

# WWF One Planet Youth Action Citizen Scientist Recruitment

Let's act for nature! If you want to contribute to nature conservation and learn about scientific research, don't miss the chance to become one of our One Planet Youth Citizen Scientist!

**Background** “One Planet Youth Action” is a platform for youths aged 15-30 to contribute to conservation by conducting scientific research. Under the guidance of the WWF team, participants as one of our citizen scientists will conduct various scientific surveys in Hong Kong. Data collected by citizen scientists will contribute to providing the latest status of Hong Kong’s biodiversity for ongoing conservation projects.

## Details of citizen science projects

### 1. Biodiversity Check@ Mai Po

Conserving the high biodiversity at Mai Po Nature Reserve requires a comprehensive ecological database to implement effective wetland management. “Biodiversity Check@ Mai Po” aims to train a group of citizen scientists to conduct long-term ecological monitoring with WWF at Hong Kong’s only wetland reserve.

### 2. Marine Litter Survey

To effectively map out conservation strategies for tackling Hong Kong’s marine litter problem, scientific research plays an important role in providing WWF with the latest status. WWF will mobilise groups of young people to take part in helping solve our marine litter problem by using scientific methods to analyse the types of marine debris collected in Hong Kong. Join our efforts in helping to protect our ocean.



## Period of ecological survey: January to July 2019

\* Depending on the nature, both biodiversity check and marine litter surveys will be conducted 2-3 times per month. Most surveys will last for approximately half a day to a full day on weekends and some surveys will be conducted in the evening as needed.



# Applicant Requirements:

- Aged between 15 to 30
- Physically fit and able to work in the field continuously for at least three hours
- No scientific background required!



## Application Details:

### Online application (Deadline: 10 December 2018)

- Shortlisted applicants will be informed by email in mid-December 2018.
- Shortlisted applicants **MUST** attend a citizen scientist seminar on 20 January 2019

## Remarks:

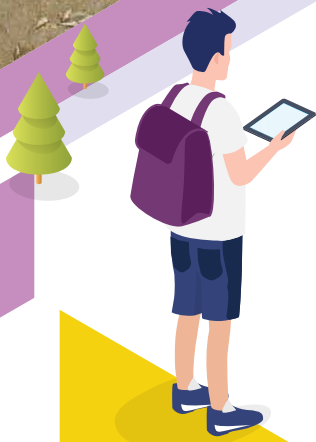
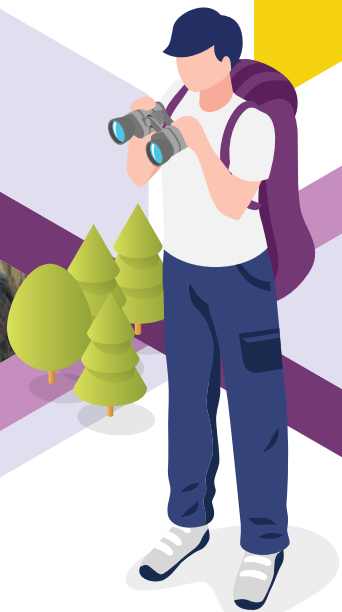
- All data collected will contribute to WWF-Hong Kong conservation works.
- Please seek advice from a medical doctor if you have an existing heart or respiratory illness before taking part in this activity.
- Training will be provided to all volunteers before data collection. Participating volunteers are required to attend all training sessions.
- Volunteers are required to attend a total of 30 hours of survey, with certificates awarded to volunteers who have completed the programme.



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# 世界自然基金會 One Planet 青年行動 公民科學家招募

如果你都希望參與環境保育，亦有意認識科學研究工作，就立即報名成為本會One Planet 青年行動的公民科學家，與我們一同行動，為大自然做多一點！

## 計劃簡介

「One Planet 青年行動」特別為有意參與保育工作的15至30歲青年而設。在WWF專業團隊帶領下，參加者將成為公民科學家，在本港進行不同類型的科學調查。調查所得的數據將有助更新香港的生物多樣性狀況，為其他保育項目提供重要研究基礎。現在就一同參與，建立可持續未來！

## 公民科學計劃

### 1. 生物多樣性普查@米埔

為了保護米埔自然保護區的生物多樣性，我們需要全面了解區內狀況，以實施有效的濕地管理。「生物多樣性調查@米埔」的主要目標是培訓一班對濕地生物多樣性有興趣的年輕人，與本會職員一起在香港唯一的濕地保護區進行長期生態調查及研究。

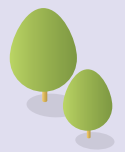
### 2. 海洋垃圾調查

要解決香港海洋垃圾問題，長期的海洋垃圾調查可為我們提供重要的數據，以制訂有效的保育政策。WWF希望動員更多年輕人，與我們一同以科學調查形式，分析在香港不同海岸的垃圾種類，為海洋保育出一分力。



## 計劃調查時段： 2019年1月至7月

\*視乎調查性質及天氣，每月將分別進行兩至三次生態及海岸垃圾調查。大部份調查將於星期六、日進行，每節需時半日至一日，部份調查或需於晚間進行。



# 參加者要求

- 15至30歲
- 體格壯健，並能於野外環境連續工作3小時或以上
- 無需任何科學學術及研究背景

## 報名詳情：

### 網上報名[截止日期：2018年12月10日。]

- 被取錄的申請者將於12月中旬獲電郵通知。
- 被取錄者必需出席2019年1月20日舉行的公民科學家簡介會。

## 備註：

- 計劃所得數據將用於本會保育工作。
- 參加者請注意個人身體狀況，心臟病或呼吸系統疾病患者參與活動前應諮詢醫生意見。
- 本會將於調查開始前為義工提供訓練，義工務必出席並完成所有訓練。
- 義工需完成不少於30小時調查活動，完成計劃的義工將獲發證書。



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