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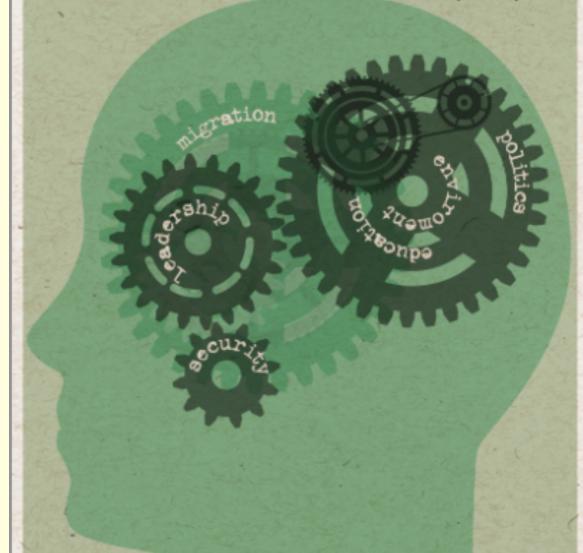
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- 3. Curriculum with international perspective



PERSPECTIVES ON GLOBAL CITIZENSHIP

Tuesday, January 22



United Nations Nations Unies



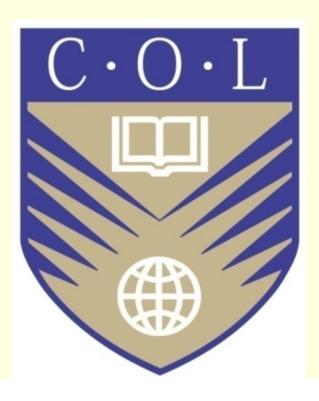
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International Development



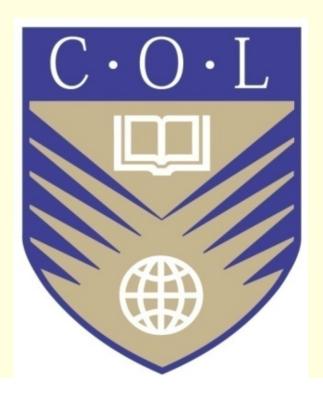


Multilateral intergovernmental agencies

193 governments POLICY

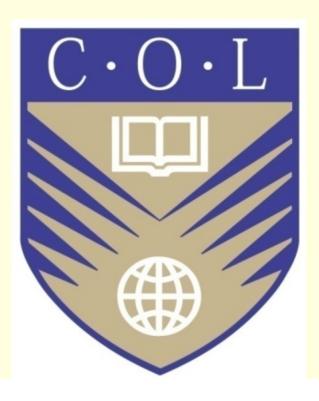
54 governments INTERVENTION





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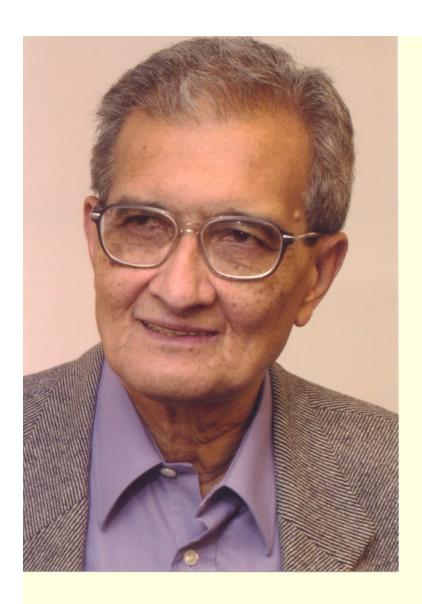


Development??

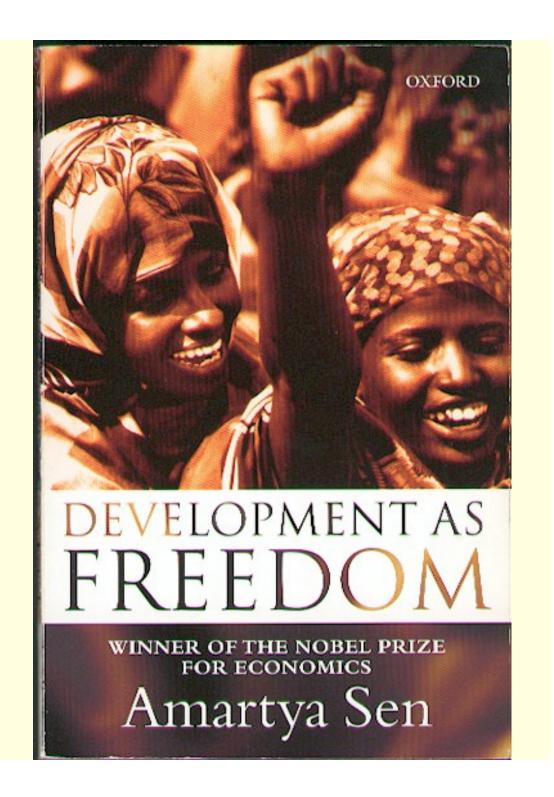








Amartya Sen



Freedom from...

and

Freedom to...

FREEDOM FROM:

hunger & poverty



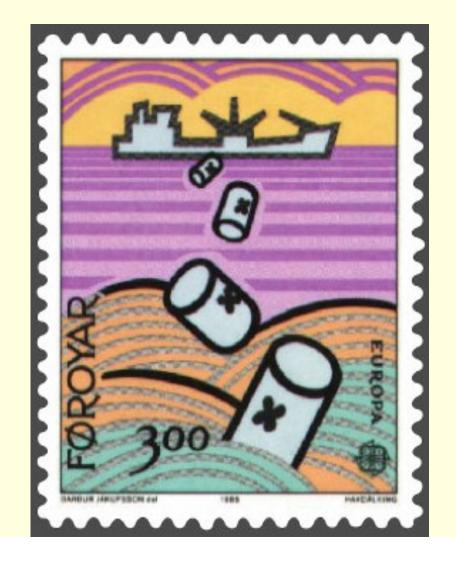
FREEDOM FROM:

disease



FREEDOM FROM:

Pollution



choose who governs you

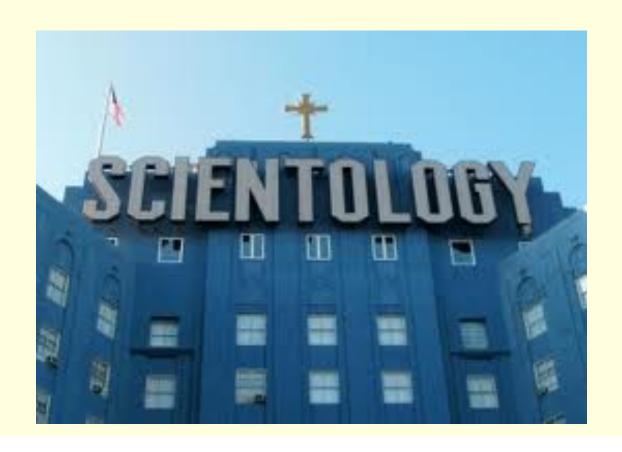


Express yourself



Speakers' corner – Hyde Park

practice your religion



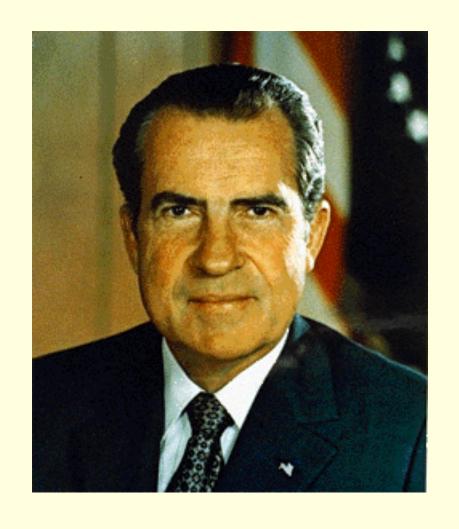
be educated and trained



equal treatment under the law







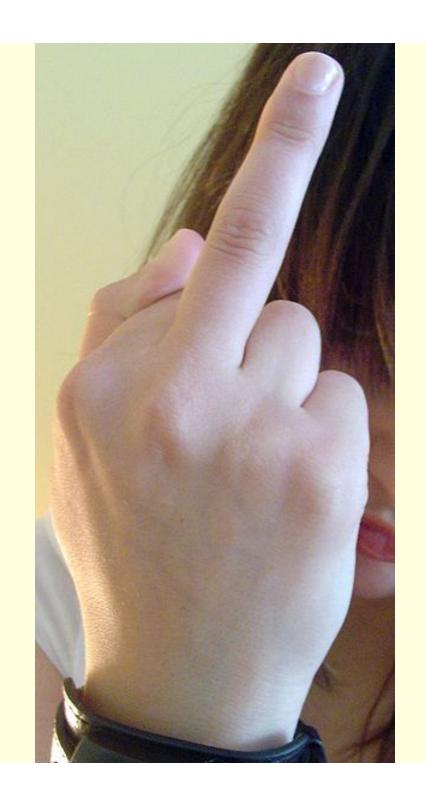
How does it feel to be free?

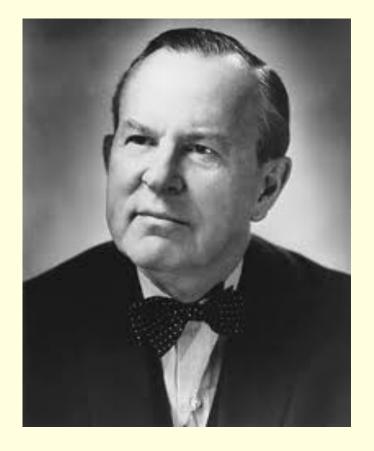


Freedom to carry weapons



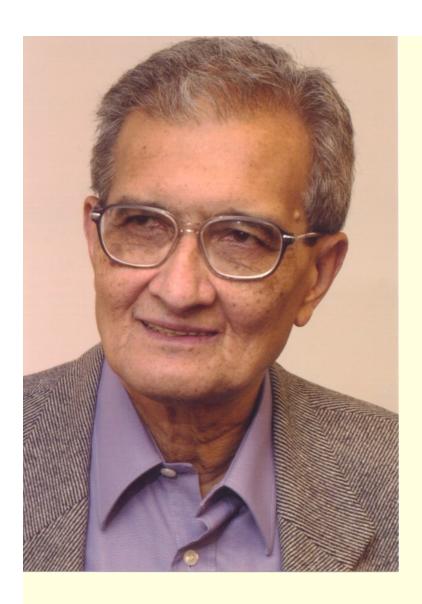
Freedom from being shot at school



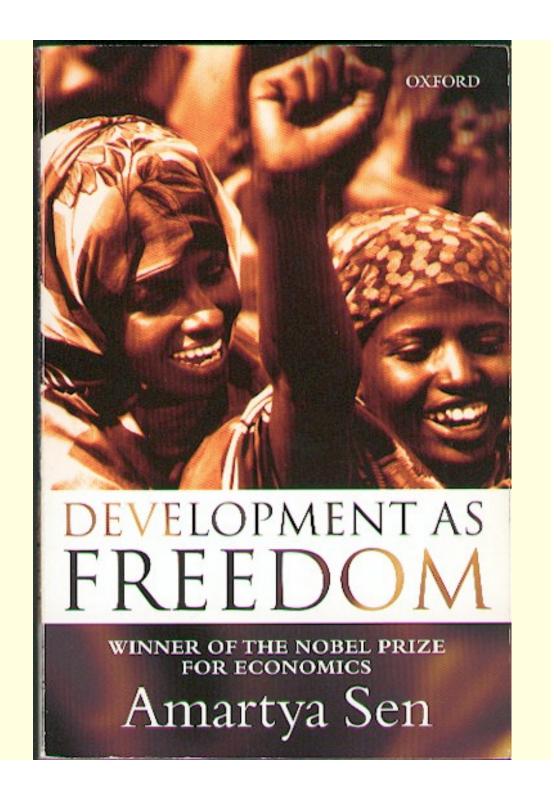


Under Lester Pearson's Liberal government, Canada's health care was expanded through the Medical Care Act, or Medicare, to provide near universal coverage to all Canadians 'according to their need for such services and irrespective of their ability to pay'





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FREEDOM IS THE PRIMARY PURPOSE AND THE PRINCIPAL MEANS OF

DEVELOPMENT

Development means expanding the real freedoms that people can enjoy

'the achievement of development is thoroughly dependent on the free agency of people'





Canadian International
Development Agency

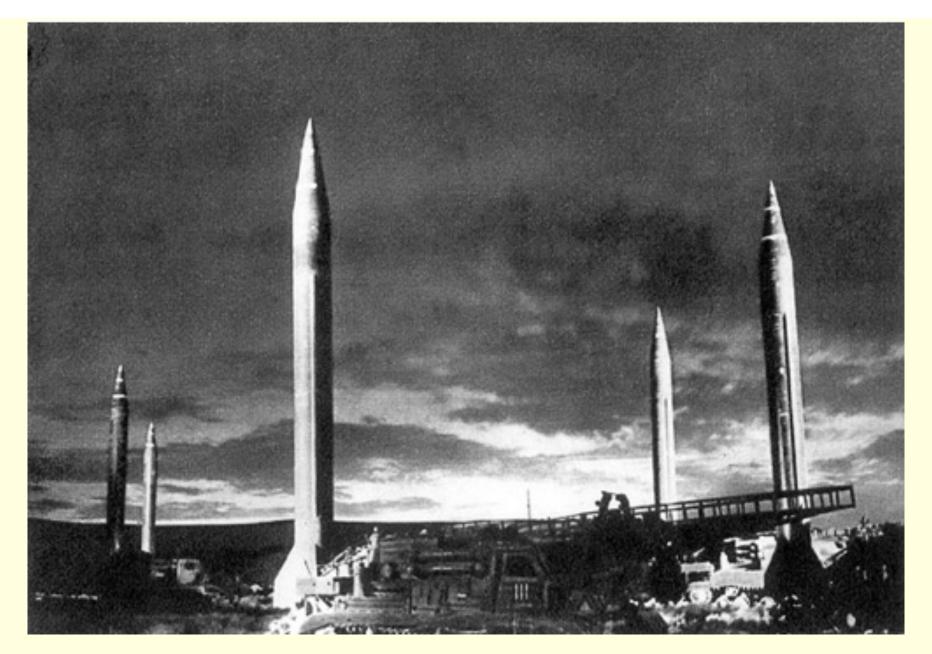




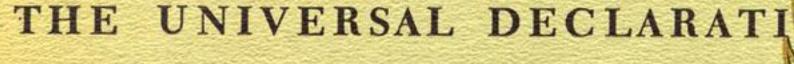
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Freedom to...



THE COLD WAR



of Human Rights



ADOPTED BY THE UNITED NATIONS GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT ITS 183RD MEETING, HELD IN PARIS ON 10 DECEMBER, 1948





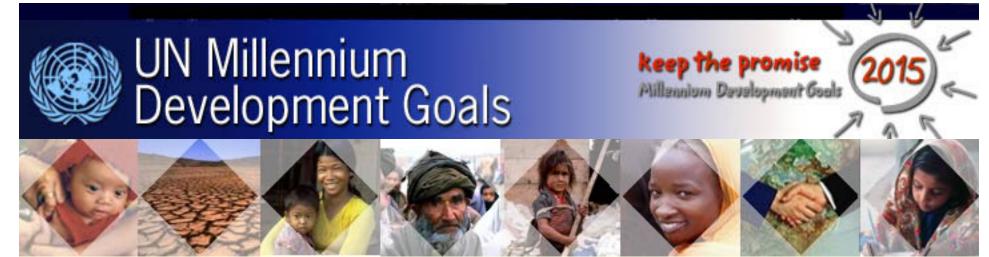


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Education for All (The Dakar Goals)



1990 The World Conference on Education for All

Jomtien, Thailand

Jomtien = a failure?

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2000 - 125m (6 to 11) out of school





The Dakar World Forum on EFA 2000



The Fast-Track Initiative

"to provide concentrated support to complete the task of achieving the quantifiable EFA goals in countries where conditions were judged to be propitious"

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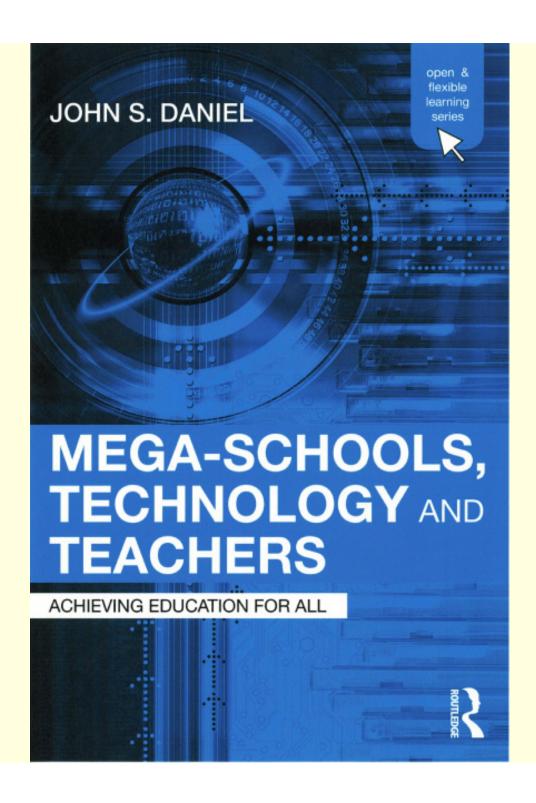
1990 - 100m (6 to 11) out of school

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Dakar = more progress

2010 – 70m (6 to 11) out of school

2015 – 50m (6 to 11) out of school





Universal Primary Education SUCCESSES

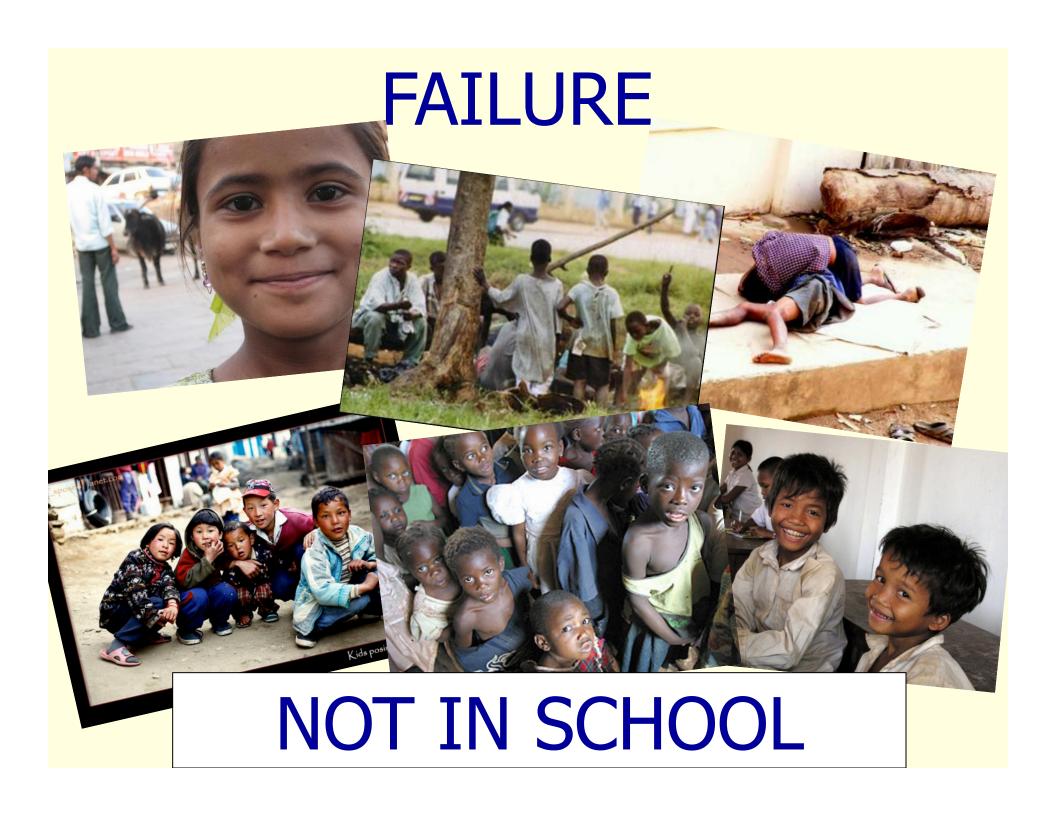
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FAILURES



SUCCESS

Numbers in primary school have increased much faster since 2000 than in the decade between Jomtien and Dakar.



FAILURE

In 2006 75 million children, 55% of them girls, were still not in primary school. Furthermore, on present trends there will still be some 29 million of children out of school by 2015

CHALLENGES

Of success:

'The success of the campaign for Universal Primary Education is creating a surge of children towards secondary schooling and there is nowhere for most of them to go'

CHALLENGES

Of failure:

Getting the remaining 75 million children into school will require various strategies but, above all, the employment of more teachers.

Surging to Secondary



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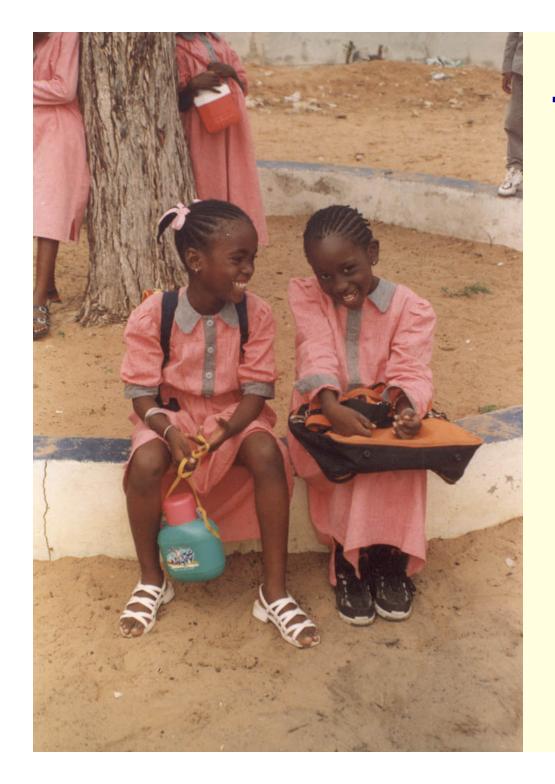
Since the Industrial Revolution...

7 x more people

7 x the impact each

7x7 = 50 x total impact

So... curb population growth



The education of girls may also be the most powerful tool against climate change

Expand secondary

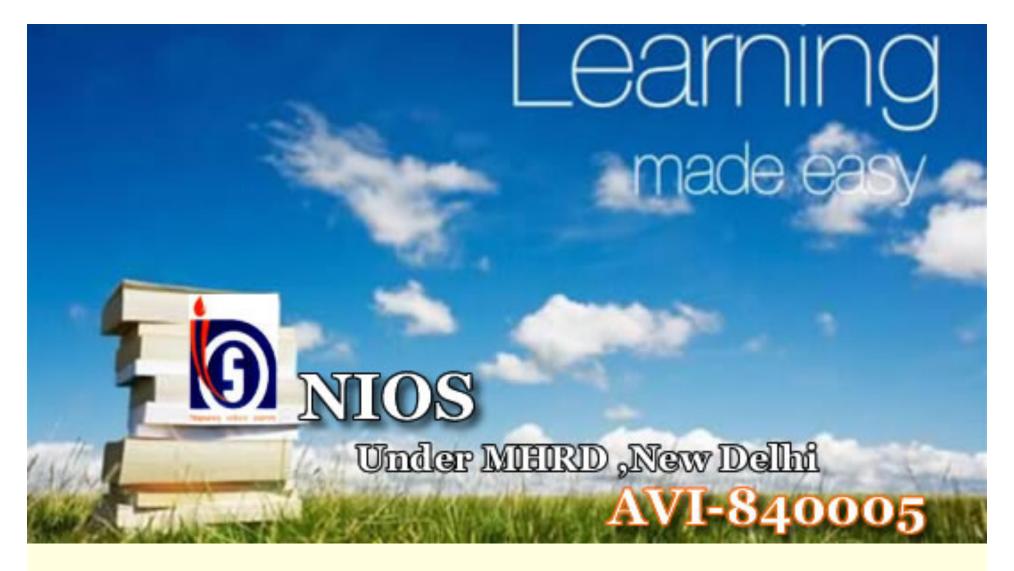
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Expand Open Schooling



National Institute for Open Schooling – India

400,000 new pupils annually





Namibian College of Open Learning

28,000 pupils

40% of secondary

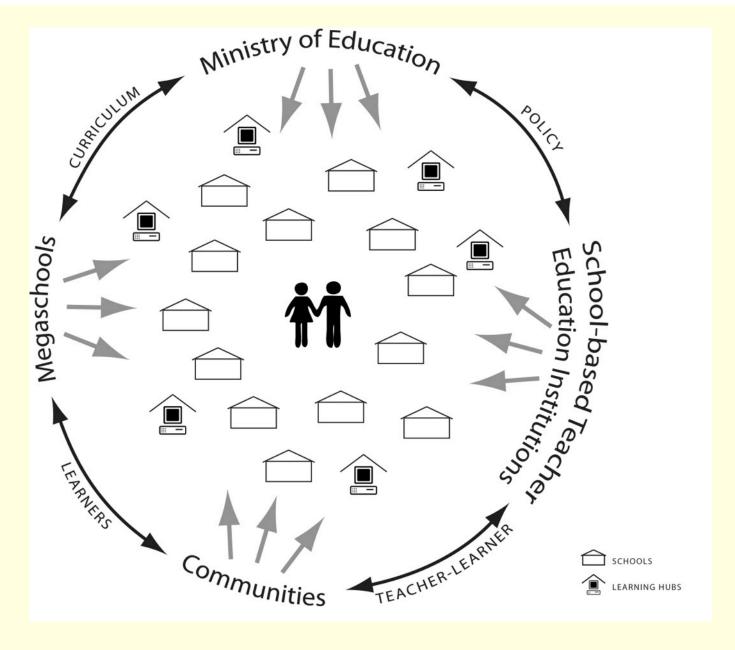


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Educational ecosystem



21st Century Educational Ecosystem

Conventional schools cannot cope!

ADD:

Private schooling for the poor

Applications of ICTs

OPEN SCHOOLING

Develop and expand

OPEN SCHOOLING

and

INTEGRATE IT

with other approaches

Blur the unhelpful distinction





Between formal and non-formal education

Build a bridge between knowledge acquisition





and skills development

Reduce inequalities





OPEN SCHOOLING

Is less expensive than

CONVENTIONAL SCHOOLING

in most countries

and the difference in cost

IS INCREASING!



If the unit cost of

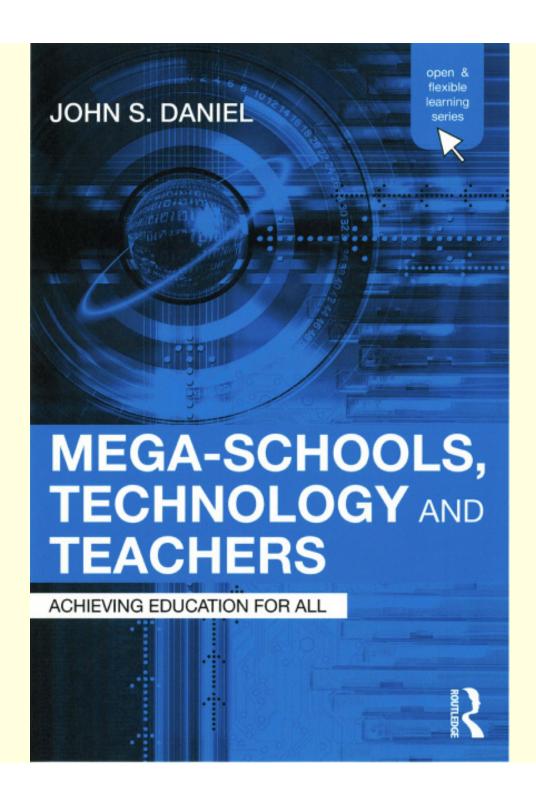
SECONDARY

is more than double

PRIMARY

Professor Keith Lewin A country will NEVER achieve

UNIVERSAL SECONDARY EDUCATION



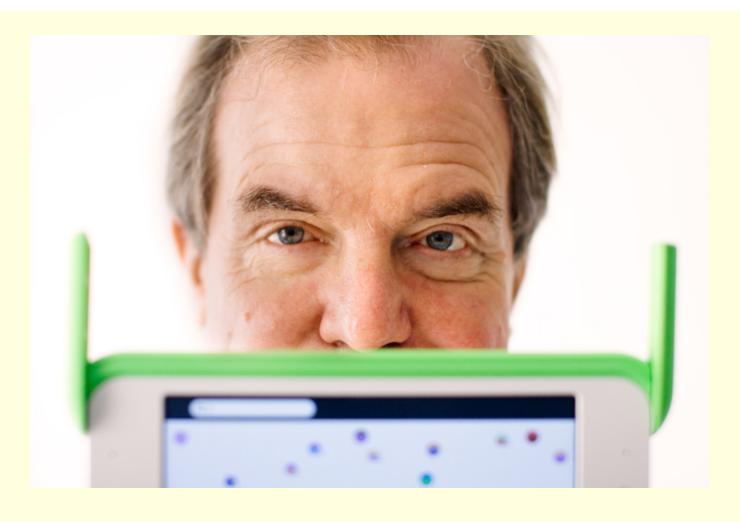
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One Laptop Per Child (USA)

Hole In The Wall (India)

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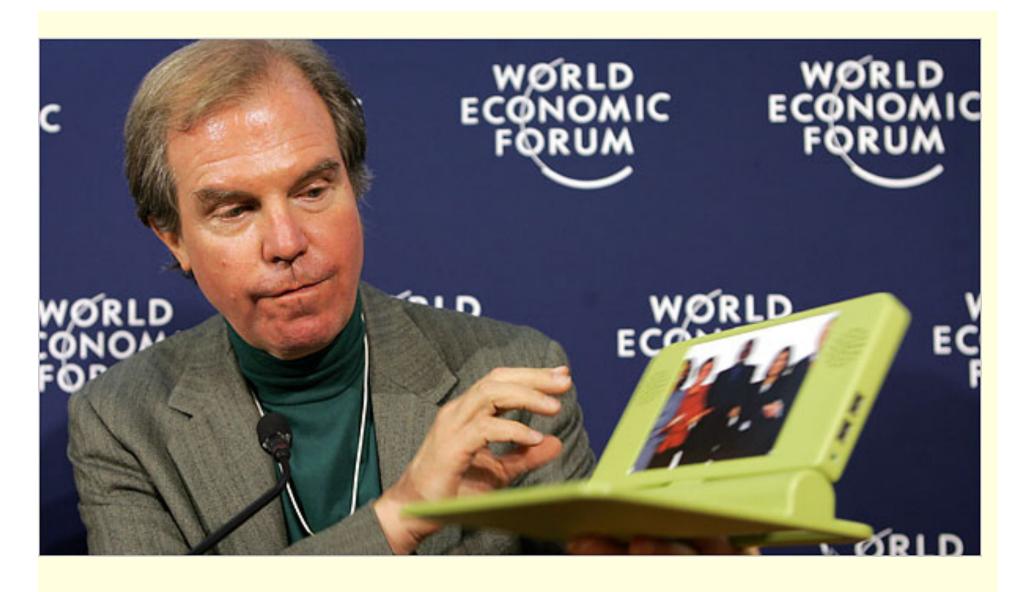
...but they need to be **EMBEDDED IN A FRAMEWORK**



"To 'learn learning' through a methodology called "constructivism" in which the learners construct new knowledge from their experiences" *Nicholas Negroponte*



The OLPC XO-1 laptop



Launch at Davos 2005

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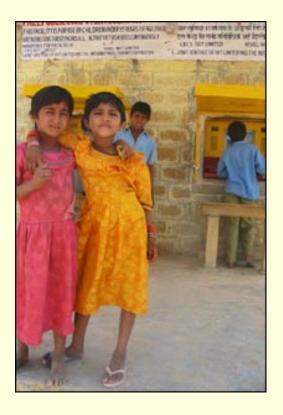


Sugata Mitra

The Slumdog Professor





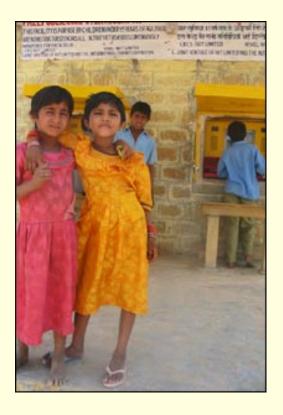






Hole in the Wall









Minimally invasive education

Research Programme

- What are they doing?
- What are they learning?
- What is the impact on schooling?



• Learning happens in groups



- Learning occurs in stages
- Getting started a challenge



- Group membership changes constantly
 - Everyone an expert



- Develops intellectual maturity
 - Does not help rote learning
- Parents & communities like it



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Cheap tablets are a major advance



a career today???



Canadian International Development Agency





Aid as percentage of Gross National Income

Country	Aid as % of GNI	Country	Aid as % of GNI
Australia (*)	0.25	Japan (*)	0.28
Austria	0.52	Luxembourg	0.87
Belgium	0.53	Netherlands	0.82
Canada (*)	0.34	New Zealand	0.27
Denmark	0.81	Norway	0.93
Finland	0.47	Portugal	0.21
France	0.47	Spain	0.29
Germany	0.35	Sweden	0.92
Greece	0.24	Switzerland (*)	0.44
Ireland	0.41	United Kingdom	0.48
Italy	0.29	United States (*)	0.22

~2005

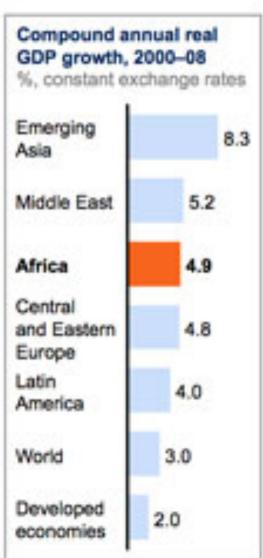
The high-water mark for the impact of international development agencies?



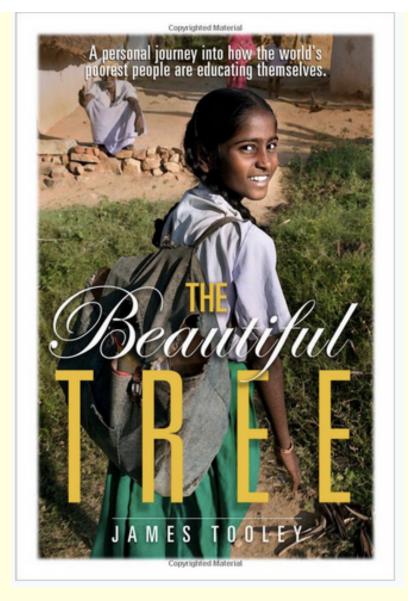


Africa's economic growth accelerated after 2000, making it the world's third-fastest growing region





SOURCE: International Monetary Fund; World Bank World Development Indicators; McKinsey Global Institute



"A personal journey into how the world's poorest people are educating themselves"

THANK YOU

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