The three months that I’ve spent working as Team Assistant at UNIC Accra from October 8, 2012 to January 4, 2013 have definitely been enlightening and gratifying. I have met and formed friendships with some amazing people, within the UN system and in the Ghanaian community. Having started my internship in October, the month in which the UN celebrates its founding, I was quickly engulfed in the many programs and activities that took place. Every day brought novelty and my tasks varied. I took on new responsibilities, from interviewing UN officials and members of the public to speaking in front of an audience of 1,000+ high school students during the UN4U outreach event.

The UN4U outreach event was the most memorable. The students were very knowledgeable about UN issues and even offered suggestions on how to raise awareness of the Millennium Development Goals (MDGs) and the Post-2015 Agenda.

I would like to thank UNIC Accra for giving me the opportunity to be of service to the team. Not only have I been challenged but I have also expanded my skill set and knowledge of the UN’s mission locally and internationally.

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