

Tribal Resilience Resources for Youth



The Bureau of Indian Affairs' Tribal Resilience Program supports tribes in building resilience to meet the pressing and complex challenges Indian Country and Alaska Native Villages are facing. Youth are the next generation of tribal leaders confronting the challenges posed by rapid technology and environmental change. The resources provided are for tribal youth and emerging leaders come together to help build resilience through the next generation.



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- Enjoy highlights from past *Native Youth Community Adaptation and Leadership Congress (NYCALC)* events and access the applications for summer 2020! Applications are open February 3 - March 31st. Application: <https://forms.gle/De6SnFwQFxFHWiXzQ7>
- *K-12 Tribal Student Resilience Photo Contest*: Open March 1st - April 30th for the Spring 2020 round! Visit <https://www.bia.gov/bia/ots/tribal-resilience-program/youth> to find resources, instructions and lesson plan guidance for how to participate.

U.S. Climate Resilience Toolkit: Tribal Nations Topic

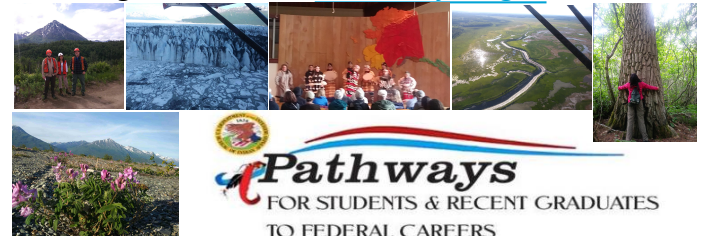


In the U.S. Climate Resilience Toolkit, the Topic *Tribal Nations* exemplifies some of the ways that climate change threatens Indigenous communities and how Traditional Knowledges are used to address local issues. You can also learn more about diverse science topics and impacts in your region from the Fourth National Climate Assessment <https://nca2018.globalchange.gov/>.

BIA Pathways Internship Programs



Visit <https://www.bia.gov/bia/ots/workforce-planning-coordination> to find resources on careers in Natural Resources and Science, Technology, Engineering and Math (STEM) fields. Careers in STEM can help to combat the most challenging community impacts, while protecting traditions. Find out more about Pathways Internships and other youth and career links, current job postings, and internships across the Federal government at www.usajobs.gov.



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The American Indian Higher Education Consortium (AIHEC), aihec.org is the unifying voice of 37 Tribal Colleges & Universities nationwide, created and chartered by Tribal governments.



Alaska Youth for Environmental Action: Training for leadership skills in support of youth-led community action projects and campaigns. <https://akcentereducationfund.org/ayea/>



Early Career Climate Forum: Provides a space for students and early career professionals in climate-related science and outreach to interact, discuss topics and find climate-relevant resources.



The American Indian Higher Education Consortium (AISES) has scholarship opportunities, hosts conferences, posts internships and more on their website: <https://www.aises.org/>



Rising Voices: Annual conference and community that provides opportunities for Indigenous students and early career scientists through scientific and community mentoring. Email and ask the lead contacts to join the Listserv here: <https://risingvoices.ucar.edu/>



College of Menominee Nation's Sustainable Development Institute: Hosts a variety of climate internships for students for unique research projects.



Affiliated Tribes of Northwest Indians Tribal Youth Water Summit: The Changing Currents Program will select 20 - 25 tribal youth ages 15 - 19 years old from Pacific Northwest tribes. Participants will be exposed to tribal water culture and take field trips from University of Oregon to water resources sites. Room & board will be provided: <http://atntribes.org/climatechange/events/>



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