

2019 Young Professionals Programme (YPP)



Are you a young, motivated professional who wants to make a difference?

YPP is an entry examination to start a career with the United Nations (UN) Secretariat.

Every year, **countries that are un- or under-represented in the UN are invited to take part in the examination process.**

What are the examination subject areas for 2019?

- Economic Affairs
- Information Systems & Technology

Are you a national of a participating country?

Afghanistan	Guinea-Bissau	Palau
Andorra	Indonesia	Papua New Guinea
Angola	Iran (Islamic Republic of)	Qatar
Antigua & Barbuda	Japan	Republic of Korea
Bahrain	Kiribati	Saint Lucia
Belarus	Kuwait	Saint Vincent and the Grenadines
Belize	Lao People's Democratic Republic	Sao Tome and Principe
Brazil	Lesotho	Saudi Arabia
Brunei Darussalam	Liberia	Solomon Islands
Cabo Verde	Libya	South Sudan
Cambodia	Liechtenstein	Suriname
Central African Republic	Luxembourg	Syrian Arab Republic
China	Marshall Islands	Thailand
Comoros	Micronesia	Timor-Leste
Cyprus	Monaco	Turkmenistan
Democratic People's Republic of Korea	Montenegro	Tuvalu
Dominica	Mozambique	United Arab Emirates
Equatorial Guinea	Nauru	United States of America
Gabon	Norway	Vanuatu
Grenada	Oman	Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)

Are you eligible to apply?



Nationality of a participating Member State



Bachelor's degree or at least a 3-year equivalent degree relevant for the exam area



32 years of age or younger (born on or after 1 Jan. 1987)



Fluency in English or French

If you meet all the above criteria, turn over to see how to apply.

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Successful YPP candidate
Joined the UN in 2016
Associate Multimedia Producer



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Successful YPP candidate
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Visit the Careers Portal:
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- Application Process
- Examination Structure
- Recruitment Process

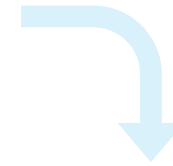
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1 Application Period

June – July 2019

- Visit careers.un.org/ypp to learn more
- Create and submit your application on inspira.un.org



2 Applications Screened

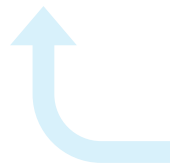
July – October 2019

- Applications evaluated based on eligibility criteria
- Candidates notified of eligibility and convoked to the examination

4 Interviews & Results

April 2020 – June 2020

- Candidates notified of results of written examination
- Interviews conducted
- Notification of overall results



3 Assessment Process

November 2019 – March 2020

- Examinations administered online
- Examinations marked
- Verification of exam results



**2019 YPP
Estimated
Timeline ***

*Any updates to the timeline will be posted on the YPP page of the UN Careers Portal (careers.un.org/YPP)

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