



Jordan Habia, presented the results of the workshop “SwissTour2012” that consist in mapping the African presence in Switzerland. The workshop was facilitated by **Celeste Ugochukwu**, Coordinator of the African Diaspora Council of Switzerland. During the workshop, participants looked at the problems raised by the report of SwissTour2012 and drafted an African Council – ADYNE Switzerland joint strategy to engage more young people in the quest for social cohesion in Switzerland. For each identified issue, a strategy has been drafted for further developments.

A PROBLEM	A SOLUTION
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. UNEMPLOYMENT 2. NO HOUSING 3. NO STAY PERMIT (at least for just-graduated students) 4. MIS-EDUCATION & DIS-ORIENTATION 5. HEALTHY 6. RACISM 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. YOUTH EMPLOYMENT Creation of Diaspora- Business - Recruiting agencies that would advice on companies with best practices and liaise with business leaders and decision makers as well as with the Marketforce. 2. HOUSING Necessity to establish good relations with housing agencies and to organize banking guarantees and sensitization campaigns on housing rules and regulations for the unprivileged people. 3. STAY PERMIT Host workshops on citizenship and professional integration in Switzerland and in Africa. Create an African welcoming committee for newcomers and open Hotlines for FAQ (Law etc). 4. EDUCATION AND ORIENTATION Organization of a student support for pupil's homework and a database on existing scholarships. Recognition awards for gifted students and achievers. 5. HEALTHY More summer and winter sport activities. Sensitization campaigns, good and adapted clothings. 6. SOCIAL COHESION Co-organization of more local and national-wide events/projects with the people of Switzerland young people in general. Special efforts for the integration of certain communities that have a big number of new arrivals: Eritrea, Somalie, Nigeria

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