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What? A	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Loans for gifted, but underprivileged university students in Kenya Merit-based allocation with enforced gender/ethnicity-mix No collateral required (apart from intelligence and will to succeed!) Interest rate approx 5% above annual inflation
Why? B A	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Student Loans , except for basic government programs, do not exist in Kenya While underprivileged high school children get supported through several NGOs, their is no continuing support at university
How?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Leads through NGOs that support gifted children at high-schools Online application for loans Personal interviews of selected applicants
Products?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Student loans for studying timeframes of 1 to 5 years Pay-back period equal to studying period Student needs approx US\$ 1000 p.a. for living and university fees
Status?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 65 student loans outstanding (2018: 8, 2019: 57) Budget 2020: 120 new student loans Local management – Swiss founders Not-for-profit Kenyan entity owned by tax-exempt Swiss NGO
Partners?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Local: Aiducation, Kesho, KEF, DAYO International: Rotary Club Switzerland, anonymous NGOs
What does SDG stand for?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> SDG 4: Quality Education SDG 5: Gender Equality SDG 8: Decent Work and Economic Growth SDG 10: Reduced Inequalities
Beliefs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Educated citizens are the key to success Good programs are sustainable and measurable Lasting impact requires private initiative
Strategic Goals!	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Self-sustainable organization after set-up period Local private commitment to take over / support Uniport Kenya



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