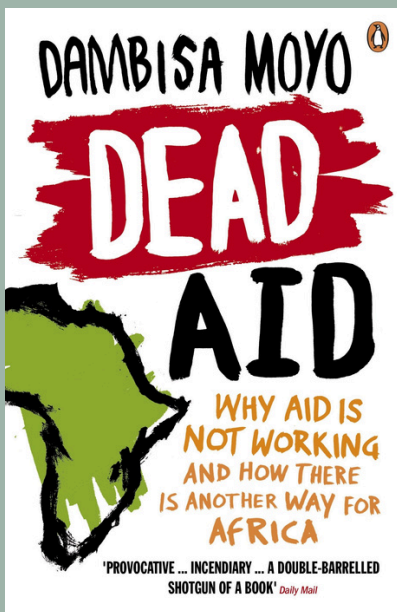


DEAD AID

Dambisa Moyo

At **Nuru** we don't call it **International solidarity**, we say "*Western donors have an aid industry to feed*", or at least that's what Dambisa Moyo said in **Dead Aid**.

Dambisa Moyo is a **Zambian economist** and author known for her analysis of macroeconomics and global affairs. She holds degrees from the best American universities. She has been recognized as one of Time Magazine's 100 Most Influential People.



In **Dead Aid** she challenges the conventional wisdom that **foreign aid is beneficial for African development**. Moyo argues that aid has not only failed to alleviate poverty and promote growth by **distorting local economies** and creating imbalance, but has also perpetuated corruption and dependency, **discouraging self-sufficiency**. This book proposes **alternative solutions to stimulate sustainable development** and economic independence in African nations.



One quote we found interesting : *"Because not all African countries are equal, the amount for FDI will vary from border to border. For these countries less favored by nature, there is yet another route to finance development that they should pursue."*



By using a fictitious african country she gives recommendation of an effective aid where **traditional models are re-evaluated and restructured**. She believes it's important to focus on sustainable growth by promoting trade, investment, and economic policies that encourage autonomy. **A holistic approach is needed, addressing poverty and development with strategies that go beyond just financial aid.**

