



July 19, 2013

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Re: Letter of Invitation

Dear Helene H. Oord,,

You are invited to the International Association of African Non-Governmental (IAAN) Organizations Global Summit on NGO Empowerment, to be held on September 5<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> 2013, at the Hilton Hotel Rockville in 1750 Rockville Pike, MD. 20852. IAAN is the voice for thousands of Africans, Caribbean and Latin Americans who are doing great charity work. These men and women, who despite their challenges, they still find ways to help their fellow man. These NGOs face several challenges such as lack of resources and funding that allow them to provide for the various communities in which they serve. IAAN works to create global awareness and source for resources internationally for these NGOs.

For this conference, we are bringing together from various parts of Africa, Caribbean and Latin America NGOs that have shown success in their various projects, political leaders, Philanthropists, business men and women, and other stakeholders to discuss the path forward in supporting NGOs as they seek to meet the Millennium Development Goals (MDGs) for 2015. Our goal is to support our member NGOs as they strive to alleviate poverty through grass roots efforts. IAAN is also committed to empowering NGOs to better serve their various communities.

Please be prepared to showcase your work and provide documentation that proves the legitimacy of your NGO. Such documents will include: Licensing information, References, Videos of work performed etc. Awards and Grants will be given to NGOs that have shown excellence in their service to meet the needs of their targeted community. For more information, please visit our website at [www.inafricangos.org](http://www.inafricangos.org). We hope to see you.

Yours Sincerely,

Jaye A. Lowe Esq.

Event Chair

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