Global Citizen Scholars Program 2020
June 4-12, 2020
Bordeaux, France

Tailor-made training for young African global citizen leaders

Target Group
- Open to all African youth
- Age group 20-30
- Completed at least 1 year of a master’s program, working towards a PhD, or within 2 years of graduation from a master’s program or higher
- Proven dedication to sustainable development and the ideals of global citizenship
- Evidence that the applicant may otherwise not have access to such an opportunity
- A minimum English level B2 (European Standards)

Program at a Glance
- Attendance at “Africa-France Summit on Sustainable Cities and Regions” in Bordeaux, France
- Presentation of proposed “SDG Micro-Projects” to expert panel at Summit
- Participation in summer intensive training course on “African Cities in 2030” at the University of Bordeaux (Certificate of Completion)
- Mentoring process following the in-person program and during SDG Micro-project implementation period (6-months)
- Certificate of Achievement from the Ban Ki-moon Centre

Scholarship
5 full scholarships covering program costs, travel, accommodation, and a daily stipend will be granted by the Ban Ki-moon Centre. Selected scholars will have the unique opportunity to attend an international summit, interact with high-level change-makers, participate in a specialized training course, profit from peer-to-peer exchange, and carry-out an SDG Micro-project under the guidance of the Ban Ki-moon Centre.

Application Process
Candidates are requested to send their application to program@bankimooncentre.org by March 31st. For the application, please submit a CV, letter of motivation (max 500 words), and a completed proposal form for your SDG Micro-Project.

University of Bordeaux
Since 1959, the African continent has been a focus of research for the University of Bordeaux. Over the years, a number of research centers, Master and PhD diplomas as well as leading research programs have been developed, in collaboration with exceptional research teams, including those within the fields of public health and epidemiology, economics, political sciences, geography and anthropology. Strong partnerships also exist with a number of African universities and research institutions.