

Second edition of NLE Project for youth launched

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The second edition of the National Leadership Engine (NLE) project was launched under the aegis of the National Productivity and Competitiveness Council (NPCC) targeting 600 registered participants on Saturday, July 11 spanning across 10 youth centers.

This year, the team leaders participated in the NLE 2020 as co-trainers where the workshop will be held over 12 weeks, comprising of face to face sessions and virtual coaching sessions. It concerns nine youth centers where training is dispensed in areas such as Rivière du Rempart, Triolet, Floréal, Tamarin, Flacq, Mahébourg and Ebène (NPCC).



Training of participants during NLE 2020.

Executive Director at NPCC Ashit Gungah spoke on the importance of preparing the young people in the wake of several challenges in future where the NLE project has assumed significance in the COVID-19 pandemic context. "The leadership training represents an opportunity to upskill and breed talents helping to ensure the implementation of projects taking into account that the first edition of NLE 2019 was a huge success," he underlined.

Earlier in February, 30 trainers were inducted as part of the first in a series of activities to fulfill the objectives of building capacity and grooming leadership abilities among the youth. The participants will undertake a slew of practical sessions to be able to work on community-based projects to positively impact society.

The NLE project based on The Leadership Brand for the island is designed to facilitate learning and adopting leadership skills to help shape the youth in emerging as self-confident leaders to contribute across private, public sectors and civil society. Together, Innovating, Trusted, and Excellence forms part of the core values.

The Leadership Codes include Human Capital Developer: To build on the next generation, Strategist: Shape the future, Talent Manager: Engage today's talent and Executor: Make this happen.

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