THE WINNERS OF THE 2017 EDITION AFRICAN ENTREPRENEURSHIP AWARD

On December 2017 the Bank of Africa (BMCE) has announced the 12 winners from 9 African countries for the African Entrepreneurship Award 2017. The 12 winners shared an envelope of 1 million dollars.

The awards recognized the most impactful sustainable projects in the following three categories: education

(positively impact education in Africa); environment (positively impact the environment in Africa) and unchartered fields (a high-impact business venturing into unexplored territory or untested markets).

Information about the <u>12 winners of the AEA 2017 edition</u> coming from Cameroun, Ghana, Kenya, Rwanda, Morocco, Nigeria, South Africa, Tanzania, Uganda, and a short presentation of the winning projects is available in the African Entrepreneurship Awards website.

The 12 winners were part of the 40 finalists from 19 countries. Information about the <u>projects presented by the 40 finalists</u> is also available in the *AEA* website and shows the great potential expressed by the young participating companies to find innovative solutions to the main problems of socio-economic and environmental development.

The African Entrepreneurship Award was established by the BMCE Bank of Africa during the *Global Entrepreneurship Summit*, held in Marrakech in 2014. In 2017 the African Entrepreneurship Award reached its third year with more than 12,000 project proposals from 132 countries, including all the 54 African countries. More than 112 entrepreneurs have been coached and mentored by the initiative.

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