



Lina Zdruli represents Albania as a “Young Global Changer” at G20 Think Tank Summit in Germany

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On 29 and 30 May 2017, the world’s leading think tanks gathered in Berlin, Germany. At the G20 Think Tank Summit, they discussed global solutions to the most pressing issues facing our planet. 100 bright young minds from 100 different countries joined this process as “Young Global Changers”. Among them: Lina Zdruli from Albania

Lina Zdruli is currently studying Transatlantic Relations and International Business Diplomacy at Georgetown University. She specialises in using business for social good to help companies mitigate risk, grow and maintain a long-term competitive edge, while improving health, education and workforce. She is currently researching how the private sector is helping refugees find employment and begin to integrate, to develop a set of best practices on how to consolidate this process. She is passionate about using entrepreneurship and business as a tool for development, and has extensive experience in the Middle East, including Palestine, where she helped develop the entrepreneurship ecosystem of a newly-built city (Rawabi). After graduation, she hopes to work in the private sector, building public-private partnerships, managing stakeholders and integrating shared value in project management.

The Think 20 Summit GLOBAL SOLUTIONS, mandated by the German G20 Presidency, brought young visionaries from around the globe to Berlin. The scholarship programme aims at people with a passion for change and a background in social volunteering, academia, technology, start-ups journalism or blogging. By offering these scholarships, the summit wants to involve the views and ideas of the next generation into global problem-solving. Scholarship recipients will take part in a number of high-level side events and become part of an exclusive network of like-minded professionals.

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