



Bright Light Projects - Cameroon
Graduation Ceremony
CLASS OF DECEMBER 2024

GIRLS SHALL RISE Program

**Women Empowerment and the
Family Centre (WEFC) - Buea**

Vision, Mission and Motto

Vision

"To implement sustainable, community-driven initiatives in sub-Saharan Africa and the United States of America by building partnerships with local organizations, governments, and stakeholders, ensuring inclusive growth and shared prosperity for all"

Mission

" To empower individuals and communities by fostering a future where beneficiaries become self-reliant leaders, contributing positively to their communities, creating lasting impact, and driving meaningful change in their environment."

Vision

Rebuilding Broken Communities



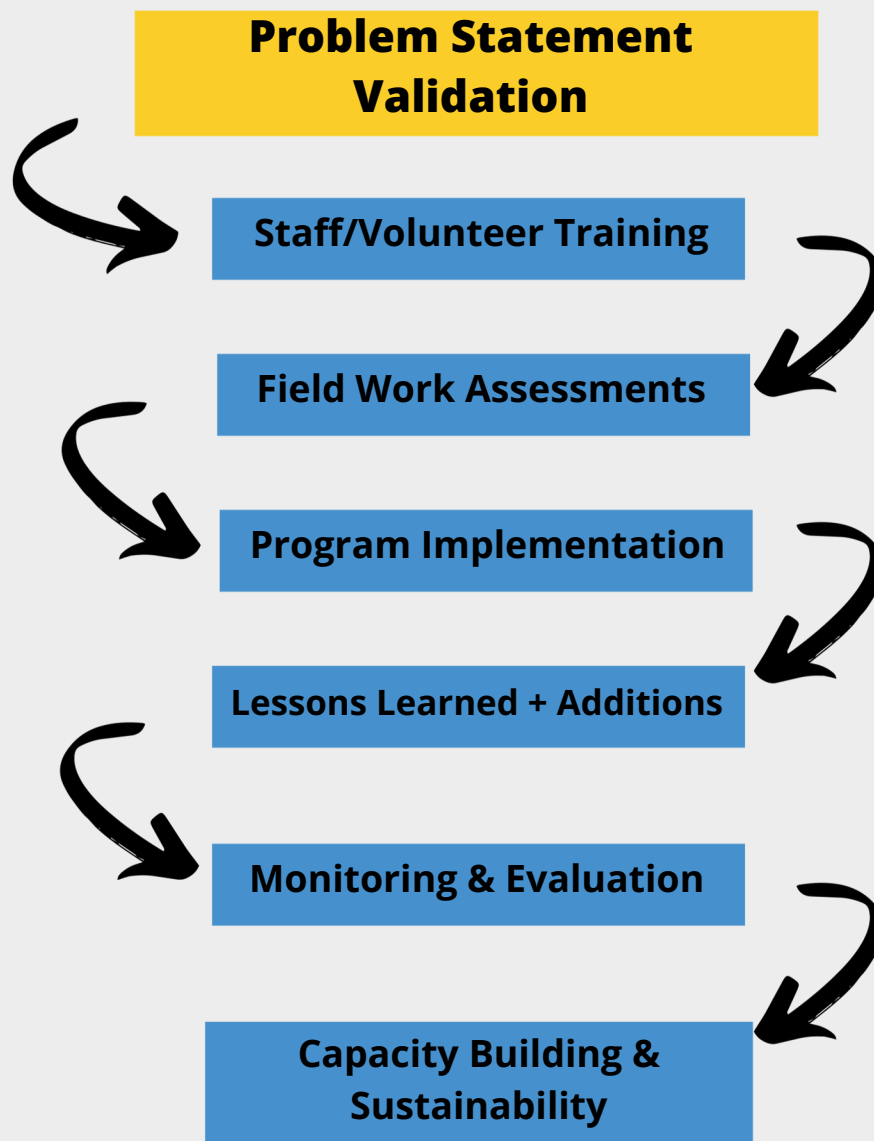
Core Advocacy Areas

BLP supports and conducts non-partisan initiatives aligned with the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) and African Union's Agenda 2063 in the following domains: Skills Development (Vocational & Livelihood Support)

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Gender Equality and Social Inclusion• Human Rights (Disabilities, Women, Children & Youth)• Refugee & Internally Displaced Persons Support (IDPs)• Environmental Sustainability | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Prison Inmate Reintegration• Education (Formal & Informal)• STEM Education• Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) & Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) |
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BLP METHODOLOGY

BLP Methodology is built on the simple premise of direct support and contact with our beneficiaries, with constant evaluation and monitoring, capacity Building with sustainability as the product





BRIGHT LIGHT PROJECTS

BLP PRESENTS GIRLS SHALL RISE PROGRAM GRADUATION



Date: Thursday December 12, 2024



**Venue: At THE WOMENS
EMPOWERMENT CENTRE BUEA,**



Time: 10:00 am to 4:00 pm

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Hotel Catering and Hotel Management

- 1. ETA RITA NSO**
- 2. TEZOCK NOELA TEKWECK**
- 3. LAKISSE CLAUDETTE**

Tailoring and Fashion Designing

- 1. SWIRRI CLEMENTINE NJI**
- 2. TEKE PRESCILIA WACHOR**
- 3. OBASI JACQUCELINE AJE**
- 4. TITATA CHALLENGE NAFENKI**
- 5. TABOT LAURETTA MANYOR**
- 6. AKWA NINEL ANGUM**

Computer

- 1. MANDE FONGANG BRITNEY**
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INDIVIDUAL STORIES



ETA RITA NSO

Hotel Catering and Management

Rita hails from Manyu Division in the South West Region of Cameroon. She was born on the 18th of August 1996 in Mamfe. She attended Nchang College and dropped out in form 4 due to financial challenges. She relocated to Buea after the outbreak of the Anglophone crisis with her daughter.

In Buea, life became very difficult for her given that she was a new environment she wasn't verse with due to this difficult, Rita was willing and determine to empower herself that is when she heard about the program at women's empowerment Centre offered by Bright Light Projects to empower vulnerable young girls. She decided to cease the opportunity to empower herself and after the need assessment by the BLP team in Buea, she was registered and enrolled at the WEFC Buea by BLP. After undergoing the training, she has made herself a seasoned chef and hotel manager and now works with one reputable restaurant in Buea.



INDIVIDUAL STORIES



SWIRRI CLEMENTINE NJI **Tailoring and Fashion Designing**

Clementine is from Mankon, in Mezam Division in the North West Region of Cameroon. She was born on the 10th of December 2002 and had her First School Leaving certificate in Fako Division in the South West Region of Cameroon precisely in Mutengene.

Due to financial limitation, she could not continue school after she finished primary school as a result; she stayed at home doing nothing. She thus came in contact with BLP during one of its routine community need assessment program and Bright Light Projects Cameroon placed her under training and Mentorship in the Women Empowerment and Family Center Buea where she has been able to acquire skill in Tailoring and fashion designing and make herself a seasoned designer





INDIVIDUAL STORIES



TEKE PRESCILIA WACHOR **Tailoring and Fashion Designing**

Prescilia hails from Bwossa village in Buea sub-division, Fako Division, and the southwest region of Cameroon. She was born on the 29th of December 2003 in Muea. She had her First School Leaving Certificate in Bwossa and didn't continue because of financial challenges. She lives with her parents and five other siblings. Life was relatively very difficult for her and her family.

She then learned about the program at Women's Empowerment and Family Centre Buea offered by BLP and decided to empower herself to empower her family. Bright Light Projects Cameroon placed her under training and Mentorship in the Women Empowerment and Family Center Buea, where she has been able to acquire skills in Tailoring and fashion designing and make herself a seasoned designer.



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OBASI JACQUELINE AJE **Tailoring and Fashion Designing**

Jacqueline comes from Manyu Division in the South West Region of Cameroon. She was born in March 2004. She finished primary school and started her secondary school education but was forced to drop out in form due to limited finances aggravated by the Anglophone armed conflict. She later moved to Buea to live with her aunt and help her with her five children.

During one of the BLP routine need assessment programs, she was informed about the empowerment program at the Women Empowerment and Family Centre Buea offered by BLP, in which she was very interested and registered for the program. She then told her aunty, who approved that she be part of the course. Bright Light Projects Cameroon then placed her under training and Mentorship at the Women Empowerment and Family Center Buea, where she has been able to acquire skills in Tailoring and fashion designing and make herself a seasoned designer



INDIVIDUAL STORIES

TEZOCK NOELA TEKWECK

Hotel Catering and Hotel Management Unit



Noela is from Batibo, in the northwest region of Cameroon. She was born on the 26th of December 2001 in Batibo. She started school in Kumba and went to upper sixth, where she wrote advanced level twice but failed. Her parents could no longer afford her school fees, so she relocated to Buea alongside her elder sister, who shelters and takes care of her.

She had always wanted to learn a trade, but the sister could not afford her training. The opportunity came when BLP, during one of its routine need assessment programs, where was informed about the empowerment program at the Women Empowerment and Family Centre in Buea offered by BLP, which she was very interested in and registered for the program. She then told her aunty, who approved that she be part of the course. Bright Light Projects Cameroon then placed her under training and Mentorship at the Women Empowerment and Family Center Buea, where she has been able to acquire skills in Tailoring and fashion designing and make herself a seasoned chef and hotel manager





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TITATA CHALLENGE NAFENKI **Tailoring and Fashion Designing Unit**



Challenge is from Ngoketunjia Division in the North West Region of Cameroon. She was born on the 26th of November 2001 in Babungo. She attended GHS Babungo from Form 1 to Form 5 but stopped because of the Anglophone armed conflict. After some years of idleness in the village, she decided to move to Buea to continue her education but faced challenges due to lack of finances and did not continue school. She has been living in Buea with her aunt and uncle with their two children.

Throughout her stay in Buea, she was not doing anything till she came in contact with BLP during one of its routine need assessment programs, where she was informed about the empowerment program at the Women Empowerment and Family Centre in Buea offered by BLP, which she was very interested and registered for the program. She then told her aunty, who approved that she be part of the course. Bright Light Projects Cameroon then placed her under training and mentorship at the Women Empowerment and Family Center Buea, where she acquired tailoring and fashion designing skills and became a seasoned designer





INDIVIDUAL STORIES

TABOT LAURETTA MANYOR **Tailoring and Fashion Designing Unit**



Lauretta hails from Manyu Division in the South West Region of Cameroon. She was born on the 6th of October 1997; she went through primary school and secondary school and entered university but dropped out in her final year when she became pregnant and limited finances to take care of herself. She lives with her parents and her son in Buea. After the birth of her child, she stayed in the house doing nothing.

According to her, she had always wished to be a designer, and the opportunity came when BLP during one of its routine need assessment programs, where she was informed about the empowerment program at the Women Empowerment and Family Centre in Buea offered by BLP of which she was very interested and registered for the program. She then told her aunty, who approved that she be part of the course. Bright Light Projects Cameroon then placed her under training and mentorship at the Women Empowerment and Family Center Buea, where she has been able to acquire skills in tailoring and fashion design and become a seasoned designer.





INDIVIDUAL STORIES

LAKISSE CLAUDETTE

Catering and Hotel Management Unit

Claudette hails from Mbonge subdivision in the South West Region of Cameroon. She was born on the 6th of September 2003. She ended at the primary level because of lack of finances. Her parents are both farmers and live in Mbonge.

Claudette lives with her grandmother in Buea, and her grandmother was the one who learned about the opportunity that BLP was offering at the Women Empowerment and Family Centre Buea, which, according to her, has always been her dream to be a chef. Bright Light Projects Cameroon then registered her and placed her under training and Mentorship at the Women Empowerment and Family Center Buea, where she has been able to acquire skills in Tailoring and fashion designing and make herself a seasoned





INDIVIDUAL STORIES

AKWA NINEL ANGUM

Tailoring and Fashion Designing Unit



Ninel hails from the North West Region of Cameroon. She was born on the 26th of December 2007 in Batibo subdivision. She attended Inter Comprehensive High School but dropped out in form because of a lack of finances to continue. Ninel lives with her mother at Great Soppo Buea, who happens to be a fish vendor.

Her mother is the one who learned about the opportunity that BLP was offering at the Women Empowerment and the Family Centre Buea, which, according to her, has always been her dream to be a designer. Bright Light Projects Cameroon then registered her and placed her under training and mentorship at the Women Empowerment and the Family Centre Buea, where she acquired skills in Tailoring and Fashion design and became seasoned.





INDIVIDUAL STORIES

MANDE FONGANG BRITNEY **Computer**



Britney comes from the Center Region of Cameroon. She was born on the 9th of September 2005 in Yaounde. Britney attended Shakespeare Bilingual College but dropped out in form due to insufficient finances. She currently lives with her mother at Bonduma, and her mother is a fish vendor.

Her mother learned about the opportunity that BLP was offering at the Women Empowerment and the Family Centre Buea. She informed Britney that she was excited about the program because she has always admired and wanted to work with machines. She declared her interest, and Bright Light Projects Cameroon then registered her and placed her under training and mentorship at the Women Empowerment and the Family Centre Buea, where she has acquired computer skills.



THANK YOU BLP PARTNERS, DONORS, SUPPORTERS AND FRIENDS

Thank you for supporting our vision to promote our beneficiaries to become self-reliant and contribute positively to the development of their communities.



CONGRATULATIONS!



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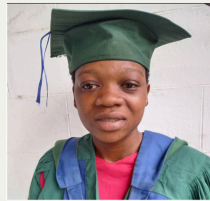
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