



## What do youth from 113 countries want to see in the Post 2020 -Global Biodiversity Framework?

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**Organizer:** Global Youth Biodiversity Network (GYBN)

**Venue:** CICG, Room 10, 2<sup>nd</sup> floor

**Live stream:** [cbd.int/live](https://cbd.int/live)

**Speaker:** Swetha Stotra Bhashyam

Between 2020 and 2021, GYBN organized an unprecedented youth-led consultative process involving more than 3500 young people and 250 organizations from 113 countries, generating more than 40 outcome documents through 27 youth consultations as well as 12 intergenerational dialogues, which were organized on the national, regional and global level. This process managed to gather young people's vision and priorities for their future and build their capacity to meaningfully participate and influence the process towards the Post 2020 Global Biodiversity Framework.

GYBN will be sharing the highlights of this process include the adoption of #ForNature Youth Manifesto, presented during the UN Biodiversity Summit in September 2020, the adoption of national youth position papers and actions plans in 24 countries and the development of a global youth survey on the Post-2020 GBF, which generated 2080 responses from all over the world. During this press meet, GYBN will present the main results of this process and will share key youth demands for the design of the Post-2020 Global Biodiversity Framework.