

Child Well-Being Initiative

Sister
School
Global
Initiative



Raising leadership into greatness
and assuming greatness at any age

The International Women's Think Tank (IWTT) believes supporting a nurturing and stimulating environment for youth is fundamental to ensuring that women are economically, emotionally, and socially empowered. Programs that provide opportunities to enhance the growth of youth are ways to further support the empowerment of women.

IWTT's 2022 International Women's Day webinar builds upon the successes of its 2021 *Women's Empowerment Roundtable Summit*, connecting social good influencers with communities. The *Child Well-Being Initiative* was created to expand support to women and youth during and post COVID.

The initial project under the Child Well-Being Initiative is the development of a Cultural Exchange partnership (sister school) between Baltimore, Maryland based Western High School (WHS) and the Sister School Global Initiative (SSGI) of Lagos, Nigeria. WHS a college-preparatory, National Blue Ribbon School was founded in 1844. It is the oldest all girls public high school in the USA.

Dr. Brenda Morant (WHS alumna), Founder/CEO of the International Women's Think Tank and Board Member of the Western High School Foundation, Inc. (WHSF), brought IWTT's principles of global understanding and international contacts to her work on the WHSF Board. Having connected Principal Michelle White, (WHS) and HRH Princess Dr. Moradeun Ogunlana (SSGI) for a series of conversations towards partnership, Dr. Morant will continue to serve as the liaison and facilitator for upcoming joint projects.

The purpose of the Cultural Exchange Initiative is to:

- Empower and engage girls to become worldly visionaries and critical thinkers
- Offer valuable connections by introducing national and international personalities
- Participate in cultural exchange programs

Western High School: The Difference Maker

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RglxaksmzHE&feature=youtu.be>

The Western High School Foundation is a partner to the Cultural Exchange Initiative.