

2016-17 RUDD FAMILY FOUNDATION
BIG IDEAS CONTEST



FINANCIAL INCLUSION

Propose innovations that either address unmet needs of the financially underserved, or help extend existing services to low-income populations.



FOOD SYSTEMS

Address challenges confronting global food systems and develop solutions around food security, sustainability, access, waste and nutrition.



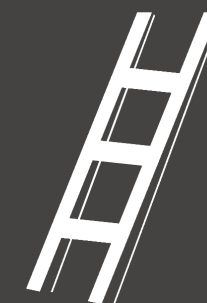
GLOBAL HEALTH

Develop an action-oriented, interdisciplinary project that would help alleviate a global health concern among low-resource communities.



HARDWARE FOR GOOD

Describe plans to develop an innovative hardware technology or design a technology-led solution that uses an existing hardware/product in a novel way.



SCALING UP BIG IDEAS

For previous Big Ideas award winners who have advanced their ideas, and are looking to take their projects to the next level.

These 5 categories are open to all students at campuses across USAID's Higher Education Solutions Network (HESN), including:

- College of William & Mary
- Duke University
- MIT
- Michigan State University
- Texas A&M
- UC Berkeley
- Makerere University

Online Info Sessions
bit.do/ideaslive
 Sep 7 6:00pm PT
 Sep 27 6:00pm PT
 Oct 12 3:00pm PT

Big Ideas is an innovation contest that provides funding, support, and encouragement to interdisciplinary teams of students who have 'Big Ideas' to address pressing social challenges. Pre-proposals due November 16th, 2016.

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