



### Our Vision

This decade we will create and extend computing technology to connect and enrich the lives of every person on earth.

Vision & ACTION

### 1 big ask, 2.5 days, 15+ people, 57 thoughts → 6 big ideas



•To develop the next Foundation "big idea" that strategically positions us ahead of the curve and enables measurable social impact

## THE **GENDER** DIVIDE

### **EDUCATION & TECHNOLOGY**



Globally, **66 million** girls who should be in school – are not.<sup>1</sup>



The Internet
Gender Divide is
nearly
25%
in developing
nations.<sup>2</sup>



of the world's
796 million
illiterate adults
are women.3

TO DELIVER OUR VISION, WE MUST ADDRESS THE GAPS

### Women @ 50% by 2020

### Definition

- Wealth/Earnings (% increase from current)
- Students (equity of access)
- Education: % educated -

# What are desired Business and Social Impacts?

and of women ms our ability to market to them; women are increasingly decision makers on tech/discretionary spending

- . airness and equity
- Economic Growth
- More Educated Women and Children
- Feeding back into the health of communities, families, nations
- UN MDG re: equity
- UN Women Initiative and goals



# EMPOWERING GIRLS AND WOMEN THROUGH TECHNOLOGY



### **DIGITAL INCLUSION**

Invite women into a new world of opportunity through technology access



### **BROADER ACCESS TO EDUCATION**

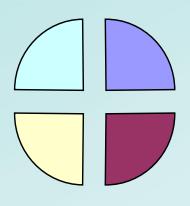
Use technology to **expand learning** for girls and **amplify the voice** of partners advocating this change

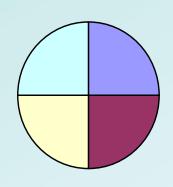


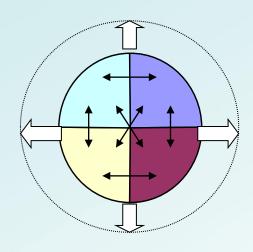
### **PATHFINDING PLATFORMS**

Develop technology solutions to address the specific challenges that face girls and women

## Social Impact Continuum(Journey)







Input (Info Sharing)

Integration

Synergy (Value Creation)

Source: Maximizing the Contribution of Diverse Voices in Virtual Teams - Jan Klein & Astrid Kleinhanns

