# **Youth Can Organization**

Country: Tunisia

Organisation responsible: Youth Can Organization

Period: Since 2014

**Activity:** Youth Can is a non-governmental, non-profit and independent civil organization in Tunisia founded by young people and for young people as to share the idea of the power of youth as catalysts in today's Tunisian society.

## **Objectives**

Empowering young people to take active participation in the development of a democratic society through active citizenship and social activism as well active political participation including running for elections.

#### Description

Being founded in 2014, we have been managing to grow as an organization and provide structure for young people to learn and develop personally and professionally into critical thinkers and proactive citizens of their community. Today we count over than 500 young members from 24 governorates of Tunisia.

Youth Can works on:

- -Initiating personal development of young people through youth work and non-formal education and capacity building trainings.
- -Raising awareness of young people about active citizenship as a powerful tool to influence social development.
- -Giving opportunities to young people to implement youth initiatives and creatively express their opinions and attitudes.
- -Promoting the rights and liberties of young people (youth mobility and intercultural understanding)
- -Engaging young people in the political process and elections.

## **Beneficiaries**

Tunisian youth

## GOAL 6: Reinforce the role of youth as actors for change

(100) Implement education programs that promote global justice, soft skills and critical thinking, tolerance and respect for diversity, in order to promote peace and nonviolent values.