

## **Official Biography**

### **Ms. Haina Keke Obama Leader Africa 2018 (Comoros)**

Haïna Keke is a linguist and committed feminist dedicated to advancing the empowerment of women and girls through leadership and economic independence.

Her work has been featured in Vanity Fair France, and her NGO, IMARA, was recognized as “Person of the Year” by Al-Watwan following a silver medal win at the International Robotics Competition in Dubai by a team she mentored. In 2025, she entered a three-year partnership with FIRST Global, recognizing her contributions to youth leadership and innovation.

A pioneer in menstrual health in the Comoros, she is the first to introduce the local production of reusable sanitary pads, promoting sustainable and accessible solutions for women and girls. That same year, she established a strategic partnership with UNFPA to advance menstrual health and hygiene.

Through IMARA, she also champions climate-smart, sustainable solutions that support community resilience and environmental protection.