

#HockeyInvites YEAR OF THE YOUTH 2021

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To all National Associations

Dear President, Dear Secretary General, Dear CEO

We are two thirds of the way through another challenging year of hockey around the world, but once again, the level of engagement and activity has been remarkable in spite of the COVID challenges.

We introduced the **#HockeyInvites Year of the Youth 2021 (YotY2021)** to you in February this year, since then you have shared many of your youth focused projects with us, the highlights of which we have shared through articles and posts on our website and social media channels. Please do keep them coming in by registering them here: www.fih.academy/yoty2021

In partnership with 4 international Hockey Camp partners, we successfully delivered the inaugural FIH World Hockey Camps Programme in Europe and Pan America during July and August. We are currently searching for new venues and a global sponsor for 2022.

Year of the Youth HUDDLE: 22 September 2021 ONLINE

This month we invite you to nominate two Young Leaders (1 x male & 1 x female) to join us for the Year of the Youth Huddle. The Huddle is a day of online talks with Olympians, top coaches, umpires, and leaders in hockey, aimed at introducing young people to the wide range of opportunities in hockey, as well as initiating a Community of Young Leaders throughout the world.

Please invite your nominated Young Leaders to register as detailed in the supporting email.

Thank you for your continued efforts to promote and grow hockey,

Best wishes

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