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Royal Commonwealth Society of Canada and MyCommonwealth send youth delegates to Malta

Montreal - Joshua Mazur of Ottawa, and Aden Mohammed Hamza of London Ontario are accredited Canadian delegates to the Commonwealth Youth Forum 21-25 November. (<https://chogm2015.mt/fora/youthforum>) held prior to the Commonwealth Heads of Government Meeting in Malta 27-29 November.

The Youth Forum aims to achieve cross-cultural connection and learning among participants from all the Commonwealth countries, and reach a consensus on policies relating to the challenges and opportunities facing young people.

Joshua Mazur is a recent graduate of the Conflict Studies and Human Rights program at the University of Ottawa with a minor in Law. Josh's interests lie in the area of small innovation and technology projects as a way to promote economic growth in Commonwealth countries. Josh has extensive experience with youth. He was Co-Chair of the 42nd National Student Commonwealth Forum (<http://www.nscf-fnec.ca/>) and a Planning Team member. He is currently a Director with RCS Canada (Youth and Education Committee).

Aden Hamza is a young professional nurse currently pursuing a Masters of Science in Nursing at the University of Western Ontario. Aden has a profound interest in the social determinants of health, how global poverty impacts communities and how to promote grassroots solutions. Her work with vulnerable and diverse communities both locally and abroad in regions undergoing humanitarian crises allows her to speak on many diverse and interconnecting youth issues. Aden is currently an Associate Fellow of the Royal Commonwealth Society.

About MyCommonwealth

MYCommonwealth addresses the issues youth find most important by consulting with young Canadians and presenting their views to Commonwealth decision makers.

About RCS Canada

The Royal Commonwealth Society of Canada (RCS) is both a learned Society and club, non-partisan, independent of governments and supported solely by public generosity. The RCS engages with its youth, civil society, business and government networks to address issues that matter to the Citizens of the Commonwealth. Its primary focus is to the promotion of young people throughout the Commonwealth. For more information, please visit www.rcs.ca.

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