ENGAGING IN PERSON ON YOUR GLOBAL ISSUE



Learning Objectives

- Understand and reflect on good practices for in-person engagement
- Co-create 2 facilitation tools that can be applied for in person engagements
- Experience a participatory approach to facilitation



"People will forget what you said, people will forget what you did, but people will never forget how you made them feel."

-Maya Angelou



Think about a time when you felt seen/heard/understood during an in-person engagement



Let's Co-Create:

Participation Guidelines

- Everyone has wisdom to share
- There are no wrong answers
- Everyone will hear others and be heard
- We need everyone's wisdom for the wisest result

6 Ideas for facilitating in person on your Global Issue



Know your audience

Before the activity, ask your audience:

What might help enable their full participation?



Consider your positionality

Share your story and avoid speaking for others

Consider: What is your objective? What do you want your audience to learn, reflect and/or act on?



Creating a brave space

Carve out plenty of interactive opportunities and notice power imbalances

Consider: How do you want people to feel throughout the activity?

Do you have ideas for fun and effective icebreakers?



Create a physical enabling environment

Think about the physical space and how people will experience it

Consider: How would you arrange the space to help you meet your objectives?



Time management

Plan for the time you have

Consider planning your time by creating a session outline (see toolkit)



Closing & Debrief

Collectively reflect on key takeaways, impact or next steps

Consider asking:

- What did we learn?
- What was new or surprising?
- What might you do differently as a result of this engagement?
- What actions will we take?



Questions?

[or stretch!]

How might we create an inclusive atmosphere for participation?



CULTURAL PROBE IMAGES







Reflection

What did we learn?

What was new or surprising?

What might you do differently as a result of this session?

What else would you have liked to learn?

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