



ALN New Generation Leaders for Africa

2012 Honorees

West Africa

Name	Nationality	Company	Job Title
Agata Taricone	Ghana	Casa Trasacco	Co-Director
Akinwumi Adesina	Nigeria	Federal Republic of Nigeria	Minister of Agriculture
Alex Okosi	Nigeria	MTV Africa	MD & VP
Amadou Fall	Senegal	NBA	VP, Africa
Amara Konneh	Liberia	Government of Liberia	Minister of Economic Planning
Andrew Alli	Nigeria	Africa Finance Corporation	President & CEO
Armaho-kofi Buah	Ghana	Ghana Ministry of Energy	Deputy Minister for Energy & Petroleum
Asa (Bukola Elemide)	Nigeria	NAIVE (record label)	Singer/Songwriter
Asare Akuffo	Ghana	HFC Bank, Ghana	MD
Ashok Mohinani	Ghana	Poly Group of Companies, Accra	Executive Director & Chairman
Audu Maikori	Nigeria	Chocolate City (record label)	Founder & CEO
Benjamin Dabrah	Ghana	Barclays Bank	MD
Bez Idakula	Nigeria	CAMP (record label)	Alternative soul singer
Bill Egbe	Cameroon	Eurasia & Africa Group, Coca Cola	Group Sustainability Officer
Biola Alabi	Nigeria	MNet	MD, Africa
Bunmi Akinremi	Nigeria	Office of the President of Nigeria	Special Advisor
Chamberlain Peterside	Nigeria	New Era Capital Corporation	Founder & CEO
Chibundu Edozie	Nigeria	BGL Plc	Group Deputy MD
Chijioke Dozie	Nigeria	Kaizen Venture Partners	Co-founder & Director
Constance Swaniker	Ghana	Accents & Arts	Founder & CEO
Cyrille Nkontchou	Cameroon	LiquidAfrica	Founder & Chairman
Danladi Verheijen	Nigeria	Verod Capital Management	Founder & CEO
David Awuah-Darko	Ghana	IC Securities	Co-founder & MD
David Adomakoh	Ghana	Tiso Group	Group MD
Deji Akinyanju	Nigeria	Food Concepts Limited	Founder & CEO
Didier Correa	Senegal	Ecobank	CEO
Eddie Brown	Liberia	Beneficial Life Insurance	General Manager
Edith Jibunoh	Nigeria	ONE	Senior Manager
Elikem Nutifafa Kuenyehia	Ghana	Oxford & Beaumont	Managing Partner
Fabrice Ndjodo	Cameroon	Tana Africa Capital	Director
Fatim Badjie	Gambia	Government of Gambia	Minister of Health & Social Welfare
Fola Laoye	Nigeria	Hygeia	Group MD
Genevieve Nnaji	Nigeria	Actress	Actress
Gibril Bangura	Sierra Leone	African Minerals Ltd	Executive Chairman
Hannah Tetteh	Ghana	Government of Ghana	Minister of Trade & Industry
Hubert Danso	Ghana	Africa Investor	Founder & Vice Chairman
Jite Okoloko	Nigeria	Notore Chemical Industries	CEO
Jude Abaga	Nigeria	Chocolate City (Mr. Incredible, M.I.)	Performer
Kaifala Marah	Sierra Leone	Office of the President	Chief of Staff
Kofi Dadzie	Ghana	Rancard	MD

Kofi Amoo-Gottfried	Ghana	Publicis Ghana	MD
Komla Dumor	Ghana	BBC	Journalist
Kunle Alake	Nigeria	Dangote	COO
Ladi Balogun	Nigeria	First City Monument Bank (FCMB)	MD & CEO
Lena Sene	Senegal	Impact Capital Partners	Partner
Malik Fal	Senegal	Omiydar Networks	Director for Africa
Malik Dechambenoit	Ivory Coast	Sankore	Managing Partner & CEO
Momar Dieng	Senegal	Ministry of Planning & Econ. Affairs	Snr. Policy Advisor
Nana Sao	Ghana	Goldman Sachs	Executive Director
Nanette Derby	Ghana	African Development Bank	Private Sector Specialist
Ndubuisi Ekekwe	Nigeria	First Atlantic Semiconductors & Microelectronics	Founder
Ngozi Edozien	Nigeria	Actis West Africa	CEO
Ngozi Dozie	Nigeria	Kaizen Venture Partners	Co-founder & Director
Ola Orekunrin	Nigeria	Flying Doctors Nigeria	MD
Onche Ugbabe	Nigeria	First Bank of Nigeria	Chief Strategy Officer
Osayi Alile Oruene	Nigeria	Fate Foundation	Executive Director
Oumou Sangare	Mali	Musician	Musician
Papa Yusupha Nije	Gambia	Unique Solutions	Founder & CEO
Patrick Awuah	Ghana	Ashesi University	Founder & President
Paul Ansah	Ghana	Marriott International	VP, International Development
Phillip Ihenacho	Nigeria	Seven Energy	MD
Roland Agambire	Ghana	RLG Communications	CEO & Founder
Samuel Okudzeto-Ablakwa	Ghana	Government of Ghana	Deputy Minister of Information
Serge Yanic Nana	Cameroon	BMCE Central Africa	CEO
Sola David-Borha	Nigeria	Stanbic IBTC	CEO
Solomon Adegbe-Quaynor	Ghana	IFC, Nigeria	Country Director, Nigeria
Solomon Asamoah	Ghana	Africa Finance Corporation	Deputy CEO & CIO
Swaady Martin-Leke	Ivory Coast	YSWARA	Founder & CEO
Tayo Oviolu	Nigeria	Paga	Founder & CEO
Terrence Taylor	Sierra Leone	Ecobank	Snr. Group Manager, Learning & Devt.
Tidiani (Jeff) Tall	Mali	Lafarge	VP, Supply Chain & Distribution, SSA
Tokunboh Ishmael	Nigeria	Alitheia Capital	Principal & Co-Founder
Vera Songwe	Cameroon	World Bank	Country Director, Senegal, The Gambia, Cape Verde, Guinea Bissau & Mauritania
Wale Tinubu	Nigeria	Oando Plc	MD & CEO
Yemi Babington-Ashaye	Nigeria	World Economic Forum	Associate
Yemi Lalude	Nigeria	Adlevo Capital	Founder & MD
Yerim Sow	Senegal	Telium Group	CEO

Central Africa

Firstname	Nationality	Company	Job Title
Aimable Mpore	Rwanda	Telecel Central African Republic	CEO
Clare Akamanzi	Rwanda	Rwanda Development Board	COO
Didier Litho Tenge	DRC	Town of Kintombo	Mayor
Francois Nkulikiyimfura	Rwanda	African Development Bank	Special Advisor to the President
Ignace Gatara	Rwanda	Rwanda Government	Minister, ICT
Maixent Accrombessi	Gabon	Office of the President of Gabon	Chief of Staff
Moise Katumbi Chapwe	DRC	Katanga Province, DRC	Governor
Ndimi Bodika	DRC	GE Energy, SSA	Regional Market Devt. Manager, Africa
Olive Lembe Di Sita	DRC	First Lady, DRC	First Lady
Stephane Mbadinga	Gabon	Citibank	VP Corporate Finance
Valery Mukasa	DRC	Ministry of Mines, DRC	Deputy Chief of Staff
Willy Yav	DRC	Pygma Group	Director & Chief Commercial Officer

East Africa & The Horn of Africa

Firstname	Nationality	Company	Job Title
Adan Mohamed	Somalia	Barclays Bank	MDr, East & West Africa
Adema Sangale	Kenya	Procter & Gamble (P&G)	Assoc Director Ext. Relations/MD, E. Africa
Alykhan Karmali	Uganda	Mukwano Group	CEO
Angela Gachui	Kenya	Triple Bottom Line Associaion	Principal
Ashish Thakkar	Uganda	Mara Group	Founder & Executive Chairman
Elizabeth Nyambibo	Tanzania	Ministry of Finance	Deputy Permanent Secretary
Eric Wainaina	Kenya	Musician	Musician
Haile Gebrselassie	Ethiopia	Professional Athlete	Professional Athlete
Hans Paulsen	Uganda	Zamtel	MD
Harry Van Neer	Ethiopia	africaJUICE	CEO
Isis Nyong'o	Kenya	inMobi	VP & MD, Africa
James Mworia	Kenya	Centum Investment Co	CEO & MD
James Mwangi	Kenya	Dalberg Consulting	Global Managing Partner
James Mwangi	Kenya	Equity Bank Group	CEO
John Waibochi	Kenya	Virtual City	CEO
Julie Gichuru	Kenya	Citizen TV Kenya	Director
Kariuki Gathitu	Kenya	Zege Technologies	Software Developer
Maia Von Lekow	Kenya	Musician	Performer
Patricia Ithau	Kenya	L'Oreal East Africa	MD
Patrick Bitature	Uganda	Simba Group	Founder & Chairman
Paul Kavuma	Kenya	Catalyst Partners	CEO
Polycarp Kamau	Kenya	Haco Industries	CEO
Robert Kabushenga	Uganda	New Vision	CEO
Roni Madhvani	Uganda	Madhvani Group	Co-Director
Sachen Chandaria	Kenya	Orbit Chemicals Chandaria Industries	Director
Sanjeev Gadhia	Kenya	Astral Aviation	CEO
Susan Mboya	Kenya	Zawadi Africa Educational Fund	Founder & President
Teodros Ashenafi	Ethiopia	SouthWest Energy	CEO & Chairman
Titus Gitau Ngugi	Kenya	MEA Fertilizers	Director, MEA Fertilizers & Honorary Consul to Malawi
Vivian Cheruiyot	Kenya	Professional Athlete	Professional Athlete
Gachao Kiuna	Kenya	Transcentury Ltd	CEO

Southern Africa

Firstname	Nationality	Company	Job Title
Abey Mokgwatsane	South Africa	Ogilvy	CEO
Adrian Enthoven	South Africa	Yellowoods	Executive Director
Alan Knott-Craig Jr.	South Africa	MiXit	CEO
Alpesh Patel	South Africa	Mi-Fone (BVI)	CEO
Ari Carvalho	Angola	Banco Micro Financas	President
Arnaud Lagesse	Mauritius	Groupe Mon Loisir	CEO
Ben Kruger	South Africa	Standard Bank	Group Deputy CEO
Benjamin Mophatlane	South Africa	Business Connexion	CEO
Brad Magrath	Zambia	Mobile Transaction Limited	Founder & Chief Commercial Officer
Brett Levy	South Africa	Blue Label Telecoms	Co-founder
Cabo Snoop	Angola	The Power House - Record Label	Musician
Daniel Mminele	South Africa	South African Reserve Bank	Deputy Governor
Douglas Mboweni	Zimbabwe	Econet Wireless	CEO
Fraser Nihorya	Malawi	Ministry of Finance	Deputy Minister of Finance
Gomes Zita	Mozambique	mcel (Mocambique Cellular)	CEO
Grant Liversage	Mozambique	SABMiller: Cervejas de Mocambique	MD
Hlumelo Biko	South Africa	Circle Capital	Co-founder
Ipeleng Mkhari	South Africa	Ipeleng Investment Holdings	Co-founder & CEO
Itumeleng Kgaboesele	South Africa	Sphere Holdings	Co-founder & CEO

Jassandra Nyker	South Africa	Biotherm Energy	CEO
Jonathan Oppenheimer	South Africa	De Beers	Head of the Chairman's Office
Moula Mhokobo-Amegashie	South Africa	Spencer Stuart	Director
Kgosi Leruo Molotlegi	South Africa	Royal Bafokeng Nation	King
Khanyi Dhlomo	South Africa	Ndalo Media	Co-founder & CEO
Khumo Shuenyane	South Africa	MTN	Group Executive M&A
Knowledge Katti	Namibia	UNX Energy Corp	CEO & Director
Lerato Mbele	South Africa	CNBC Africa	CNBC Anchor
Lesang Magang	Botswana	Phakalane Estates	MD
Lindiwe Mazibuko	South Africa	Democratic Alliance	Parliamentary Leader
Lira	South Africa	Musician	Musician
Luke McKend	South Africa	Google	Country Manager
Lynn Mukonoweshuro	Zimbabwe	Kingdom Financial Holdings	CEO
Magnus Mchunguzi	Zimbabwe	Ericsson, South Africa	MD
Maheswaree Madhub	Mauritius	Ministry of Finance & Econ. Devt.	Permanent Secretary
Mandla Msimang	South Africa	Pygma Group	MD
Marc Balkin	South Africa	Hasso Plattner Venture Partners	Co-Managing Partner
Mario Mendes	Angola	Simples Oil	Director, Business Development
Marlon Chigwende	Zimbabwe	Carlyle, Africa	Managing Partner
Michael Mukete	Namibia	Central Bank of Namibia	Assistant Governor
Monhla Hlahla	South Africa	ACSA	Former CEO
Monica Musonda	Zambia	Camelot Advisory	MD
Mpho Diale	South Africa	Calulo Investments	Group CEO
Mukwandi Chibesakunda	Zambia	Access Bank Zambia	MD
Munyaradzi Gwatidzo	Zimbabwe	Swav Mobile	CEO
Naima Mclean	South Africa	Mclean Entertainment	Founder
Nathan Kalumbu	Zimbabwe	Coca-Cola Africa	President, East & Central Africa
Neil Blomkamp	South Africa	Filmmaker	Filmmaker
Nhlanganiso Mkwanzazi	South Africa	Medu Capital	Co-founder & Director
Nicola Harris	South Africa	Rand Merchant Bank (RMB)	Transactor
Nomfanelo Magwentshu	South Africa	McKinsey & Company	Snr Advisor, Public Sector
Nonkqubela Mazwai	South Africa	Motjoli Resources	Founding Member & CEO
Oscar Pistorius	South Africa	Professional Athlete	Professional Athlete
Phuti Malabie	South Africa	Shanduka Group	MD
Raymond Ndlovu	Zimbabwe	Noah Financial	CEO
Riaz Currimjee	Mauritius	Surya Capital	Founding Partner
Rojie Kisten	South Africa	Old Mutual Investment Group SA	Head of Capital Raising
Ronnie Ntuli	South Africa	Thelo Group	Founder & Chairman
Sandile Zungu	South Africa	Zungu Investment Company (Zico)	Founder & Executive Chairman
Sim Tshabalala	South Africa	Standard Bank, South Africa	CEO
Sisa Ngebulana	South Africa	Rebosis Property Fund	Founder & CEO
Sisonke Msimang	South Africa	OSISA	Executive Director
Tebogo Skwambane	South Africa	Northroad Consulting	Partner
Thandiswa Mazwai	South Africa	Gallo Music	Musician
Thebe Medupe	South Africa	SA Astronomical Observatory	Astrophysicist/ Researcher
Tim Rametse	South Africa	Medscheme Africa	MD
Tumi Makgabo	South Africa	Tumi & Co.	Founder
Tumi and The Volume	South Africa	Musicians	Musicians
Vimbayi Kajese	Zimbabwe	CCTV9	Anchor
Vittorio Massone	South Africa	Bain & Company	Head, Johannesburg Office

North Africa

Firstname	Nationality	Company	Job Title
Fatima Zahra Mansouri	Morocco	Government of Morocco	Mayor of Marrakech
Dr. Ilham Kadri	Morocco	The Dow Chemical Company	GM, MEA, Dow Advanced Materials
Karim Sadek	Egypt	Citadel Capital	MD
Omar Ben Yedder	Tunisia	IC Publications (New African)	Publisher

Adam Iskounen	Algeria	Portek	Director
Sergio Menendez	Egypt	CEMEX	President, Egypt

The African Diaspora

Firstname	Nationality	Company	Job Title
Alek Wek	South Sudan	Designer, Ambassador, Supermodel	Designer, Ambassador, Supermodel
Barthelemy Faye	Senegal	Cleary, Gottlieb, Steen & Hamilton	Partner
Binyavanga Wainaina	Kenya	Author, USA	Author
Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie	Nigeria	Author, USA	Internationally-Acclaimed Author
China Onyemelukwe	Nigeria	Goldman Sachs, London	MD
Chiwetel Ejiofor	Nigeria/UK	Actor, Los Angeles	Actor
Danai Gurira	Zimbabwe/USA	Paradigm Agency, Los Angeles	Actress
Dawda Jobarteh	Gambia	Africa Progress Panel	Acting Director
Didier Drogba	Ivory Coast	Chelsea Football Club, UK	Footballer
Djo Tunda Wa Munga	Congo	Filmmaker	Filmmaker
Dobet Gnahore	Ivory Coast	Musician	Musician
Elizabeth Wamai	Diaspora	Bloomberg Inc, London	Global Head, Recruiting
Eric Kacou	Ivory Coast	Entrepreneurial Solutions Partners (USA)	Founder & CEO
Fashole Sawyerr	Ghana	Actis, London	Director: Strategy
Haddis Tadesse	Ethiopia	Gates Foundation, USA	Manager External Relations & Partnerships
Hadeel Ibrahim	Sudan	Mo Ibrahim Foundation, UK	Executive Director
Ibrahim Sagna	Senegal	Blackthorn Capital, USA	Chairman & Co-Founder
Idris Elba	Sierra Leone	Actor, Los Angeles	Actor
Isha Sesay	Sierra Leone	CNN International, UK	Journalist, Inside Africa
Kayode Akinkugbe	Nigeria	Deutsche Bank, UK	Director
Kem Ihenacho	UK	Clifford Chance	Partner
Keinan Abdi Warsame	Somalia	Musician (<i>aka</i> K'naan)	Musician
Kojo Mills	Ghana/USA	Invictus Africa	CEO
Lisa Opoku	Ghana	Goldman Sachs,	MD, Asia Securities Division
Liya Kebede	Ethiopia/USA	Super Model	Supermodel
Marcus Samuelsson	Ethiopia/USA	Marcus Samuelsson Group	Founder & Executive Chef
Nuradin Osman	Somalia/USA	AGCO Corp	CEO, Africa & Middle East
Rama Yade	Senegal/France	Government of France	Former Minister of Human Rights
Rokia Traore	Mali	Musician	Musician
Rosalind Kainyah	Ghana	Tullow Oil, UK	VP, External Affairs & CSR
Rosemary Nuamah	Ghana	The Elders, London	Senior Policy Analyst
Saravana Sivasankaran	S. Leone/India	Siva Shipping Singapore Pte. Ltd.	COO & Board Member
Samuel Eto'o	Cameroon	Anzhi Makhachkala FC	Footballer
Shingai Shoniwa	Zimbabwe	Noisettes, UK	Singer
Souad Massi	Algeria	Musician	Musician
Tope Lawani	Nigeria/UK	Helios Investment Partners	Managing Partner & Co-Founder
Tosa Ogbomo	Ghana	Vine Capital Partners	Managing Partner
Winston Soboyejo	Nigeria	Princeton University	Professor, Mechanical & Aerospace Eng.
Yaw Asamoah-Duodu	Ghana	JP Morgan, New York	MD
Yaya Toure	Ivory Coast	Manchester City Football Club	Footballer

Rest of the World

Firstname	Nationality	Company	Job Title
Aditya Mittal	UK	ArcelorMittal Group	CFO
Alexandre Popoff	France	L'Oreal	MD Latin America, Africa, Middle East
Arjuna Costa	India	Omidyar Networks	Director of Investments
Bill Zimmerman	USA	Venture Capital for Africa	Co-founder
Brian Herlihy	USA	Black Rhino	CEO & Founder
Catherine Duggan	USA	Harvard Business School	Professor
Chris Isaac	UK	AgDevCo	Director of Business Development
Coco Ferguson	UK	Maris Capital	Founding Partner
Eric Li	China	Chengwei Ventures	Founder & MD

Jorn Lyseggen	Norway	Meltwater Group	Founder & CEO
Kristopher Klokkenga	USA	Africa Atlantic Holdings	MD
Lukas Lundin	Canada	Lundin Mining	Chairman
Mahesh Bakhresa	India	Bakhresa Grain milling limited	CEO
Nagi Hamiyeh	Lebanon	Temasek Holdings	MD
Oliver Karius	Switzerland	LGT Venture Philanthropy	Partner
Philip Vassiliou	USA/Dubai	Legatum	MD
Simon Harford	UK	Actis	Head of Portfolio Group, Africa
Stanislav Vecera	Czech Republic	Procter & Gamble	GM South & East Africa
Stephane Paquier	Switzerland	The Dow Chemical Company	President, Africa
Tasha De Vasconcelos	France	European Union	Ambassador for Humanitarian Affairs