



Mo Ibrahim Foundation announces no winner of the 2024 Ibrahim Prize for Achievement in African Leadership

6 March - The Mo Ibrahim Foundation has announced that there will be no winner of the 2024 Ibrahim Prize for Achievement in African Leadership. The decision was made following deliberations from the independent Prize Committee.

This prize is only awarded to exceptional candidates who meet rigorous selection criteria for excellence. It's not necessarily awarded every year.

More details on the Prize and the selection criteria can be found [here](#).

About the Mo Ibrahim Foundation

Founded in 2006 by Mo Ibrahim, the Mo Ibrahim Foundation is an African organisation providing an African voice on current global challenges, grounded in sound leadership and governance.

The Foundation was established to define, assess, and enhance sound leadership and governance in Africa as key enablers of the continent's progress, with a specific focus on Africa's youth, as main stakeholders of their own continent.

The Mo Ibrahim Foundation is a non-grant making African organisation with no external funds.

The Foundation delivers this mission through various key initiatives, including:

- [Ibrahim Index of African Governance](#)
- [Ibrahim Prize for Achievement in African Leadership](#)
- [Ibrahim Governance Weekend](#)
- [Ibrahim Fellowships and Scholarships](#)
- [Now Generation Network](#)

About the Prize

The Ibrahim Prize aims to highlight outstanding African leaders, who demonstrated excellence in addressing multiple challenges at the helm of their country, and to give them the means to continue to provide their expertise and wisdom on continental and global challenges, after the end of their national mandate.

Celebrating excellence in African leadership, the Ibrahim Prize for Achievement in African Leadership is awarded to a former executive Head of State or Government, by a Prize Committee which acts independently from the Foundation.

The Committee was first chaired by former United Nations Secretary-General Kofi Annan, followed by former chair of the Organisation of African Unity Salim Ahmed Salim, former President of Botswana Festus Mogae, and currently by former President of Liberia Ellen Johnson Sirleaf. A full list of previous winners can be found here.

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