



Thursday, September 23
**Africa Connected Series:
Innovation, Education, and
Leadership in Africa:
Building Blocks for Development**



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What will it take to create truly, lasting sustainable progress in Africa? With so many development strategies in play today — microfinance, investment in education, investment in women, investment in global health, direct foreign aid — what really works? What role can a new generation of young African Leaders play in creating an environment of growth and change?

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NETWORKING RECEPTION TIME: 6:00 p.m.

LECTURE TIME: Registration 6:30 p.m., Program 7:00 p.m.

NETWORKING RECEPTION LOCATION: University of Washington, Parrington Hall Commons

LECTURE LOCATION: University of Washington, Kane Hall Room 220

LECTURE COST: \$10 members/students, \$15 non-members

NETWORKING RECEPTION COST: \$20 members/students; \$30 non-members. Reception price includes networking, hors d'oeuvres, drinks, preferred seating at the lecture.

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