



#### Definition



Intergenerational practice aims to bring people together in purposeful, mutually beneficial activities which promote greater understanding and respect between generations and contributes to building more cohesive communities.

Intergenerational practice is inclusive, building on the positive resources that the younger and older have to offer each other and those around them.

**Beth Johnson Foundation** 





### What's the difference?



Multi-generational V
Intergenerational





Implementing Intergenerational Practice: Kaplan Levels

(3)

On going intergenerational programmes

Intergenerational

community

Demonstration projects

Annual or periodic activities

Meeting each other

Seeing the other age group but from a distance

Learning about the other age group

# Intergenerational quality standards

Reflect upon where your project would fit within the Kaplan Levels of Engagement



# Intergenerational quality standards

- 1. Reciprocal intergenerational learning
- 2. Generational diversity
- 3. Age discrimination & stereotypes
- 4. Life-course perspective
- 5. Relationships and bonding
- 6. Cross-disciplinary knowledge base
- 7. Good programme management
- 8. Evaluation
- 9. Practitioners



# **Excellence Award Categories**

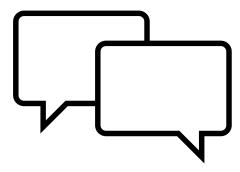
- 1. Confronts age discrimination and stereotypes
- 2. Values generational diversity & inclusion
- 3. Encourages reciprocal learning
- 4. Relies on cross-disciplinary knowledge base
- 5. Evaluates impact
- 6. International Award

What do we mean by impact?











# Eligibility criteria

To be eligible for any of these awards, nominees must:

- Deliver their work in Scotland (Awards 1 − 5)
- Be following the core principles of intergenerational work
- Involve people from different generations
- Captured the relational change between generations
- See to generate mutual benefits
- Award 6 is only open to current international members & ICIP/IDIL/ICIL students

#### Assessment criteria

#### Your project should:

- Have clear aims and goals and be well planned
- Have a clear rationale for adopting an IG approach
- Meet the needs of all participants
- Focus on generational relationships
- Evidence the impact of the project
- Have a sustainability strategy
- Be innovative; and lie on the Kaplan Levels continuum

# Award application process

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Nomination forms must be submitted by Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March 2024 by 12 noon to Moira 02

A project can only be entered for one award category

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Must include name & contact details of independent referee 04

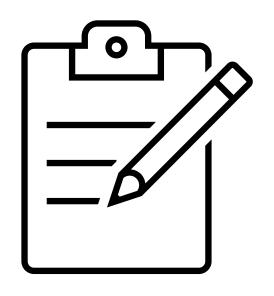
Application form must come with three high resolution photographs (consented for GWT use)

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A confirmation email will be sent within five working days of the receipt of your form

# Assessment process

#### Applications will be scored on the following:



- Planning
- Delivery
- Impact
- Innovation
- Improvement
- Levels of contact

Lastly...

Nominees must be willing to be interviewed should they make the shortlist, as special films will be recorded for the award presentations in the Parliamentary Reception on 11th June 2024, (5-8pm) at Holyrood, Edinburgh.

Winners will be asked to write a case study about their project.



- Any queries contact
   Moira@gwt.scot
- Application forms must be submitted by Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March, 2024 at 12 noon to Moira
- Award winners will be announced on Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> June at a reception in the Scottish Parliament.

