



“Using music as a powerful expression of intercultural dialogue to inspire and energize global community to work effectively towards global sustainable development with United Nations leadership”



“ Let the music talk, let the rhythm play and let the world know what the youth have to say ! ”

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Rio+20 Global Youth Music Contest



Rio+20 GYMC Milestones:

- 25 July 2011:** Side event at the United Nations High Level Meeting on Youth in New York
- 5 September 2011:** Side-event at the United Nations DPI NGO Conference in Bonn, Germany
- 11-14 September 2011:** International Preparatory Workshop in Klagenfurt, Austria
- 15 September 2011:** Launch of the contest and the GloCha Center in Klagenfurt, Austria
- 5 October 2011:** Online launch of the contest, Vienna, Austria
- 12 December 2011:** Lab Session at the UN AoC 4th Forum in Qatar
- 15 December 2011:** Joint side event with UNICEF at the 2nd Intersessional Meeting on Rio+20 in New York, City USA
- 15 December 2011:** Launch and opening of the online submission form of the contest at www.music.glocha.net
- 15 February 2012:** Deadline for submission of videos music online
- March 2012:** Announcement of the Finalists during the 3rd Intersessional Meeting of the Rio+20 UNCS D in New York City, USA
- June 2012:** Global Winners perform at the Rio+20 Summit in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil
- July 2012:** Gala Night Concert and Award Ceremony in Klagenfurt/

The **Rio+20 Global Youth Music Contest (GYMC)** is a global competition for young people organized on the occasion of **United Nations Conference on Sustainable Development (Rio+20 Earth Summit)** www.uncsd2012.org to be held in June 2012 in Brazil. GYMC encourages youth to express their hopes, concerns and thoughts on future of our earth by using music. The contest aims to collect musical messages from global youth exploring global solutions for sustainable development. The first **prizes winners** of each category will be **rewarded with a trip to Rio de Janeiro** to participate in the Rio+20 Earth Summit in June 2012 and make the voices of global youth heard during a public performance they will give to share the **message of global youth**.



Rio+20 Global Youth Music Contest is organized by the **International Association for the Advancement of Innovative Approaches to Global Challenges (IAAI)** with support from youth organizations and enthusiastic individuals/volunteers from all around the world.
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This is **your chance** to inspire, connect and mobilize global community for the sustainability of our planet!

You and your creativity are needed!

This is your opportunity to support and energize the work of the United Nations system.

Youth between 15 and 30 and **Children** under 14 years are eligible to participate. **Deadline** to submit your video music online is **15 February 2012** at midnight GMT.



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