

#PeriodFriendlyWorld

We are thrilled to feature a consultant and speaker from Kenya who works in gender integration, women and wealth, and education: > NAISULA LEPARIYO

The theme, "Together for a #PeriodFriendlyWorld" highlights the importance of creating a stigma free environment around menstruation and ensuring access to vital resources. Coming from the indigenous Samuru tribe in northern Kenya, Naisula Lepariyo is a strong advocate for inclusive economic and educational opportunities, particularly for underrepresented communities. We learn how she is addressing alarming adolescent girl dropout rates in her hometown schools in Samburu County, Kenya. Her revealing investigation findings and the proactive steps she is taking—such as utilizing the film Impure to spark dialogue around menstruation, taboos, stigma, and menstrual poverty—are truly inspiring:

> https://youtu.be/8uY9l6lkKr4



We meet an inspiring new leader in the water sector, the CEO of WaterQuip: > ADRINE ATUMANYA

WaterQuip, a proudly Ugandan enterprise, making a significant impact by providing safe drinking water to approximately 350,000 children across 700 schools through water filtration systems. The company partners with schools and district officials to enhance existing water supplies, a process that requires school administrators to secure funding for these essential services. In the video podcast, we delve into Adrine Atumanya's insights into the vital role of the private sector in promoting WinS initiatives. She shares her experiences working within schools, the challenges and opportunities in the WASH business, and her dual role as a mother and a CEO. Discover her honest advice and perspectives on working in the WASH sector and driving change:

> www.youtube.com/watch?v=5PJrempCbX8

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