

# UNESCO-Japan Prize on Education for Sustainable Development

## User Guide

for NGOs in official partnership with UNESCO

for the submission of  
**nominations for the**  
**UNESCO-Japan Prize on ESD**

**#ESDfor2030**

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To access the online nomination form as an **NGO in official partnership with UNESCO**\*, you first need to register at: <http://www.unesco.org/esdprize/register>

The registration screen will appear as the right.

Once your information has been confirmed, you will receive a notification e-mail to access the online nomination form.

Please note that your email address must be associated with a Microsoft account. **If you do not have a Microsoft account, please go to “2. Creating a Microsoft account” and create it before your registration.**

*\*There are around 400 NGOs in official partnership with UNESCO. You can find the full list [here](#)*

## Register Form for NGO in official partnership with UNESCO – ESD Prize

\* Required

1. Name of NGO \*

2. Last Name \*

3. First Name \*

4. Email Address \*

Your email address must be associated with a Microsoft Account

Submit

Never give out your password. Report abuse

- After the Secretariat of UNESCO confirms your registration, an invitation email will be sent from [no-reply@sharepointonline.com](mailto:no-reply@sharepointonline.com).
- When you first log in to the platform, please log in from the invitation link only with your registered email address, which is also a Microsoft account. Please note that, when opening the invitation link, no other account should be active on the browser because this link is very sensitive.

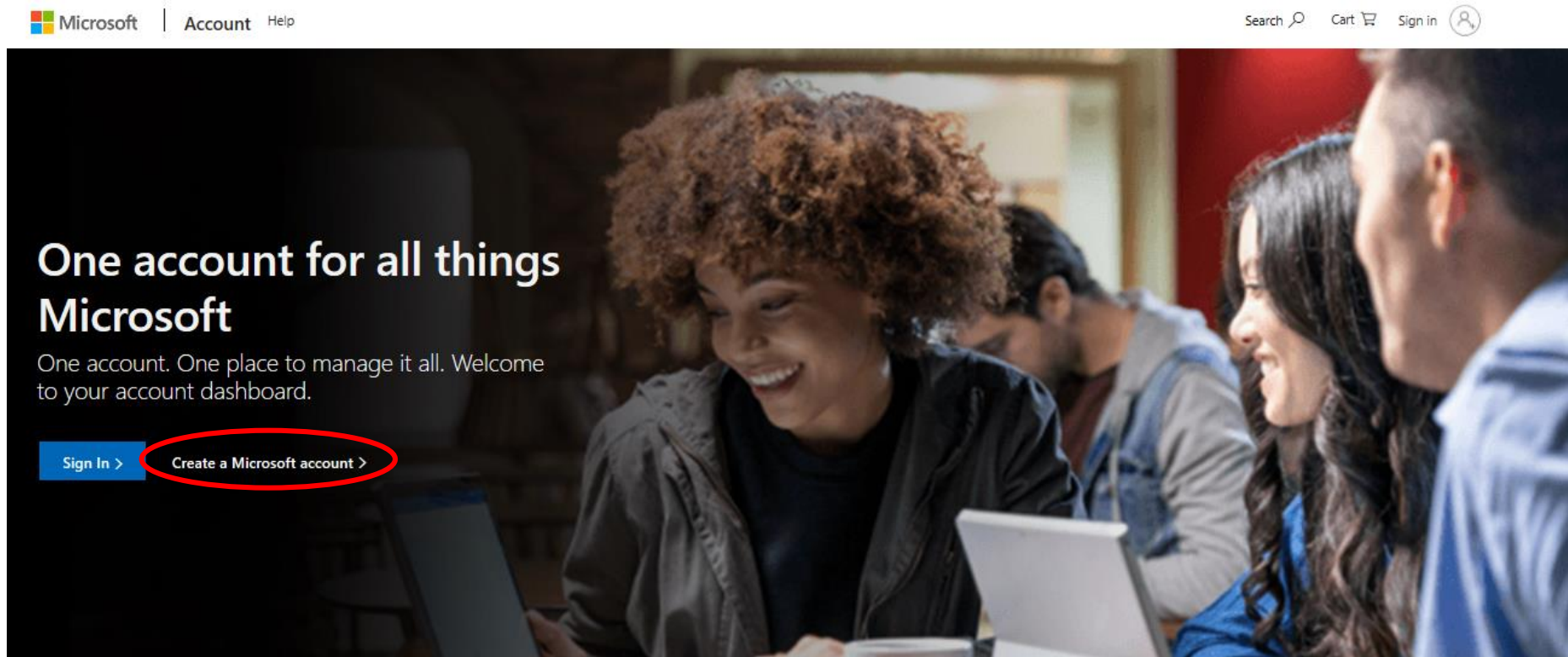
Go to [UNESCO-Japan Prize on Education for Sustainable Development](#)

[Follow](#) this site to get updates in your newsfeed.

- If you do not receive an invitation email after a few days, please check your junk box or spam box. Also, please check your email inbox settings.

<Please see this part if you do not have a Microsoft account. If you already have a Microsoft account, please go directly to “3. Logging in”.>

- To create a Microsoft account, go to <https://account.microsoft.com/account>
- Click on “Create a Microsoft account” on the top page of this link.



1. Enter your email address and click on “Next”.

Microsoft

## Create account

someone@example.com

[Use a phone number instead](#)

[Get a new email address](#)

Next

2. Enter the password you would like to use and click on “Next”.

Microsoft

← someone@example.com

## Create a password

Enter the password you would like to use with your account.

Create password

Next

3. Select your country/region and birthdate, and click on “Next”. Automatic message will be sent to your email address with the security code.

Microsoft

← someone@example.com

## Create account

We need just a little more info to set up your account.

Country/region

France

Birthdate

Month Day Year

Next

4. Enter the security code and click on “Next”. Following the instructions, your Microsoft account will be created..

Microsoft

← someone@example.com

## Verify email

Enter the code we sent to **someone@example.com**. If you didn't get the email, check your junk folder or [try again](#).

Enter code

I would like information, tips, and offers about Microsoft products and services.

Choosing **Next** means that you agree to the [Microsoft Services Agreement](#) and [privacy and cookies statement](#).

Next

To access the ESD Prize online form, go to

<https://unesco.sharepoint.com/sites/committees/ESD-Prize/> **A**

The following log-in screen will appear:

(After accessing the site, you are suggested to save this link in your browser favorite for ease of access later.)

**A**

Microsoft

## Sign in

Email address, phone number or Skype **B**


[Can't access your account?](#)

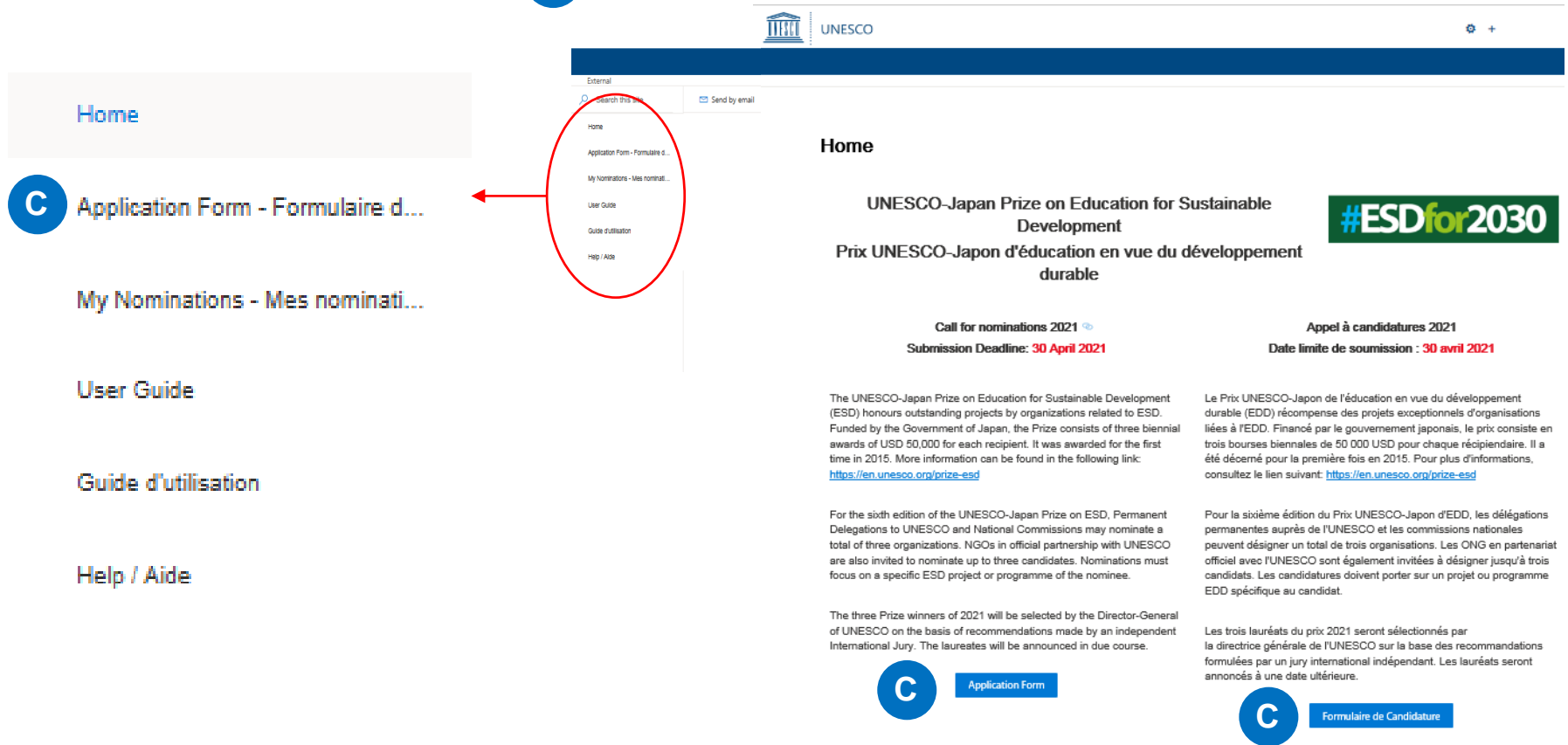
[Sign-in options](#)

Back Next

Please connect it with your Microsoft account and its password.

**B**

Once you are logged in, you will be directed to the Home Menu. Click on “**Application Form**”  to start a nomination.



The screenshot shows the UNESCO website home page. On the left, there is a navigation menu with the following items: Home, Application Form - Formulaire d... (with a blue circle containing a white 'C' next to it), My Nominations - Mes nominati..., User Guide, Guide d'utilisation, and Help / Aide. A red circle highlights the 'Application Form - Formulaire d...' menu item, with a red arrow pointing to it from the text above. The main content area features the UNESCO logo and the text 'Home', followed by 'UNESCO-Japan Prize on Education for Sustainable Development' and 'Prix UNESCO-Japon d'éducation en vue du développement durable'. Below this, there are two columns of text, each with a 'Call for nominations 2021' / 'Appel à candidatures 2021' section and a 'Submission Deadline: 30 April 2021' / 'Date limite de soumission : 30 avril 2021' section. At the bottom of the page, there are two buttons: 'Application Form' (with a blue circle containing a white 'C' next to it) and 'Formulaire de Candidature' (with a blue circle containing a white 'C' next to it).

- Please note that each NGO in official partnership can only submit up to 3 nominations for each edition of the Prize.



- The nomination form is made up of a number of fields broken down into 4 chapters:

✓ **NOMINEE**: For all background information on the nominated organization\*

\* Please note that one important change regarding the 2020-2025 cycle: It will no longer be possible to nominate individuals for the Prize (only institutions/organizations/other entities).

✓ **PROJECT/PROGRAMME**: For all background information on the project or programme on which the nomination focuses

✓ **SUPPORTING MATERIALS**: For websites, publications, videos or photo galleries with which you would like to support the nomination

✓ **SUBMISSION**: To transfer the nomination to the National Commission (by nominees) or to the Permanent Delegation (by National Commissions), and to submit the nomination to UNESCO (by Delegations)

- You can **save** your entry at the very bottom of the page. D
- Your nomination will be saved under “**My nominations**” where you can continue to work on it at a later stage. E
- **Note**: If, after having clicked on SAVE, you are *not* redirected to “My nominations” and remain on the form, this means that there has been an **error** and the nomination has not been saved! Please check for red error messages which will be displayed at the top of the page in the form (e.g. exceeded limit of characters).
- Please note that for forms with character restrictions, spaces should be included.

You have two possibilities to add supporting material:

- 1) Under “**SUPPORTING MATERIALS**”, you can add web links to any online material such as publications, videos, photo galleries. **F**
- 2) For any material not available online, you can click on “**Browse**” and select the document from your computer. Please note that you can attach a maximum of 5 files and the maximum size per attachment should be 350 MB. **G**

SUPPORTING MATERIALS / DOCUMENTS D'APPUI

Web links (website, publications, videos, photo galleries) / Liens (sites internet, publications, vidéos, galeries photos) ⓘ **F**

Supporting Documents **G**

Name \*

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- Once you have completed all fields, go to the “**SUBMISSION**” chapter and, under “**Nominating Entity**” **H**, choose “**NGO**” (NOT the country you are based in).
- Type in the name of your NGO and complete the other necessary fields.
- In order to submit the nomination to UNESCO, select “**YES**” for “**Submit nomination to UNESCO**” **I** and click on “**SAVE**” in the bottom right corner.
- Please note that once you have selected “**YES**” and saved the form, you will no longer be able to edit it.
- You will receive an automatic notification e-mail indicating that your nomination has been submitted (at the address with which you have registered your account).

Submit nomination to UNESCO (NGO) / Soumettre la candidature à l'UNESCO (ONG) ⓘ

NO ▾

Save

SUBMISSION / SOUMISSION

Nominating Entity / Nomination présentée par **H** ONG ▾

Name of NGO in official partnership / Nom de l'ONG en partenariat officiel ⓘ

Name of submitting person (mandatory) / Nom de la personne qui soumet la demande (obligatoire)

Function / Fonction

E-mail (mandatory / obligatoire) ⓘ

Phone / Téléphone

Supporting statement by the nominator (mandatory) / Déclaration de soutien du nominateur (obligatoire) ⓘ

Permission / Autorisation ⓘ  Yes / Oui  No / Non

Form created by / Candidature établie par \* ⓘ ▾

Submit nomination to UNESCO (NGO) / Soumettre la candidature à l'UNESCO (ONG) ⓘ **I** NO ▾

Unless all mandatory fields are filled in, you cannot save the form.  
Afin d'enregistrer le formulaire, tous les champs obligatoires doivent être remplis.

Save Cancel

## 7. Submitting a nomination

➤ At any given time, clicking on **“My nominations”** **J** in the left hand menu will show you all saved and/or submitted nominations.

➤ When you are about to edit your nomination **which has not been submitted**, you can click on your project/programme. **K**

➤ Once the page opens, you can click on **“Edit Item”** **L** and continue to work on it.

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Application Form - Formulaire d...

**My Nominations - Mes nominal...** **J**

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## My Nominations - Mes nominations

My Nominations - Mes nominations

Project/Progra... Name of conta... Name of Nomi...

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Office 365

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**Edit Item** **L**

Delete Item

Manage Actions

Home

Application Form - Formulaire de Candidature

**NOMINEE / CANDIDAT**

Type of Nominee / Type de ...

- When you edit your nomination, the “Apply” button might be displayed in the bottom right corner.
- However, when you try to submit your nomination, click on “SAVE”. DO NOT click on “Apply” because “SAVE” is the button to submit and leave the page here.
- Please note that once you have selected “YES” for the question asking if you are about to submit and saved the form, you will no longer be able to edit it.

**SUBMISSION / SOUMISSION**

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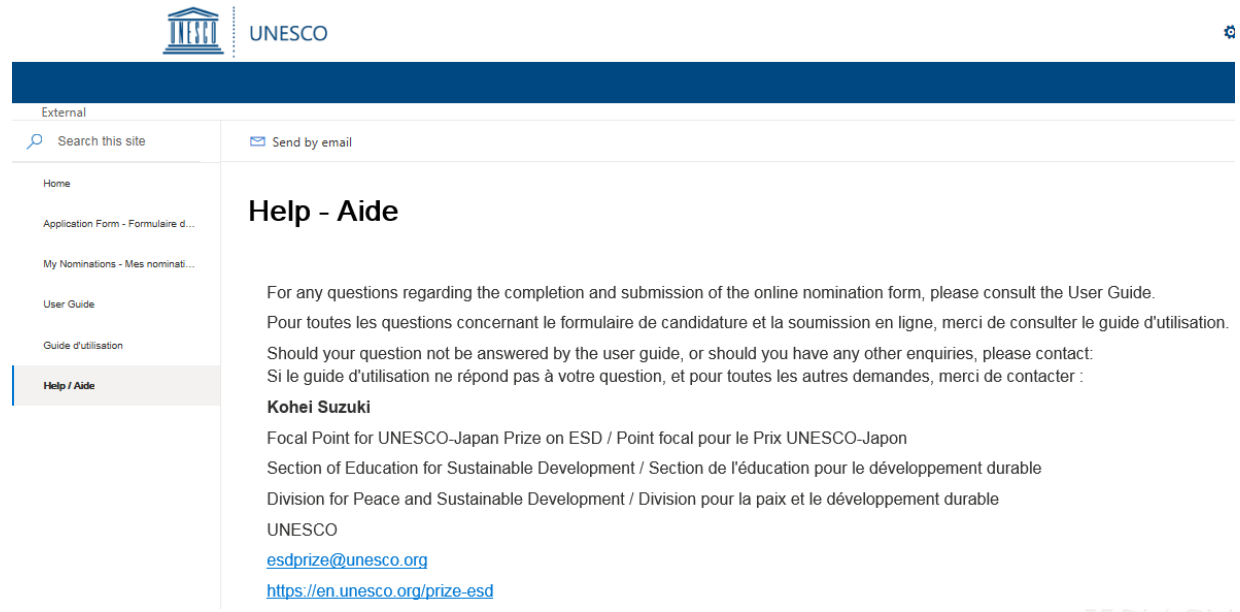
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Should you have any questions not addressed by this user guide, or for any other enquiries regarding the UNESCO-Japan Prize on Education for Sustainable Development, please contact:

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<https://en.unesco.org/prize-esd>



The screenshot shows the UNESCO website interface. At the top, there is a dark blue header with the UNESCO logo and name. Below the header, there is a navigation bar with a search box and a 'Send by email' button. The main content area is titled 'Help - Aide' and contains text in both English and French. The text provides instructions on where to find the user guide and how to contact the focal point, Kohei Suzuki, for further assistance. The contact information includes an email address and a website URL. A sidebar on the left contains a list of navigation links, with 'Help / Aide' highlighted.