

List of 2012 Young Global Leaders Honourees

As of 6 March 2012

East Asia

Australia	Kate Ellis	Minister for Employment Participation and Childcare and Minister for the Status of Women of Australia	
Australia	Lisa MacCallum Carter	Managing Director, Access to Sport	Nike Inc.
Australia	Amanda McCluskey	Head of Responsible Investment	Colonial First State Global Asset Management
Australia	Kathleen Reen	Vice-President for Asia, Environment and New Media	Internews
Hong Kong SAR	Adrian Cheng	Executive Director	New World Development
Hong Kong SAR	Francis Ngai	Founder and Chief Executive Officer	Social Ventures Hong Kong
Indonesia	Aldi Haryoprato	Co-Founder	Ruma Inc.
Indonesia	Ananda Siregar	Founder	Blitz Megaplex, Global Entrepreneurship Program
Japan	Kentaro Iemoto	President and Chief Executive Officer	Clara Online Inc.
Japan	Mitsuru Izumo	President	Euglena Co. Ltd
Japan	Drue Kataoka	Artist	
Japan	Lin Kobayashi	Executive Director	Foundation for International School of Asia, Karuizawa
Japan	Junya Kondo	Chief Executive Officer	Hatena Co. Ltd
Japan	Toshihiro Nakamura	Co-Founder and Chief Executive Officer	Kopernik
Japan	Akimitsu Sano	Chief Executive Officer	Cookpad

Japan	Kunihiko Shimada	Special Adviser to the Minister of Environment of Japan	
Japan	Shokei Suda	Co-Chief Executive Officer	Enigmo Inc.
Japan	Satoru Yamamoto	Head, Planning Section, Product Planning Department	Daiwa Securities Co. Ltd
Malaysia	Nurul Izzah Anwar	Member of the Malaysian Parliament and Vice President of the Parti Keadilan Rakyat	
Malaysia	Steven Sim Chee Keong	City Councillor	Province Wellesley Municipal Council
New Zealand	Privahini Bradoo	Chief Executive Officer and Co-Founder	BioMine
People's Republic of China	Liu Jiachen	Secretary-General	All-China Youth Federation
People's Republic of China	Lo Sze Ping	Executive Director	Greenovation Hub
People's Republic of China	Ning Tian	Chief Executive Officer	Zhejiang Panshi Information Technology Co. Ltd
People's Republic of China	Yuan Yuan Tan	Principal Dancer	San Francisco Ballet
People's Republic of China	Tian Wei	TV Host	China Central TV (CCTV)
People's Republic of China	Shuo Wang	Managing Editor	Caixin Media
People's Republic of China	Nick Yang Ning	Vice-Chairman of the Board	KongZhong Corporation
Philippines	Analisa Balares	Chief Executive Officer and Founder	Womensphere
Philippines	Diosdado Rey Banatao	Co-Founder, Chief Scientific Officer	Entropy Resins Inc.
Philippines	Benedict Carandang	Co-Founder and Managing Director	Tuldok Animation Studios Inc.

Philippines	Reese Fernandez	President and Founding Partner	Rags2Riches
Republic of Korea	Kim Hana	Administrative Pastor	Myung Sung Presbyterian Church
Singapore	Lutfey Siddiqi	Adjunct Professor	Risk Management Institute, National University of Singapore
Singapore	Tan Yinglan	Head	National Research Foundation, Projects Division, Office of the Prime Minister
Singapore	Victor Tong Joo Chuan	Research Manager	SAP Research
Singapore	Kwong Weng Yap	Secretary-General	United Nations Association of Singapore (UNAS)
Vietnam	Tuan Pham	Founder and Chief Executive Officer	TOPICA Education Group

South Asia

Afghanistan	Rangina Hamidi	Founder and President	Kandahar Treasures
India	Subhashini Chandran	Group Chief Executive Officer and Managing Director (Tea Estates India Limited)	Woodbriar Group - Tea Estates India Limited (TEIL)
India	Vandana Goyal	Chief Executive Officer	Akanksha Foundation
India	Binoy Job	Director and Official Spokesperson for the Prime Minister of India	
India	Alok Kshirsagar	Director	McKinsey and Company
India	Adarsh Kumar	Chief Executive Officer	Livelihoods Equity Connect (LEC)
India	Sendhil Mullainathan	Professor, Economics	Harvard University
India	Ashwin Naik	Founder	Vaatsalya
India	Sanjiv Rai	Founder and Chairperson	ARE Technologies

India	Chhavi Rajawat	Sarpanch of Soda	Municipal Government of Soda
India	Rajamanohar Somasundaram	Founder and Managing Director	Hexolabs
India	V. R. Ferose	Managing Director	SAP Labs India
Maldives	Fathimath Dhiyana Saeed	Secretary-General	South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation (SAARC)
Pakistan	Fatima Bhutto	Author and Poet	
Pakistan	Shahzada Dawood	Director	Dawood Hercules Chemicals Limited
Pakistan	Nauman Khan	Managing Director	Almoiz Industries
Pakistan	Fasi Zaka	Radio Host and Columnist	MTV Pakistan
Sri Lanka	Asanga Abeyagoonasekera	Executive Director	Lakshman Kadirgamar Institute for International Relations and Strategic Studies (LKIIRSS)
Sri Lanka	Dhananjayan Sriskandarajah	Director	The Royal Commonwealth Society (RCS)
Europe			
Bulgaria	Yana Buhner Tavanier	Campaign Director	Bulgarian Helsinki Committee
Bulgaria	Petia Dimitrova	Executive Director, Deputy Chairperson of the Management Board	Eurobank EFG Bulgaria (Postbank)
Denmark	Soulaima Gourani	Chief Executive Officer	Soulaima Gourani ApS
Denmark	H.R.H. Mary Elizabeth of Denmark	Founder	The Mary Foundation, H.K.H. Kronprinsesse Marys Fond

France	Christel Heydemann	Executive Vice-President, Human Resources and Transformation	Alcatel-Lucent
France	Sandrine Joseph	Communication Adviser	Orange France
France	JR	Artist	
France	Nabila Ramdani	Freelance Journalist	
Georgia	Vera Koalia	Minister of Economy and Sustainable Development of Georgia	
Germany	Daniel Bahr	Federal Minister of Health of Germany	
Germany	Franz Koch	Chief Executive Officer	PUMA
Germany	Dirk Nowitzki	Basketball Player	
Germany	Andrea Stürmer	Strategic Assistant to Group Chief Executive Officer	Zurich Financial Services
Germany	Christian Hans Wessels	Partner	Roland Berger Strategy Consultants
Hungary	Agnes Osztolykan	Member of Parliament of the National Assembly of Hungary	
Ireland	Niall Dunne	Chief Sustainability Officer	BT
Italy	Angela Morelli	Information Designer	
Italy	Matteo Renzi	Mayor of the City of Florence	
Netherlands	Claire Boonstra	Co-Founder	Layar
Poland	Michal Krupinski	Head of Global Banking and Markets Unit	Bank of America Merrill Lynch
Portugal	Alexis Bonte	Co-Founder and Chief Executive Officer	eRepublik.com
Romania	Victor Ponta	Member of the Parliament of Romania	



Russian Federation	Nikolay Dobrovolskiy	Vice-President, Product Development	Parallels Inc.
Russian Federation	Denis Morozov	Board Member and Executive Director for Russia, Belarus and Tajikistan	European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD)
Russian Federation	Roland Nash	Chief Investment Strategist	Verno Capital
Slovakia	Martin Bruncko	Plenipotentiary for Knowledge Economy	Government of the Slovak Republic
Spain	Alvaro Fernandez	Chief Executive Officer and Co-Founder	SharpBrains
Spain	Eduardo Madina	Member Parliament of Spain	
Sweden	Birgitta Ohlsson	Minister for European Union Affairs of Sweden	
Switzerland	Pasha Bakhtiar	Managing Partner	Willowtree
Switzerland	Jem Bendell	Founder and Director	Lifeworth
Switzerland	Natalie Rickli	National Deputy of the National Council of Switzerland	
United Kingdom	Maggie Berry	Founder and Director	Women in Technology
United Kingdom	Jane Burston	Head of the Centre for Carbon Measurement	National Physical Laboratory
United Kingdom	Danny Cohen	Controller	BBC One
United Kingdom	Tara Comonte	Global Chief Financial Officer	McCann Worldgroup
United Kingdom	Brendan Cox	Director of Advocacy and Policy	Save the Children
United Kingdom	Rajeeb Dey	Chief Executive Officer	Enternships.com
United Kingdom	Sam Gregory	Program Director	Witness
United Kingdom	Tom Hulme	Design Director and Associate Partner	IDEO London

United Kingdom	Martha Lane Fox	UK Digital Champion appointed by the Government of the United Kingdom	Go On UK
United Kingdom	Tim Levene	Managing Partner and Founder	Augmentum Capital
United Kingdom	Rain Newton-Smith	Head, Emerging Markets	Oxford Economics
United Kingdom	Ian Pearman	Chief Executive Officer	Abbott Mead Vickers BBDO
United Kingdom	Robyn Scott	Chief Executive Officer and Co-Founder	OneLeap
United Kingdom	Kresse Wesling	Co-Founder and Director	Elvis & Kresse

Middle East and North Africa

Egypt	Wael Ghonim	Middle East and North Africa Marketing Manager	Google
Egypt	Ayman Ismail	Co-Founder and Managing Partner	Enovio
Israel	Eli Beer	Founder and President	United Hatzalah of Israel
Israel	Jonathan Adiri	Strategic Initiatives	Better Place Inc.
Jordan	Lama Hourani	Founder and Creator	Lama Hourani Creations
Jordan	Dina Shoman	Executive Vice-President, Branding	Arab Bank
Morocco	Mbarka Bouaida	Chair of the Committee, Foreign Affairs, National Defence and Religious Affairs of the Moroccan Parliament	
Palestinian Territories	Suheir Hammad	Poet	

Palestinian Territories	Nisreen Shahin	Executive Director	Rawabi Foundation
Tunisia	Slim Amanou	Chief Executive Officer	Alixsys
United Arab Emirates	Sultan Ahmed Jaber	Chief Executive Officer	MASDAR - Abu Dhabi Future Energy Company
United Arab Emirates	Sami Khoreibi	Chief Executive Officer	Enviromena
United Arab Emirates	Dalia Mogahed	Executive Director and Senior Analyst	Gallup Center for Muslim Studies
United Arab Emirates	Ohood Al Roumi	Director-General	Office of the Prime Minister of the United Arab Emirates
Yemen	Hilal Lashuel	Director, Laboratory of Molecular Neurobiology and Neuroproteomics	EPFL SV BMI

Sub-Saharan Africa

Botswana	Olebile Makhupe	Head of WholeSale Banking, Africa China Trade Corridor	Standard Chartered Bank
Ghana	Kimathi Kuenyehia	Managing Partner	Kimathi & Partners, Corporate Attorneys
Ghana	Bright Simons	President	MPedigree Network
Ghana	Fred Swaniker	Co-Founder and Chief Executive Office	African Leadership Academy
Kenya	Isis Nyong'o	Vice-President and Managing Director	InMobi
Nigeria	Biola Alabi	Managing Director	MNET Africa
Nigeria	Akudo Anyanwu-Ikemba	Chief Executive Officer and Founder	Friends Africa
Nigeria	Simon Kolawole	Editor	Thisday
Rwanda	Clare Akamanzi	Chief Operating Officer	Rwanda Development Board (RDB)



Senegal	Amadou Hott	Chief Executive Officer	Afribridge Capital
South Africa	Oya-Hazel Gumede	Director	Ashira Legal Advisors
South Africa	Sisonke Msimang	Executive Director	Open Society Initiative for Southern Africa
South Africa	Jasandra Nyker	Chief Executive Officer	BioTherm Energy
Sudan	Emmanuel Jal	Singer and Activist	
Tanzania	Mohammed Dewji	Group Managing Director	Mohammed Enterprises Ltd
Togo	Cina Lawson	Minister of Posts and Telecommunications of the Republic of Togo	
Uganda	Ashish Thakkar	Managing Director	Mara Group
Zimbabwe	Vimbayi Kajese	Anchor	CCTV9

North America

Canada	Kaliya Hamlin	Executive Director	Personal Data Ecosystem
Canada	George Stroumboulopoulos	Broadcaster	Canadian Broadcasting Corporation
Canada	Tim Wu	Senior Advisor	Federal Trade Commission
USA	Huma Abedin	Deputy Chief of Staff	US Department of State
USA	Lena Janel Bansal	President and Chief Executive Officer	LB Transportation Consulting Inc.
USA	Neil Blumenthal	Co-Founder and Co-Chief Executive Officer	Warby Parker
USA	David Boehmer	Sector Leader, Consumer and Commercial Finance	Heidrick and Struggles
USA	Binta Niambi Brown	Partner	Kirkland & Ellis LLP
USA	David Callaway	Emergency Room Doctor	Carolinas Medical Center
USA	Candy Chang	Artist and Co-Founder	Civic Center

USA	Jane Chen	Co-Founder, Chief Executive Officer	Embrace
USA	Eunice Nuekie Cofie	President, Chief Executive Officer and Chief Cosmetic Chemist	Nuekie Inc.
USA	Cesar Conde	President	Univision Networks
USA	Joshua DuBois	Executive Director	White House Office of Faith-based and Neighborhood Partnerships
USA	Suzanne Ehlers	President and Chief Executive Officer	Population Action International
USA	David Fischer	Vice President, Business and Marketing Partnerships	Facebook Inc.
USA	Dave Hanley	Chief Executive Officer	Banyan Branch
USA	Scott Harrison	Founder	charity: water
USA	Brian Herlihy	Chief Executive Officer and Founder	Seacom
USA	Ken Howery	Co-Founder and Partner	Founders Fund
USA	Josh James	Founder and Chief Executive Officer	Domo Inc.
USA	Valerie Keller	Chief Executive Officer	Veritas
USA	Salman Khan	Founder and Executive Director	Khan Academy
USA	John Legend	Founder	The Show Me Campaign
USA	Jonathan Levin	Professor of Economics	Stanford University
USA	Lynn Loo	Professor, Chemical and Biological Engineering	Princeton University
USA	Adam Lowry	Chief Executive Officer	Method Product Inc.
USA	Greg McKeown	Chief Executive Officer	THIS Inc.
USA	Aimee Mullins	Athlete, Actress and Design Innovator	

USA	Kristin Groos Richmond	Co-Founder and Chief Executive Officer	Revolution Foods
USA	Pardis Sabeti	Assistant Professor	Harvard FAS Center for Systems Biology
USA	Rebecca Saxe	Professor, Brain and Cognitive Science	Massachusetts Institute of Technology
USA	Lara Setrakian	Correspondent	ABC News-Bloomberg Television
USA	Ian Solomon	United States Executive Director	The World Bank
USA	Rachel Sterne	Chief Digital Officer	City of New York
USA	JB Straubel	Co-Founder and Chief Technical Officer	Tesla Motors
USA	Jeff Zeleny	White House Correspondent	New York Times

Latin America and the Caribbean

Argentina	Laura Alonso	National Representative of the Argentinean Congress	
Argentina	Facundo Garreton	Chief Executive Officer	Invertir Online
Argentina	Rebeca Hwang	Co-founder	YouNoodle.com
Brazil	Samuel Elia	Director	Fidelidade Empreendimentos e Participacoes
Brazil	David Hertz	President and Director	Associação Gastromotiva
Brazil	Renato D. Lopes	Executive Director and Co-Founder	Brazilian Clinical Research Institute
Brazil	Denis B. Minev	Chief Financial Officer	BEMOL/FOGAS
Brazil	Vanessa Vilela	Founder	Kapeh
Chile	Felipe Kast	Minister of Planning of Chile	
Ecuador	Carlos Moncayo Castillo	Chief Executive Officer	Asiam Business Group



El Salvador	Diego De Sola	Chief Executive Officer	Inversiones Bolivar
Mexico	Gina Badenoch	Founder and Chief Executive Officer	Ojos que Sienten
Mexico	Santiago Cosio Pando	Member of the Board	America Movil
Mexico	Emilio Lozoya-Austin	Co-Founder and Executive Board Member	JF Holding
Nicaragua	Maria Nelly Rivas	Assistant Resident Representative - Programme	United Nations Development Programme
Panama	Carolina Freire	National Director, Health Promotion	Ministry of Health, Government of Panama
Puerto Rico	Georgie Bernadete	Managing Director	Multicultural Capital
Venezuela	Henrique Capriles Radonski	Governor of the state of Miranda	
Venezuela	Maickel Melamed	Speaker	

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