

AGENDA

WELCOME GALA | SUNDAY 17TH NOV



BALEWADI STADIUM

TIME

SESSIONS

(Optional) 8 AM - 12:30 PM | Pune City Tour / Heritage Walk & Food Trail

2 - 3:30 PM | Pick Up from Hyatt to Balewadi Stadium

4 - 4:10 PM

Opening Performance, *Deep Prajwalan* ceremony, youth journeys video spotlight

4:10 - 4:40 PM

Welcome remarks and cultural performance

4:40 - 5:30 PM
KEYNOTE SPEECH

From Vision to Impact: Stories of Transformative Partnerships

Welcome note and speeches by the GOYN and Lighthouse Communities Foundation teams, young leaders, and other special guests.

5:30 - 5:40 PM | Break

5:45 - 6:15 PM

Cultural performance

6:15 - 6:20 PM

Closing remarks and words of gratitude

6:30 - 7:15 PM

Celebration and networking!

Open space for dance and conversation. Refreshments provided for all participants.

7:15 - 8:30 PM | Travel back to Hyatt Pune (assigned buses)



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DAY 1 | MONDAY 18TH NOV

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TIME	SESSIONS
9:30 - 9:35 AM	Opening cultural performance by Latin American Youth
9:45 - 10:15 AM	Welcome Note and Events Overview
10:15 - 11:05 AM HYBRID PLENARY	CEO Panel: Building Livelihood Pathways to an Exciting Future (click titles for descriptions) This panel showcases how cross-sector partnerships drive economic opportunity for Opportunity Youth, highlighting innovative approaches and global insights from India
11:05 - 12:05 PM HYBRID PLENARY	Innovations and opportunities in the Indian livelihood landscape This session explores India's youth employment trends, philanthropy's role, and new financing to boost youth livelihoods and economic inclusion.
10:30 - 10:50 PM Coffee Break	
12:20 PM - 1:20 PM BREAKOUT SESSIONS	Advancing social change through youth innovation and leadership This interactive session features young leaders tackling community challenges across Latin America, Africa, and India through GOYN programs, with solution-driven activities led by Opportunity Youth.
	The power of open source: building a stronger future together this working group will examine how open-source technology can enhance organizational impact, featuring Tabiya.org and GOYN examples of using shared tools to address challenges
	Promoting youth financial inclusion This panel explores the link between financial inclusion and youth economic opportunity, highlighting successful interventions.
1:20 - 2:20 PM Lunch	
2:20 - 2:30 PM	Cultural Performance
2:30 - 3:30 PM HYBRID PLENARY	Opportunity Pathways: for youth and by youth This panel session highlights GOYN's 'Opportunity Pathways,' highlighting their integrated approach, systems change, and youth involvement.
3:30 - 4:50 PM HYBRID PLENARY	Belonging in a Global Context: shaping inclusive systems around the world In this keynote speech, john a. powell will discuss fostering belonging to dismantle systemic inequalities, followed by a panel Q&A on creating systems that amplify Opportunity Youth voices.
4:50 - 5:30 PM	Networking Session / Coffee Refreshments
Travel back to Hyatt Pune	
7 - 9 PM Funder Dinner at Wadgaonsheri Lighthouse	

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DAY 2 | TUESDAY 19TH NOV



LIGHTHOUSE
COMMUNITIES &
PARTNER LOCATIONS

TIME

SESSIONS

(Optional) 6:45 - 8 AM | **Guided tour of Pune University**

9 - 9:45 AM

Opening cultural performance by Latin American Youth

9:20 - 9:30 AM

Welcome Note and Events Overview

9 AM - 12:25 PM
SITE VISITS

Lighthouse Community Visits *(click titles for descriptions)*

Participants will have the option to spend Tuesday morning visiting Lighthouse communities and meeting local partners and young leaders.

12:25 - 1 PM | **Commute to Wadgaonsheri Lighthouse**

1 - 2 PM | **Lunch at Wadgaonsheri Lighthouse**

2 - 2:30 PM

Welcome Note and Events Overview

2:30 - 2:40 PM

Keynote: Prithviraj Singh, Pune Commissioner

2:40 - 3:40 PM
HYBRID PLENARY

Youth-led data collection and civic engagement

This session explores how youth-led data collection empowers Opportunity Youth by fostering ownership and agency in civic action.

3:40 - 4 PM

Performance: Cultural Learnings of Pune

4 - 5 PM

Regional networking and coffee time

7 - 9 PM | **Youth Party** *(aged 35 and under)*



TIME	SESSIONS
	<i>(Optional)</i> 6 - 6:45 AM Yoga / Nature Walk
9 - 9:20 AM	Opening cultural performance by Latin America Youth
9:20 - 9:30 AM	Welcome Note and Events Overview
9:30 - 10:30 AM HYBRID PLENARY	<u>Building greener futures, together</u> <i>(click titles for descriptions)</i> The session will demystify "green jobs," exploring types of jobs, new emerging areas, existing jobs that are transitioning to 'green', and employment opportunities for young people.
	10:30 - 10:50 PM Coffee Break
10:50 AM - 12:30 PM BREAKOUT SESSIONS	<u>Building and sustaining a large collaborative network</u> This session will explore the critical elements of building and sustaining effective partnerships within the GOYNN ecosystem.
	<u>When jobs do not exist: building demand for labour</u> This session will tackle the demand-supply gap in the labor market and explore strategies to connect youth to meaningful employment.
	<u>Providing mentorship at scale</u> This hands-on working session will address specific challenges in case management and mentorship, drawing from Mombasa's successful models.
	12:30 - 1:45 PM Lunch Break

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DAY 3 (continued)
WEDNESDAY 20TH NOV



HYATT REGENCY

TIME	SESSIONS
1:45 PM - 4:45 PM MASTERCLASS SESSIONS	<p><u>Leveraging AI within pathway work</u></p> <p>This interactive session will explore how Artificial Intelligence can enhance pathways for youth economic empowerment.</p>
	<p><u>Designing a pay-for-results mechanism: a step-by-step guide</u></p> <p>In this hands-on session, participants will learn how to structure a results-based financing mechanism—such as a social impact bond, outcome fund, or performance-based contract—for their community.</p>
	<p><u>Storytelling skills for transformative narrative change</u></p> <p>Join us to learn the fundamentals of storytelling and essential video skills - and get inspired to bring compelling stories from your local context to life!</p>
	<p><u>Foundations of positive youth development</u></p> <p>This engaging masterclass is designed for adult allies and young partners to master key terms and concepts of Positive Youth Development (PYD) and understand how it serves as a foundation for GOYNN's approach to Authentic Youth Partnership (AYP).</p>

5 - 5:15 PM | Cultural Performance

5:15 - 5:30 PM | Gratitude and closing of the day



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DAY 4 | THURSDAY 21ST NOV
GOYN Network Day - Anchor Partners,
Global Team, and Funders

 **WADGAONSHERI
LIGHTHOUSE**

TIME	SESSIONS
9 - 9:15 AM	Keynote: Opening and Welcome session
9:15 - 10:30 AM HYBRID PLENARY	Celebrating 5 Years of GOYN Impact Final panel highlighting key takeaways, acknowledgements, and felicitations
10:45 AM	<u>From program to place: innovating to track impact in GOYN communities</u> This interactive session will explore GOYN community innovations for shifting from program-specific tracking to community-wide impact, focusing on youth journeys and systems change.
- 12 PM	<u>Pathway design: layering interventions to achieve impact at scale</u> This hands-on session will guide participants through the process of designing and layering interventions within pathways to achieve large-scale impact for Opportunity Youth.
BREAKOUT SESSIONS	<u>Building blocks for success: best practices to secure and manage large philanthropic grants</u> Exchange best practices on applying and managing large philanthropic grants, from developing strong proposals to tracking work, managing cash flows and reporting impact.

12 - 12:45 PM | **Lunch & Thematic Networking Tables**

12:45 - 1 PM | **Closing Performance**

