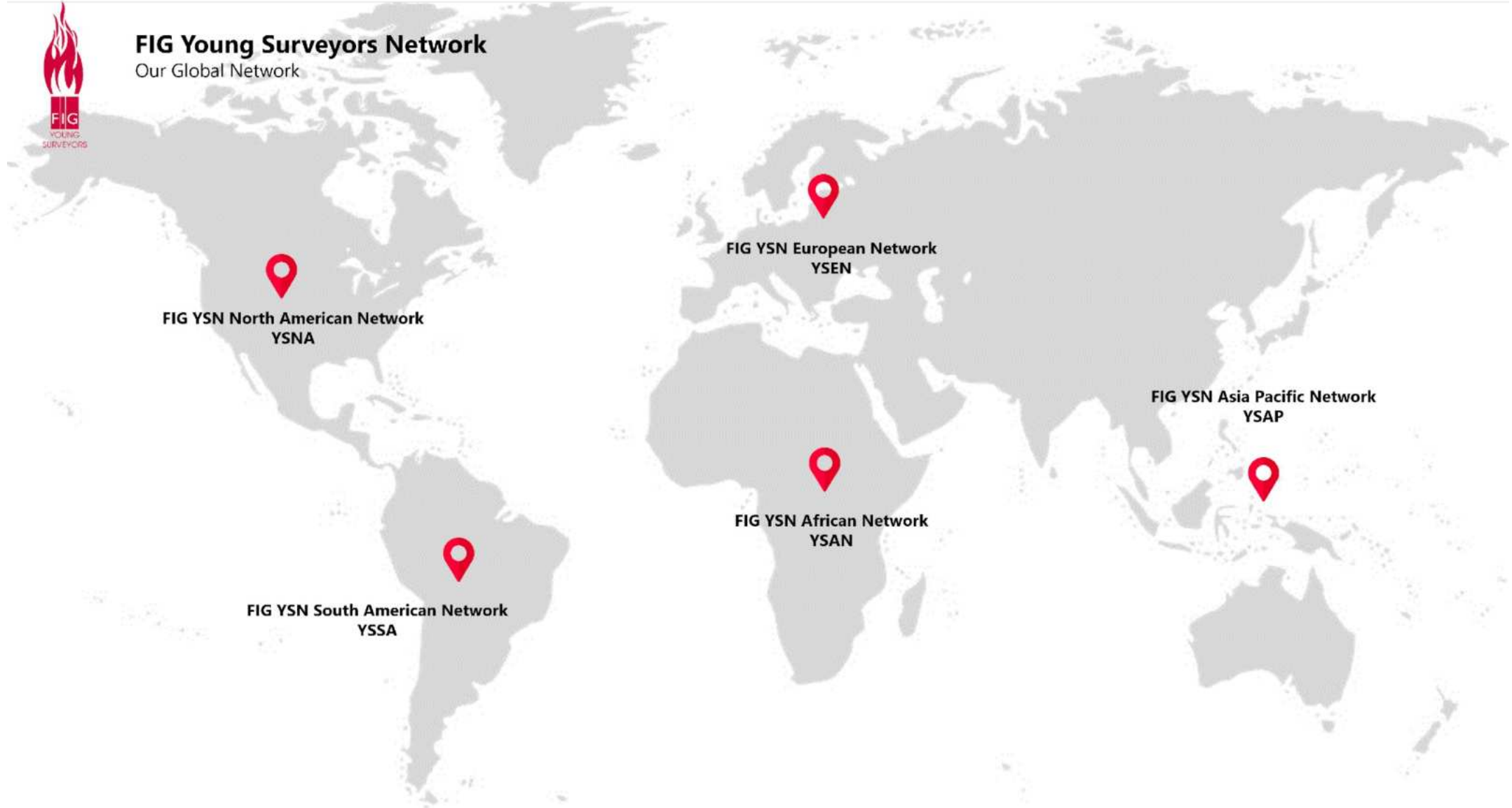


FIG Young Surveyors Network Report

2023 - 2024



FIG YSN Regional Networks



Our Initiatives

- Five key initiatives to achieve the Vision for the FIG YSN
- Each have a purpose and an outcome, achieved through one or more projects.



Partnerships

FIG Commissions

- The relationship between YSN and FIG commissions has improved greatly as evidenced by the number of young surveyors participating in Commission work as well as co-chairing the commission and working groups. This has also seen commission chairs participating at YSN event at the 1st Young Surveyors Americas Meeting and we hope to continue this tradition.
- **Working Group 2.3** – Young Surveyors in Education - Learning Styles in Surveying Education
Joint working Group with Commission 2: Professional Education and FIG YSN
- **Working Group 3.5**– Geospatial Next
Joint working Group with Commission 3: Spatial Information Management and FIG YSN
- **Working Group 6.3** – Application of Immersive Technologies in Engineering Geodesy
Joint working Group with Commission 6: Engineering Surveys and FIG YSN
- **Working Group 8.3** - Spatial Planning Instruments and Climate Change
Joint Working Group with Commission 8: Spatial Planning and Development and FIG YSN



Partnerships

FIG Foundation

- The foundation offered tremendous support to young surveyors in the form of Young Surveyor Grant Awards totalling 12 over the past year.



Congratulations to the FIG Foundation Young Surveyor
FIG Working Week 2024 Grant Recipients!



Angie
Colombia



Farrah
USA



Fie
Denmark



Victor
Nigeria



Partnerships



Non-Governmental Organizations

- Through the VCSP, the network continues to work with the Global Land Tool Network advocating and ensuring equal access to land rights for all marginalized communities.

National and Regional Associations

- Through the FIG Mentoring Program, the network continues to work with the regional development networks to represent and promote the Young Surveyors Network.
- The past year has seen the collaborative efforts between the FIG ARN and FIG YSN extend into the Americas region.
- As the program runs into its 3rd year, there is hope of extending to other regions of YSN within the next few years.



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Partnerships

Corporate Businesses

- With support from FIG Corporate members, the network managed to organize two successful young surveyor events last year in Orlando, Seoul.
- These collaborations have sustained the traditional FIG YSN Social Event, a networking opportunity for young surveyors and the FIG YSN Charity event which supports the work of the FIG YSN VCSP.
- The network would like to thank Leica Geosystems and Trimble for their continued support over the years.



Leica
Geosystems



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Volunteer Community Surveyor Program

Knowledge Portal
Comprehensive and ambitious structure
Technical development well underway
On track for 2024 delivery

VCSP Wisdom Workshop
4 separate workshops and MOOCs with over 300 participants from over 40 countries globally

in-Country Deployments

2015 - 2021 (green)	2022-2023 (red)
6 Countries	10 Countries
2 Opportunity Partners	2 Opportunity Partners
7 GLTN Partners	8 GLTN Partners
20 VCSs	18 more VCSs
7 VCS Mentors	15 VCS Mentors

VCSP e-Volunteering

3 Megathons
2 Countries, 1 global
140+ Mappers (45+ countries)
3 Opportunity Partners
37,000+ Features Mapped

Other highlights:
 - WISDOM WORKSHOP: WISDOM CLINIC, RETAILERS, BAKERS, AND WATER TECHNOLOGIES
 - POLYMER CONCRETE FOR LOW-COST HOUSING
 - MAP FGM OUT OF TANZANIA
 - Developing a Land Tenure Reform System for Mars
 - e-Volunteering in Unprecedented Times: New Strategies to Address Humanitarian Challenges
 - SSSI Knowledge Mobilization



FIG REPORT



Map the world a better place

Mapping the World a Better Place: The FIG's Volunteer Community Surveyor Program (VCSP)



FIG Young Surveyors Network



FIG Mentoring Program



The program is currently running its third cohort.



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Events

The network managed to host one global and two regional events;

- 1st Young Surveyors Americas Meeting, Orlando
- 4th Young Surveyors Asia and the Pacific Meeting, Seoul
- 2nd Young Surveyors Americas Meeting, Puerto Rico





What is next?

❖ FIG WORKING WEEK 2025, 6 – 10 April, 2025

Brisbane, Australia.

“Collaboration, Innovation and Resilience: Championing a Digital Generation”

*6th FIG Young Surveyors Asia and the Pacific Meeting
YS Sessions and Activities during the Working Week*



❖ 8th FIG Young Surveyors European Meeting, October 2024

Bucharest, Romania.

Work in progress...

❖ 5th FIG Young Surveyors Asia and the Pacific Meeting, November 2024

Kathmandu, Nepal.

Work in progress...



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