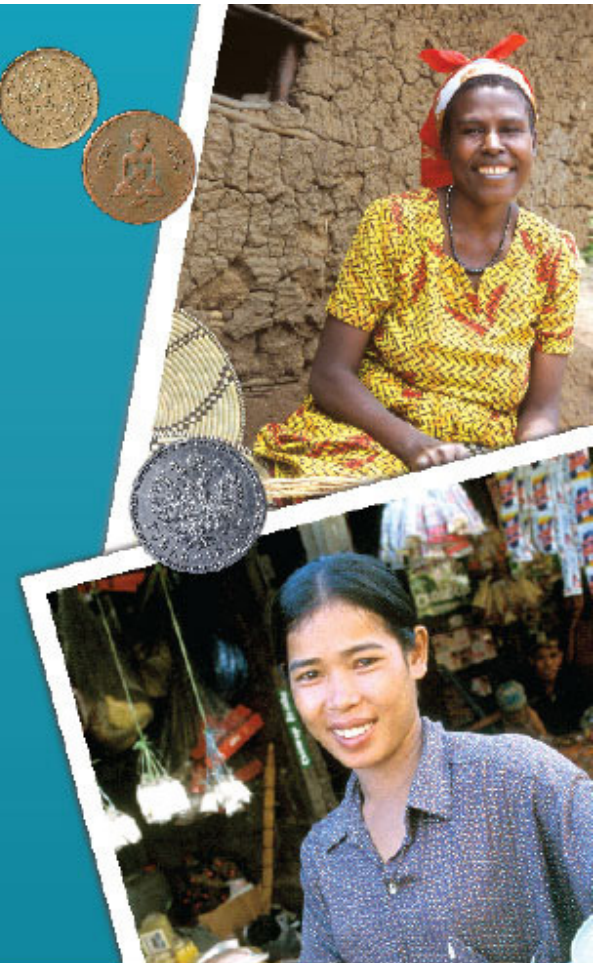


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New America Foundation
March 19, 2008

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At MicroPlace, you can make investments that reach millions of hard-working poor people worldwide.

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Auxiliadora
Diriamba, Nicaragua

Elizabeth
Alonsu Kumasi, Ghana

Saidakbar
Khujand, Tajikistan

Ey Onn
Phnom Penh, Cambodia

Akila
Tamil Nadu, India

Auxiliadora was a single mother of five with no income. With a \$250 loan, she created a successful shop, set up a savings account and paid for a college education for each of her children. [more...](#)

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How MicroPlace Works



Step 1:
You purchase an investment on MicroPlace that provides the opportunity to earn a financial return.



Step 2:
Your investment dollars are used to provide loans to the working poor.



Step 3:
The working poor use their loans to build businesses. They repay their loans and pull themselves out of poverty!

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Tell a Friend

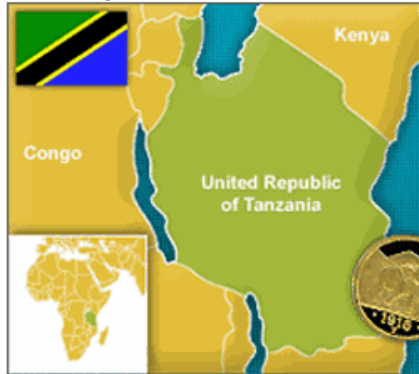


Tell a friend how MicroPlace can help them earn a return on their investment and help end global poverty!

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Country: Tanzania



Tanzania, long considered an island of stability in the region, hosts the largest refugee population in Africa, due to conflicts in neighbouring Rwanda, Burundi, and the Democratic Republic of Congo. More than 400,000 refugees from other nations were living in camps in Tanzania at the end of 2004. Basic health services and facilities in the camps are good, but the rate at which refugees are returning to their own countries has slowed.

The past decade has been marked by successful reforms and steady economic growth. Tanzania's challenge for the future is to control the spread of HIV/AIDS and create better living conditions for the rural poor.

Tanzania Statistics:

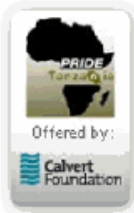
Population (millions):	38
Population earning < \$1/day:	58%
School enrollment/attendance:	73%
HIV/AIDS prevalence:	6%
Life expectancy:	46

Source: [Unicef](#)

Investment Opportunities

Select an investment to view more information, including the security's prospectus. The security issuer will use your investment to support a loan to a specific lending organization. The best way to evaluate an investment opportunity is to review the prospectus and consider it in light of your financial status and investment objectives.

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[PRIDE Tanzania via Calvert Community Investment Note](#)

Lending organization: **PRIDE - Tanzania** | Year established: **1994**

Mission: The mission of PRIDE-Tanzania is to create a sustainable financial and information services network in order to stimulate their business...[more](#)

Source: **Calvert Foundation, PRIDE**

Recent PRIDE - Tanzania borrowers:

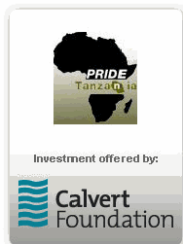


Terms of Investment

Interest rate: **3.0% per year**
Maturity: **33 months**
Last day to invest: **4-15-2008**
Security issuer: **Calvert Foundation**

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Investment: PRIDE Tanzania via Calvert Community Investment Note

Terms of Investment


Interest rate: **3.0% per year** Security type: **Note**
 Maturity: **1-15-2011 (33 months)** Security issuer: **Calvert Foundation**
 Last day to invest: **4-15-2008**

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Calvert Foundation professionally manages a portfolio of loans to over 200 leading microfinance institutions, nonprofit organizations and social enterprises working to alleviate poverty around the world. Calvert Foundation brings over a decade of experience monitoring these organizations in order to effectively manage the risk and return of your investment dollars.

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Funds from this investment will be used by the security issuer to support a loan to the lending organization below.

Lending organization
Borrowers

Lending organization: **PRIDE - Tanzania** | Country: **Tanzania** | Year established: **1994**

Background

Overview

Incorporated in Tanzania in May 1993 under the Companies Ordinance CAP 212 (Now Act No. 12 of 2002) as a company limited by guarantee, not having share capital. The main objective of PRIDE Tanzania are focused on the provision of access to financial services to microenterprises and low-income households in Tanzania.

PRIDE Tanzania has registered good performance backed by positive growth in terms of outreach, profitability, efficiency and productivity. Since attaining break-even point in 2001, PRIDE Tanzania's Memorandum of Association restricts the distribution and use of company wealth for the benefit of an individual or group of individuals, thus assuring the use of profits to furthering the mission of PRIDE Tanzania.

Mission

The mission of PRIDE-Tanzania is to create a sustainable financial and information services network in order to stimulate their business growth, enhance their income and create employment in Tanzania.

Message to investors

We are proud to be associated with this noble initiative aimed at linking the general public to poverty alleviation.

Source: Calvert Foundation, PRIDE

Facts and figures

Borrower repayment rate:	96%	Woman borrowers:	65%
Total loan portfolio:	\$18,059,917	First-time business owners:	25%
Number of active borrowers:	89,783	Operational self-sufficiency:	103%
Avg. loan balance / borrower:	\$190		

Source: Calvert Foundation, PRIDE

Location
[Learn more](#)
Address
Recent borrowers


Name: **Philomena Julius Kayombo**
 Lending Org: **PRIDE - Tanzania**
 Location: **Tanzania**
 Business: **Tailoring boutique**
 Loan Amount: **\$15,000**

Philomena Julius Kayombo is one of the most respected clients...[more](#)



Name: **Ibrahim Gilibe Mituwa**
 Lending Org: **PRIDE - Tanzania**
 Location: **Tanzania**
 Business: **Luggage transportation**
 Loan Amount: **\$6,000**

Starting his day basking at the Mwanza main bus stand,...[more](#)



Name: **Modesta Luka Mwangaza**
 Lending Org: **PRIDE - Tanzania**
 Location: **Tanzania**
 Business: **Furniture workshop**
 Loan Amount: **\$1,700**

Modesta Luka Mwangaza is deaf and mute, a single mother...[more](#)

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Investments

Investment Summary



Amount invested to date: **\$150.00**

Number of investments: **2**

Interest paid to date: **\$1.25**

Total Poverty-Fighting Impact

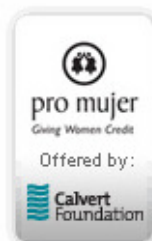


Total number of people you will help: **8** [[Help more people!](#)]

Number of people helped to date: **2**

Investment transactions

View your investment transaction status and history. [?](#)



\$50.00

Pro Mujer Bolivia via Calvert Community Investment Note

Transaction details:

Status: **Confirmed**

Issue date: **9-26-2007**

Next interest payment: **3-15-2008**

via **PayPal**

[View trade confirmation \(pdf\)](#)

[View interest schedule](#)

Investment details:

Interest rate: **3.0% per year**

Maturity: **12-15-2010 (36 months)**

Security type: **Note**

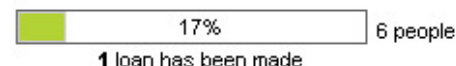
Security issuer: **Calvert Foundation**

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Poverty-Fighting Impact

Number of people you will help: **6** [[Help more people!](#)]



Your investment helps people like:



With a \$1,100 loan, Flora grew her printing business.

[Read Flora's story](#)

[See more borrowers](#)

Investment: <Investment Name>



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Investment details


Impact Location
Bolivia

Terms of Investment

Qualities: **Low risk, Liquid**
Interest rate: **3.0% per year**
Maturity: **36 months**
Last day to invest: **Apr 12, 2008**

 [Read the prospectus](#)

Investment's Social Impact

 **Poorest of the poor**

 **Women**


 **Rural poverty**


Poverty Fighting Rating:





Make an Investment!

Enter your investment or use the slider to choose how many people you want to help.

 \$

 **0** people helped with your investment

 0 50 100 150 200


Your **\$0** investment will help **0** people out of poverty. 


You can pay via: **PayPal, Credit Card**

For this investment are managed by Pro Mujer Bolivia:



What we care about:

 **Poorest of the Poor**
• 89% of loans serve those living on <\$1/day

 **Women**
• 94% of loans serve women

Examples of borrowers

What are you about?

We are a local lending organization in Bolivia. We believe that women are the