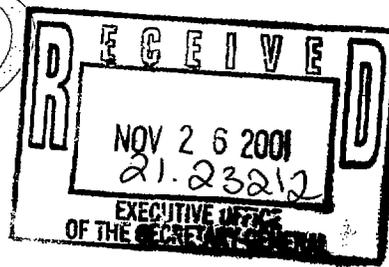


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Dear Mr Annan,

The European Youth Forum would like to take this opportunity to add its voice of congratulation to you and your colleagues at the United Nations and recognise all the excellent work that has led to the United Nations being awarded the Nobel Peace Prize.

In addition, may we thank you for your kind words concerning the achievements of our organisation that were mentioned in the section on the "situation of youth" in your annual report to the General Assembly. Following the productive meeting of the Youth Employment Network in Geneva in July, we would also like to reiterate our support for your initiative which represents excellent collaboration between the major global actors responsible for key developments in this field.

The European Youth Forum is an organisation of young people acting to create peaceful and positive change in the world in which we live. We look forward to co-operating with you in the future to meet this most valuable goal.

The European Youth Forum is at your disposition for any matter that you think would be of interest to us.

Yours sincerely,

Henrik Söderman  
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