THE 2021 WISE SUMMIT WILL CONVENE UNDER THE THEME:

GENERATION UNMUTE
RECLAIMING OUR FUTURE THROUGH EDUCATION
WHAT ARE THE *GET INVOLVED* SESSIONS:

- Learning experiences *curated by the Summit’s delegates*
- Fully *virtual* sessions
- Engaging conversations in which participants learn from *exploring, accomplishing and debating* with other delegates from around the world
- Well prepared speeches to ensure relevant, productive and *lasting insight*
- A space to suggest, discover, explore and find *concrete solutions for on the ground challenges*
THREE FORMATS:

PITCH IT

HEAR MY STORY

DISCUSS IT
WHAT IS A PITCH IT SESSION?

Duration of the speaking engagement: 10’

5’ The speaker pitches an education solution to a jury consisting of three members: a journalist or an influencer, an educator, and an entrepreneur or an innovator.

5’ The jury gives to the speaker candid feedback and advice.

SESSION DURATION
30 minutes

NB OF SPEAKERS:
3 speakers, one after the other

PARTICIPANTS
up to 100 max

FORMAT VIRTUAL

LANGUAGE OF TALK:
English

NUMBER OF SPEAKING SPOTS:
36
WHAT IS A HEAR MY STORY SESSION?

Duration of the speaking engagement: 10’

The speaker tells a compelling personal story in a supportive environment.

Each talk is focused on one single message related to one of the Summit’s main themes. The talk will be delivered in a story-telling novel engaging way to maintain the audience’s attention high and spark new thoughts among participants.

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This session also encourages candid input from the WISE community.

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SESSION DURATION
30 minutes

NB OF SPEAKERS:
3 speakers, one after the other

PARTICIPANTS
up to 100 max

FORMAT
VIRTUAL

LANGUAGE OF TALK:
English

NUMBER OF SPEAKING SPOTS:
18
WHAT IS A DISCUSS IT SESSION?

Duration of the speaking engagement: 15’

The speaker presents a **practical proven solution** to an education challenge in front of the WISE audience. This solution can be either a predefined detailed program or a set of contextualized work that successfully resolved a real problem of practice.

The speaker **interacts with the audience** by engaging in a lively conversation and discussion on this work.
POTENTIAL THEMES
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HOW TO SUBMIT A PROPOSAL
GET INVOLVED PROPOSALS SUBMISSIONS

Please send us your proposal by filling the online form on the WISE platform.

It will include the following elements:

- Title of your education Solution / Story
- Name of the speaker
- Name of the organization if applicable
- Short biography of the speaker
- Outline of the talking points, main ideas, and messages you wish to share
- Description of how your education Solution or Story aligns with the Summit’ theme and sub-topics.

Please note that we will stop accepting applications after November 8.
NEXT STEPS

The WISE Editorial Team will review your proposal:

• Editorial review period: on a rolling basis and no later than November 8, 2021

• The following criteria will be considered in reviewing the proposal:
  • Relevance of the pitch / story / solution to the WISE Summit program
  • Creativity, interactivity, and engaging dimension of the pitch or story
  • Demonstration that the pitch / story / solution will spark new thoughts among participants
  • Clarity and writing style of the proposal
  • Please note that if the proposal is accepted, we might get in touch with you to suggest adjustments as needed
Thank you for your interest in WISE.

We are looking forward to receiving your proposal!