The Crans Montana African Women’s Forum
is dedicated to the Memory of President Nelson Mandela
With him, we continue to build
a more Humane World
The Crans Montana Forum

The Crans Montana Forum is an International Organization whose importance and prestige have been well-established since 1986. It is formally recognized by all major International Organizations and works closely with them. The philosophy of the Founding Father lies in its motto:

"Towards a more Humane World"

The Crans Montana Forum works for the promotion of international cooperation and contributes to global growth while ensuring a high level of stability, equity and security. Our aim is also to encourage best practices and ensure a global dialogue.

Each of our Forums organized worldwide (Barcelona, Rabat, Brussels, Baku, Vienna, Geneva, Crans Montana, Bucharest, Zagreb, Sarajevo, Tirana, Athens, Malta, Bahrain, etc.) represents a unique occasion for Business Leaders and Officials to implement their strategies, strengthen relationships with their partners, meet with potential ones and develop new cooperation opportunities.

Thus, the Crans Montana Forum works in close cooperation with institutional partners such as the UN, UNESCO, UNIDO, the European Union, the Council of Europe, OFID, etc. and with major International Groups.
Most importantly, they have not offered a proper platform for the ambition and hopes carried by African Women in the important context of globalization which deeply affects the Continent.

The opinions and ideas of African Women must definitely be taken into account, thus helping to define the major axes and policies that will improve tomorrow’s World.

This is why, the Crans Montana Forum, to better mark its 30th anniversary, has launched a major Initiative: the Crans Montana African Women’s Forum.

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A Fundamentally African Initiative

For Africa, the Crans Montana African Women’s Forum is a place for discussions, exchanges, reflections, and sharing for all women, no matter what are their responsibilities, whether private or public. It is also a laboratory in which means of taking action is discussed, evaluated, and defined.

This involves giving African women the floor and making their voices heard on all major topics, both present and future, that affect modern African society, allowing women to claim ownership of the essential role that they shall play in the extraordinary progress Africa is currently experiencing.

An African Initiative Open to the World

The Crans Montana African Women’s Forum also offers a unique and privileged opportunity for women – and men – from around the world to discover the reality of African society, while taking advantage from a perspective that has not yet been highlighted or valued in the process of analyzing and determining strategies.

When dealing with any issue related to Africa, conceptual ideas about Women not only supplement those about Men but – and it has become an obvious fact – they also have to be closely associated with them.
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You can become a Crans Montana African Women’s Forum Partner and enhance your image and consolidate your implantation on the African continent by being associated with this Organization and its events.

You will also strengthen your network with strategic partners and key decision makers from Governments and the business sector coming from Africa and all over the world.

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN PARTNERING WITH THE CRANS MONTANA AFRICAN WOMEN’S FORUM, PLEASE CONTACT US AT INFO@MONTANA30.ORG
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“Each Meeting of the African Women’s Forum’s gathers women and men who are actual decision makers”