



WEST AFRICA CIVIL SOCIETY INSTITUTE

**WILDE GANZEN
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**CHANGE
THE GAME
ACADEMY**

CALL FOR APPLICATIONS – ADVOCACY FOR CHANGE IN GHANA

Overview of the Course

The advocacy for change course focuses on how to mobilise critical support to influence decision-making process and hold government accountable at the local and national level.

The course will provide participating organisations with requisite knowledge, skills and techniques to effectively engage a broad range of stakeholders at local and national level. It will help participants to make strategic choices and engage duty bearers effectively.

The course is made up of two trainings including:

- **Starter Training (5 days), 05 – 09 July 2021:** It will cover modules such as problem analysis, solution analysis, tactics for mobilising support, mobilising allies, and analysing policy implementation and negotiations skills among others. An action plan will be formulated by participants by the end of the 5-day training with the guidance of the facilitators. Participating organisations would receive extensive technical support to implement their action plans.
- **Skills Perfection Training (3 days), 06 – 08 September 2021:** This component of the training will focus on enhancing the participants' skills and strengthen their capacity to further integrate changes that occurred during the implementation of their action plan.

This course is run by the West Africa Civil Society Institute (WACSI) in partnership with Wilde Ganzen Foundation as part of the Change the Game Academy Programme (CtGA) - <https://www.changethegameacademy.org>.

Eligibility Criteria:

CSOs that are interested in applying must meet the following criteria:

- Must be a CBO, Self-help group and NGO operating in Ghana;
 - Must be legally registered as a non-profit organisation based in Ghana;
 - Must have good track record within its community of operation;
 - Must have strong leadership and governance structures;
 - Must have a minimum of 2 years operational experience;
 - Must commit to develop a fundraising plan after the training phase of the programme and be willing to operationalise the plan;
- Must be willing to pay a commitment fee of 600 Cedis after the organisation has been selected.

How to Apply: Kindly complete the online application form <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/V5KHDSV> by **Friday 28 May 2021**. For any challenge, feel free to contact us via capacitybuilding@wacsi.org and byleandre@wacsi.org.

Due to the volume of applications, only successful organisations will be contacted.