Unite Ideas is an online platform through which the UN system can draw upon the skills, creativity and intellectual property of a standing community of +19,000 engaged global citizens and organizations to solve the world’s most pressing problems.

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CHALLENGE PARTNERS

Unite Ideas was adopted by the UN HLCM as a standard crowdsourcing platform available to UN APPs.

KEY FIGURES

- 1/3 MILLION SITE VISITORS FROM +40 COUNTRIES +19,000 PLATFORM REGISTERED USERS +25 CHALLENGE LAUNCHED +10,000 VOTES FROM PUBLIC +600 IDEAS RECEIVED
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13 UN ENTITIES

UN DESA, UNCCD, WHO, UNDP,
UNAIDS, UNICEF, UN CEB,
OCHA, UNCTAD, UNOPS, UN Global
Compact, World Humanitarian
Summit

13 UNIVERSITIES

KTH, New York University, Aalto University,
Universiteit Leiden, Massachusetts Institute
of Technology, École de Mines Saint-Etienne,
Rutgers University, University of Southampton,
The George Washington University, Northeastern University,
Fordham University, Carnegie Mellon University

4 MEMBER STATES & IGOs

European Commission, Brazil,
Finland, United States

CHALLENGE TOPICS

- CLIMATE CHANGE
- ACCESS TO DATA
- ETHICAL FASHION
- CIRCULAR ECONOMY
- INTERNAL DISPLACEMENT OF PEOPLE
- ARMED CONFLICT
- CYBERSECURITY LAW
- EDUCATION FOR REFUGEES
- OPEN STATISTICAL DATA
- CHILD TRAFFICKING & IDENTIFICATION
- STATUS & PROGRESS OF THE SDGs
- SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY & INNOVATION KNOWLEDGE
- ENERGY MODELLING TOOLS
- HUMANITARIAN DATA SURVEYS

TECHNOLOGIES REQUESTED

- DATA/TEXT ANALYTICS & VISUALIZATIONS
- MACHINE LEARNING
- MOBILE & WEB APPS
- IMAGE RECOGNITION
- BLOCKCHAIN
- GAMES
- VIRTUAL REALITY
- GEOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION SYSTEMS