







## **DOCUMENTS REQUIRED**

- Application form (fill it out online) here http://bit.ly/gybnwp2018
- Digital copy of CV
- Digital copy of Passport

Send a pdf copy of your CV and the identification page of your passport to: gybnsteeringcommittee@gmail.com

obs: the title of your document should be  ${\tt LASTNAME\_FIRSTNAME\_CV.pdf}$  and  ${\tt LASTNAME\_FIRSTNAME\_PASSPORT.pdf}$ 



# SELECTION CRITERIA

- 1. Be a registered GYBN member by the start of the application period
- 2. Between 18 35 years old
- 3. Commitment to biodiversity conservation with a previous track record showing such engagement
- 4. Active member or coordinator of a youth organization/network/community that is active on Biodiversity on the local/national or regional level
- 5. Possess the time and ability to share knowledge gained from the workshop, including implementing workshop outcomes and replicating workshop model at the national/local level
- 6. The applicant's biodiversity-related work has to be based in the region in which a workshop is held. However, the applicant need not be a citizen of a country of that region.



#### **ELIGIBILIT FOR FINANCIAL SUPPORT**

Due to our donor's funding requirements, for the workshop in Africa, financial support is only available for applicants that are citizens of developing countries. Applicants from developed countries (i.e. Australia, New Zealand, Japan, South Korea etc.) cannot be financially supported. However self-funded participants are welcome to join the workshop!

The workshops in Europe and North-America (yet to be announced) will be open to applicants from developed countries from their respective regions.

If you are unsure whether you are eligible to join the workshop, if you are interested to participate as a self-funded participant or if you should have any other questions, please write to gybnsteeringcommit-

tee@gmail.com and cc it to christian.schwarzer@gmail.com and swetha.stotrabhashyam@gmail.com

We look forward to receiving your applications and seeing you at the workshop!

#### **PLEASE NOTE**

Applications received after the deadline will not be considered. Applications must be submitted in English. Applications submitted in another language will not be considered. Incomplete applications will also not be considered.

# ABOUT G BN

The Global Youth Biodiversity Network (GYBN) is an international network of 145 youth organizations, representing more than 375.000 youth from 115 countries whose common goal is to prevent the loss of biodiversity. GYBN aims to represent the voice of global youth in the negotiations under the Convention on Biological Diversity (CBD), raise awareness among young people of the values of biodiversity, and connects individuals and youth organizations in order to build a global coalition to halt the loss of biodiversity.

As the official coordination platform for youth participation in the negotiations under the CBD, GYBN is committed to bringing the opinions and positions of young people into the political process; empowering young people to take action. Recognized and supported by the CBD Secretariat, GYBN seeks to inspire global youth and future leaders to work for the sustainable use and conservation of biodiversity for a healthy environment and society.

GYBN was created as the result of an international initiative by young people who participated in CBD COP10 in 2010, and was officially established in 2012. The network is coordinated by an international steering committee and is entirely run by young people for young people.













