



2021-22 YOUNG PROFESSIONALS PROGRAMME (YPP)

Overview for internal stakeholders

Purpose: this note is to provide an overview of the 2021-22 YPP examinations process, so that you may help promote the recruitment initiative and respond to questions as needed. Please use the below information to kindly promote the 2021-22 YPP exams on your platforms and with your partners.

Announcement of Application Period:

YPP EXAMS – APPLICATION PERIOD IS OPEN!

The application period is open through 13 February 2022 (closes at 11:59 PM New York time). Please log in to inspira.un.org to view and apply to the Job Openings (JO).

- YPP Exam in SOCIAL AFFAIRS/SOCIAL POLICY & DEVELOPMENT: JO # [164785](#)
- YPP Exam in STATISTICS & DATA SCIENCE: JO # [164791](#)

Current UN Secretariat staff applying through the GtoP or GtoN tracks will find the relevant job openings through [inspira](https://inspira.un.org), using their internal staff accounts.

CONCOURS YPP - LA PÉRIODE D'APPLICATION EST OUVERTE !

La période d'application est ouverte et les candidatures seront acceptées jusqu'au 13 février 2022 (fermeture à 23h59 heure de New York). Connectez-vous à [pour voir et postuler aux offres d'emploi \(JO\).inspira.un.org](https://inspira.un.org) pour voir et postuler aux offres d'emploi (JO).

- Concours YPP en Affaires sociales/Politique sociale et Développement : avis # [164785](#)
- Concours YPP en Statistiques et Science des données : avis # [164791](#)

Le personnel actuel du Secrétariat des Nations Unies qui souhaiterait postuler au GtoP ou GtoN, trouvera les offres d'emploi pertinentes via [inspira](https://inspira.un.org) en utilisant leur compte interne.

Resources:

- Details on YPP, including the list of participating countries, can be found on the UN Careers Portal ([YPP site - English](#) and [YPP site - French](#)) - be sure to check the “Important Updates” tab.
- YPP Communications Toolkit, which has been distributed to Member State focal points, can be found on the HR Portal ([Communications Toolkit - English](#) and [Communications Toolkit - French](#)). The toolkit contains:
 - What is the YPP? (Flyer)
 - 2020 YPP Flyer
 - Publication Template (Word document)
 - Two informational videos
- “What is YPP?” 1.5-minute overview video on the Young Professionals Program.
 - [English video](#)
 - [French video](#)
- 5-minute informational video with an overview and tips for the application process (found in the communications toolkit), and on the UN Careers YouTube channel here:
 - [English video](#)
 - [French video](#)



- Inspira “virtual assistant” or “chat bot”, called Alba, is ready to answer questions about YPP during the application process. Once candidates click “apply now” in Inspira, Alba will be available to answer questions.

All examinations will be administered online! The job openings contain a brief overview of this information, and more detailed information will be provided to candidates that are convoked (invited) to participate in the examination process.

List of Participating Member States:

Afghanistan, Andorra, Angola, Antigua & Barbuda, Bahrain, Belize, Brazil, Brunei Darussalam, Cabo Verde, Cambodia, China, Comoros, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Djibouti, Dominica, Equatorial Guinea, Gabon, Grenada, Guinea-Bissau, Haiti, Israel, Japan, Kiribati, Kuwait, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Lesotho, Liberia, Libya, Liechtenstein, Luxembourg, Marshall Islands, Micronesia (Federated States of), Monaco, Mozambique, Namibia, Nauru, Norway, Oman, Palau, Papua New Guinea, Qatar, Republic of Korea, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Samoa, San Marino, Sao Tome and Principe, Saudi Arabia, Solomon Islands, Somalia, South Sudan, Suriname, Timor-Leste, Turkey, Turkmenistan, Tuvalu, United Arab Emirates, United States of America, Vanuatu, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)

Any questions beyond what can be found in the above can be directed to ypp-exams@un.org

Thank you for your kind assistance,

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