WE ARE ONE OF THE LARGEST PAN-AFRICAN YOUTH MOVEMENTS IN AFRICA

AFRIKA YOUTH MOVEMENT

10,000 MEMBERS IN 40 COUNTRIES
A pan-African, action-oriented, youth-led movement that strives for the participation, development and leadership of African youth to transform Africa and achieve their rights to peace, equality and social justice.

WHO WE ARE

www.Afrikayouthmovement.org
OUR VISION

We connect young change-makers around the vision of Pan-Africanism, empower them to lead the change needed for Africa.

OUR MISSION

Transformation of the African Continent by African youth to achieve their rights to peace, quality and social justice.
4 YEARS LIFE CYCLE

10,000 MEMBERS IN 40 COUNTRIES

FORUMS ORGANIZED

Nairobi 2017 > 80 youth grassroots participants from 20 countries.
Accra, 2018 > Forum and Retreat 2018
HISTORY OF AYM

Founded by AYA CHEBBI from Tunisia

Aya Chebbi created a Facebook group on August 7th, 2012 and added regularly inspiring youth or trained while traveling across 20 African countries, until the group reached 500 members. In July 15th, Aya launched the first Google Hangout with a vision to connect and build a bold African youth community. The vision and Mission of the movement were shaped through inclusive and participatory online dialogues, social media and series of Google hangouts for the first six months.

Our foundation meeting can be watched here.
GUIDING PRINCIPLES

AYM is a community of committed young Africans. We incorporate inclusiveness and integrity into our organizational culture and provide a consistent support system for our members. Our work is guided by the following principles and values:

- Ubuntu and Pan-African Values
- Integrity and Accountability
- Youth-Led
- Non-Violence
- Action-Oriented
HOW?

AYM’s work focuses on these three areas simultaneously with the understanding that they mutually reinforce each other and will be the only to reach our goal of transforming Africa.
I. ADVOCACY

We advocate for African youth participation in the development of Africa. It includes solidarity campaigns, collective actions and youth representation at spaces that affect them.
YOUTH REPRESENTATION

120 EVENTS IN 50+ COUNTRIES
We shape youth narratives and African narratives through our grassroots reporting, challenging the media narratives by using alternative media.

We have built a strong platform for African youth to strengthen their voice, share ideas and conversations that matter to them.

#AfricaSmile

#ILoveMyContinent

International Day of Peace

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We produce data-driven knowledge from youth perspective through applying research and analysis to influence policy and history.

We support each other and create synergies amongst ourselves and young Africans worldwide by organizing convenings, creating new models for forums, facilitating processes and multi-stakeholders dialogues.

We work at the grassroots to strengthen youth capacity to demand their rights and organize peacefully and creatively.
MOVEMENT SCALE: HOW WE ORGANIZE?

WE MOBILISE YOUNG PEOPLE AT THE REGIONAL LEVEL AND WITHIN THE DIASPORA

REGIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL

5 HUBS LAUNCHED
DRC, TOGO, GHANA, NIGERIA & UGANDA & 10 MORE HUBS TO BE LAUNCHED

GRASSROOTS AND NATIONAL LEVEL

WE SUPPORT GRASSROOTS NETWORK OF YOUNG LEADERS, ADVOCATES AND COMMUNITY ORGANIZERS WORKING FOR POLITICAL AND SOCIAL CHANGE
GET INVOLVED

OUR CAMPAIGNS & OUR COMMITTEES

5 Committees
PEACE AND SECURITY
AGRICULTURE
EDUCATION
HEALTH
GENDER

#PERIODNOTSHAME

#ILOVEMYCONTINENT
“AYM hubs aim to be grassroots and provide synergy to the ideas and impact we have mentioned. The hub will enable us to build this and strengthen our capacity.”

-Nwafor Cedric (USA)