

<b>Sessions – 1000 Hrs to 1130 Hrs</b>		
<p><b>Probing LGBT networks as partners of HIV/AIDS advocacy</b></p> <p>This session will highlight the various stigma and discrimination faced by LGBT youth advocates HIV/AIDS education as well as the challenges faced by LGBT PLWH. Focus group discussions with champions and stakeholders will be included as well as legal initiatives conducted by different organizations that were attended by the presenter. The possible elements that are lacking in their advocacy and lobby works as well as recommended possible strategies for the betterment of LGBT youth advocates will be highlighted.</p> <p><b>Venue:</b> Committee Room B  <b>Time:</b> 1000 Hrs to 1130 Hrs  <b>Resource Person:</b> Eva Aurora Callueng  <b>Country:</b> Philippines  <b>Rapporteurs:</b> David Pewa  Sadeepa Palliyaguru</p>	<p><b>Gender: Young women and their fight against HIV/AIDS</b></p> <p>The purpose of this session is to understand how different factors affect young women’s lives and how these interplay with HIV/ AIDS, and to adopt an intersectional approach in programs and policy advocacy. It will also explore how a comprehensive understanding of sexuality is instrumental in understanding issues of young people and therefore need to be and can be integrated into programs and policy advocacy.</p> <p><b>Venue:</b> Committee Room C  <b>Time:</b> 1000 Hrs to 1130 Hrs  <b>Resource Person:</b> Neha Sood &amp; Vinita Sahasranaman  <b>Country:</b> India  <b>Rapporteurs:</b> Amrita Puri  Bimsara Premerathne</p>	<p><b>Policy and advocacy for change</b></p> <p>This session aims to educate young people on regional policies, what advocacy is and how to do better advocacy in the Asia Pacific region. It also covers involving PLWHA in advocacy, the role of media in better advocacy and the role of civil society organizations. This session will also show the barriers in advocacy and policy change and highlight the role of young people in lobbying.</p> <p><b>Venue :</b> Committee Room E  <b>Time:</b> 1000 Hrs to 1130 Hrs  <b>Resource Person:</b> Qaisar Ismail  <b>Country:</b> Pakistan  <b>Rapporteurs:</b> Raveendra Sumathipala  Tsutomu Nemoto</p>

<b>Workshops 1130 Hrs to 1300 Hrs</b>		
<p><b>ICT for greater regional collaboration in responding to HIV/AIDS</b></p> <p>Melissa Yasmin from Indonesia who specializes in communications will share her experiences on how they have used ICT successfully in responding to the issues of HIV/ AIDS by developing a resource centre in Timor Leste for youth. The use of online ICT in HIV and AIDS</p>	<p><b>See, Listen, Speak, Learn and Do- How to deliver effective HIV/AIDS education messages to young people</b></p> <p>This workshop will help participants gain new skills through participation in small break out groups that offer a variety of hands on activities and demonstrations with existing Youth Empowerment Against HIV/ AIDS (YEAH) demonstration resources. It will further enable youth to get a clear</p>	<p><b>HIV 101</b></p> <p>This session will help youth to get the basics of HIV. All the technical knowledge on HIV will be covered in this session including window period, PCT, HIV transmission, prevention, rapid testing, stages of the virus, difference between HIV/ AIDS etc</p>

<p>advocacy and learning common challenges and how to find solutions for them will be an integral part of this session as well.</p> <p><b>Venue:</b> Committee Room B  <b>Time:</b> 1130 Hrs to 1300 Hrs  <b>Resource Person:</b> Melissa Yasmin Kapitan  <b>Country:</b> Indonesia  <b>Rapporteurs:</b> David Pawa  Sadeepa Palliyaguru</p>	<p>understanding of how innovative educational resources and delivery methods can effectively reach a broad youth audience to increase their awareness and understanding of HIV/ AIDS.</p> <p><b>Venue:</b> Committee Room C  <b>Time:</b> 1130 Hrs to 1300 Hrs  <b>Resource Person:</b> Dr Hayley Matic  <b>Country:</b> Australia  <b>Rapporteurs:</b> Amrita Puri  Bimsara Premerathne</p>	<p><b>Venue:</b> Committee Room E  <b>Time:</b> 1130 Hrs to 1300 Hrs  <b>Resource Person:</b>  <b>Country:</b>  <b>Rapporteurs:</b> Raveendra Sumathipala  Sadeepa Palliyaguru</p>
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<b>Sessions 1400 Hrs to 1530 Hrs</b>		
<p><b>“Strategies on reducing HIV/ AIDS stigma and discrimination, a life long process”</b></p> <p>This session will enable youth to learn about how stigma affects programs and how to reduce stigma to reduce HIV transmission within youth who seek information and services. It will also look at changing attitudes towards marginalized communities, the stigma and discrimination related to AIDS and to people who work with positive people.</p> <p><b>Venue:</b> Committee Room B  <b>Time:</b> 1400 Hrs to 1530 Hrs  <b>Resource Person:</b> Marco Gomes  <b>Country:</b> Canada  <b>Rapporteurs:</b> David Pawa  Tsutomu Nemoto</p>	<p><b>Lobbying and networking within the conference and BEYOND</b></p> <p>This workshop will educate young people on how to lobby within the conference, how to advocate to decision makers and speak to the media on issues relevant to young people. It will also address how to deliver advocacy messages at the conference and beyond using various tools such as media.</p> <p><b>Venue:</b> Committee Room C  <b>Time:</b> 1400 Hrs to 1530 Hrs  <b>Resource Person:</b> Alischa Ross  <b>Country:</b> Australia  <b>Rapporteurs:</b> Raveendra Sumathipala  Tsutomu Nemoto</p>	<p><b>Sex work, youth and HIV</b></p> <p>This session will cover the access to information, education and services for sex workers. Explore their rights and policies and look closely on sex trade related human trafficking. It will also examine laws regarding CSW's and the cultural stigma that goes with the trade. Some success stories related to CSW's will also be reviewed.</p> <p><b>Venue:</b> Committee Room E  <b>Time:</b> 1400 Hrs to 1530 Hrs  <b>Resource Person:</b> Ms. Shreejana Bajracharya &amp; Ms. Meena Tamang  <b>Country:</b> Nepal  <b>Rapporteurs:</b> Amrita Puri  Bimsara Premmerathne</p>