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## PROGRAM

### Accelerating Innovation – Empowering Women and Girls

Wednesday, 21 September 2016, 7.45 - 9.45 AM  
South Dining Room, 4<sup>th</sup> floor, UNHQ, New York

**7.45 | Arrival and Breakfast Buffet**

**8.00 | Opening and Remarks by High Level Speakers**

Mr. Kai Mykkänen, Minister for Foreign Trade and Development, Finland  
Mr. Augustine Mahiga, Minister for Foreign Affairs and East African Cooperation, Tanzania  
Ms. Phumzile Mlambo-Ngcuka, Executive Director, UN-Women  
Mr. Omar Abdi, Deputy Executive Director, UNICEF

**Interactive Panel Discussion**

Ms. Njideka Harry, President and CEO, Youth for Technology Foundation  
Ms. Doreen Kessy, COO, Ubongo Kids  
Ms. Marianne Vikkula, CEO, SLUSH  
Ms. Wanjiru Waweru Waithaka, Founder and CEO, Funkidz

**Q&A**

**9.40 | Closing Remarks**

Moderated by **Chris Fabian, UNICEF**