

a conference with youthful ideas

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ISCES 2012







2012

### **ISCES**

# International Students Conference on Environment and Sustainability

An annual conference with the aim of promoting the important role of youth in large-scale decisions.





### An integrated collaboration between UNEP and Tongji

A 4-day conference with various activities, including keynote speeches, field visits, parallel group workshops and poster contest



## **2011 ISCES**

During the first ISCES over **400 students** from all over the world gathered in Tongji University to share their cultural and technical knowledge about sustainable development

At the same time they visit sites as the **Eco city Chongming Island**, the **World Heritage Suzhou** to learn about the sustainable development in China and they way the biggest nation of the world is getting ready.









## Impacts of the ISCES



It's amazing the difference my attendance at the 2011 Student Conference has made on my applications for these events

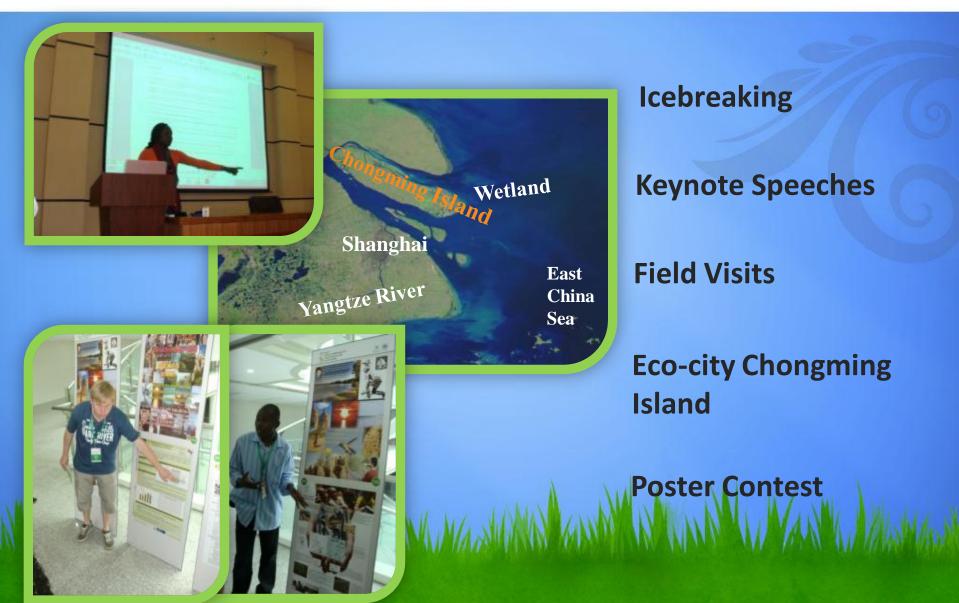
Thanks to the ISCES I was able to learn about different cultures and now I'm working in a Science e-journal

- Currently undertaking the Australian National Internships Program in Canberra
- Part of the Global Voices Australian Youth Delegation to the UN Durban Climate Conference
- Awarded a 2012 Prime Minister's Australia Asia Endeavour Award



## Exciting new activities





### **2012** is the Year of Green Economy















This year topic will be designed towards the
UN Conference Rio +20 that will allow the participants to have actual knowledge about the policy making and the path we must walk







Dongtan Wetland Park (Chongming Island)

### **Chongming Island**

#### UNEP-Shanghai Municipality

A project on sustainable development is to be implemented by UNEP and Shanghai Government in Chongming Island.

#### Towards our scope of GREEN ECONOMY

Chongming Island has established classification and guidance for ecological industry

## Shanghai's first national geological park

Abundant biological resources from here boasts many geological features such as wetlands and sandbar

#### Local cultures of simplicity

Chongming shoulder pole play is a kind of folk drama with unique characteristic and individuality



# POSTER COMPETITION

**MORE THAN 200 NEW IDEAS** 

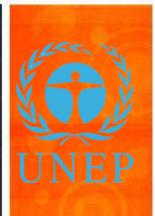
- » Show and tell about your poster with a Video Slide Show
- » Share your presentation in real-time with anyone during the conference.
- » All the posters will be edited and published for a Booklet that will be submitted to Rio+20.











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- Participate in regional or global environmental projects and capacity building programs organized and coordinated by UNEP
- Conducting global environmental studies and technology innovations, to promote and practice beneficial experience and technology in environmental protection
- Promote environmental academic communication, to hold international conferences.
- At the moment we have 107 international students from 35 nations





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