



TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO GEN Y PROJECTS

Generation Y comprise individuals born during the period of the 1970s to 1990s. By the year 2020, they will represent the majority of this country’s workforce. The Gen Y projects all focus on areas which Generation Y individuals have identified as being able to better empower them to contribute positively to the aspirations embraced within Trinidad and Tobago’s vision 2020.

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WIRED PROJECT

The aim of this project was to develop several simple modules that would help young people with little or no computer and Internet experience to learn how to use ICTs. NIHERST has developed and tested two modules: one for beginners and the other a little more advanced.

Helping youth to create positive personal roadmaps

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Y VISION PROJECT

The aim of this project was to develop and promote tools that would help young people to imagine how things may change in future years and how they can position themselves to take best advantage of those possible changes. The project also guided each participant to create their personal roadmap.

Working with youth to improve their Internet capabilities

Interested in becoming involved in any of these projects?

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Search for our Facebook page – “Trinidad and Tobago Gen Y Projects”.

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GEN Y PROVIDERS GROUP

The focus of this activity is to promote synergies and strong working relationships among the multiple, diverse and committed organizations, CBOs and NGOs that are all working towards a common goal of developing Gen Y but who tend to have fragmented efforts and programmes, which at times leads to the dilution of benefit/impact. Nearly 20 Gen Y Provider Groups are now collaborating with each other so that they can develop synergies and help position young people facing challenges, in the right programmes.

Interested in creating your own business or linking up with established businesspeople?

Interested in providing trainers, participants or support for these projects?

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T&T ENTREPRENEURSHIP & INNOVATION CLUB

The aim of this project was to develop an Entrepreneurship & Innovation Club (E&I) to support the development of young entrepreneurs and the building of successful business enterprises. Over 65% of Gen Y persons who were interviewed by NIHERST wanted to join an entrepreneurs and innovators club that would allow them to connect with others locally and internationally, share ideas, and help each other realise their aspirations. They also wanted access to mentors. Currently the E&I Club operates on Facebook and has around 400 members. (Type in Trinidad and Tobago Entrepreneurship and Innovation Club in the search box and you’ll find it).

