



# Young People



## Africa's Sick of Engineers

*«The African continent lacks four million engineers in the fields of food, water and waste management»*

Foundation for Capacity Building in Africa







**Why ? Lack of image and low remuneration of scientists and engineers**



**And challenges are not  
only among technicians**





**We aim for this  
representation of  
political dialogue**





**Encourage youth to take actions outside the traditional processes (disruptive youth) ... bringing innovation and creativity ... working with passion ... with judicious tools at all levels (influential youth)**





**GPW Hypothesis: By establishing new and supporting existing networks of young water professionals and enhancing their skills, the GPW attracts young talent to the water sector and contributes to building a stimulating environment in which they can flourish, kept in the sector and become future agents of change**





### **The GPW will:**

- **Develop influential networks and enhance the capacity & skills of young and future leaders by establishing and supporting CoP of young professionals**
- **Support youth-led initiatives and continued education on water issues worldwide**