

I am a French citizen and a mother of two children (a 5 year-old daughter and a 19 year-old son). I studied Economics first at Paris XIII, followed by two years at the IEMI International Business school where I received a degree in International Marketing. I moved to the United States in 1993 where after a short-time living in New York City, I moved to Washington, D.C. where I started working at the International Monetary Fund (IMF). For over 20 years, I worked at the IMF, participating on many short-term field missions assisting with the administration and logistics of missions and

organized many outreach events involving oversight of staff assignments, logistics, budgets, and also social media advertising.

In the summer 2016, I moved to Lusaka, Zambia with my family. I was thrilled to have the opportunity to work directly with less fortunate children and be able to give back. Since I arrived, I tried to help as much as I can, collecting gently used clothes, shoes, school backpacks etc. . I also have been volunteering at a community center in Bauleni (one of the many compounds in Lusaka) called Appleseed. There I have been tutoring primary and secondary school children and I financially sponsored a 16 year-old teenage girl. As a volunteer, I have encountered heartbreaking situations where children don't go to school because of lack of financial resources or other more tragic reason (death of a parent or both, abandonment, etc. ). But I wanted to do more, I have been trying to get people to volunteer, to sponsor out of school children, but as an individual it is not easy. That is why I jumped at the chance to become a cofounder of Chance4all with my friends, Jane, Anna and Carmen, who have experienced the same frustration and share the same passion to give a chance to the not so fortunate children and to give them a better future.

With your help, I hope that we can help many out of school children to go back to school!