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"Unfettered Human Capacity for Open Innovation and Technology as ingredients for Global Prosperity"

Julius Akinyemi  Entrepreneur in Residence, MIT Media Lab, Cambridge

**Time** 2.45pm  
**Date** 26th October 2011  
**Venue** N53 0.65 Nathan campus Griffith University.

**Bio:** Julius is the Resident Entrepreneur at Massachusetts institute of Technology’s Media Lab in Cambridge, Massachusetts. His mission at the Media Lab is the commercialization of Technology Innovation most especially to continuously shape and leverage existing and future technologies to empower people in developing nations. Julius is the Founder of UWINCorp – a private company out of his initiative at MIT - “Unleashing the Wealth of Nations” project. Prior to his residency at the MIT Media Lab, Julius was Global Director of Emerging Technologies for PepsiCo Inc responsible for global technology innovation and liaison with global best in class Research & Development institutions to the benefit of PepsiCo most especially in the areas of product and market competitiveness. Prior to joining PepsiCo, Julius was the Senior Vice President of Wells Fargo Bank’s Emerging Technologies and Wireless Business Technologies where he led the first US mobile banking platform; Julius worked in various business functions of the Bank including Finance, Systems, Retail and Commercial Banking and Audit and Regulatory Services of the bank. He was also involved in various national industry groups including the Mobile Finance Steering Committee of the Financial Services Technology Consortium and Bank Information Services (BITS). He was a member of the Financial Services Roundtable. Julius was the Director of Finance and MIS for Pan American World Airways in Western Europe Region, based in Paris, France. He was also a member of the UN ICT working Group to eradicate poverty. He obtained his MBA from Ohio University. Julius holds intellectual property parents in “Method and Apparatus for a Broker Entity” -Virtual Private Message Broker (United States Patent: US 7,900,038 B2) for secure financial transactions and another in Interactive Vending Machine, United States Patent application number: 20110144801 - currently under commercialized by PepsiCo.

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