

# 700,000 CHILDREN AND YOUTH REACHED

#### **IN 45 CANADIAN COMMUNITIES**

ensuring our schools and communities are more inclusive, more welcoming and safer.

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### MORE THAN 1,000 TRAININGS

helping people and communities be empowered to come together and build peaceful environments free of discrimination. 50 YEARS OF HUMAN RIGHTS EDUCATION





## OVER 3.2 MILLION PEOPLE WORLDWIDE

sensitized about human rights norms & values, laying a foundation for building more equitable societies.

**MORE THAN 5,000** 

**HUMAN RIGHTS** 

DEFENDERS

TRAINED

human rights leaders.

FROM OVER 140 COUNTRIES

making the Equitas network one of the largest global communities of

There was a time in Africa when people said that human rights were not made for our continent, because they are imported concepts. But when we talk to people about respect, freedom and human dignity, they understand that these rights should also apply here and for everyone.

We have to do better. not only for one another out of a basic sense of humanity, but we also have to do better because if we don't, nobody else will.



**ALAA MURABIT** Igniting the Spark for Women's Leadership and **Engagement in Libya and around the Globe** 

#### FOR 50 YEARS EQUITAS HAS HELPED HUMAN RIGHTS LEADERS **CHANGE LIVES AROUND THE WORLD.**

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**CATHERINE MOTO-ZEH** Ending child marriage in Cameroon through education

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Indigenous people should have access to education that reflects their realities and their culture and non-Indigenous people must also be educated about Indigenous issues

WIDIA LARIVIERE Working for Indigenous youth engagement & participation in Canada

Children's rights affect everyone. I wanted to find ways of reinforcing the positive values and fundamental principles of human dignity that allow all youth to be the best they can be.

> TOM HIGASHIO **Teaching Human Rights to kids** in Vancouver

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I want to help the women see things differently, to know their rights and understand their potential.

**AGINATHA RUTAZAA Empower Marginalized Women in Tanzania** 

**FF** Human rights are not a buffet where you can choose what you like and leave what you don't. It's a package, a whole.

> **CHARLOT JEUDY Defending LGBTI rights in Haiti**