



June, 2019

Grants for Nonprofit Organisations

# SPENCER

## The Spencer Foundation Small Research Grant Program to Support Education Research Projects

The Small Research Grants Program supports education research projects that will contribute to the improvement of education, broadly conceived, with budgets up to \$50,000 for projects ranging from one to five years.

**Deadline: July 1, 2019**

NEW ART NEW AUDIENCES

CALL FOR PROPOSALS:

DUE 1 JULY 2019

#nAnA



**British Council's new Art new Audiences (nAnA) for Artists & Arts Organisations from Sub-Saharan Africa and UK**

British Council's new Art new Audiences aims to be a catalyst for the creation of new art that reaches new audiences in Sub-Saharan Africa and the UK. The call is for projects that showcase new art to 18 to 35-year-old audiences who haven't seen your art before. Projects can bid for up to £30,000.

**Deadline: July 1, 2019**



## Women-In-Tech 2019

### Miss.Africa Digital Initiative

Miss.Africa Initiative led by DCA Academy is announcing a Seed Fund in Africa that will offer grants to support women and girls in the Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) fields. The fund will help to launch or expand these female's own initiatives to increase their digital opportunities in IT related training, jobs and leadership roles.

**Deadline: July 2, 2019**



## **EDF Pulse Africa 2019**

Nominations are open for EDF Pulse Africa 2019 Awards with an aim to support African innovators, who are true actors in energy development.

This nomination is for StartUps and African SMEs. You develop innovative projects around energy.

**Deadline: July 8, 2019**



## **AI for Earth Innovation Program inviting Proposal from all over the World**

The National Geographic Society and Microsoft's AI for Earth program are partnering to support novel projects that create and deploy AI tools to improve the way we monitor, model, and ultimately manage Earth's natural systems for a more sustainable future.

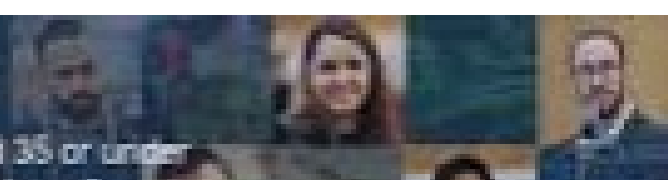
**Deadline: July 8, 2019**



### **Uncovering Human Origins in Asia and Africa - National Geographic Society**

The goal of this fund is to encourage further investigation of hominid evolution in Africa and Asia, with preference given to projects in relatively unexplored parts of those continents.

**Deadline: July 10, 2019**



Japan Water Forum

日本水フォーラム

## **2019 UN Global Compact's SDG Pioneers**

Are you a young professional aged 35 or under, who is making Global Goals local business? Submit your sustainability story to be considered as a 2019 SDG Pioneer - You can also nominate someone else. The 2019 UN Global Compact SDG Pioneers will be announced and recognized during the 74th Session of the UN General Assembly in New York this September.

## **2019 Japan Water Forum Fund to Support Grassroots Organizations in Developing Countries**

Japan Water Forum (JWF) Fund aims to support selected grass-roots organizations in developing countries who have been addressing water-related issues in their own countries.

**Deadline: July 12, 2019**

**Deadline: July 15, 2019**



**100 & CHANGE**



## MacArthur Foundation 100 & Change Competition awarding \$100 Million Grant to fund a Single Proposal

100&Change will select a bold proposal that promises real progress toward solving a critical problem of our time. And it will award a \$100 million grant to help make that solution a reality. Proposals focused on any critical issue are welcome.

**Deadline: July 16, 2019**

**Submit Your Ideas and Projects for**  
**Youth Citizen**  
**Entrepreneurship**  
**Competition 2019**

SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS  
17 GOALS TO TRANSFORM OUR WORLD

1 NO POVERTY  
2 HUNGER  
3 GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING  
4 QUALITY EDUCATION  
5 GENDER EQUALITY  
6 CLEAN WATER AND SANITATION  
7 AFFORDABLE AND CLEAN ENERGY  
8 DECENT WORK AND ECONOMIC GROWTH  
9 INDUSTRY, INNOVATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE  
10 REDUCED INEQUALITIES  
11 SUSTAINABLE CITIES AND COMMUNITIES  
12 RESPONSIBLE CONSUMPTION AND PRODUCTION  
13 CLIMATE ACTION  
14 LIFE BELOW WATER  
15 LIFE ON LAND  
16 PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS  
17 PARTNERSHIPS FOR THE GOALS

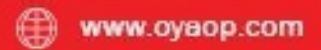
youth citizen entrepreneurship competition

SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS

## Submit Your Ideas and Projects for Youth Citizen Entrepreneurship Competition 2019

Applicants are invited to submit their ideas and projects for Youth Citizen Entrepreneurship Competition 2019 which is a global programme to empower young entrepreneurs to create a sustainable world. This global platform empowers young entrepreneurs (age 15-35) from around the world to engage in a more peaceful world. Participants are invited to submit their innovative ideas and projects with a societal impact, which champion and implement one or more of the 17 Sustainable Development Goals.

**Deadline: July 31, 2019**



**INNOVATION TIME 2019  
(UP TO € 5000)**



**REBRANDING**

# WFP



## **Innovation Time 2019 Application**

The Innovation Time is part of the Rebranding Africa Awards (RAA), that reward leading personalities who, through their daily actions in their respective areas of intervention, trace the paths of development and lead others to change their lives.

This is a great opportunity for individuals or organisations who have an innovative project that they would like to implement.

**Deadline: July 31, 2019**

## **WFP Innovation Accelerator Programme for High-potential Solutions to Hunger Worldwide**

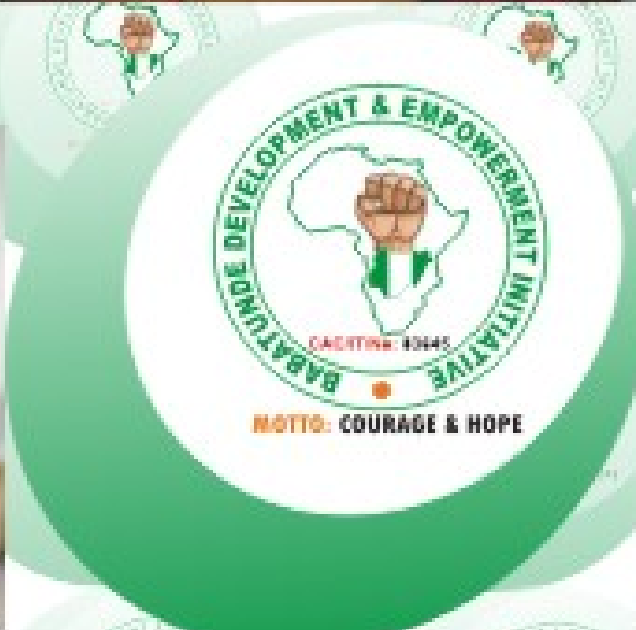
The World Food Programme is seeking applications for its Innovation Accelerator Programme. The WFP Innovation Accelerator identifies, nurtures and scales bold solutions to hunger globally.

They support WFP innovators and external start-ups and companies through financial support, access to a network of experts and a global field reach.

**Deadline: July 31, 2019**

## **Nonprofit Events**

# CHILDREN AND THE ENVIRONMENT



## **BABATUNDE DEVELOPMENT AND EMPOWERMENT INITIATIVE (BDEI)**

Theme: Children Sensitization (Children are the future of tomorrow)

The programme will enlighten children on hygiene, education and moral. The Papers fliers, Biscuits, Sachets of tooth paste will be distributed.

**Date: August 20, 2019.**

**Venue: LA Primary School Uloen, Village Ile-Olujie Oke igbo LGA, Ondo State.**

**Time: 11am - 2pm.**

**ADVOCACY ON DRUG ABUSE**  
**BABATUNDE DEVELOPMENT AND EMPOWERMENT INITIATIVE**

- **NO TO DRUG ABUSE**
- **NO TO ILLICITY SELLING OF CANABIS**
- **NO TO DRUG TRAFFICKING**
- **NO TO ILLEGAL SALES AND HANDLING OF DRUGS**

**THE NATION MUST BE FREE FROM SOCIAL VICIES FOR THE GREATER GOOD OF THE NATION.**

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BABATUNDE DEVELOPMENT AND EMPOWERMENT INITIATIVE (BDEI)

Theme: Advocacy on Drug Abuse

Sensitization on drug abuse is directed at all Nigerians especially youths and elders that deal in cannabis/Indian hemp production or consumption ,illegal sales and drug trafficking.

Three sensitization billboards on "Drug Abuse" will be sited in State of Osun {Osogbo} at Oke-fia area, along Gbongan road on September 21st , 2019 by 10pm.

As well as Ondo State {Akure} in Post Office junction on September 21st 2019 by 4pm.

Article 21 of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights (1948) states that “everyone has the right to take part in the government of his country, directly or through freely chosen representatives”. Thus, the onus lies on citizens to participate in the election process (by voting and campaigning for candidates) and holding elected officials accountable, in order to actively participate in a democratic society.

For democracy to be representative, the citizenry needs to be informed and politically active—Citizen participation in democracy provides private individuals an opportunity to influence public decisions and to be a component of the democratic decision-making process. Such a relationship between the state and her citizens is enhanced through participation and accountability to foster democratic ownership of public resources.

Poverty is more than just a lack of resources; it is a lack of empowerment – Hence, CSOs need to champion the cause of social, economic and political empowerment of the citizenry. They have a role to play in promoting grassroots participation in politics through multi-stakeholder dialogue, capacity development/ public enlightenment campaigns and citizens mobilization. This will help amplify the voices of citizens to hold the state institutions and service providers to account.

CSOs bridge the gap between the state and individual citizens— Overtime, NGOs have played a role in advocacy and empowerment. They have been actively intervening in democracy-building especially in mobilizing and supporting social movements. Also, they play a pivotal role in building capacities of citizens in raising national issues.

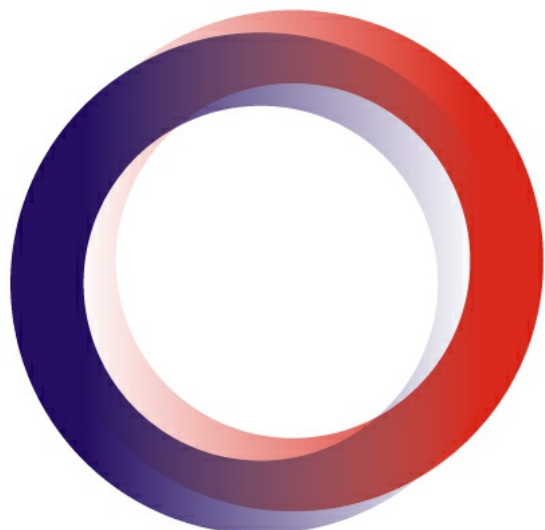
CSOs are effective as development actors when they support citizen empowerment, democratic ownership and participation through creating spaces for engagement to influence planning, budgeting and policy making processes for inclusive grassroots participation.

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