

CONFERENCE UPDATES!

YFPDJ-NA 5TH ANNUAL CONFERENCE

LOCATION:
WASHINGTON, D.C.
LABOR DAY WEEKEND
WWW.YFPDJ.ORG

September 3-7th 2009

Washington D.C.

YFPDJ Conference Participants share their thoughts...

"We cannot always build the future for our youth, but we can build our youth for the future."

Franklin D. Roosevelt

SAIRON TEKLEAB YFPDJ DALLAS

"The conference was an awakening experience for me, as far as being exposed to many youth from around the world that are working hard to do their part for the local communities & in Eritrea. It also showed how the youth can impact so much! It was inspiring to meet so many intelligent & politically conscious peers, and has motivated me to become more aware of the media & information I come across now. My Eritrean soul has been rejuvenated & I am ready to do more in my chapter!!! Its almost like when you come back from Eritrea & you have that more in tune feeling with your people & culture. It was an amazing experience!!"

YOHANNESDEBESAI EAAA

"What impressed me the most about the conference is the power of this youth movement, the presentations done by the chapters or youth organizations, and the amount of service they have done for their respective community. The impact of this movement is of paramount importance to Eritrea and is beyond what every one of us can imagine."

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"The conference was very successful this year, very well organized, amazing turn out & well rounded topics were discussed. It opened a discussion on topics that are usually not discussed when we generally talk about Eritrea. Very informative of our government's policies and plans outside politics. It was also very important to clarify our political stand & point of views in regards to our neighboring countries."



Zekre Sematat & National Anthem



Brainstorming & Planning Session



YFPDJ networking!

"Y.P.F.D.J was a wonderful experience for me. I especially loved the activities we did . And I also enjoyed the parties and games like Eritrean History jeopardy. It gave me and many others a chance to make friends from other countries and states. So thank you for making my first time at a conference a cool experience!!!!"

SESAN HIDRI DC