



ENERGY COMPACT SUBMISSION

Energy Compacts have been identified as High Impact Initiative to drive SDG 7 and clean energy goals. The instructions alongside each line item will serve as a guide to support you in this process. All items marked with an asterisk (*) are mandatory. Kindly supplement your application with any relevant files. Please note that by submitting an Energy Compact you indicate a willingness to align with the guiding principles and subject to appraisal against them. You can find the Energy Compact guiding principles here: <https://www.un.org/sites/un2.un.org/files/ec-expression-of-interest.pdf>

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SECTION 1: GENERAL INFORMATION		PROPONENT NOTES Use this column to add any additional comments
Energy Compact Title	EnergizeSEA: Action Plan for SDG7 in Southeast Asia	
Proponent name(s) *	Youth for Energy Southeast Asia (Y4E-SEA)	
Proponent type *	Non-Governmental Organization (NGO)	Y4E-SEA is a youth-led, non-profit organization that aims to support youths working on or interested in, a just energy transition in Southeast Asia.
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Region *	Asia and Pacific	

SECTION 2: AMBITION		PROPONENT NOTES Use this column to add any additional comments
<i>Linkages *</i>	7.1; 7.a	Youth represent the future stakeholders of the energy sector. Inclusion in decision-making ensures that the transition aligns with the values, aspirations, and concerns of the next generation, creating a more sustainable and inclusive energy future.
<i>Target *</i>	By the year 2030, promote policies that enhance the representation of Southeast Asian youth in regional and international decision-making by 10x increase from the levels observed in 2023. This involves acknowledging young people's contributions and providing support for their initiatives.	The representation of young people in energy refers to the active inclusion of incorporating individuals from varied backgrounds, experiences, and perspectives to ensure an equitable involvement of the youth in the energy sector. The projected baseline for 2023 indicates the participation of at least 15 youths from Southeast Asia in regional and international decision-making processes within the organization.
<i>Linkages</i>	7.1; 7.2; 7.3	By supporting young people in building careers in clean transition-related fields, it can contribute to the innovation and implementation of technologies and solutions that can ensure universal access to sustainable and modern energy.
<i>Target</i>	By the year 2030, execute over 7,000 youth-led projects that focus on enhancing the skills of Southeast Asian youths in green jobs and energy-related careers. These projects may include workshops for skills improvement, research endeavors, and mentorship programs.	
<i>Linkages</i>	7.1; 7.a	Sharing knowledge, resources, and best practices among youths can accelerate progress in adopting and promoting renewable energy sources on a global scale.
<i>Target</i>	By the year 2025, establish partnerships with over 120 organizations, companies, universities, and institutions to promote awareness of SDG 7 and engage in cooperative efforts for clean energy projects on local, regional, and global scales.	

SECTION 3: ACTIONS & OUTCOMES TO ACHIEVE TARGETS		PROPONENT NOTES Use this column to add any additional comments
<i>Relevant target *</i>	By the year 2030, promote policies that enhance the representation of Southeast Asian youth in regional and international decision-making by 10x increase from the levels observed in 2023. This involves acknowledging young people's contributions and providing support for their initiatives.	
<i>Action(s) & Outcome(s) *</i>	1.) Recognition of Southeast Asian youth involvement in the clean energy transition is noted in ministerial, regional, or national agendas, declarations, policies, and statements on over 10 instances. 2.) Over 3,000 Southeast Asian youths actively participate in several international policy-making events, conferences, or engagements, providing them with opportunities to voice their concerns to government and institutional leaders. 3.) Fund at least one youth from each ASEAN member state to participate at international and regional conferences, and to host 1 regional conference by 2027.	
<i>Due dates *</i>	2030	
<i>Financial commitment *</i>	50,000 USD per annum	
<i>Relevant target</i>	By the year 2030, execute over 7,000 youth-led projects that focus on enhancing the skills of Southeast Asian youths in green jobs and energy-related careers. These projects may include workshops for skills improvement, research endeavors, and mentorship programs.	
<i>Action (s) & Outcome (s)</i>	1.) Provide capacity building activities for 10,000 ASEAN Youths to enhance skill development and encouraging the engagement of underrepresented groups in Southeast Asia. This includes women, individuals with low socio-economic status, and those pursuing non-STEM careers, all of whom are significant contributors to the clean energy transition movement. 2.) Have at least 50 sustainable youth-led projects as a direct result of our programs which help youths to apply their unique and inventive solutions and technologies in the fields of clean energy and green employment. This encompasses activities such as research initiatives, energy hackathons, and entrepreneurial endeavors, among others. 3.) Arranged 2,000 mentorship pairings to concentrate on creating opportunities to empower, mentor, and network with young energy enthusiasts in Southeast Asia. The aim is to connect them with leaders in both industry and government, preparing them for future employment opportunities in the clean energy sector.	
<i>Due dates</i>	2030	
<i>Financial commitment</i>	80,000 USD per annum	
<i>Relevant target</i>	By the year 2025, establish partnerships with over 120 organizations, companies, universities, and institutions to promote awareness of SDG 7 and engage in cooperative efforts for clean energy projects on local, regional, and global scales.	Establish long-term cooperation agreements with at least 1 locally-focused Youth or Energy organization in each of the 10 ASEAN Memberstates.
<i>Action (s) & Outcome (s)</i>	1.) Partner with at least 50 NGOs and non-profits on collaborative projects to be implemented with local organizations and governments. This emphasis will center on implementing clean energy projects at the community level, fostering sustainable practices and awareness among members of the community. 2.) Partner with 20 for-profit corporations on collaborative and funded projects to be implemented to integrate SDG 7 into their CSR initiatives. This collaboration aims to promote sustainability and community engagement in the private sector.	
<i>Due dates</i>	2025	
<i>Financial commitment</i>	30,000 USD	