

14 February 2020, Friday • Hunter College 68th St Campus

OPENING CEREMONY

🕒 **7:00 PM – 8:30 PM** (Doors open 6:30 PM)

Assembly Hall

Call to Order

Musical Performance

The United Nations Chamber Music Society of the UNSRC

Introduction

Klevisa Kovaci, Program Manager, Friendship Ambassadors Foundation 🐦 @FriendshipAmbas

Opening Address

Dr. Andrew Macdonald, Executive Director, Friendship Ambassadors Foundation 🐦 @AndrwMacdonald

Keynote

H.E. Mr. Jürgen Schulz, Deputy Permanent Representative of Germany to the United Nations 🐦 @GermanyUN
Alexandria Villaseñor, Climate Activist and Founder of Earth Uprising 🐦 @AlexandriaV2005 @Earth_Uprising

Impact Challenge Finalists

Yumna Khan, Youth Development Specialist, Friendship Ambassadors Foundation 🐦 @FriendshipAmbas

Important Announcements

15 February 2020, Saturday • NYU Kimmel Center

BREAKOUT SESSION 1

🕒 **10:00 AM – 11:15 AM**

Rosenthal Pavillion

Youth Speaking Truth to Power: Taking Responsibility for the Climate Crisis

Melissa Griffiths Parrot, Climate Leader and Mentor, The Climate Reality Project 🐦 @ClimateReality
Harrison Bench, Youth Activist, Council Member, Islip Town Environmental Council
Keziah Gerosano, Chapter Chair, The Climate Reality Project

Eisner & Lubin

Investing in Development: A People-Centered Approach

MODERATOR: Dan Thomas, Chief Communications Officer, UN Global Compact 🐦 @globalcompact
Gülden Turkoz-Cosslett, Deputy Assistant Administrator and Deputy Director, Bureau for External Relations and Advocacy (BERA), UNDP 🐦 @UNDP
Bobby Irven, Senior Communications Associate, BRAC USA 🐦 @BRACworld
Jordan Raupp, Asia Business Development Manager, Chemonics International 🐦 @Chemonics
Josh Williams, Founder, Joshua's Heart Foundation, Ashoka Changemaker 🐦 @Ashoka @joshuasheart

Room 802

Sustaining Peace through Youth Engagement

MODERATOR: Ali Mustafa, United Nations Civil Society Youth Task Force and Youth Programs and Communications Consultant, Friendship Ambassadors Foundation 🐦 @smalimustafa
Michael Collins, Executive Director of Americas, Institute for Economics & Peace (IEP) 🐦 @economicspeace
Paul Bisca, Conflict and Security Consultant, World Bank 🐦 @WorldBank
Jimena Leiva Roesch, Senior Fellow, International Peace Institute (IPI) 🐦 @ipinst

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**BREAKOUT
SESSION 2**

⌚ 11:30 AM – 12:45 PM

Rosenthal Pavillion Represent! Mobilizing Youth for Politics and Leadership

MODERATOR: Xan Northcott, Project Coordinator, Generation Global, Tony Blair Institute for Global Change 🐦 @XanNorthcott
Lincoln Mitchell, Adjunct Associate Professor of Political Science, Columbia University
Paddy Torsney, Head of the New York Office, Permanent Observer to the United Nations in NYC, Inter-Parliamentary Union 🐦 @IPUparliament
Mandeep Tiwana, Chief Programmes Officer, CIVICUS 🐦 @CIVICUSalliance
Pablo Angulo, Peace and Security Officer, World Federation of United Nations Associations (WFUNA) 🐦 @angulotroconis @WFUNA

Eisner & Lubin Global Action and Impact Network

Room 802 Fighting Gender Inequalities for an Equitable World

MODERATOR: Dr. Shruti Kapoor, Founder and CEO, Sayfty 🐦 @SayftyCom @kapoors_s
Maggie Liu, Program and Impact Manager, Girl Up 🐦 @GirlUp
Donya Nasser, Gender Equality Advocate, Youth Strategist, and Social Entrepreneur 🐦 @DonyaNasser
Edward Wageni, HeForShe Program Manager, UN Women 🐦 @wagenie @HeForShe

LUNCH BREAK

⌚ 1:00 PM – 3:00 PM

Rosenthal Pavillion Building your Career to Make a Difference ⌚ 1:00 – 2:15 PM

Jodi Caplan, Director of Executive MPA & Alumni Career Services, Columbia University School of International and Public Affairs 🐦 @ColumbiaSIPA

Eisner & Lubin Hero in 30 Training Course: CPR Without Mouth-to-Mouth Ventilation (GDL Series only – Requires Sign-up) ⌚ 1:00 – 2:15 PM

Jasmit Heera, YA Alum, Founder and CEO, CardioRescue

Room 802 Global Impact Challenge Finals ⌚ 1:00 – 2:45 PM

**BREAKOUT
SESSION 3**

⌚ 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

Rosenthal Pavillion Beyond Classrooms: Educating for Employment, Society, and Change

MODERATOR: Shannon Kobran, Education Manager, SDG Academy 🐦 @SDG_Academy
Yussuf Sane, National Coordinator of Tostan Guinea Bissau, Tostan 🐦 @Tostan
Ewa Staworzynska, Technical Officer, International Labor Organization (ILO) 🐦 @ILO
Estelle Zadra, Liaison Officer, UNESCO New York Office 🐦 @UNESCO
Daniel Obst, President and CEO, AFS Intercultural Programs 🐦 @AFS @dtobst

Eisner & Lubin Rally for a Green Planet: Energy for Sustainable Systems

MODERATOR: Chris Vassallo, Board Member of Malta Sovereign Wealth Fund, and Co-Founder of Project Freedom
George Hampton, Senior Advisor to the Special Representative of the UN Secretary-General for Sustainable Energy for All 🐦 @SEforALLorg
Jeff Jones, Communications and Partnerships Specialist, Alliance for Clean Energy NY
Lindsay Meiman, Regional Communications Specialist, 350.org 🐦 @lindsaymeim14 @350
Kenneth Reece, Chairman and CEO, Solareum

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BREAKOUT SESSION 4 ☉ 4:15 PM – 5:15 PM

Rosenthal Pavillion **Introduction to the World Bank Group and its Role in Environment**

Angelica Silvero, Head, Speakers Bureau, The World Bank Group 🐦 @WorldBank
David Kaczan, Environmental Economist, The World Bank Group 🐦 @WorldBank

Eisner & Lubin **The Youth Assembly Alumni: From Delegate to Changemaker**

Room 802 **Taking the Lead: Youth Entrepreneurship**

Joud Tabaza, Executive Committee Member, Ideas for Action, University of Pennsylvania, Wharton School of Business 🐦 @Ideas4Action

DECLARATION OF PRIORITIES ☉ 5:30 PM - 6:00 PM

Rosenthal Pavillion **Environment**

Eisner & Lubin **Human Development**

Room 802 **Peace**

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BREAKOUT SESSION 1 ☉ 10:00 AM – 11:15 AM

Rosenthal Pavillion **Saving Our Planet Through Responsible Consumption and Production**

MODERATOR: Kayla Colyard, Events & Partnerships Project Lead, UN Sustainable Development Solutions Network – Youth 🐦 @SDSNYouth
Satya Tripathi, Assistant Secretary-General, United Nations, and Head of New York Office, UN Environment 🐦 @UNEP @SatyaTripathi
Claudia Linke, Director of Industrial Development, UNIDO 🐦 @UNIDO @UNIDONewYork
Priyanka Chaterjee, Engineer, AeroFarms 🐦 @AeroFarms
Anthony Rossi, VP of Business Development, Loop, Terracycle 🐦 @TerraCycle @rossi_anthony

Grand Hall **Action and Impact Hub**

Room 914 **Fundraising, Development & Grant Writing**

Catalina Spinel, New York Lead, Candid (Formerly Foundation Center and GuideStar) 🐦 @CandidDotOrg @CandidNENY @catalinaspinel

BREAKOUT SESSION 2 ☉ 11:30 AM – 12:45 PM

Rosenthal Pavillion **Leaving No One Behind: Crises, Refugees, and Vulnerable Populations**

MODERATOR: Kelly Razzouk, Director of Policy and Advocacy, International Rescue Committee (IRC) 🐦 @KellyRazzouk @RescueORG
Hamdia Ahmed, Model & Social Justice Activist 🐦 @hamdia_ahmed
Nabil Ali, Director of Programs, International Development and Relief Foundation (IDRF) 🐦 @IDRFCanada
Maia Bix, Research and Communications Manager, Tent Partnership for Refugees 🐦 @tentorg @Maia_Bix
Tom Dobbins, Director of Justice and Peace, Catholic Charities Archdiocese of New York and the Catholic Relief Services (CRS) 🐦 @CatholicRelief
Dana Sleiman, Senior Public Information Officer, UNHCR 🐦 @Refugees @DanaSleiman

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BREAKOUT SESSION 2 ☉ 11:30 AM – 12:45 PM

Grand Hall **Action and Impact Hub**

Room 914 **Putting International Development Into Practice**

Eugenia McGill, Senior Lecturer, Columbia University School of International and Public Affairs

LUNCH BREAK ☉ 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM

Rosenthal Pavillion **Ambassadors Program and Awarding Ceremony** ☉ 1:00 – 2:30 PM

Room 914 **Model Diplomacy Simulation**
(GDL Series only – Requires Sign-up; Observers Welcome) ☉ 1:30 – 4:30 PM

Xan Northcott, Project Coordinator, Generation Global, Tony Blair Institute for Global Change 🐦 @XanNorthcott

BREAKOUT SESSION 3 ☉ 3:00 PM - 4:30 PM

Rosenthal Pavillion **YA Connect with Speakers and the Friendship Ambassadors Community**

Grand Hall **Youth Involvement at the United Nations**

Hawa Diallo, Civil Society Unit, UN Department of Global Communications 🐦 @UNDGC_CSO

Aishu Narasimhadvara, Medical Women's International Association

Alpha Diallo, Environmental Development Action in the Third World (ENDA)

Ali Mustafa, United Nations Civil Society Youth Task Force and Youth Programs and Communications Consultant, Friendship Ambassadors Foundation

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Juan Pablo Celis Garcia, UNA New York

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Rosenthal Pavillion **Environment**

Grand Hall **Human Development**

Room 914 **Peace**

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Musical Performance

Fairfield University Sweet Harmony

Program Roundup

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Keynote

H.E. Mr. Anatolio Ndong Mba, Permanent Representative of Equatorial Guinea to the United Nations 🐦 @egmissionun
Ami Dar, Executive Director and Founder, Idealist.org 🐦 @AmiDar @Idealist

Outstanding FAF Ambassadors Recognition

Yumna Khan, Youth Development Specialist, Friendship Ambassadors Foundation 🐦 @YouthAssembly

Regional Impact Coordinators Recognition

Yumna Khan, Youth Development Specialist, Friendship Ambassadors Foundation 🐦 @YouthAssembly

Global Impact Challenge Awards

Yumna Khan, Youth Development Specialist, Friendship Ambassadors Foundation 🐦 @YouthAssembly

Distinguished Alumni Award: Friend of Humanity

Dr. Andrew Macdonald, Executive Director, Friendship Ambassadors Foundation 🐦 @AndrwMacdonald

The Friendship Ambassadors Pledge

Musical Performance

Impact Repertory Theatre

Cultural Fashion Showcase

Closing Remarks

Dr. Andrew Macdonald, Executive Director, Friendship Ambassadors Foundation 🐦 @AndrwMacdonald