **empower young people to take meaningful and rewarding action on climate change**.

# What?

The **#GiveYouthAChance COP22 Call for Resources** campaign **calls for resources**

- for **youth participation in UNFCCC processes**
- for **UN system's programs on youth empowerment for climate action** and
- for an **Agenda2030 youth action marketplace** that will empower young people for local climate action in a globally coordinated manner and connect them with blended financing from local and global public, private and philanthropic sources.

The campaign consist of

- a **crowdfunding** component that is targeting small donations of ordinary global citizens (please visit <https://www.razoo.com/us/story/Glocha-Global-Challenges-Foundation-New-York/related> causes for details) and
- a "**Global Challenges Giving Pledge**" call and registry for philanthropists and public and private institutional wealth holders.

The short term **fundraising target** of the campaign is **1 million Euro** (or 1,1 mio US\$) which shall be achieved before the end of January 2017 (to be reported at ECOSOC Youth Forum 2017) and a long-term fundraising goal of 100 million for which the time plan will be elaborated at the review of first phase of the #GiveYouthaChance campaign end of January 2017.

# Global Challenges Youth Empowerment Partnership

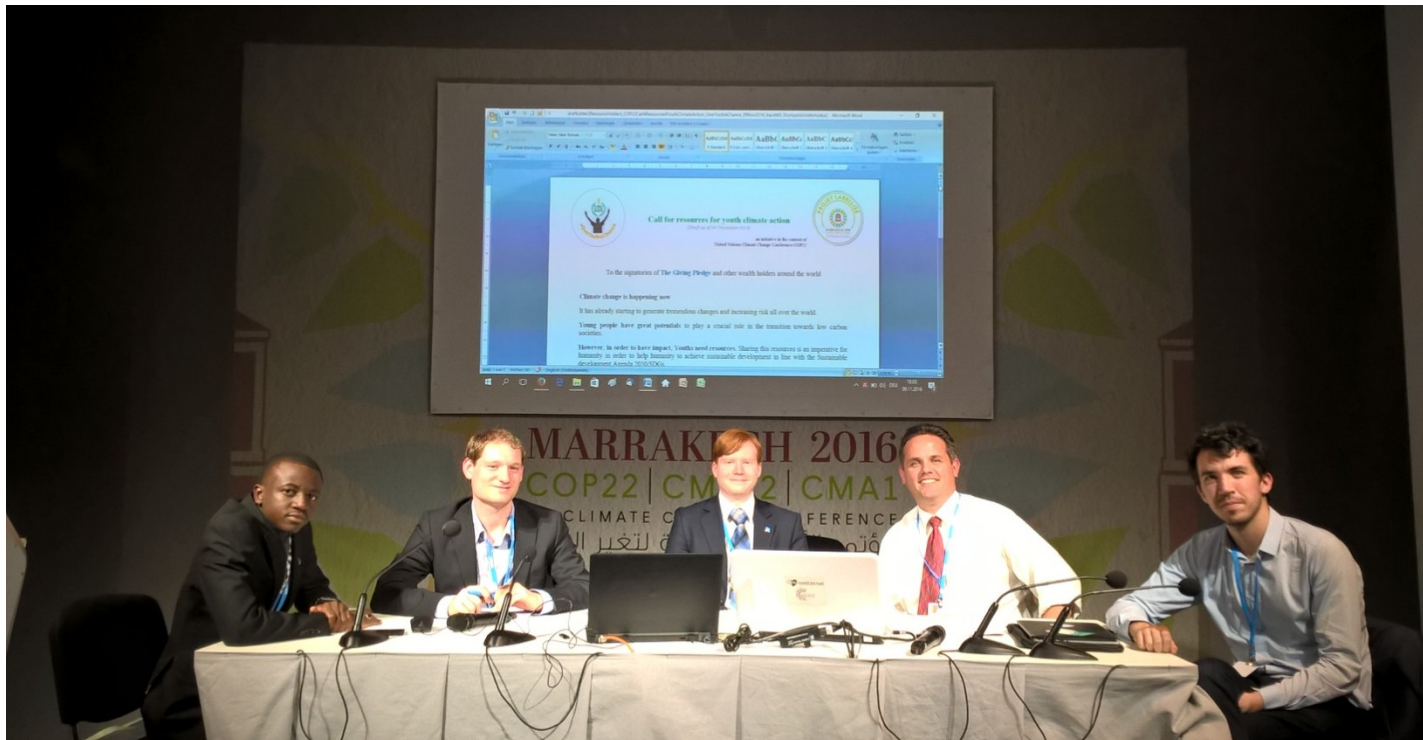
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#GiveYouthaChance is a multistakeholder initiative involving representatives from UNFCCC youth constituency YOUNGO (e.g. [CliMates](#)), partners from UN system ([UNESCO MOST](#), [UN Habitat](#), [UN Women](#), ..) and other partners (e.g. the [Citizens Climate Engagement Network CCEN](#), [WorldWeWant2030](#), [Regional Government of Austrian province of Carinthia](#), [National Youth Authority of Ghana](#) etc.).

For administration of the #GiveYouthaChance campaign and for joint information and resource management there will be set up at COP22 a multistakeholder [partnership structure](#) - the [Global Challenges youth empowerment partnership GloCha](#) - which shall develop into of the world's leading youth focused SDGs delivery mechanism for SDG 10 (reducing inequalities), SDG 11 (sustainable cities and communities), SDG 13 (climate action) and SDG 17 (partnerships).

# Next steps

- **COP22 Press Conference on Saturday 12 Nov 2016**
  - **Giving Tuesday Crowdfunding 29 Nov 2016**
- **Translating Call for Resources and sending it to Wealth Holders**  
(Giving Pledge Signatories, Forbes billionaires list)
- **Giving Pledge Conference & GloCha Partnership Conference**  
Summer 2017 in Klagenfurt am Wörthersee





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The Journey has begun!*



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