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## [NUS PSSOC] Invitation to participate in Singapore Youth Policy Competition 2025

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Domain (1) Use of AI in the Workplace.pdf; Domain (2) Transport Inclusivity.pdf; SYPC 2025 Event Brief.pdf;

Dear ASEAN Institutes,

I hope this email finds you well.

On behalf of the Political Science Society of NUS (PSSOC), we are cordially inviting you and your students to participate in the **Singapore Youth Policy Competition (SYPC) 2025**, a **national case-based policy competition** designed to empower youths in crafting innovative solutions to pressing societal issues.

SYPC offers a valuable platform for students to gain insights into the policymaking process while tackling real-world challenges. This year, top-performing teams will also stand a chance to win prizes of up to SGD 300.

Formerly known as the Singapore Undergraduate Policy Competition (SUPC), we have since rebranded as SYPC to expand participation to both Junior College and university students, recognising the importance of inclusive and diverse perspectives in policymaking. Over the years, SYPC has **attracted participants from institutions** across Singapore and **ASEAN**—including teams from Institut Teknologi Bandung (ITB) and Universitas Indonesia (UI)—creating a diverse community of aspiring changemakers.

SYPC is also a unique opportunity for **international students** to **contribute fresh, cross-cultural perspectives** on regional policy issues, exchange ideas with peers from different educational systems, and engage meaningfully with Singapore's approach to governance.

The theme for SYPC 2025, "Catalyst: Igniting Ideas, Crafting Futures," reflects our belief in the power of youths as drivers of societal change. This year's competition will focus on two domain areas: Artificial Intelligence and Transport Inclusivity. Each domain is accompanied by a specific topic, chosen to reflect urgent and relevant policy issues within Singapore and beyond.

SYPC 2025 will be held as a two-day, **in-person event** at **NUS University Town**, taking place on **Saturday, 21 June and Sunday, 22 June 2025**, from **9:00 AM to 7:00 PM** each day. Further information about the event, including competition structure and judging criteria, can be found in the attached Event Brief.

**Flight and accommodation costs will be borne by participating students.** However, international teams are welcome to stay at NUS University Town from 20 June to 23 June 2025 at their own cost, and we will be happy to assist in facilitating the booking process. The registration fee will cover lunch on both days of the competition.

Early bird registration is now open and will close on Saturday, 17 May 2025. Regular registration will remain open until Saturday, 7 June 2025. Interested participants may register via the following link: <https://tinyurl.com/SYPC2025signup>.

To stay updated on the latest announcements, you may check out our Instagram page @sypc2025 and visit our website at [www.nuspssoc.org/sypc2025](http://www.nuspssoc.org/sypc2025).

We would greatly appreciate it if you could help publicise this event to your students. Publicity materials have been attached for your convenience. Thank you, and we hope to welcome you and your students at SYPC 2025.

Yours sincerely,

Elizabeth Ong

Events Director