

THE F.A.I.R. PROJECT 2021:

A MISSION FOR HUMANITY

**JOIN US IN
MAKING
A FAIRER
WORLD.**

**14 JUNE -
24 JULY
2021**

**ONLINE
EXPERIENCE**



United Nations
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Dear Changemaker,

Just by virtue of reading this communication, you have become a part of a community which over the coming decades is going to change the way in which individuals across the world think about development, sustainability and decision-making.

We have created a space for Thirty-two people.

Thirty-two people, who seek the truth in a world comfortably unaware.

Thirty-two people, who only cede to reason, and not to conformity.

Thirty-two curious people, who are not afraid to question.

Thirty-two headstrong people, who will not waver in the face of agendas that benefit only a few.

Thirty-two people, who choose to "become", in a world that chooses to "be".

Thirty-two people, who believe they can change the world.

Thirty-two people, who will participate in the second edition of The F.A.I.R. Project:
A Mission for Humanity.

Together, we will assume the responsibility of inculcating fairness in our lives.

We have created a space for Thirty-two people.

We invite you to meet the other Thirty-one.



THE F.A.I.R. PROJECT TEAM

WHAT

The F.A.I.R. Project, an initiative of Eight Goals One Foundation (8one), is organising an online experiential program for individuals between 18 to 27 years of age, supported by the UNESCO New Delhi Cluster Office.

F.A.I.R. is a methodology of introspection which is driven by active dialogue and analysis to inculcate a mindset that focuses on what is right for all and not what benefits a few.

F.A.I.R. is a continuing conversation beyond the formal program, embarking on a mission for holistic and inclusive betterment of humanity.



WHY

We believe that decisions based on collective values are possible, despite the contemporary doctrine and evidences of individualistic interests winning over common good.

The F.A.I.R. Project wants to equip you with the thought process that helps you develop real time solutions to propagate our 8 goals, which complement the United Nations' Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), and mobilise change irrespective of which political, commercial, social or personal situation you may find yourself in.



HOW

F.A.I.R. follows an inquiry-based model, which begins with learning to question, and then to unlearn and re-learn based on factual evidence and sound reason.

F.A.I.R. as a process focuses on developing a rational understanding of the world through a series of interactions with relevant stakeholders and experts, critical engagement with the issues, personal introspection, and learning to question and being comfortable both factually and logically with your conclusions.



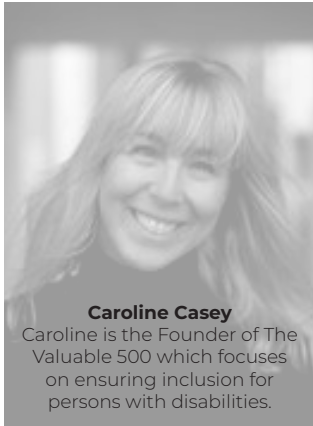
WHO

We want to invite applications from motivated and open-minded young individuals who are driven by their inquisitiveness and the willingness to learn and lead, and are not limited by their level and field of qualification.

These individuals will help build a community conducive for creating and sustaining objective, balanced, and socially pervasive change.

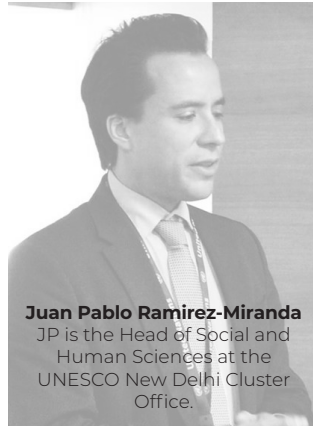






Caroline Casey

Caroline is the Founder of The Valuable 500 which focuses on ensuring inclusion for persons with disabilities.



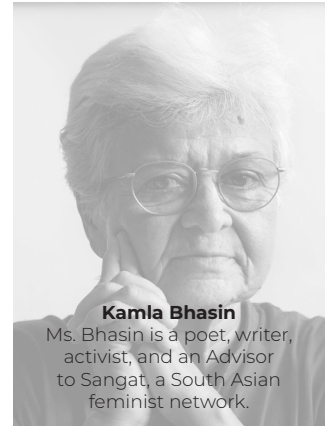
Juan Pablo Ramirez-Miranda

JP is the Head of Social and Human Sciences at the UNESCO New Delhi Cluster Office.



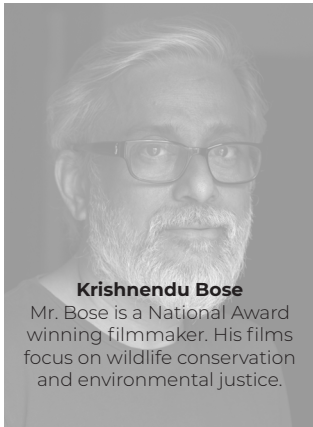
Julia Rucklidge

Julia is a clinical psychology Professor at the University of Canterbury who explores the role of nutrition on mental illnesses.



Kamla Bhasin

Ms. Bhasin is a poet, writer, activist, and an Advisor to Sangat, a South Asian feminist network.



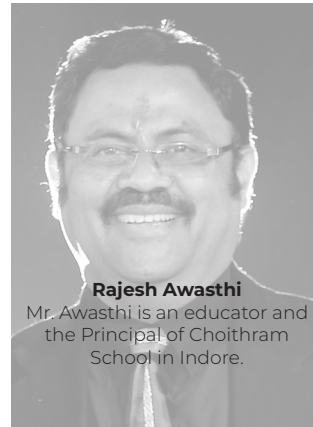
Krishnendu Bose

Mr. Bose is a National Award winning filmmaker. His films focus on wildlife conservation and environmental justice.



Paula S Williams

Paula is a pastor, counsellor and a public speaker on gender equality and LGBTQ inclusion.



Rajesh Awasthi

Mr. Awasthi is an educator and the Principal of Choithram School in Indore.



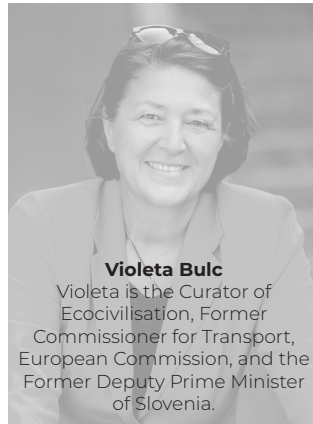
Rosalia Arteaga

Rosalia is the former President and Vice President of the Republic of Ecuador, and currently, the Executive President of the Fidal Foundation.



Sonia Randhawa

Sonia is the Founder of Coalition of Everyone and a Member of the Sortition Foundation, focusing on participatory democratic initiatives.



Violeta Bulc

Violeta is the Curator of Ecocivilisation, Former Commissioner for Transport, European Commission, and the Former Deputy Prime Minister of Slovenia.



Zainah Anwar

Zainah is the Director of Musawah. Her work focuses on women's rights within the Islamic framework.

2020 CHANGEMAKERS:

18

States

7

Religious Beliefs

250+
UNIVERSITIES

Selected From



Sex Ratio



Toxicology



Economics



Politics



Zoology



Seronautics



Sport

Areas of Interests



Age Group

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS:

4K
LIVE VIEWS

Changemakers'
Showcase

80K
VIEWS

YouTube

15+

Speaker Events

50+

Hours of
Discussions



Open Houses



Internal Panels



External Panels



Showcase
Presentation



STEP 1

FACT-FIND AND FAMILIARISE YOURSELF

Our mind often finds it easier to choose the option where the most amount of information has been made visible to us. This information is better processed subject to the volumes of supporting data that our brain has access to and the confidence with which we can assess its outcome.

To ensure a fair outcome, it is extremely important for us to provide our brain with equal volumes of comparative information. It is pertinent to ensure that facts are found to supplement all positions.

Step 1 aims to equip you with the above. We want 'F' to help you discover, examine and organise this information in a manner that would help you view the whole picture and ensure that each position is well-informed to facilitate your decision-making process.



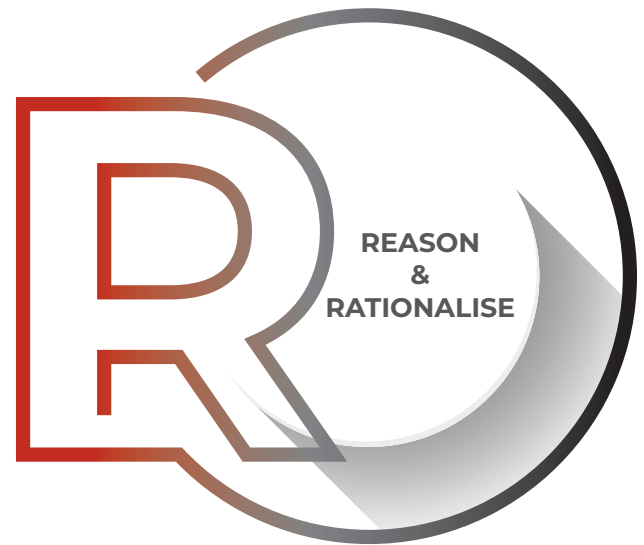
STEP 2

ADVOCATE FOR ALTERNATE VIEWPOINTS

Step 2 focuses on advocating for alternate viewpoints. This includes identifying all the relevant stakeholders, understanding their arguments and perspectives, and thereafter advocating for their viewpoints to compare it with one's own initial position.

For an individual to be fair, we believe it to be key to actively consider different existing and potential perspectives. It would be important to understand the subject from each of the relevant stakeholder's perspective and develop an argument that would counter your prevailing opinion to test the fairness of your judgement.

Our aim, at the end of the day, is to ensure that we think about what is fair, as opposed to who has the better argument, or as mentioned in Step 1, where there is more easily accessible information.



STEP 3

INTROSPECT AND INTERROGATE YOURSELF

Step 3 is to introspect whether the arguments put forth by you are strong or weak compared to your original belief. In order to ensure this, 'I' focuses on interrogating yourself to strengthen your conviction and assess the objectivity of your judgement.

To ensure fairness, this step focuses on treating each decision without retribution to ensure that you enter into any debate with a neutral perspective. At this stage, you would be equipped with both comparative volumes of information and varied perspectives. This step aims to ensure that your final judgement is one where you are confident of the fairness of the decision and its objectivity.

STEP 4

REASON AND RATIONALISE

Step 4 is the true test of whether a fair decision has been reached based on factual evidence, alternative considerations, rigorous introspection, logical actualisation and effective communication.

The decisions that you make, whether in your everyday life or regarding certain subject matters, come with both tangible and intangible accountability. Step 4 provides the final set of checks and balances by asking the question 'why' to ensure that these decisions have been accounted for.

OPEN HOUSE SESSIONS:

DATE	SESSION
Friday, 16 April 2021	Open House 1
Friday, 7 May 2021	Open House 2
Friday, 28 May 2021	Open House 3

FACT-FIND AND FAMILARISE:

DATE	SESSION
Tuesday, 15 June 2021	Fact-find and Familiarise (F): Introduction
Wednesday, 16 June 2021	F: Well-being
Thursday, 17 June 2021	F: Gender Equality
Friday, 18 June 2021	F: Peace
Saturday, 19 June 2021	F: Environment
Monday, 21 June 2021	F: Hygiene
Tuesday, 22 June 2021	F: Nutrition
Wednesday, 23 June 2021	F: Education
Thursday, 24 June 2021	F: Employment

ADVOCATE FOR ALTERNATE VIEWPOINTS:

DATE	SESSION
Friday, 25 June 2021	Advocate for Alternate Viewpoints (A): Introduction
28 – 29 June 2021	A: Introduction [Group call]
Friday, 2 July 2021	A: Well-being Panel Discussion
Friday, 2 July 2021	A: Gender Equality Panel Discussion
Friday, 2 July 2021	A: Peace Panel Discussion
Friday, 2 July 2021	A: Environment Panel Discussion

Note: Each session will take place for approximately 2 hours per day in the evenings.

The Fact-Finding Session: This will be conducted by each participant on all 8 goals : Well-being, Gender Equality, Peace, Environment, Hygiene, Nutrition, Education and Employment.

The Advocate for Alternate Viewpoints Session: This will have 4 participants team up to focus on one goal.

DATE	SESSION
Saturday, 3 July 2021	A: Hygiene Panel Discussion
Saturday, 3 July 2021	A: Nutrition Panel Discussion
Saturday, 3 July 2021	A: Education Panel Discussion
Saturday, 3 July 2021	A: Employment Panel Discussion

INTROSPECTION AND INTERROGATION:

DATE	SESSION
5 July – 6 July 2021	Introspection and Interrogation (I): Introduction [Group call]
Friday, 9 July 2021	I: Well-being Session
Friday, 9 July 2021	I: Gender Equality Session
Friday, 9 July 2021	I: Peace Session
Friday, 9 July 2021	I: Environment Session
Saturday, 10 July 2021	I: Hygiene Session
Saturday, 10 July 2021	I: Nutrition Session
Saturday, 10 July 2021	I: Education Session
Saturday, 10 July 2021	I: Employment Session

REASON AND RATIONALISE:

DATE	SESSION
12 July – 13 July 2021	Reason and Rationalise (R): Introduction [Individual call]
Wednesday, 14 July 2021	R: Changemakers' Showcase Opening Session
Saturday, 17 July 2021	R: Video submission
Friday, 23 July 2021	R: Changemakers' Showcase Day 1
Saturday, 24 July 2021	R: Changemakers' Showcase Day 2

The Interrogation and Introspection Session: This will be carried out by participants individually to debate the contrary position on the goal and the views they debated on.

The Reason and Rationalise Session: This will see participants deliver a 12-minute talk on their final views on any of the goals irrespective of the goal assigned to them. This session will be broadcasted and made available on YouTube.

TIMELINE

**January 20,
2021**



Applications Open

**March 8,
2021**



Applications Close

**March 9,
2021 onwards**



Interviews begin
through Skype.

**April 2,
2021**



Final Shortlist of
Changemakers 2021

**April 5,
2021**



Deadline to Confirm
Participation

**April-June,
2021**



The F.A.I.R. Dialogues and
Open House Sessions

**14 June-24
July, 2021**



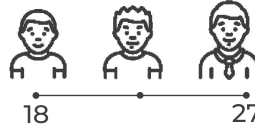
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APPLICATION PROCESS

HOW TO BECOME A PART?



Fully-funded



Age Group



Anyone can Apply



32 Participants



14th June 2021 to
24th July 2021



Online

PARTICIPANTS

- Age: 18-27
- Number of participants: 32
- No specific educational qualification

APPLICATION PROCESS

All applicants will be required to apply through our application interface.
[Click here to access the link.](#)

Instructions related to the application are listed on the application link itself. The application link will be active from 00:01 on January 20, 2021, till 23:59 of March 8, 2021.

All applicants need to submit a 120-180 second video or audio clip answering any one of the following questions:

1. What would your ideal position be with respect to the way the world looks at any of the 8 goals?
2. According to you, what is the biggest challenge our world faces today and why?
3. What human achievement are you most proud of?

Any applicant that is unable to submit the video or audio clip can submit a 400-word write up along with their reason for their inability to submit the video/ audio clip within 50 words.

ABOUT US



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Eight Goals One Foundation was co-founded by Ramit Singh Chimni and Varun Achreja to support the eight goals that our foundation has identified as crucial in our mission for humanity. These goals include - Well-being, Gender Equality, Peace, Environment, Hygiene, Nutrition, Education and Employment. We aim to affect pragmatic and sustainable progress across these goals with a focus on social development over other interpretations of the term 'development'.

The United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO) was born on 16 November 1945. UNESCO has 193 Members and 11 Associate Members and is governed by the General Conference and the Executive Board. The Secretariat, headed by the Director-General, implements the decisions of these two bodies. The Organization has more than 50 field offices around the world and its headquarters are located in Paris.

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