



SkillShare Format within YFM UK

The SkillShare is an event based concept which encourages sharing of knowledge.

The defining characteristic of the concept is that the skill sharing is intended for a **peer to peer** environment.

There are two key reasons for this:

Firstly, the learner will not feel as intimidated and will make a new network of peers.

Secondly, this encourages and confirms the holder of the skill in their valuable knowledge encouraging self confidence and respect.

Logistics and sustainability of the project:

The SkillShare project will create both a database of skilled youth and a database of learners with specified requests.

This database will ensure easy access to willing participants for an easy and valuable event based activity which can work at any YFM, SF or other food event.

This database, as well as being useful on a SkillShare basis, will also be a catalyst for collecting participants for the Pangea project and database. It will create a stepping stone to this international and more logistically challenging project at a local level.

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