

## Josephina Okang

I am Miss Josephina Okang a beneficiary of Educational Pathways International Scholarship (EPI). Education is said to be the key to success and for me personally, EPI has given me that key. EPI provided all the financial issues that come with education and gave me the peace of mind to study without worrying about financial problems. I thought that education was for people who are born with silver spoons in their mouths but EPI proved that perception wrong.

EPI has not only given me the key to success through the rich education I received in Land Economy from Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology (KNUST) but has also educated a nation through me. This is because, as James Aggrey once noted, when you educate a woman you have educated a whole nation. I believe the education that EPI has helped me acquire will not be for only my benefit but I will use that knowledge acquired to promote the well-being of my society and nation as a whole.

EPI did not only support me financially but also monitored the progress of each beneficiary, ensuring that academically we are doing well as well in matters concerning the social, health and spiritual life of each member. This is done through the organization of meetings, training sessions and socialization activities where all members participate vigorously, discussing topics such as time management, setting goals which are realistic and achievable, writing of a curriculum vitae, preparing for job interviews and so many others. Indeed, being part of EPI has made a great difference in my life.

For me EPI is not just a charitable body that helps needy and brilliant tertiary institution students in Ghana; it is a wonderful and marvelous family which I am honored to be part of. I am grateful to EPI for giving me a better life for the future.

