







Adapting to climate change: How can youth ensure a just transition to a sustainable future?

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Youth statements on climate adaptation admitted at international conferences

			
<p>Youth20, Brazil August 2024</p>	<p>BRICS Youth Summit, South Africa August 2023</p>	<p>COP27, Sharm El Sheikh November 2022</p>	<p>Global center on adaptation August 2019</p>
<p>“Incorporate prospective risk reduction strategies, local adaptation plans, and systematic environmental impact assessments into new projects.”</p>	<p>“Developing engagement of youth volunteering in the field of youth research in climate transitions, social and technological risks associated with the Just Transition.”</p>	<p>“Assist in the funding and support of programmes and projects aimed at developing and expanding youth participation in local, regional, and global climate adaptation action.”</p>	<p>“Youth also have the potential to contribute to climate change adaptation measures when they are empowered to become agents of change.”</p>

Youth initiative: ESG Solution Cup

The Cup, held on the basis of MGIMO University, is unique in its kind, as it provides the infrastructure necessary for the formation of a professional community in the field of climate adaptation, sustainable development and ESG.

Key results:

>400 participants from >30 regions of Russia annually

>15 countries annually

5 companies as partners annually

at least 1 case per year is in English

30 best teams are invited in person



The thematic areas, concerning climate change



- The case "CBAM: consequences of introducing a mechanism of cross-border carbon regulation" (2022)
- The case "Reducing the carbon footprint of the Ecosystem Youth Forum" in cooperation with the Government of the Kamchatka region (2023)
- The case "Impact of carbon regulation mechanisms" jointly with JSC Zarubezhneft (2024)
- The case "Development of the ClimateTech and Climate Finance Market in Russia" jointly with SPB Stock Exchange (2024)

All-Russian Youth Ecological Center “Ecosystem” in Kamchatka region

Mission of the Center

Formation of ecological thinking among young people through deep immersion in the global environmental agenda and Kamchatka's practice of nature conservation

Residence for environmental scientists

Ecovolunteer station in Kamchatka

Online training programmes for young ecologists

Construction of eco-trails, patronage of tourist routes

Goal of the Center

Increase environmental literacy and develop environmental competences of young people living in all constituent entities of the Russian Federation

Base of Kamchatka's young naturalists clubs
Greenhouse, meteorological station, workshop

Realisation of scientific and educational ecological tourism

Centre for internships and practices in the field of ecology

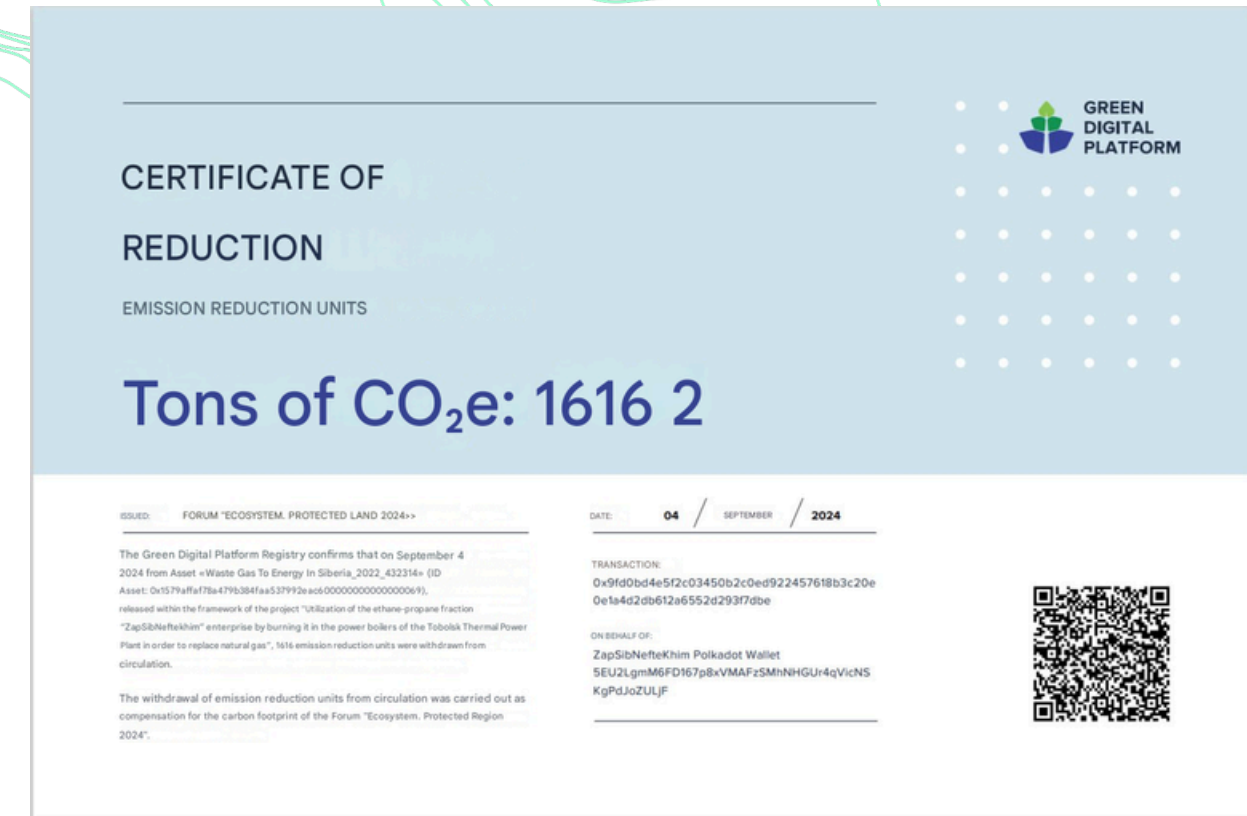
Media products for a wide audience on ecology
Podcasts, video courses

A total of **10,000+** people involved in the centre's activities over 2024-2026

Performance indicators	Target value		
	2024	2025	2026
Number of young people involved in the Centre's activities, people	1000	3500	7500
Number of trained youth, people	1000	3000	5000
Number of youth projects implemented as a result of training, units	10	30	35
Number of federal events and projects held on the basis of the Centre, units	2	4	5
Number of constituent entities of the Russian Federation covered by the Centre's activities, units	75	89	89
Number of partner organisations involved in the Centre's activities, units	30	40	50

“Ecosystem. Reserved Land” is a carbon-neutral forum

SIBUR handed over a certificate of 1,616 carbon units debited from its account. To calculate the carbon footprint of the forum, many indicators were taken into account, including the transport of participants, energy efficiency of infrastructure facilities, catering and waste disposal methods. The calculations were carried out by the consulting company Kept in accordance with the international standard GHG Protocol.



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