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Morenike Olufon was first introduced to Youth Peace Ambassador International in February, 2013 where she supported Miss Dolapo Fakuade in facilitating a UNESCO Youth Awareness Programme in Coventry held on March 5, 2013. She subsequently continued to work effortlessly to advance the interest of the organisation in achieving sustainable peace. In May/June, 2013 she was an active participant in the Sixth Youth Peace Ambassador (YPA6) Training held in Thailand.

Miss Olufon strongly believes in the value of YPA as a platform for promoting peace and is determined to work to ensure that the goals of the organisation are met. Within this role, Miss Olufon plans to organise youth awareness programmes in the UK through her various position in the University and other national organisations. She also founded the Peace and Love Educational Association (PLEA), an NGO which has as its aim to educate youth on peace-building.

Further, Miss Olufon participated in the Third Youth Looking Beyond Disaster (LBD3) programme in Kobe, Japan held in September, 2013. Please have a look at her action plan which is available on the Looking Beyond Disaster web-page.

Simultaneously, Miss Olufon serves as an International student ambassador to Coventry University where she studies LLB Law and Business. She is the President of the Bright Futures Society in Coventry which is an organisation that has as its core aim to connect students with top recruiters.

Miss Olufon is a poet and works as a voluntary teacher in Coventry. In 2008, she was awarded for writing poems for the United Nations Global Competition on Slavery and the Transatlantic Slave Trade.

Miss Olufon was a student of Fountain Heights Secondary School and Toreny Foundation Nursery and Primary School in Lagos, Nigeria.