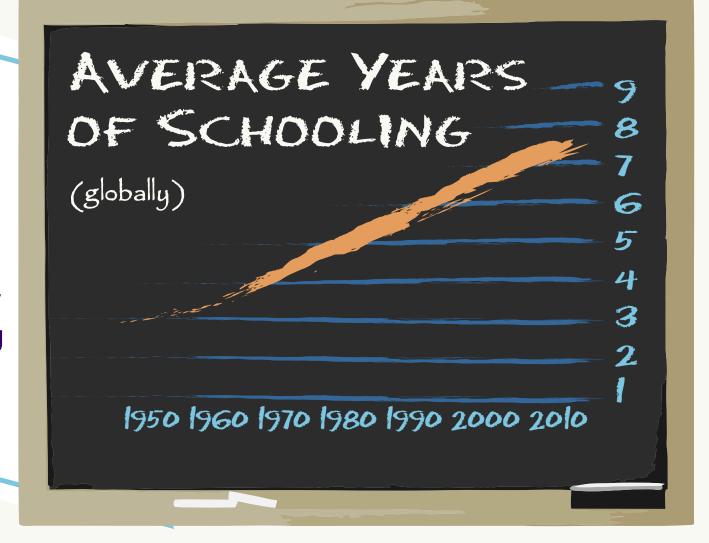


To understand the picture of global higher education and preparing the next generation of leaders, let's start by looking at how growth is occurring globally.1



THE MOST TO GAIN

AFRICA HAS

Now let's look at educational achievement by region: Sub-Saharan Africa lags behind the rest of the world in educational attainment, especially in percentage of college completion. 1 % of College Completion

Years of Education

LATIN ARNERICA

CASIBBEAN

(age 15 and over)

MAIDDLE EAST NORTH AFRICA

> SUB-SAHARA AFIRICA

> > 25

PRE 1940-1990-

1940 1989 2009

EUROPE

1940-1990-



110

CHRISTIAN HIGHER EDUCATION So how is Christian higher education

THE RESPONSE OF

responding to the global opportunity for growth, as they prepare leaders for the next generation? The number of new Christian higher education institutions has been growing faster in Africa than other areas of the world in the past 20 years.²

28 15 1990-1940-1940 1989 2009 LATIN AMERICA

1940-1990-1940 1989 2009 NE ASIA 43 22 1940-1990-1940-1990-PRE 1940 1989 2009 1940 1989 2009 SOUTH ASIA SE ASIA 3

1940

43

6

1940-1990-

1989 2009

OCEANIA

NE ASIA

8.1%

6,891,987

561,181

397,243

ROOM FOR GROWTH Even with the recent growth of Christian higher

AFRICA: THERE IS TREMENDOUS

education institutions in Africa, the total number of students in Christian colleges is small. Some countries in Africa have high proportions of Christian college students - Kenya, Uganda, D.R. Congo and Angola have 10-15% of students in Christian institutions.³ Students in Christian Higher Ed Institutions Total # of Students

1,036,571

AMERICA 16,880,828 6.1%

LATIN

1.3% (Lebanon Only) MAIDDLE EAST 25,749 190,530 13.5% 19,241,123 AFRICA

3.5%

3,728,103

26,537,514

EUROPE

SOUTH 269,584 SE ASIA ASIA 8,289,295 1.4%

130,553

355,515

29,909 OCEANIA 1,010,750

4.8%

There continues to be great opportunity for the growth of Christian higher

education in Africa as currently only 2% of

FUTURE

GROWTH

the African university enrollment age cohort is enrolled in higher education.³ % of Eligible Age Enrolled in Higher Education

USA

AFRICA

INDIA

WORLDWIDE

20%

SOUTH KOREA

Pray for the Future of Christian Higher Education in Africa as they prepare the next generation of

Christian leaders.

PRAY

FUNDING Financing growth in capacity.

FACULTY
Finding enough adequately
prepared faculty members. FOCUS

Pray that the many new Christian colleges in Africa will not fizzle out but will thrive to help their nations.

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