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Currently active in the following organisations:

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Dewan Anak Mataram

Youth Advisory Panel Plan
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Muhammad Trisna Kusuma Wardana's aspirations revolve around championing the rights of marginalised groups, including children, youth, women, and people with disabilities, alongside advocating for climate justice. He envisions a future where these groups are actively involved in decision-making processes, ensuring their voices are heard and their needs addressed. Trisna emphasises the importance of empowering local communities, youth grassroots movements, and indigenous peoples in tackling climate change through nature-based solutions and ecosystem-based adaptation. Furthermore, as someone with a sensory disability and from an underrepresented region, he underscores the necessity of inclusive programmes that cater to marginalised individuals, amplifying their voices for accurate representation in policies and initiatives. His overarching aim is to create a sustainable, inclusive environment where all individuals can thrive and contribute positively to society, guided by meaningful participation and collaboration among diverse communities.

Trisna seeks to foster direct involvement of marginalised groups in programme development and implementation, ensuring their needs and expectations are met. By facilitating their meaningful inclusion, he believes sustainable and positive changes can be achieved, leading to the fulfillment of human rights and the empowerment of marginalised communities. Through his advocacy, Trisna aims to bridge global partnerships for climate action, particularly focusing on the blue carbon sector and the preservation of vital ecosystems like mangroves and corals. Ultimately, his vision encompasses creating a world where marginalised voices are not only heard but actively valued, driving collective efforts towards a healthier, more equitable future for all.

