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AfWA Young Water Professional Program
1. Description of AfWA YWP Program

2. Milestone and Future collaborations

3. AfWA Congress - Youth Forum
Young Professional Program (YWP): An AfWA program dedicated to young people between the ages of 18 and 35 who work in the field of water and sanitation or who have an interest in it.

Program objective: to provide opportunities for Networking for career development and support to the sector through:

✓ Supporting and developing activities or initiatives that empower YWPs to contribute to sector programs and provide leadership opportunities;

✓ Establishing a platform for knowledge development and sharing through AfWA events as well as collaboration with other organizations and programs;

✓ Increasing the involvement of young people in the sector through collaborations with national and regional associations.
• Facilitate the establishment of new national chapters
  • Fundraise for YWPs
• Organize events for YWPs (Forums, Webinars, training)
• Mobilize National Chapters for their participation in global and regional events
• Monitor National chapter activities & Coaching

✅ Share the Action plan
✅ Submit Activity reports
✅ Prepare Invitation for AfWA members to participate in organized events (webinar, training workshop, panel discussion, …)
✅ Engage in AfWA projects & events

YWP NATIONAL CHAPTERS

AfWA

- Set up the Organization and start operation
- Renew the management bodies
- Develop Action plan
- Search for partnerships and financing of the action plan
- Business development
MILESTONE AND FUTURE COLLABORATION / AfWA - YWP

- **16 YWP National Chapters** were created (2013-2019)
- **13** financed projects, with **9 projects completed** (2015 – 2016)
- **60 research scholarships** (20 scholarships/year) (2016 – 2019)
- **45 research scholarships** (2021 – 2024)
- **YWP Forum** during the AfWA Congress (2013, 2016, 2019, 2020, 2023)
- **Plan to increase the number of YWP National Chapters**
- Youth WASH Capacity Building Program
Strategy to increase and strengthen the YWP Chapters

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Conference-Workshop

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- Agenda
- Budget
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