

Northern Ireland Legacy – Frequently Asked Questions

Thinking that Inspires, Voices that Resonate: Giving rise to a thriving generation of Legacy Leaders

Who's it for?

Anyone living, working, or studying in Northern Ireland aged 18 -25 years

Dates

24 January 2024 at MCS Group, 10th Floor, The Ewart, 3 Bedford St, Belfast BT2 7EP 25 January 2024 at Belfast City Hall, Belfast BT1 5GS

Duration

30 minutes pre-programme online 2 days in person

Cost

Free – all places covered by local sponsorship

What is it?

Have you ever felt that burning desire to make a real impact? To shape a future that resonates more with you? Or have a desire to find out more about what is happening in your locality? You're in the right place! Northern Ireland Legacy is a place to believe in the power of your ideas, the strength of your passions, and the potential within you to transform the place where you live and rewrite the narrative. This isn't just a leadership programme; it's a purposeful movement fueled by your energy and vision. Get ready to embark on an adventure where your thinking takes flight, your skills reach new heights, and your voice becomes a needed force to lasting change in Northern Ireland.

How do I apply and do I have to pay to attend?

You can apply here by answering one simple question – 'Tell us why you should be part of Northern Ireland Legacy?'You can answer in writing, poetry, video or art – we love to see your creativity! We review applications every Friday afternoon so get yours in as soon as you can to guarantee your place on this programme. The programme is free to attend, thanks to generous sponsorship from Belfast City Council, Danske Bank, Power NI, Translink and Queen's University Belfast.

Special thanks to our venue sponsor MCS Group for hosting day one.

How does it work?

You'll join a group of up to 100 young people (18-25-year-olds) from across Northern Ireland – some working, some unemployed, some studying, some campaigning, some volunteering. Over two days, you'll engage in a vibrant exploration of diverse perspectives within the



place where you live. Discover the richness of experiences that shape us, reflect on your driving forces, and learn to tackle significant challenges by asking impactful questions, enhancing your curiosity as your superpower.

You will also craft your personal brand and storytelling skills to captivate hearts and minds, navigate the complexities of intergenerational leadership, unlocking transformative change through collaboration. At the end of the programme you will share your vision in the interactive Marketplace, presenting your thoughts and blue sky thinking and getting real time feedback from leaders and peers.

Benefits to you....

Take your place:

Imagine being part of a vibrant community of go-getters, dreamers, and change-makers just like you! Northern Ireland Legacy brings together a diverse bunch of young minds – students, professionals, activists, and volunteers – all with one shared goal: to make a difference.

Unlock Your Potential:

This isn't just another development programme; it's your ticket to personal growth on your terms. Discover your purpose, craft your unique identity, and level up your leadership skills. We're here to help you unleash your full potential!

Interactive Learning, Real Impact:

No classrooms here! Dive into interactive workshops, engaging discussions, and real-life experiences. Challenge your limits, broaden your horizons, and gain practical skills that set you apart and help you thrive!

Connect, Collaborate, Change:

Ever wondered how your generation can change the world? You'll connect with experienced contributors, learn from their journeys, and understand the power of intergenerational collaboration. Together, we're rewriting the rules!

What past participants have to say:

"Thank you for the opportunity—it has pushed me out of my comfort zone, encouraged me to think differently and given me time to listen to speakers and to hear real life examples including opportunities and the present challenges they face." - Participant, Northern Ireland Legacy 2021



"Interacting with people from such different backgrounds was great." - Participant, Northern Ireland Legacy 2021

Apply here: commonpurpose.org/legacy/northern-ireland-legacy