SYPW Activities
2019-2017
The International Secretariat of Water (ISW) initiated since 2002 and launched in 2012 the World Parliament of Youth for Water (WYPW) which, over the years, has established itself as a representative of young people.

In Sudan, a steering committee was set up in September 2016 by young people in Sudan to set up the National Youth Parliament for Water, with a view to harmonize the vision of Sudanese youth on issues of water, sanitation and sustainable development. The main objective was to bring Sudanese youth together in a common structure enabling them to speak with one voice on Water and Sanitation issues.

Sudan Youth Parliament for Water (SYPW) is Sudanese Youth Network acting for water around Sudan at all levels: from local communities; where it implements concrete actions, to international water debates; where SYPW advocate for youth participation in the water sector.

SYPW was established in January, 2017, over the last 3 years SYPW implemented over 50 different activities that ranged from participating in national and international events related to water sector, implement number of educational and awareness programs inside and outside Khartoum, and conducted number of filed visits to many places in Sudan.
Field Visits

The main objective for the Field Visits is to increase youth involvement in water solutions and to encourage females to participate in the water sector.

- **Field Visit No.1**: River Nile State Villages (Almaknia, Alhilila, Bagrosi and Alebidab): The main purpose was to study the drinking water contaminations.

- **Field Visit No.2**: Sirag Village - Khalwat Masabeeh Elhuda: The Field Visit targeted 1500 students, most of them are internal and external refugees.

- **Field Visit No.3**: Khortag: The main objective was to inspire, empower and mobilize young people in North Kordofan to contribute into the solutions of water problems.

- **Field Visit No.4**: North Kordofan Villages: The main goal was to assess the water quality of 11 villages (25 wells) in North Kordofan State (Wad-Esaa, Ashaf, Waddayoum, Umasal, Mema-Aldekheary, Mema-Alzaky, Alrokab, Umhageer, Awlad-Ali, Aleheamrat, Algouze).

- **Field Visit No.5**: Om-Barakat & Om-Janah Villages in North Kodrofan: Conducting Awareness and Educational Water Programs Targeted 200 Women & 400 Children in the Villages.
SYPW conduct regular awareness programs in order to raise the awareness among the community on water issues, using simple and creative tools and methods so as to change their behavior and in turn take action for water

- Moyat Heltna First Awareness Program Campaign: Alhalfaya - Bahri
- Moyat Heltna Second Awareness Program Campaign: Almaknia Village
- Awareness Program on Watery Diarrhea in Sharg Al-Nile villages: Abu qoroon, Dar Alsalam Almgarba and Om Alqoraa
- Awareness Program on Hand Washing: River Nile State Villages (4 villages)
- Awareness Program in Hygiene promotion: North Kordofan Villages (more than 7 Villages)
- Awareness Program in Hygiene promotion: Sirrag Village (Masbaig Alhuda (Consider as Khawa and Refugee Camp))
- Awareness program in water’s pollutants and water problems around Sudan for the Women of four villages in River Nile State
- International Hand Washing Days: Alforgan Kindergarten, Touti Islands Schools
- Awareness Program in Hygiene promotion & Saving Water for 400 Children in Om-Barakat & Om-Janah Villages in North Kodrofan
SYPW organize and participate in many educational programs aim to educate youth about current water related issues around the world and in Sudan in particular.

In addition to these programs, SYPW organized series of workshops aims to improve the capacity of the members and provide them with the skills they need in their professional development.

- Organize Workshop on Renewable Energies and their Role in Water Purification
- Organize Workshop on Environmental Impact Assessment
- Organize workshop on Developing Youth Knowledge on Sustainability and SDGs Connection together with UNEP
- Organize Educational program for the Women in four villages in River Nile State about the role of women in achieving the sustainable development goal No.6
- Organize Educational program for Children at four Primary schools in River Nile State Villages on Water cycle and Water conversation
- Organize Educational Program about Simple Water Treatment and Rainwater Harvesting Methods in Sirrag Village
- Organize Training on Project Management for Development of WASH Projects
- Skills Workshop: Presentation Skills
- Skills Workshop: Proposal and Report Writing
- Skills Workshop: Communication Skills
- Skills Workshop: Intensive Training on Microsoft Office (Word- Excel- PowerPoint)
- Skills Workshop: The professional way of writing the Email and CV
- Participated in training organized by Red Ruk in Nyala: WASH in Emergency Cases
- Participated in Training Course organized by RCWH on Water Harvesting and Groundwater Structures
- Participated in Training Course organized by RCWH on Rainfall Estimation Using Application of Satellite Technology
- Organize Educational Program about Household Water Treatment, Water Pollutant and Public health targeted 200 women in Om-Barakat & Om-Janah Villages in North Kodrofan
- Participated in Workshop on urban water management
Advocacy

Over the last three years, SYPW worked hard to advocate for youth engagement and participation in the water sector and to ensure that youth recognition as a key Stakeholder, the efforts resulted in conducting, participating and been invited formally for many events in Sudan and Outside Sudan

- Organize World Water Days in Khartoum
- Organize International Youth Day in Kordofan State
- Organize Workshop: Youth and the Sustainable Development Goal (6): how youth can contribute in achieving 2030 water agenda"
- Participated in Educational for Sustainable Development Program, Lebanon
- Participated in the UNESCO - Misk Global Forum, Saudi Arabia
- Invited as speaker in 2nd International Baikal Ecological and Water Forum, International Youth Water Leaders' Summit, Russia
- Invited as speaker in Water Diplomacy Workshop, Egypt
- Exhibition in the Water Diplomacy in the Nile Basin Workshop, Khartoum
- Exhibition in Integrated and Sustainable Management for Non-Nile Water Conference in Sudan
- Exhibition in The Environmental Forums
- Exhibition in the International Earth Day
- Exhibition in Water, Irrigation and Energy Exhibition
- Participated in Key Stakeholder First Meeting: Establishing Integrated Water Resources Management Network in Sudan
- Participated in the Workshop: The Role of Stakeholders in Promoting the Sustainable Development Goals Related to the Water Harvesting
- Participated in the Workshop: Development of a Course on Water Education Targeting Rural Youth in Sudan
- Participated in Workshop: Overcoming Water Related Data Barriers Towards Sustainable Development
- Participated in Workshop in the New Technologies for Water Treatment by WAGTECH
- Participated in Validation Workshop on National Strategy for the Effective Hafirs' System Management
- Participated in Conference: Integrated and Sustainable Management for Non-Nile Water in Sudan
- Participated in Workshop: Integrated Water Resources Management for achieving SDG.6 in Sudan
- Participated in the Workshop: The Water Challenges in the Transition Period in Sudan
- Participated in Monthly WASH Sector Coordination Meeting
- Participated in Annual Retreat WASH Meeting
- Meeting with the Ministry of Health to Discuss 2019 Flood Impacts
- Interview at Radio Hala 96
- Interview at Sudania 24 TV Channel
- Interview at White Nile Radio
- Interview at Khartoum University Radio
- SYPW President Interview with Sudan Vision Newspaper
- Producing Video: "Our Dreams for Water in Sudan"
- Organize SYPW Annual Conference
SYPW has more than 1700 active members in all states of Sudan and outside Sudan working together to achieve goals of SYPW.
During December 2019, SYPW Members had several meetings in all the 17 States of Sudan where they discussed water problems in the states and the role of Youth in the States to solve these problems in order to achieve the Sustainable Development Goal 6, the members also elected coordinators for the all states. The states that hosted meetings included: North Darfur, South Darfur, East Darfur, West Darfur, Central Darfur, North Kordofan, South Kordofan, West Kordofan, Blue Nile, White Nile, Kassala, Aljazeera, River Nile, Port Sudan, Sennar, Alqadarif and the Northern States.