

BAME MILLENNIALS NAVIGATING SPACE UNDER LOCKDOWN

- ★ Are you a young adult from a Black, Asian and/or Minority Ethnic (BAME) background?
- ★ Are you aged 18-30?
- ★ Are you interested in participating in a 4 month project to gather your experiences and those of your peers, to find out *How Covid-19 has affected you and your communities?*
- ★ Do you live in one of the 6 regions in England? South West, North West, West Midlands, Midlands East, South East and Greater London

The Ubele Initiative is looking for
12 BAME adults (18-30 year olds)
to participate in a 4 month project to capture
and share young BAME adults' experiences
of COVID-19 and associated lockdown responses.

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Deadline for applications:
Monday 9th November 2020



What is this project about?

If you have concerns around the current pandemic crisis and its impact on your community; enjoy multi-media approaches, sharing stories (yours included) and uploading digital content (video-conferencing, social media, mobile video uploads) or are eager to learn (training will be provided) - then join Ubele on this unique journey.

Given the relative invisibility of young adults aged 18+ in COVID-19 national discussions and policy initiatives we would like to capture and shed light on young BAME adults' experiences of COVID-19 and associated lockdown responses. Also, relatively little is known of the impact of COVID-19, 'social distancing' and 'lockdown' responses on BAME young adults. We are looking for 12 BAME adults who are people oriented, good communicators, self-motivated and have existing networks in their local areas to take part in this collaborative, potentially policy changing project which aims to highlight what COVID -19 has meant us to our communities.

This collaborative project between The Ubele Initiative and University College London will allow us to better understand the immediate implications of COVID-19 on BAME communities. As an intergenerational organisation, Ubele creates opportunities to surface the views, experiences, and voices of young adults 18+.



Eligibility criteria

- 18-30 years
- Living in one of the following regions: South West, North West, West Midlands, Midlands East, South East and Greater London
- Black, Asian Minority Ethnic (BAME) communities
- Able to participate in the project (at least 30 hours over 4 months)
- See yourself as a social activist, change maker or just curious about COVID-19 stories and willing to capture and share your story and those of other young adults with a wider audience
- Is willing to use film, photography, spoken word and other creative methods to document your experiences
- Good communication skills

We would like to encourage applications of disabled people, Black people/ People of Colour/ BAME community members, LGBTIQ and people from different educational and cultural backgrounds.*

Your role includes

- Attending online “focus group” and workshops: approx. 4 sessions of 1.5 hour each
- Collecting views of young BAME adults & wider community’s responses to COVID-19
- Use of multi-media (video, audio, “sound bites”, photography) to convey stories
- Use of Maptionnaire research/digital tool to gather data (videos, pics, sounds, etc.)
- Contribution to the production of a short film
- Identifying and on boarding local peers/contributors
- Take part in online planning / training / feedback sessions
- Liaison and effective communication with the Ubele Project Manager.



Key information

- 4 months commitment: early Nov 2020 to late Feb 2021 (a minimum of 30 hours across period)
- 100% online working (whilst lockdown restrictions are still in place)
- Attend online workshops between November and December 2020
- Training will be provided for research tool (Maptionnaire) and creative methods
- You will be expected to gather wider views/opinions/stories from a range of young adults in your region and upload them to our online platform
- 1 to 1 and group support available throughout the project.

What participation in this project offers?

- A £300 fee for your contribution to the project (4 months duration) and expenses to cover additional costs/materials
- Skills/Training in research tools & multi-media applications
- An opportunity to contribute to a new project that seeks to create real social change in England
- Flexible working hours and workplace
- 1 to 1 support
- Great project to generate work experience and for personal growth

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