Beyond “The Danger of A Single Story”

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    - “…Malawi for passing legislation that changed the age of marriage [to at least 18 years], outlawing child marriage…”
    - 1.6 b in Africa in 2030, 42% youth
    - “The world once remembered Liberia for child soldiers,” said Leymah Gbowee, a leader of the peace group for which she won a Nobel Peace Prize in 2011. “They now know our country for the women in white.”
    - “…new analysis shows that 21 countries are "on sound ground" to achieve malaria elimination by 2020…”
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