



INTERNATIONAL YOUNG ADULTS COORDINATOR

SATHYA SAI INTERNATIONAL ORGANISATION

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Dearest Young Adults,

Loving Sai Ram. By the grace of our beloved Sathya Sai Baba, I hope you are well.

Sathya Sai Baba's love has brought together, inspired, and motivated a multitude of Young Adults (YA) across the globe to serve in His divine mission in an extraordinary and most often miraculous way. YAs have enthusiastically shared their ideas, creativity, skills, and knowledge. They have worked with utmost dedication and determination to promote various global initiatives and activities as part of the International Sai Young Adults Programme. This has led to the formation of eight global YA subcommittees to create and drive some truly ground-breaking initiatives.

With Sathya Sai Baba's loving blessings I am pleased to inform you that the application process for YAs to express their interest to join one of the eight global YA subcommittees is **now open!** A short summary of each subcommittee is given below.

We are looking for talented and motivated YAs who have the yearning and skills to serve in each of the respective subcommittees. The role will be for one year and those YAs who are currently part of a subcommittee can re-apply. The application process will close on the **30th December 2017** and following approval from the Zone Chair and Zone YA Coordinator, successful candidates will be expected to take up their role shortly after.

Further information and the application form is on: www.sathyasai.org/ya

If you have any questions please contact your Zone Young Adults Coordinator or email me at YAccordinator@sathyasai.org.

With Love and Sai Ram,

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Love All Serve All (LASA)

The LASA subcommittee aims to promote unity through diversity and spread the human values of Love, Right conduct, Non-violence, Peace and Truth. Through music, selfless service, and educational activities, people from various faiths will be united to accomplish common goals. Young adults globally are encouraged to write and sing songs in different languages and tunes, without any mention of God or religion through any campaigns as such. It is expected the initiatives will ignite the flame of unity among all of us. The LASA subcommittee works closely with the Public Outreach Committee (POC) of the SSIO.

<http://www.sathyasai.org/ya/lasa>



Serve the Planet

Based on the foundation of Sathya Sai Baba's words, "Tread Softly, Move Reverentially and Utilise Gratefully", this year, the Serve the Planet subcommittee is focusing Protect the Planet (PTP). PTP aims to provide practical methods to SSIO members and members of the community through the exercise of "Ceiling on Desires," in matters related to environment and sustainability. This will be done through research into Sathya Sai Baba's teachings and leaders of other faiths or religions in hope to establish care and service to the planet as a spiritual practice. Like the LASA subcommittee, the Serve the Planet subcommittee will work closely with the Public Outreach Committee.

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Sadhana of Love

The Sadhana of Love Programme is based around Sathya Sai Baba's teachings, with an emphasis on Self-confidence, Self-satisfaction, Self-sacrifice and Self-realisation. This team focuses on actively raising awareness through adopting the Sadhana of Love as the key programme to help elevate the spiritual growth of young adults worldwide. In addition, the team provides additional information on the benefits of the Sadhana of Love programme through practical and relatable tips to support young adults on their spiritual journey.

<http://www.sathyasai.org/sadhana-of-love>



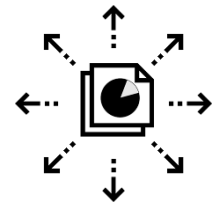
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Information Management and Analytics (IMA)

The IMA will support the SSIO in acquiring, maintaining, analysing and communicating information. Engaging with the various sub-committees of the SSIO, the IMA will develop systems for structured transfer, communication, control and reporting of data. The role of this subcommittee is important as the organisation grows and undertakes larger projects and engages in increased interactions with SSIO members, non-members and the wider community. The IMA will work on principles established by Sathya Sai Baba and incorporate best practices prescribed by information management and data analytics practitioners.



Young Adults Talent Development

The Young Adults Talent Development subcommittee maintains a platform to train young adults and equip them with tools to extend their existing skill set. The subcommittee aims to increase active contributors to the various projects undertaken by the SSIO, by holding monthly talent development webinars facilitated by subject matter experts. The team consists of young adults with a human resource and young adult development background.



<http://sathyasai.org/ya/talent-development>

Group 4 Sai Spiritual Education (SSE) to Young Adult Transition

This subcommittee develops a specialised programme to strengthen the SSE Group 4 Programme. This team provides Group 4 students with an overview of the SSIO Young Adults Programme and assists with their transition into the Young Adults programme. Volunteers in this subcommittee are expected to have SSE experience and be in the academic, education, learning and teaching professions.



Content Repository

This subcommittee focuses on a web portal to collect and share young adults programme content globally. The portal helps smaller regions and centres prevent re-inventing the wheel when it comes to developing programmes for the young adults. Young adults with IT skills, especially with database organisation, documentation and document quality control are expected to part of this team. The subcommittee will closely work with the SSIO IT committee.



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Sathya Sai International Leadership Programme for Young Adults (SSILP)

The SSILP subcommittee aims to continue developing and offering the next generation of leaders to take Sathya Sai Baba's message forward by first understanding and practicing His teachings, and then taking up active leadership roles in the SSIO. Since 2015, over 700 young adults from 59 countries have graduated with leadership skills which will help them to serve society in various capacities. Only SSILP graduates will be eligible to apply to join this subcommittee.

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