# YOUNG AND EMERGING EVALUATORS UGANDA





# **Programme Profile**

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#### 1.1 Introduction

The formation of Young and Merging Evaluators (YEE) Uganda was premised on the formation of EvalYouth based on the Global Evaluation Agenda (2016-2020), known as the "Eval2020 Agenda", which was developed and agreed upon during the Global Evaluation Week. Global Evaluation Week was held in Kathmandu, Nepal in November 2015, and was the culminating event during the International Year of Evaluation (EvalYear).

The YEEs program is an initiative implemented by the Uganda Evaluation Association (UEA) where a group of young and emerging evaluators will work together to achieve their career purposes and objectives in evaluations. It operates as a network for the young and emerging evaluators under the sponsorship/ support of UEA and other partners. Interested members will be considered as members, with ability to activate their core group membership at any stage with UEA.

Partnership members may be members who may or may not be active but are involved in specifically as representatives of organizations and networks with a primary view to sharing of information rather than engaging directly in activities.

- Young and Emerging Evaluators (YEEs) will be individuals who are members of UEA and meet at least one of the following criteria:
- Evaluators who have less than 5 years of professional experience, or
- Recent university graduates (5 years or less post-graduation) who are interested in joining the evaluation profession, or
- Development professionals who have relevant technical knowledge and, within the past 5 years or less, have expressed an interest in becoming professional evaluators.

#### 1.2 Vision

A networked society of YEEs with high and professional evaluation capacities and standards in Uganda.

#### 1.3 Mission

To contribute to sustainable and equitable development that depends on the production of high-quality evaluations that meet standards for quality.

#### 1.4 Goal

To promote YEEs to become competent, experienced and well-networked professionals who contribute to evaluation capacity at national, regional and also international levels through the inclusion of YEEs in evaluations conducted (internships), trainings and mentorships.

## 1.5 Strategic objectives

To achieve the main goal of this programme, three strategic objectives will guide the activities of the programme

- 1) Develop UEA institutional capacity
- 2) To Professionalise Young and Emerging evaluators in Uganda.
- 3) Form and strengthen Young & Emerging Evaluators' Networks in Uganda

### 1.6 Core values:

- Learning
- Professionalism
- Innovativeness
- Inclusiveness

# 1.7 Alignment of Uganda Evaluation (UEA) Objectives and Young and Emerging Evaluators

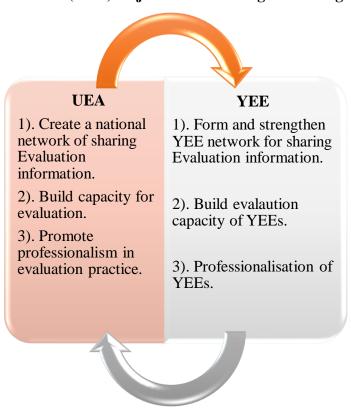


Figure 1: The alignment of YEE Uganda Strategic objectives with those of Uganda Evaluation association (UEA).

# 1.8 The bottom-Up Strategic Linkages



Figure 2: YEE Uganda fits into the global evaluation platforms that are aiming at taping into the potential of youth. These include Evalyouth a programme of Evalpartners and the Eval agenda 2020. All this is aimed at achieving The 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development (SDGs).

