

Sénégal 4-H

Linking University Experts with Grassroots Youth Leaders

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First steps towards community outreach





Benefits

for the university

- 4-H is an opportunity to develop the university's outreach mission ("community service").
- Reality: moving from theory to practice
- Visibility: Being an intermediary with the community raises the profile of the university with ministries, local government, NGOs, other partners, and future university students.



Benefits

for the university

- Brings rural development experience back into the classroom
- Favors an interdisciplinary approach
- Increases the know-how of university students



Benefits

for the community

- Provides technical expertise for the clubs
- Youth see a path to higher education.
- Creates a lasting relationship with the community. The community is known by an institution of higher learning.



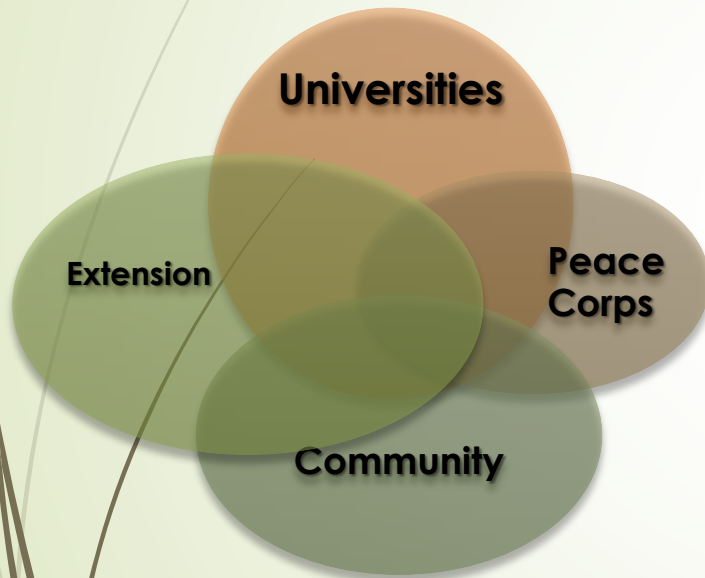
Challenges



- Sustainability of university involvement
- Increasing involvement of faculty members
- Ensuring the recognition by our institution of these outreach contributions



Linkages



➔ The key players