# Memorandum of Understanding

***Between***

YOUTH MILLENNIUM DEVELOPMENT AMBASSADORS

***And***

Worldview Mission (**WM)**

***For International partnership/collaboration***

This Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) establishes an *International Partnership* between *Youth Millennium Development Ambassadors (****YMDA)***and *Worldview Mission (****WM***

1. Mission of Youth Millennium Development Ambassadors

The Mission of the Youth Millennium Development Ambassadors initiative is to Commission, inspire, empower, connect and celebrate youth leaders to commit and to facilitate the realization of the global MDGL’s in local communities. To achieve these goals, the Youth Millennium Development Ambassadors will work on a personal level in their families, schools and communities to foster a growing network of youth leaders that can contribute to the positive change in the society.

1. **Worldview Mission (WM)**

**Our Mission**

* To eradicate poverty in our communities and provide a safe haven for those in need. It is our goal to improve the quality of life for the people living in poverty by helping them to become self-sufficient.
* To provide a comprehensive program of personal growth and development. To build the finest facility where young people get the feeling that they belong to a loving society.
* To create an environment and use activities that foster mutual respect, resilience, self-esteem, self-regulation, self-efficacy and leadership. Promote awareness and acceptance of diversity.

*Parties:*

*Together, Parties enter into this Memorandum of Understanding to mutually Promote United Nations Millennium Development Goals (MDGL’s), and to implement activities such as (e.g) Commissioning ceremonies, conferences, and MDG Youth Assemblies for Ambassadors.*

Accordingly, *Youth Millennium Development Ambassadors* ***(YMDA)******/*** *Worldview Mission* ***(WM)*** *and* ***Youth initiative for Development and Peace*, (YIDP)** operating under this MOU agree as follows:

(what is Youth Initiative for Development of Peace? It is missing in the definitions. Further, if YIPD is a party in this MOU, it must be mentioned in the first Para)

1. To promote Peace and the United nations Millennium Development Goals (MDGs)
2. To facilitate each other in YMDAs Activities (this is unnecessary clause, we have already agreed to mutually cooperate for MDGs)
3. To engage in Social Benefit Concerts for Funding (this also comes under the purview of mutual engagement for MDGs)
4. Create United Nations recognition for Youth Ambassadors (We shall have to check whether such recognition is under the scope of WM activities) Anwser is needed from Paul
5. Celebrate Youth Leaders for MDGL’s achievements in societies. (same as above)
6. Nominate/Commission Youth Ambassadors (also has its separate Ambassadors program???) Awnser: (NO ) Because, WM And Youth Ambassadors are collaborates partners, therefore have we authomaticaly adopte the same Ambassadors programme
7. **PURPOSE AND SCOPE**

Youth Millennium Development Ambassadors and Worldview Mission will utilize the wisdom, networks, and ambition of these young educators and leaders will allow us to push forward the initiative that promotes the realization of the MDGs.

In Addition; we cannot hope to see real change unless every person knows what is being done in an effort to positively change each of their lives. By recognizing prominent and outstanding youth advocates within the communities with the title of Youth Millennium Development Ambassador, we are more likely to communicate the changes and see them successfully carried out. The Youth Millennium Development Ambassadors’ title is a celebration of commitment and a commission to a higher duty and responsibility, which recognizes the past accomplishments and the potentials to do more.

Each organization of this MOU is responsible for its own expenses related to this MOU. There will/will not be an exchange of funds between the parties for tasks associated with this MOU only if the need arise. (WM is arranging funds for the conference and as per this clause, WM will not share those funds with conference people, what does they want to say?? Please ask!) ??( ???)

1. **RESPONSIBILITIES**

Each party will appoint a person to serve as the official contact and coordinate the activities of each organization in carrying out this MOU.

The initial appointees of each organization are:

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Who is being appointed from WM side???? ( I don’t see Worku’s name and information as guest speaker representative on behalve of WM for African country’s from 2013-2015 and beyond

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Worldview Mission

Sister Organization: USA

*Registered: EIN 26-3053068, NY, July 26th, 2007*

*NGO, 501 c/3 Taxed Excempt Status*

*Subsidiery of Sidewalk University*

The organizations agree to the following tasks for this MOU: Youth Millennium Development Ambassadors **(YMDA)** And Worldview Mission **(WM)**

**Youth Millennium Development Ambassadors agrees;**

1. To promote Peace and the United nations Millennium Development Goals (MDG’s)
2. To facilitate each other in activities of mutual interest
3. To engage in Social Benefit Concerts for Funding (for whom, for WM’s funding or YMDA’s funding?? If funds are to be shared mutually, what will be the share of each organization???)
4. Create United Nations recognition for Youth Ambassadors (this is their internal goal, should not be part of this MOU, WM can not say anything about this)
5. Celebrate Youth Leaders for MDG achievements in societies. (Again, this is YDMA’s internal policy and should be treated as such)
6. Nominate/Commission Youth Ambassadors (WM will do this only if it has started its own Youth Ambassador program of any sort)

**Worldview Mission will agree**

1. To promote the United nations Millennium Development Goals (MDGL’s)
2. To facilitate each other in YMDAs Activities.
3. To engage in Social Benefit Concerts for Funding
4. Create United Nations recognition for Youth Ambassadors
5. Celebrate Youth Leaders for MDG achievements in societies.
6. Nominate/Commission Youth Ambassadors

***(I have already written my inputs about above said points)***

***Youth Millennium Development Ambassadors and Worldview Mission agrees***

1. To promote peace and the United nations Millennium Development Goals (MDGL’s)
2. To facilitate each other in YMDAs Activities. (each other’s activities, this cooperation should not be one sided)
3. To engage in Social Benefit Concerts for Funding (of WM as well as YMDA)
4. Create United Nations recognition for Youth Ambassadors (on WM’s platform)
5. Celebrate Youth Leaders for MDGL’ achievements in societies.
6. Nominate/Commission Youth Ambassadors
7. **TERMS OF UNDERSTANDING**

The term of this MOU is for a period of *3 years,* from the effective date of this agreement and may be extended upon written mutual agreement. It shall be reviewed at least *1 year,* to ensure that it is fulfilling its purpose and to make any necessary revisions.

(the MOU should be for one year, however another clause may be added which should state that this MOU is extendable if both parties agree on the same)

Either organization may terminate this MOU upon thirty (30) days written notice without penalties or liabilities.

**Authorization**

The signing of this MOU is not a formal undertaking. It implies that the signatories will strive to reach, to the best of their ability, the objectives stated in the MOU.

On behalf of the organization **I. Ms H. H. Oord**, CHAIR AND FOUNDER OF WORLDVIEW MISSIONrepresent, I wish to sign this MOU and contribute to its further development. (your name will appear here)

Name: Ambassador Paul Lengar Date: **19th October, 2012**

Position: West Africa Regional Director

Org: Youth Millennium Development Ambassadors Initiative (YMDAs)

Name: Ms. Hélène Oord Date: **19th October, 2012**

Position: Founder/Chairperson

Org: Worldview Mission **(WM)** [**http://www.worldviewmission.org**](http://www.worldviewmission.org)

Needs and expectations of YMDA’s

As a newly established Youth Serving Agency; Youth Millennium Development Ambassadors to work effectively; in promoting the Universal Peace wheel Celebrations and other activities in West Africa may need the following:

* Computers
* Photo/Video Cameras
* Printers
* Scanners
* T-Shirts
* Banners
* Mobile Van
* Books

1. We fully except to build the culture of Universal Peace and Prepare young people for responsible lives in free societies that promote peace, understanding, tolerance, dialogue, mutual respect and friendship among all nations and across all groupings of people. Also, to Strengthen the capacity of young people and youth organizations in peace building, conflict prevention and conflict resolution through the promotion of intercultural learning, civic education, tolerance, human rights education and democracy, mutual respect for cultural, ethnic and religious diversity, the importance of dialogue and cooperation, responsibility, solidarity and international cooperation.
2. Promote inter-cultural awareness by organizing exchange programmes between young people and youth organizations within and across States Parties and Recognizes and value beliefs and traditional practices that contribute to development.

Needs and expectations of WM

1. Use of WM logo in all official correspondence, proposals, reports, brochures, media coverage etc.
2. Promotion of WM’s goals in Sierra Leone
3. Following of WM’s internal controls/Internal Audit policies/instructions circulated from time to time
4. Sharing of Funding responsibility with WM
5. The two parties will ensure that funds collected for events organized mutually are deposited in WM’s Bank Account opened in Holland from where the Funds will be disbursed to YMDA as per its needs
6. YDMA agrees to share 15% of total funds collected with WM enabling it to meet its administrative expenses and R&D costs.
7. YMDA agrees to include WM executives in all of its events.