

The Mozambique Story



1997-1999
**1st generation
adaptation trials (68
clones)**

April 1999
**First multi-sectoral
meeting when we
talked about the
potential of OFSP**

July 1999
**1st strategy to
combat micro-
nutrient
deficiencies**

The Achievement: 15 new OFSP varieties released in February 2011 7 more released in 2016

Mozambican material which
will also help many more
African countries



How did they meet.... 1996-1997 - on the way to the beach at Macaneta?



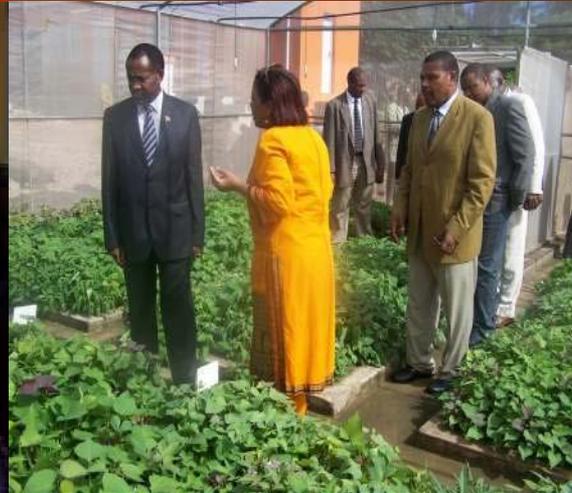
Great Varieties, great Women.....



And the men..... Tio Joe (de Vries) - 2004



Government officials visit the OFSP programme



Towards Sustainable Nutrition Improvement Team win best CGIAR Scientific Paper for 2007



Fashion Show.....



Orange Women Unite: VITAA Meeting. Pretoria, 2007



Field Day at Lozano Farm



Visit from the USA Deputy-Secretary of State, Mr. Thomas R. Nides



USA Ambassador demonstrates how to plant OFSP



***Pop star Bono accompanied by Jeff Raikes CEO BMGF singing “Gabagaba Yeah”,
(exalting the virtues of the GabaGaba OFSP – yes!)
at Sr. Armando’s farm - 2010***



CIP, HKI, BMGF and Vice Minister for Agriculture launch Reaching Agents of Change Project in Mozambique, 2011



Other international meetings and programmes



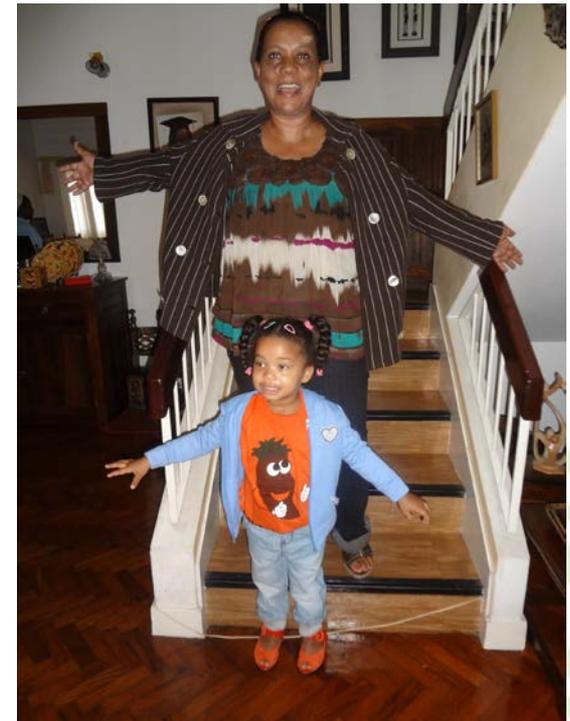
Participação no World Food Prize

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<http://www.npr.org/blogs/thesalt/2012/08/15/158783117/saving-lives-in-africa-with-the-humble-sweet-potato>

[Saving Lives In Africa With The Humble Sweet Potato](#)

**Maria's many skills... scientist rainmaker.....
grandmother**



Vision..... Determination... and Passion!

