

# The Smart Villages Foundation

England & Wales · Charity number 1145689

## Details

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**Other names** THE INTERACADEMY FOUNDATION

**Status** Registered

**Legal form** Charitable company

**Company number** [07766237](#)

**Registered** 2012-01-31

**Register** [View on the Charity Commission register](#)

## Contact

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## Activities

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**Objects:** THE OBJECTS OF THE CHARITY ARE:- 1. THE ADVANCEMENT OF THE EDUCATION OF THE PUBLIC ANYWHERE IN THE WORLD IN THE SCIENCES, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING AND MEDICINE INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, BY:(A) PROMOTING RESEARCH IN THE SCIENCES, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING AND MEDICINE FOR THE PUBLIC BENEFIT AND PUBLISHING THE USEFUL RESULTS OF SUCH RESEARCH; AND(B) PROMOTING THE EDUCATION OF PEOPLE UNDER THE AGE OF 25 IN THE SCIENCES, TECHNOLOGY, EDUCATION AND MEDICINE. 2. THE PREVENTION AND RELIEF OF POVERTY ANYWHERE IN THE WORLD INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, BY:(A) PROVIDING OR ASSISTING IN THE PROVISION OF EDUCATION, TRAINING AND HEALTHCARE PROJECTS AND ALL THE NECESSARY SUPPORT DESIGNED TO ENABLE INDIVIDUALS TO GENERATE A SUSTAINABLE INCOME AND BE SELF-SUFFICIENT; AND(B) UNDERTAKING AND SUPPORTING SCIENTIFIC, TECHNOLOGICAL, ENGINEERING AND MEDICAL RESEARCH INTO FACTORS THAT CONTRIBUTE TO POVERTY AND THE MOST APPROPRIATE WAYS TO MITIGATE THESE AND PUBLISHING THE USEFUL RESULTS OF SUCH RESEARCH.3. THE RELIEF OF SICKNESS AND THE ADVANCEMENT AND PRESERVATION OF HEALTH AMONG PEOPLE ANYWHERE IN THE WORLD.4. THE ADVANCEMENT OF THE EDUCATION OF THE PUBLIC ANYWHERE IN THE WORLD IN ALL AREAS RELATING TO PUBLIC HEALTH. 5. THE PROMOTION OF SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT ANYWHERE IN THE WORLD THROUGH SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING AND MEDICINE FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE PUBLIC BY: (A) THE PRESERVATION, CONSERVATION AND PROTECTION OF THE ENVIRONMENT AND THE PRUDENT USE OF NATURAL RESOURCES; (B) THE RELIEF OF POVERTY AND THE IMPROVEMENT OF THE CONDITIONS OF LIFE IN SOCIALLY AND ECONOMICALLY DISADVANTAGED COMMUNITIES; AND(C) THE PROMOTION OF SUSTAINABLE MEANS OF ACHIEVING ECONOMIC GROWTH AND REGENERATION. 6.THE EDUCATION AND TRAINING OF THE PUBLIC ANYWHERE IN THE WORLD IN SUBJECTS RELATING TO SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT THROUGH SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING AND MEDICINE AND THE PROTECTION, ENHANCEMENT AND REHABILITATION OF THE ENVIRONMENT AND THE PROMOTION OF RESEARCH IN SUCH SUBJECTS PROVIDED THAT THE USEFUL RESULTS OF SUCH RESEARCH ARE DISSEMINATED TO THE PUBLIC AT LARGE.

**Activities:** The charity promotes integrated rural development in developing countries - in particular to harness innovative technologies (such as off-grid sustainable energy and ICT) to act as catalysts to create local services and productive uses that generate sustainable social and economic impacts for local communities.

## Classification

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- **How:** Makes Grants To Organisations, Provides Other Finance, Provides Services, Acts As An Umbrella Or Resource Body, Other Charitable Activities
- **What:** The Advancement Of Health Or Saving Of Lives, The Prevention Or Relief Of Poverty, Overseas Aid/famine Relief, Economic/community Development/employment, Other Charitable Purposes
- **Who:** Other Charities Or Voluntary Bodies, Other Defined Groups, The General Public/mankind

## Geography

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- Eswatini
- Kenya
- Lesotho
- Malaysia
- Nigeria
- Rwanda
- Tanzania
- Uganda
- Oxfordshire

## Finances

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Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-03-31	£849	£10,046	-	-
2024-03-31	£11,929	£8,722	-	-
2023-03-31	£16,926	£11,421	-	-
2022-03-31	£4,326	£4,187	-	-
2021-03-31	£14,516	£14,489	-	-

## Trustees

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Name	Role	Appointed
Dr BERNIE JONES	Chair	2019-07-10
Dr Laura Allerston		2025-09-24