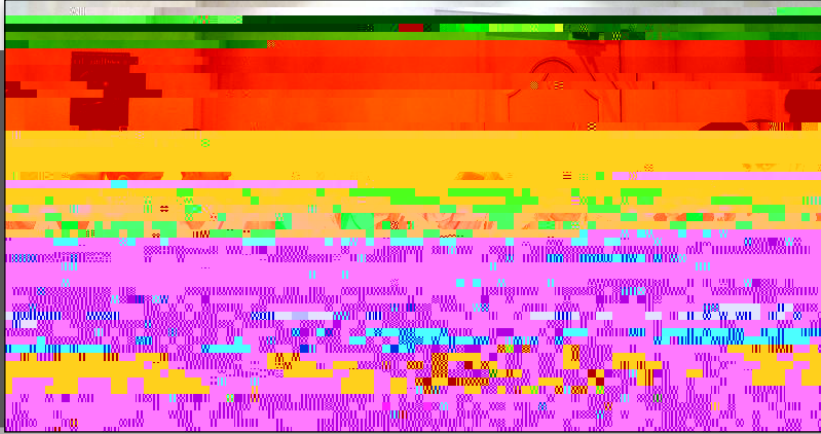


NEWS FROM THE FIELD

Raising civic awareness among Yemeni youth



In Yemen, where the youth make up the majority of the population, an UNDEF-backed [project](#) by the International Foundation for Electoral Systems recently completed its work to raise civic awareness among young people through active participation and engaged community

service. Workshops were conducted around the country, including in marginalized areas such as the Al Almal community in the city of Ta'izz, to improve young people's understanding of their civil and political rights; raise their level of tolerance and respect for human rights; and boost

Strengthening the voice of young Lebanon



Building the capacity of Iraq's lawyers

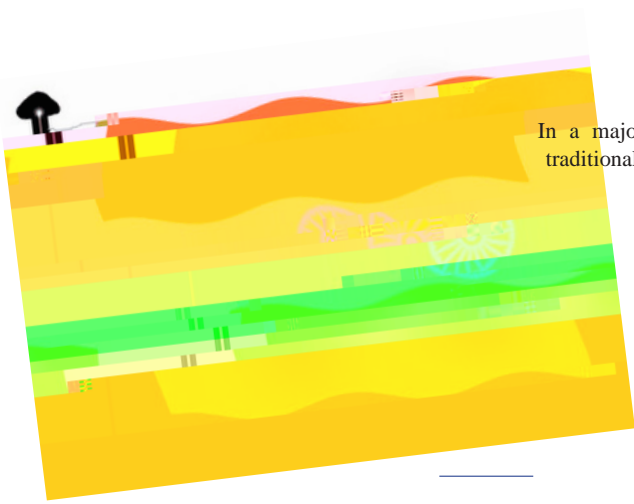


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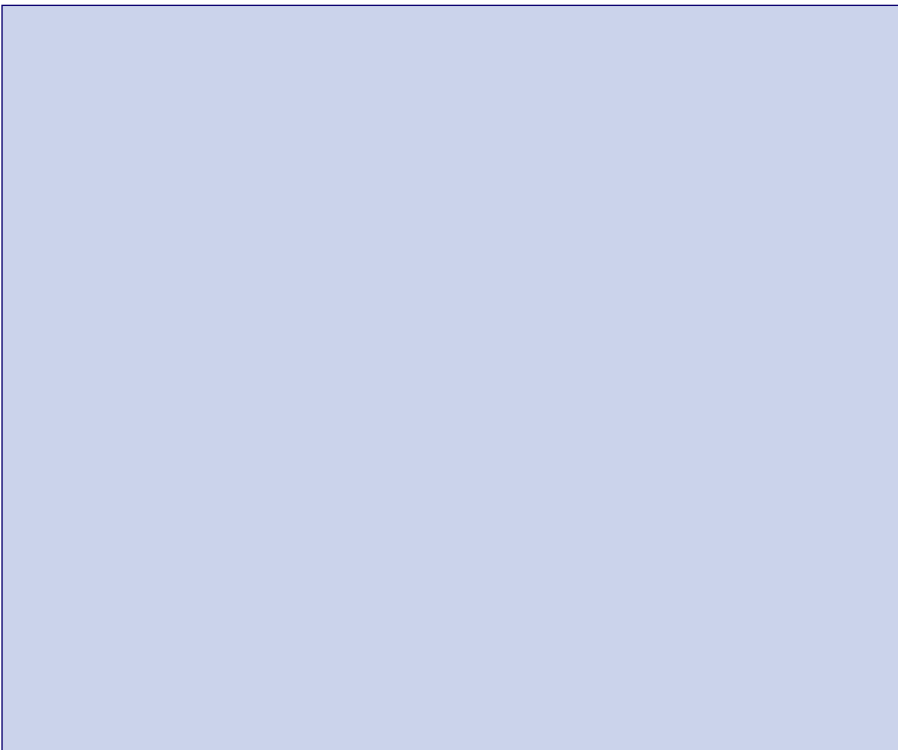
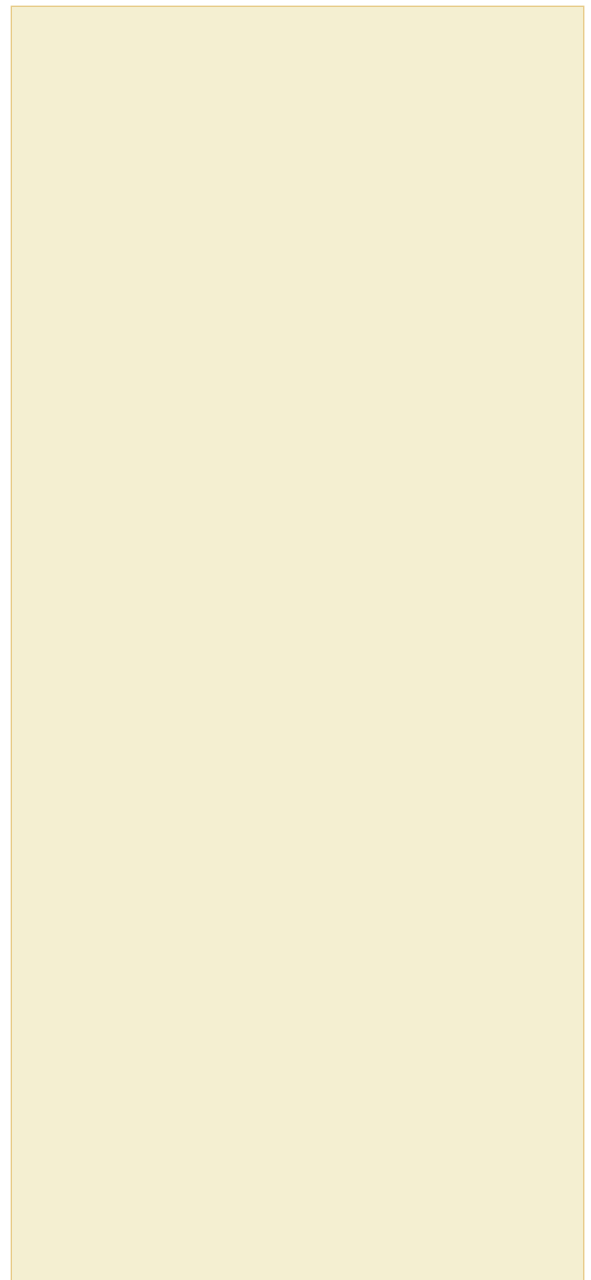
WORTH READING

UN support for demand-driven democratization: oxygen or oxymoron?

At a World Bank roundtable in May 2009, UNDEF Executive Head Roland Rich [discussed](#) the demand-side innovation of UNDEF's work, drawing on examples from transition democracies and pre-transition situations as well as dilemmas associated with such efforts.

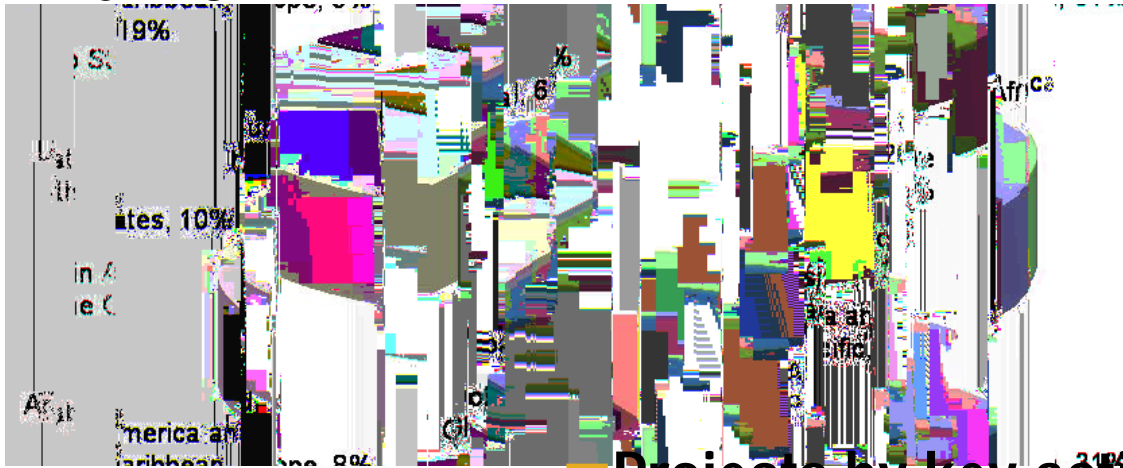


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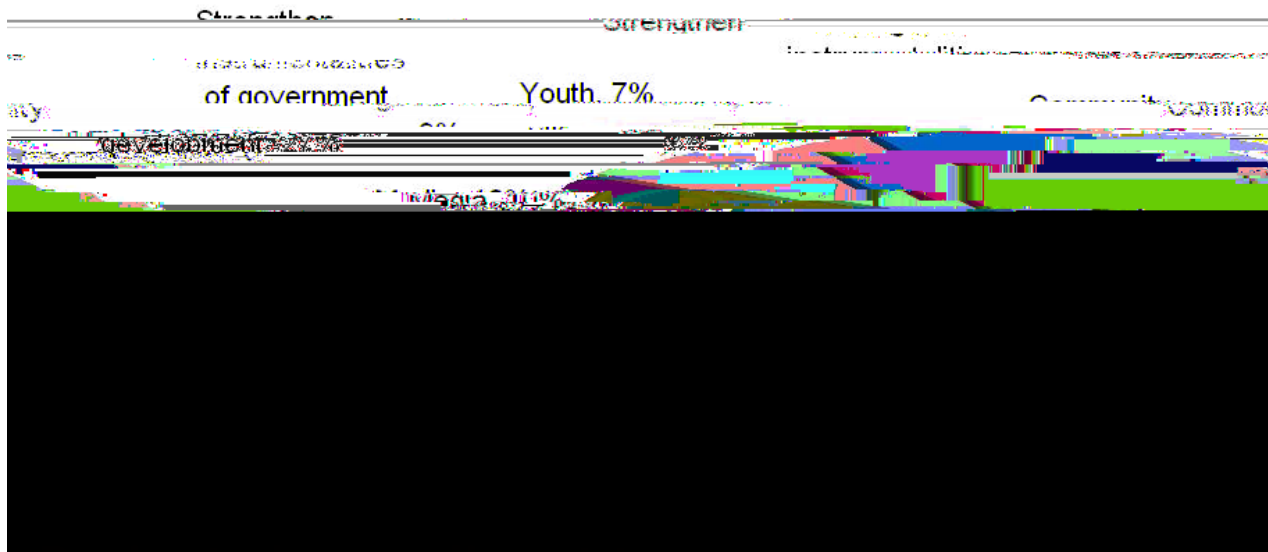


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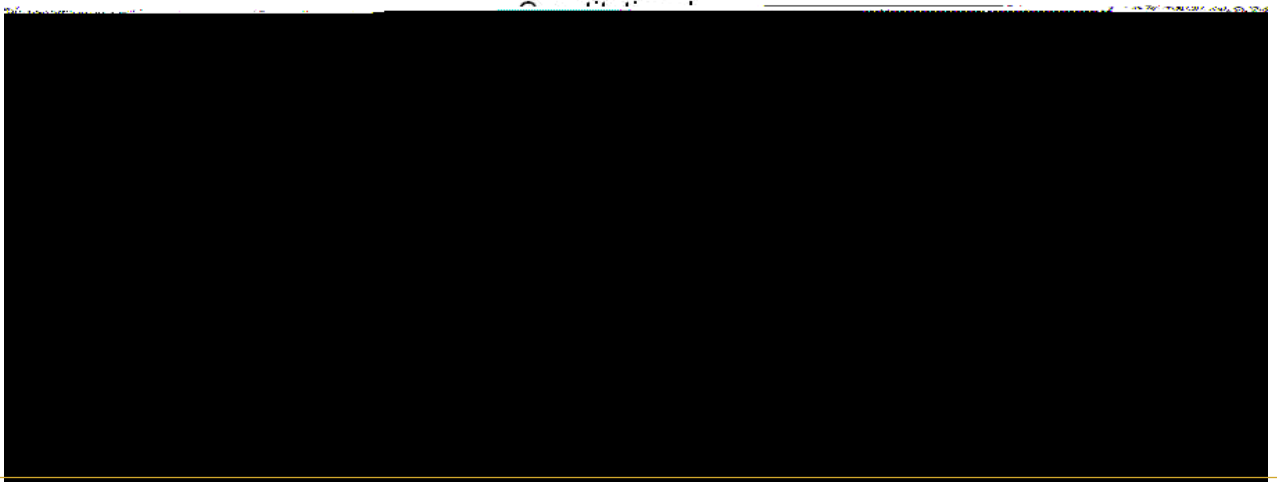
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