

Early this year, our group, Youth Advocacy Group of UN Global Education First Initiative (<http://www.globaleducationfirst.org/youthadvocacygroup.html>), launched the **Youth Advocacy Toolkit** (http://www.globaleducationfirst.org/css/Advocacy_Toolkit_final.pdf) with the objective of empowering young people around the world to become effective education advocates in their respective communities.

On September 23rd 2014, an **animated version** (<http://plan-international.org/about-plan/resources/videos/the-power-of-advocacy>) of the toolkit was launched in New York City as part of the 69th UN General Assembly. It's an honor to note that our initiative of educating the student teachers in Negros Oriental, Philippines on inclusive education strategies for children with disabilities is intensively featured in the animated film.

Find time to watch it and feel free to share your thoughts.

Thanks and viva from New York. :)

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"Any society, any nation is judged on the basis of how it treats its weakest members - the last, the least, the littlest." -Cardinal Roger Mahony