CALL FOR PARTICIPANTS IN CDB’S VYBZING REGIONAL YOUTH OUTREACH PROGRAMME

We’re looking for participants for the Vybzing Regional Youth Outreach Programme, which takes place as part of the agenda for the Annual Meeting of the Board of Governors of the Caribbean Development Bank (CDB). This year Vybzing is being held from June 1-3, 2019 in Trinidad and Tobago under the theme: Youth-Led Innovation; Regional Transformation.

WHAT is it all about?

• Three-day residential programme
• Consultation on CDB’s Youth Policy and Operational Strategy and youth innovation in CDB’s Operations
• Presentations, immersive innovation experiences and training in areas including design thinking for innovation, Internet of Things (IOT); gender equality and social inclusion; coding and artificial intelligence
• Includes opportunities to network with innovators, entrepreneurs, social entrepreneurs, youth leaders and development practitioners from CDB
• In–house Innovation Challenge linked to achieving the UN Sustainable Development Goals

WHO can apply?

• Ages: 18–29 years old
• Youth with innovative ideas and an interest in finding solutions to development challenges in the Region.
• Young people from CDB’s 19 Borrowing Member Countries – Anguilla, Antigua and Barbuda, The Bahamas; Barbados; British Virgin Islands, Dominica, Grenada; Jamaica, Saint Lucia, St. Kitts and Nevis; St. Vincent and the Grenadines; Turks and Caicos; Haiti; Montserrat; Guyana; Suriname; Belize; Cayman Islands, Trinidad and Tobago
• All young people are encouraged to apply including youth with disabilities; youth from remote and urban communities and indigenous youth.

HOW can I apply?

• Click on http://bit.ly/2CWFBGl.

Do Note

• You must commit to 10 hours of online training during May 2019
• Have a valid passport and visa, as required, for travel to return travel to your country of residence from 31 May - 4 June 2019
• CDB will cover travel related costs (air travel; accommodation and meals; airport pick up from and drop off at Piarco International Airport)