Promoting Full Participation, Quality Innovation & Public Problem-Solving

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Aligning Agendas for Excellence

Public Problem-Solving

Quality Innovation

Full Participation
Solitary Geniuses?

Isaac Newton

Francis Bacon
Innovation Then & Now
Closing the Gender Gap

Predicted Probabilities of Patenting, by Sex and Sector

NOTE: Numbers in figure refer to the difference in probabilities between men and women and the female/male probability ratio (multiplied by 100), respectively.

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A Hub of Cross-Sector Collaboration

- Indoor environmental quality
- Clean & renewable energy
- Water resources

Before: Brownfield  
After: LEED-Platinum Living Lab
Aligned Agendas Illustrated

Public Problem-Solving

Quality Innovation

Full Participation
Structures that Align Agendas

Public Problem-Solving

Quality Innovation

Full Participation
Diverse Perspectives & Expertise

Community Leader
Mary Alice Smothers

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Chandra Mohanty

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Director Maarten Jacobs

Art Education Prof.
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Say Yes to Education
Students

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THE DIFFERENCE
HOW THE POWER OF DIVERSITY CREATES BETTER GROUPS, FIRMS, SCHOOLS, AND SOCIETIES
From STEM to STEAM and Beyond
IT Mediating Change

the it girls

Empowr Me
An empowering app for victims of cyber-bullying and insecure bullies

STAND UP FOR AFRICAN MOTHERS
Give a baby in Africa a chance at life. Their Mother.

SIGN THE PETITION
Nominate Ugandan Midwife Esther Madudu for the 2015 Nobel Peace Prize!

STAND UP DONATE SHARE THE CAMPAIGN CHARITY PRODUCTS I SPONSOR
an african midwife every month

AMREF
Better Health for Africa

THE APPEAL
Every year in Sub-Saharan Africa, about 200,000 mothers die as a result of complications during pregnancy and childbirth. Because of this, each year around 300,000 children are born without a mother. Most of these deaths are easily preventable as they are the result of a simple lack of access to basic medical care.

Midwives: Save Lives
With the Stand Up for African Mothers campaign, AMREF aims to train 15,000 additional African midwives by 2015. Once trained, we expect these midwives to be able to provide care for and health education to save several million women each year.

A healthy Africa needs healthy mothers, and African mothers need African midwives.

Yes, I'd like to sign the petition

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