# Harvard Youth Lead the Change Mumbai 2024





### WHAT IS THE HARVARD YOUTH LEAD THE CHANGE?

### Premier Five-Day Leadership Immersion Experience

The Harvard Youth Lead the Change is a prestigious and highly selective five-day leadership workshop designed by renowned Harvard professors and taught by experienced Harvard mentors. It admits about 60 elite students from all across the nation. Student's will be asked to tackle complex social issues, create a full fledged CapStone project and learn leadership through numerous experiential modules.

### Soft Skill Mastery & Unparalleled Networking

Beyond traditional leadership teachings, our workshop delves deep into comprehensive soft skill development, refining skills like effective communication, critical thinking, and emotional intelligence. Connect with peers, Harvard undergraduates, and industry professionals, laying the groundwork for lifelong success.

### **Become A Harvard Trained LEADER**

### **CONFERENCE DETAILS**

On Completion, students get a Certificate of Achievement from Harvard Mentors and the Ivy Learning Lab.





All students get 1 Year Free Mentorship from Harvard Mentors post the workshop.



# How does it work?

### **Application Process**

To join the program, high school students will have to fill out an application form & are selected based on the quality of their responses.

### **5 Days Immersion Experience** The course offers a unique 5-day immersive experience where students participate in various activities and sessions designed to enhance their leadership skills and knowledge.

### Harvard Mentor -led sessions

Led by Harvard youth leaders, this workshop offer hands-on leadership guidance through a tailored curriculum covering all aspects of modern leadership and project management.

### Project-Based Portfolio Development Guided by Harvard mentors, you'll transform ideas into action with community projects, elevating your college portfolio and showcasing your commitment to positive change.





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The program has garnered immense global demand, having been hosted in various prestigious locations around the world.

# Our Approach

**Experiential Learning Journey:** We prioritize hands-on, interactive activities that transcend traditional rote learning, immersing students in real-world scenarios that challenge and inspire.

**Collaborative Project Endeavors:** Our curriculum is rooted in team-based projects, fostering a collaborative environment where students harness the power of collective intelligence to address pressing challenges.

Cultivating Critical Thinkers: Through our learner-centric approach, we design activities that not only engage but also stimulate critical thinking, empowering students to analyze, innovate, and lead with confidence and vision.

My child truly grew at the camp. The hands-on projects and teamwork were invaluable. Their newfound confidence is evident. Samira, Parent, YLC'23

# KNOW YOUR Harvard Mentors

Harvard Youth Lead the Change is led by Harvard undergraduate students who are leaders in their own communities. Differentiating this program are the student teachers and their youthful perspective on leadership development. Reliable and relatable, the teachers serve as advisors and friends to the students, breaking down intimidating age-based authority structures.

With tremendous enthusiasm for both teaching and learning, the teaching team constantly learns from the students, adapts to their interests and needs, and builds lasting relationships that continue after the program through formal and informal mentorship opportunities.



Parita Shah Conc. in Computer Science



Halle Clottey Conc. in Computer Science



Elizabeth Ogolo Conc. in Neuroscience



Jonada Shukarasi Conc. in Government



Lizbeth Ibarra Conc. in Environmental Science and Engineering



Ava Bandel Conc. in Neuroscience and Human Evolutionary Biology



Jessie Dominguez Conc. in Neuroscience



Afua Asare Conc. in Molecular and Cellular Biology



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Anoushka Tandon Harvard YLC alum, <mark>Dhirubhai Ambani International School</mark>



Jonada Shukarasi Former Harvard YLC Chair Harvard University V

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### Module 1:

- Defining Modern Leadership
- Strategic Leadership Analysis
- Case Study #1
- Stakeholder Perspectives
- Power of Persuasion
- Team Activity: Leadership Scenarios
- Social Impact Project: Ideation

### Module 2:

- Adapting Leadership for the Digital Age
- Personality Types and Leadership
- Personal Leadership: Self-Reflection Exercise
- Root Cause Analysis
- Conflict Resolution
- Mastering Collaborative Problem-Solving
- Team Activity: Problem Solving
- Social Impact Project: Activation

### Module 3:

- Introduction to Data-Driven Decision-Making
- Art of Negotiation
- Applying Data Insights
- Leadership panel #1
- Case Study #2
- Social Impact Project: Prototype

# THE CURRICULUM

At the Harvard Leadership Youth Lead the Change, we believe in the power of hands-on experience.

Gone are the days of monotonous rote learning. Here, we immerse our students in a dynamic learning environment interactive activities and team exercises.

We delve deep into real-world case studies, encouraging students to analyze challenges and strategize solutions.

# THE CURRICULUM

The Mentors know so much - be it women's rights or biomedical or computer science - I loved speaking and learning from them!

Anoushka Tandon Grade 9, Dhirubhai Ambani School

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### Module 4:

- Core Concerns Framework
- Case study #3
- Forum Theatre for Leaders
- Mastering the Dynamics of Change
- Social Impact Project: Final Draft

Module 5:

- Mastering the Elevator Pitch
- Strategising Personal and Organisational Branding
- Reflective Journey and Program Synthesis
- Leadership Panel #2
- Final Presentations

**Engage Actively:** Students are not passive learners; they actively engage, solve problems, and make decisions in their education.

**Step into Real Scenarios:** Case studies bridge theory and real-world application, enabling students to apply classroom knowledge to practical scenarios.

Boost Critical Thinking: Beyond comprehension, case studies involve analysis, solutions, and informed decisionmaking, honing critical and problemsolving skills.

Collaborate and Conquer: Often a group activity, case studies promote collaboration, effective communication, and teamwork.

**Real-World Prep:** Through these studies, students step into real-world challenges, prepping them for future leadership positions.

Navigate the Gray Zones: In the real world, not everything is black and white. Case studies, often without clear solutions, teach students to navigate gray areas with poise.

# Case Studies at the Harvard Youth Lead the Change

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Embark on a journey where learning transcends textbooks and lectures, and immerse yourself in the real-world scenarios through our meticulously curated Case Studies at the Harvard Youth Lead the Change Workshop.



# Social Impact at the Harvard Youth Lead the Change

# **THE GAMECHANGER**

Participants are charged with the creation of a social impact project, tackling significant community challenges.

This venture is more than a mere assignment; it represents a deep exploration into the realm of social entrepreneurship.

In team settings, students meld varied viewpoints to architect solutions with real-world impact.

Through the journey from brainstorming to the final showcase, students navigate the complexities of concept development and project orchestration.

But the adventure extends beyond the program.

Armed with the skills and methodologies learned at the Harvard Youth Lead the Change workshop, students can enhance their academic portfolios and continue to grow their projects, demonstrating not only their acquired expertise but also their dedication to effectuating change.





This initiative helped provide more than 4000 underprivileged school children in Bulandshahr, Uttar Pradesh with a unique back-to-school kit.

The campaign made education more accessible for underprivileged children.

Veerangana has conducted workshops in various cities across the nation, spreading awareness about violence against women to over thousands of people.





Project Veerangana's curriculum aims to provide women with knowledge about laws and rights for women.





Spreading awareness about sexual and domestic violence

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Teens4Teens has created a safe space for teenagers to voice out their mental health issues



they have helped teens across India cope effectively.

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Teenagers supporting teenagers to overcome mental health issues

For Teenagers, By Teenagers!

### **YLC IN NEWS**

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Anarya Jain

Class XII student organises menstrual hygiene awareness drive for domestic help ANI Lundated: Apr 17, 2021 1524 (ST

New Delhi [India], April 17 (ANI/NewsVoir]: Ananya Jain, a grade XII student at Lotus Valley International School Gurugram, organized a menstrual hygiene awareness and menstrual cup distribution drive for domestic help at her

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Harvard Professors Gave Lectures To Students In the UAE



OPINIONS

EVENTS

This year's edition of the <u>Youth Lead the Challenge program</u> (YLC) has ended this weekend in Dubai. 51 young adults from 19 schools in Abu Dhabi, Dubai, and Sharjah, had the rare chance to listen to <u>lectures on leadership</u> and entrepreneurship from <u>Harvard Business School's professors</u>.

FEATURES

Asked about his impression of the local youth, Harvard's Jonathan lyamdemye replied:

Students here are much more aware of the world around them and are a lot more receptive to new ideas than what we have come across in many other parts of the globe. And I think that's possible because of the cosmopolitan culture that the UAE has.

### GULF NEWS 🍝

### Find out how UAE students got tips to fulfil Harvard dream

SIXTY YOUNGSTERS FROM 27 SCHOOLS RUB SHOULDERS WITH FIVE HARVARD MENTORS AT YLC WORKSHOP IN DUBAI



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