



Globalhood

development across disciplines

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OUR GREAT PARTNERS: We have cool partners. Go to <http://www.globalhood.org/partners.shtml> to learn about our cool partner organizations.

OUR DIVERSE TEAM: Check out the Globalhood team @ www.globalhood.org/who.shtml

OUR BLOG: Don't forget to read our blog, highlighting innovative development work from across a variety of disciplines, @ www.globalhood.org/blog. If you would like to blog with us, please contact john@globalhood.org.

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Consider making a Tax-Deductible Donation – You're too fabulous NOT to be a part of the change!

Globalhood supporters, we've partnered with 'Phones for Good'. When you purchase your phone through 'Phones for Good' Globalhood Inc. will receive up to \$50.00 for each purchase – you don't have to give up your Rock-Star lifestyle or dream phone to make an impact.

Remember, philanthropy comes in many forms and touches many lives. Thank you for your support.

Our Research Program

Globalhood aims to PROVE through our work that holistic collaboration results in improved outcomes towards addressing local and global development challenges, and is therefore necessary to implement ethical, sustainable, and effective initiatives for traditionally marginalized populations.

We are committed to putting forward lessons learned from past development shortcomings and successes, to assist NGOs and Non-Profits, Universities, the Private Sector, Governments, and Globalhood itself, in achieving success.

Take a closer look! or, better yet, join the research team by emailing us!

Toolkits

We have created the only searchable cross-sectoral repository of International Development Toolkits (for another great toolkit resource, see www.eldis.org) – that should facilitate easy access for practitioners and policymakers to 'how-to-guides' on current best practices in their fields. Push 'GO!' <http://globalhood.org/toolkits.shtml>

A Globalhood Film

Community insight is a tool for change!!! Through the voices of Sierra Leoneans, the film offers valuable insights into how we can participate in the development process in beneficiary-driven ways, without reinforcing the dehumanizing legacy of dependency and colonialism.

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What do we do?

Globalhood brings a fresh approach to the ways development work is conducted, by promoting and facilitating efficient collaboration and communication across diverse disciplines, professions, sectors, and cultures, as we work towards the common goal of sustainably addressing global development challenges. Our collaborative community engages in providing consultancy and project incubation services, creating and supporting innovative projects that put the opportunities to create change into the hands of affected populations.

If you are interested in our consulting or project incubation services, please contact Eugenio at eugenio@globalhood.org.

Consult with us

With 85 consultants from 44 countries, with backgrounds in 59 disciplines and areas of expertise, we speak 35 languages; we are truly a multi-dimensional community. We are interested in you and your skills. Send an e-mail or sign up.

OUR PROJECTS / SPOTLIGHT

GLOBAL POTENTIAL: Success!!! We began working in February 2008 with 10 underserved immigrant youth and took them to 'Batey 8' in June, where they helped the community to build a classroom, supported the local women's microenterprise project, ran day-camps for the village children, taught English, had community discussions on comparative experiences of racism and poverty, and had lots of fun!!! Our young social entrepreneurs have now returned and created a project to create positive change in their own neighborhoods! You can see their blog, with pictures, here! www.global-potential.org/blog

Our Projects

GLOBAL POTENTIAL: GP provides underserved youth with opportunities for global awareness, leadership and job skills, and hands-on learning in the fields of community development and social entrepreneurship. After training, the youth travel and live in a rural village in the developing world for 6 weeks, engage in community service and cultural exchange, and then return home to contribute to their own communities through innovative and self driven social entrepreneurship projects.

THE GLOBALVOTE: Fostering positive change by discussing and voting on global issues, this online democratic initiative allows people to vote and voice their opinions on the world's most pressing international issues. Become a member of this growing online initiative and help realize democracy's potential to make a difference in the world!

Incubation Projects

SIAP – The Sinkunia Integrated Apiculture Program

By supplementing traditional honey harvesting practices with sustainable apiculture, SIAP will stimulate economic growth within our target communities in and around the Dembelia-Sinkunia Chiefdom in northern Sierra Leone.

POGLED, in collaboration with the Bulgaria-America Cultural Exchange, will enable underserved youth from marginalized areas of Bulgaria to participate as leaders in civil society by expressing pressing community issues through the making of short films. They will share their creative work globally through the internet and locally through a film festival.

MOTHERNURTURE

Mother Nurture encourages children to engage in understanding the reality of mothers living in poverty and to mobilize financial support.

Consulting Clients

Un.Gift / GLOBAL INITIATIVE TO FIGHT HUMAN TRAFFICKING: A turning point in the fight against modern-day slavery, we support the initiative by engaging Private Sector companies to join the fight.

INTERNATIONAL HEALTHCARE LEADERS: Our newest engagement, more information will be posted soon.

Happenings

GlobalVote | GlobalVote is pleased to welcome Jan Pronk, former Special Representative of the United Nations Secretary-General for Sudan, and John Perkins, author of Confessions of an Economic Hitman to our Advisory Board. In addition, our New York fundraiser was a smashing hit; revenue will support the publication of a book on global decision making, as we continue to ensure educational empowerment.

Be sure to go to our website and become a member to receive updates and make your voice heard!

Globalhood in the news | Globalhood recognized as an innovative engager of change...shifting "the concept of philanthropy." http://www.caribbeanetnews.com/article.php?news_id=9462