

DEMOCRACY AND INEQUALITY

2018 FTA CONFERENCE, BRUSSELS

WHAT IS HAPPENING

- Most African countries have enjoyed relative democratic ruling for some years now
- Others are recovering from civil wars and others are still struggling in there
- Most Marginalized groups include:
 - WOMEN(Gender Based Violence, economically, early marriage)
 - YOUNG PEOPLE(Meaningful Youth Political)
 - PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES

LEVELS OF DEMOCRACY IN THE AFRICAN/GHA NAIAN CONTEXT

HOME, SCHOOL LEADERSHIP, NATIONAL LEVEL

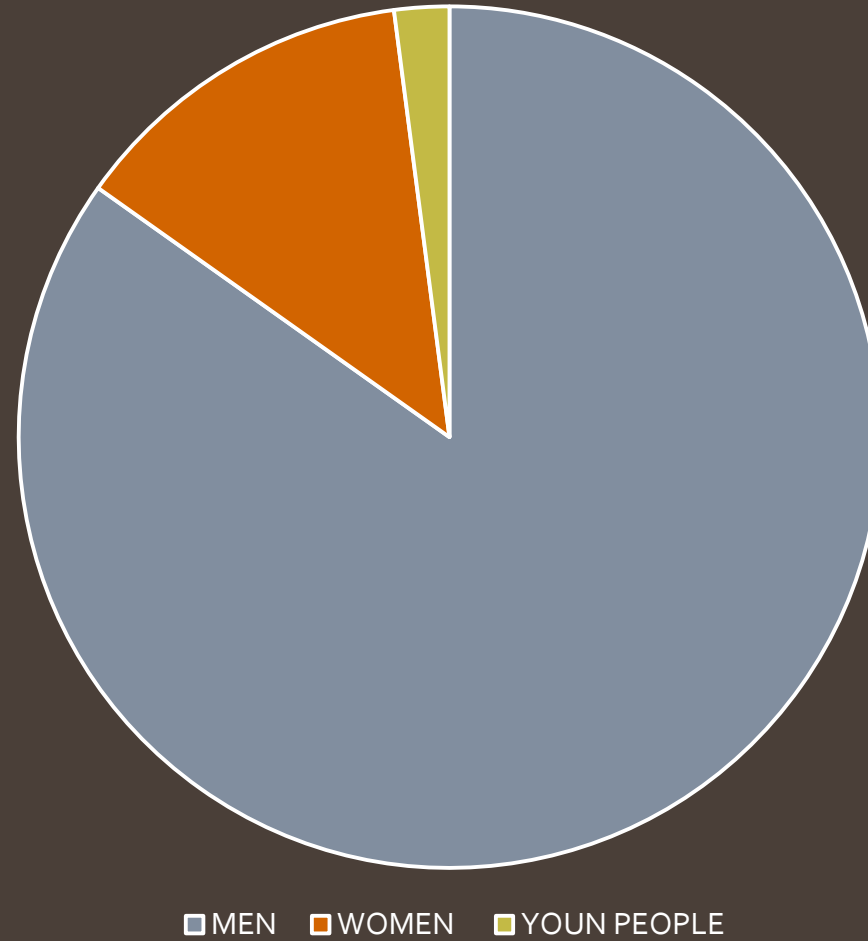
- Democracy can be said to be failing to some extent
- Technological advancement have not been fully utilized by African Economies

Policies are backed by weak political will

- Less Women In politics
- Less YP in politics Eg Ghana 60 years and above
- Civil society has been a major stakeholder in the process but is sometimes limited
- The gap between the populace and leadership keeps widening with populace feeling left out

CURRENT LEADERSHIP CHART

GOVERNANCE IN GH



THE NEW MOVE

In a Generation of TECHNOLOGY inclined YOUNG PEOPLE

- Increased Press Freedom
- Investment in women and youth development
- Increased Women in STEM areas
- Better cooperation
- Increased Participation in governance processes

MOVING FASTER

- GIRLS AND TECHNOLOGY
- SOCIAL MEDIA
- GRASSROOT INCLUSION IN POLICY MAKING

- IT IS POSSIBLE!!!
- RWANDA