

# **Annual Report 2018**



...empowering next generation leaders

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### Mission

To equip next generation leaders with skills and tools which enable them to realize their full potential and bring sustainable change to their communities.

#### **Vision**

To be the foremost centre for developing self-motivated, effective and high integrity leaders who will foster impact and positive change in society.



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Dear ICLDNG Family,

On behalf of the ICLDNG board and the team, I would like to thank you for your generous contributions, support, continued commitment and valuable investment to build and develop change makers in Nigeria.

Our goal for 2019 is to raise, connect and empower 200 Teenagers in Lagos and Akure, Ondo State in June and August respectively through our Leadership

workshop. This will be achieved by going through a leadership training that help catalyze the process of looking within, to take stock of their lives – dreams, visions for the future, with their skills, talents which will then expose them to the concept of leadership, Goal Mapping, Career pathways and the tools and skills required for effective leadership which we will be offering.

We also want to enhance awareness on Internet Safety and Cyber Security reaching out to 800 participants in Lagos, Port Harcourt, Kano and Abuja respectively.

Our goal for the next five years is to directly impact 20, 000 in school Teenagers and out of school youth through our leadership training. Your support and contributions made 2018 a very successful year and we are therefore honoured to invite you to be part of this amazing journey of transformation in 2019.

Thank you from all of us at ICLDNG.

#### **Felix Iziomoh**

## **Major Highlights in 2018**



- ICLDNG attended the 56th Commission for Social Development in New York, 29<sup>th</sup> Jan 7<sup>th</sup> February
- Safer Internet Day 2018; Itolo Girl's Senior School hall, Surulere February 6<sup>th</sup>
- ICLDNG partnered with African Youth Initiative on Crime Prevention to host the 2018 National Youth Summit on Crime Prevention, 31st May, 2018
- Annual Leadership and vocational training. ICLDNG in collaboration with Ministry of Education District IV Aug. 6<sup>th</sup> -10<sup>th</sup> at Itolo Girls Senior College, Eric Moore Lagos.
- ICLDNG Executive Director made a presentation sharing ICLDNG activities during the Next Leaders' Initiative for Sustainability (NELIS) Summit in Sophia University Tokyo, Japan. June 8<sup>th</sup> 14<sup>th</sup>,
- ICLDNG receives Civil Society SDG's Award 2018, 9th October.
- ICLDNG partners with U.S. Consulate General, Lagos to mark National Cyber Security Awareness Month (NCSAM) 25<sup>th</sup> October, and also the NCSAM was organized in Rivers and Kano State respectively.
- ICLDNG Executive Director attended the Cyber Security Leadership Summit 2018 in Berlin, Germany 12<sup>th</sup> 14<sup>th</sup> November

## **Programs Summary**

In 2018, ICLDNG was able to organized programs that reached various communities . Programs include:

- We completed the 6 months 2017 summer leadership workshop see link <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=P8E\_kHDPjdg">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=P8E\_kHDPjdg</a>
- Safer Internet Day Awareness reached over 200 Teenagers and 56 Teachers in Public Secondary School
- 87 Teenagers attended the August Summer Leadership workshop with two follow ups, final follow-up project implementation and certification is January 16<sup>th</sup>, 2019
- Over 350 Teenagers from Public and Private Secondary School, Teachers, Youth, Journalists and corporate organizations attended the Cyber Security Awareness Month October, organized in collaboration with the U.S. Consulate Lagos, Port Harcourt and Kano state respectively

Leadership workshop continues to address the barriers students in high school face by providing this training at no cost, and covering topics such as Leadership / Self Awareness, Goal Setting / Mapping, Career Path / Mentorship and Entrepreneurship, while also introducing participants to Internet Safety / Cyber Security Awareness, and how the Internet can be used for personal and societal advancement. Thanks to our dedicated volunteers, over 10 individuals lent their time and talent to ICLDNG.



# An Inspiring Story by Saka Shukura ICLDNG 2017 Leadership workshop

Saka Shukura sharing with us her experience with ICLDNG

I am Saka Shukurat Opeyemi, a graduate of Eric Moore Senior High School, Surulere. And also I was the head girl of my school. Since my young age, I have grown passion for leadership. I know I have the qualities of a good leader but I do not have confidence of being a leader. I am the kind of person with good views and great ideas but I lack the motives of expressing myself to the public, so I can only share my ideas among my friends. I am glossophobia (fear of speaking in public) and this had hindered my passion for leadership.

In the month of August, 2017,I attended a leadership workshop program organized by I.C.L.D.N.G with my colleagues in school. During the five days leadership workshop, students came out to express themselves towards leadership, and I said to myself "I can do it "but due to my fear, I withdrew.

Thanks to Mr Felix (the Executive Director of ICLDNG) and all other speakers at the seminar. Their speech motivates me, It was as if they were all referring to me. The speech gave me strength, it makes me courageous, and it shake off my fear. The speech makes my passion for leadership grew more, and it send off the glossophobic in me.

I became the head girl of my school. Thanks to God and ICLDNG for making me to be able to express myself to the world and taking the chance of being a leader.

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## Three Month Internship Experience with ICLDNG



Nora Topou from Lome, Togo – Mandela Washington Fellow 2017

Nora TOPOU, I am Mandela Washington Fellow 2017 from Togo. In the vein of completing my leadership training I was privilege to do my internship with ICLDNG.

It was a great and fruitful experience on so many professional ways. I started my internship on the 20<sup>th</sup> April and finished on the 20<sup>th</sup> July. I have worked with ICLDNG staff on so many project, organizing activities, planning events for the future. With ICLDNG I have strengthen my skills in the domain of events organization, monitoring and evaluation of project, funds researches....

It was amazing experience as my first time in the land of Nigeria. Much was of I have learned now time to implement all.

Special thanks to my director and my supervisor.

## 2018 Financial Highlights

A full copy of the financial statement of ICLDNG as audited by independent accountants, Wale Awe & Co., and will be available on our website, <a href="www.icldng.org">www.icldng.org</a> by March 2019.



## Planned activities for 2019

- Safer Internet Day, Lagos, Port Harcourt and Abuja- Kano State 5th February
- NELIS Africa Summit- ICLDNG partners NELIS Nigeria 4<sup>th</sup> 5<sup>th</sup> April
- 5 Days Imafon Community Leadership Program (ICLP) Ondo State, June
- ICLDNG Cyber Security Fellowship, July
- Secondary School Summer Leadership Training Lagos State, August
- Cyber Security Awareness Month October Lagos, Abuja, Port Harcourt and Kano



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## **Sponsorships and Donations Needed**

Our long – term goal is to increase our beneficiaries from the current number of 5,000 to 20,000 by the year 2022.

Thank you to everyone who has donated, support and volunteer during 2018! Your support and generosity makes our work possible and helps create a brighter future for aspiring leaders, their communities, the nation and the world at large. Please consider making a donation today to help us serve more teenagers. For 2019, we aim to raise \$28,500 to cover programs, administrative and operational costs and in future to have a permanent centre to be available full time to future leaders and challenged youth in the 21st century.

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