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**Most Influential People of African Descent  
(MIPAD) in support of the UN International  
Decade for People of African Descent (UN IDPAD)**

Present:

**RECOGNITION WEEK**

*Celebrating EXCELLENCE*

*Following the opening of the 73<sup>rd</sup> UN General Assembly*

*September 28<sup>th</sup> – Oct 4<sup>th</sup> 2018*

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Date	Recognition Week Events Provisional Schedule: September 28, 2018	Time	Location
Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> September	<p><b>WELCOME RECEPTION AFRICA &amp; DIASPORA ROUNDTABLE</b></p> <p>Panel Discussions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Africa's Role International Decade for People of African Descent</li> <li>- Intra African Trade, Business and Investment Opportunities</li> </ul>	5:00–8:00 pm  Strictly By Invitation	AU Permanent Mission to UN 305 East 47th Street  <a href="#">FREE ADMISSION with RSVP</a>
Saturday 29 <sup>th</sup> September	<p><b>INTRA AFRICAN-TRADE FAIR (IATF) AMBASSADORS ENGAGEMENT DAY &amp; EXCLUSIVE TOURS IN NEW YORK CITY</b> – <a href="#">Global Citizen Festival</a>, Wall Street, Harlem, The Africa Center etc.</p> <p><b>Win a FREE trip to Cairo, Dec 11-17, 2018 for <a href="#">IATF</a></b></p>	All Day	Various Locations New York City
Sunday 30 <sup>th</sup> September	<p><b>DISCOVERING EXCELLENCE</b> Intensive Leadership Training</p> <p>Designed exclusively for the MIPAD Class of 2018 to develop leadership tools and awareness that will support you in maximizing your personal and professional accomplishments to become true icons of excellence. This highly experiential workshop will be delivered by a team of incredibly talented, thoughtful and accomplished trainers at Momentum Education.</p>	9am – 5pm	One UN Millennium Hilton Hotel, 1 United Nations Plaza, New York, NY
Monday 1 <sup>st</sup> October		9am – 5pm	
Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> October		<p><b>Welcome &amp; Introduction</b> Kamil Olufowobi, CEO, Most Influential 100 Robinson Lynn, Executive Director, Momentum Education</p>	
Wednesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> October	<p><b>RECOGNITION &amp; AWARDS</b> <b>RECOGNITION . JUSTICE . DEVELOPMENT</b></p> <p><b>Honoring Class of 2018 Most Influential 100, Under 40</b> <b>Guest Speaker:</b> Craig Mokhiber, UN Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights <b>Keynote Speaker:</b> Dr. Djibril Diallo, Coordinator, United Nations Senior Africans Group <b>Lifetime Achievement Awards for RECOGNITION:</b> Kofi Atta Annan Family &amp; Foundation <b>Lifetime Achievement Awards for JUSTICE:</b> Bryan Stevenson &amp; Equal Justice Initiative (EJI) <b>Lifetime Achievement Awards for DEVELOPMENT:</b> Dr. Benedict Oramah &amp; Afreximbank <b>Valedictory Speech, Class of 2018:</b> H.E. Mrs. Fatima Jabbe-Bio, First Lady of Sierra Leone <b>Hall of Fame Awards:</b> Outstanding MIPADians Class of 2017 &amp; 2018 <b>Major Announcements:</b> <a href="#">TechSOLVES.org</a>, Roots Project, Class of 2019</p> <p><b>BLACK PANTHER MOVIE</b> In the context of UN International Decade for People of African Descent. Q&amp;A with Special Guests</p> <p><b>After Party, 40/40 Club</b></p>	2:00 pm Red Carpet  Strictly By Invitation	One UN Millennium Hilton Hotel, Diplomat Ballroom, 1 United Nations Plaza, New York, NY
		6 – 9 pm	United Nations HQ, New York City
		10pm	6 W 25th St, NYC
Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> October	<p><b>UNITED NATIONS TOUR &amp; LUNCH</b> Exclusive Tour of UN and Lunch for Class of 2018</p>	12 – 2 pm Lunch	United Nations HQ, New York City