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The Open Seventeen Challenge

Artificial intelligence for Sustainable Development

Are you an undergraduate student with ideas about the use of Artificial Intelligence to benefit the SDGs?

Do you want to tackle challenges set by the International Telecommunication Union (ITU) and the World Meteorological Organization (WMO)?

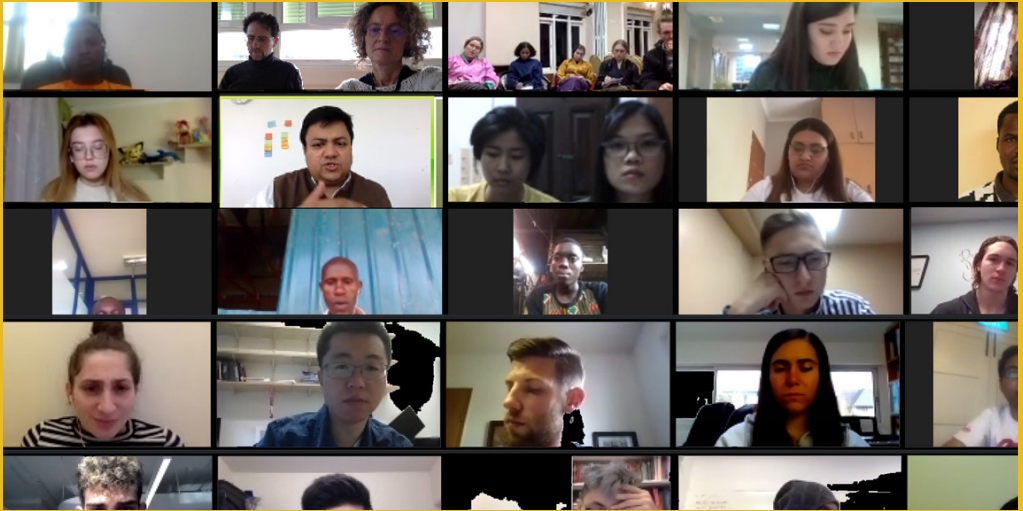
Then sign up for the Open Seventeen Challenge. If your idea is selected, you will receive five weekly 2-hour sessions of online training in how to shape and pitch your project by mentors at universities in Geneva, New York and Beijing, as well as experts from ITU and WMO.

Prizes for the best pitches include support for participation in the SDG Summer School in Geneva as well as several major UN events.

Registration closes on 9 March 2020

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Online coaching of young innovators to tackle global challenges using crowdsourcing



WHAT?

Open Seventeen is a prize-backed challenge to reward and invest in those developing innovative and implementable projects that leverage Open Data and crowdsourcing to tackle the 17 SDGs. This fall, the challenge is run in collaboration with the International Telecommunication Union (ITU) and the World Meteorological Organization (WMO).

WHO?

The competition is open to undergraduate students from any field and region, and who are currently registered at a University. Students may sign up as individuals or as a team (max 3 persons).

WHY?

Participants receive intensive mentoring and coaching to help transform their ideas into impactful projects. The most promising projects will be eligible for travel grants for the SDG Summer School in Geneva as well as other major UN events.

WHEN?

Online coaching will take place over five weekly 2-hour online and interactive sessions, in spring 2020. Coaching will include guest experts from partnering universities, ITU and WMO.

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