

COMMUNITY YOUTH FORUM

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work with local people in planning and actuating socio-economic projects around the world. The projects, located in both rural and urban communities of extreme need, are established for the purpose of demonstrating comprehensive human development. The work of the ICA is supported by private foundations, corporations, concerned individuals and government departments and agencies on the national, state and municipal levels.

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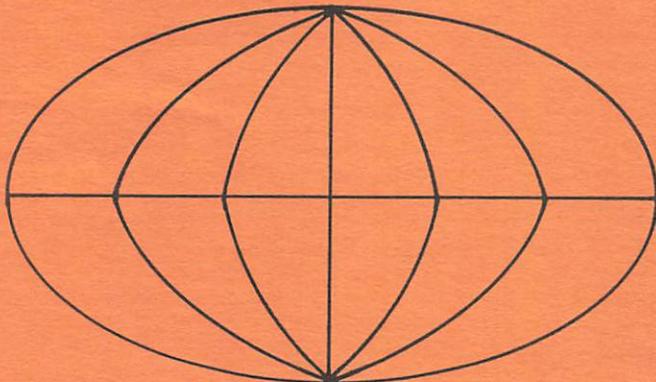
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*Oh very young,
what will you leave us this time—
you're only dancing on this earth
for a short while.
—Cat Stevens*

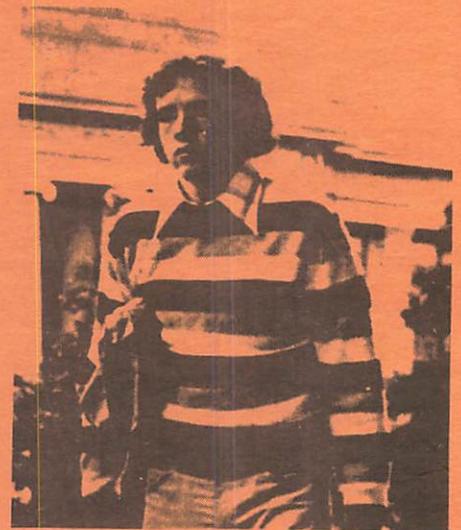
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SESSION I		<i>Interlude</i>	SESSION II	
<i>Introductory Opening</i>	The New Youth	<i>Reflective Conversation</i>	The New Vocation	<i>Closing Plenary</i>
	GLOBAL VISION WORKSHOP		LOCAL PLAN WORKSHOP	

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intent

Community Youth Forum is designed to give youth fresh images of their present and future by providing the opportunity for them to look at the question of responsible action. Through building a local plan and articulating their dreams for the future they can begin in a new way to take up the challenge that is facing youth in the world.



design

The methods used combine each person's wisdom with that of the whole group. The day consists of two brief talks, two workshops and group conversations. The product of the forum is a plan which the participants themselves can implement as a demonstration of concern for the future and their decision to be of service to their community.

