

## JOHUD Youth Training and Empowerment

**Country:** Jordan

**Organisation responsible:** Jordanian Hashemite Fund for Human Development (JOHUD)



**Period:** Since 1997

**Activity:** JOHUD promotes youth participation and leadership in all of the activities that run through its Community Development Centres (CDC).

### **Objectives**

Encouraging Youth committee members to become active and productive citizens and community leaders by implementing projects that address local developmental priorities relevant to family, school, and university-life.

Encouraging young people to explore the variety of means by which they can reach their full potential, attain gainful employment, and serve their communities.

Helping to improve the skill-base and capability of Jordan now and in the future.

### **Description**

JOHUD has fostered the creation of 52 youth committees and 2600 active members operating in governorates throughout Jordan.

These committees also offer regularly scheduled programming to young men and women from a range of socio-economic backgrounds. These programmes provide the youth with the opportunity to enhance their professionally competitive skill-sets and knowledge through career development guidance, technological training, basic science instruction, and debate coaching.

JOHUD also provides basic skills training for disadvantaged young people, helps widen science and ecological education opportunities for young children, and has provided unique regional conferences to involve the youth in the decision-making process.

### **Beneficiaries**

Tunisian society.

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

(98) Contribute to supporting young people's socio-economic development with additional career options by fostering an entrepreneurial culture and offering entrepreneurship education, facilitating employment searches and job-matching, enacting regulations.