



MAIA

Recognitions and awards

MAIA staff are recognized locally and nationally as [changemakers](#) and [innovators in leadership](#), participate in [international conferences](#) on youth development and girls' education, [write articles](#) for UNESCO, and share [their vision](#) with news networks around the globe.

Girl Pioneers are winners of [national](#) and [international](#) awards and scholarships, [using their empowered voice](#) for positive change on a global scale and leading powerful conversations with [Guatemalan](#) and [international](#) politicians to discuss gender equality and girl empowerment.

Other awards

2023 [finalist](#) - [World's Best School Prize](#) in the category of Overcoming Adversity
2022 bronze and silver Telly winner in Non-Broadcast General-Social Impact category - [Telly Awards](#)
2022 featured organization - Obama Foundation's [Girls Opportunity Alliance](#)
2021 winner - [.ORG Impact Award](#) for championing diversity, equity, and inclusion
2021 recognition - [HundrED.org - Inter-American Development Bank](#) for 21st-century skills
2020 winner - [MIT SOLVE](#) for girl and women innovators
2020 winner - [Energy Globe Prize](#) for sustainability
2020 finalist - [WISE Award](#) for innovation in education
2019 winner - [Zayed Sustainability Prize](#) for innovative, impactful, & sustainable solutions