



Youth Futures Council Records of Discussion

October 30th, 2018, 6:00 – 8:00 p.m AST
ATC Boardroom

In Attendance:

Olivia Batten
Alex Dalton
Vivian Huang
Sean MacPhee
Nicole Wilson

Sarah Outram
Brooks Roche
Moira Shaw
Teresa Tu
Tayte Willows

Ex-Officio: Alicia Bruce
Ex-Officio: Brad Colwill
Ex-Officio: Charlotte
Campbell

Welcome

The meeting commenced at 6:00pm with a welcome and introduction of new and returning Council members.

YDAY Debrief and Report

The Council reviewed and discussed the feedback collected from YDAY including the sub-committee's debrief and the YDAY report.

Successes- Both the Council and YDAY attendees were pleased with YDAY 2018. The keynote, panelists and facilitators did an excellent job. The change in day and month, condensed length of the day and transportation were well received. Although there were fewer stakeholders present at this year's event this was noted as a positive thing as youth may have felt more comfortable sharing their ideas.

Improvements- The Council expressed they would like to take on more of a role in the planning, marketing and facilitation of the event. It was discussed that having Council members at each table to record discussions would be beneficial, along with having a knowledgeable stakeholder at each table to help guide the discussion. Other feedback that was noted was that there was no opportunity at the event to bring up additional topics for discussion and that in future years the panel could be more diverse to include panelists who may not be entrepreneurs.

Pitch Presentations- The top three pitches from YDAY (voted on by attendees) presented to the Premier and several Cabinet Ministers after the event.

YDAY Report- A draft report was circulated to the Council and it was discussed that some edits should be made including: condensing the report, providing clarification on recommendations and imposed limitations, along with sharing information on what was new this year based on feedback collected from past YDAY events.

Department Consultation Topics

As a follow up to YDAY the Council expressed interest in having consultations with stakeholders on education, affordable housing, amalgamation, youth mental health, energy efficiency and school food strategies.

Adjournment

Decision: The next meeting will be held on Saturday, November 17th from 1pm-4pm in the SkillsPEI Boardroom located at the Atlantic Technology Centre.