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### Linkage, Inc. returns as a Community Partner to the 2016 TechWomen program

BURLINGTON, MA, September 14, 2016 – For the second time, [Linkage, Inc.](#) has been invited to facilitate a workshop for the 90 women leaders participating in the State Department’s [TechWomen](#) initiative, a 5-week program that “empowers, connects, and supports the next generation of women leaders in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) from Africa, Central Asia, and the Middle East by providing them with the access and opportunity needed to advance their careers, pursue their dreams, and inspire women and girls in their communities.”

Building on elements of Linkage's [Advancing Women](#) and [Leadership Development](#) practices, the women participating in the workshop will identify a real issue their country struggles with and create an action plan to address it. Many of the projects started at TechWomen have come to [fruition](#).

Jillian Ihsanullah, PhD, VP of Organizational Development & Principal Consultant at Linkage, will be co-facilitating the workshop with Briana Goldman, Consultant at Linkage. “The ‘tech women’ are incredible,” Jillian Ihsanullah said. “They inspire those of us who work in the field of advancing women leaders to keep going, keep raising the bar, and keep breaking through. It’s an honor to work with them.”

“These women leaders have the potential to impact their communities and beyond,” TechWomen Director Arezoo Riahi said. “Linkage is helping to tap that potential by bringing leadership development insights to strengthen and optimize their talents and ideas.”

This year, the program kicks off on September 11, 2016 in San Francisco, CA, and will continue until October 17, 2016 in Washington, DC, with an award ceremony.

### About Linkage

At Linkage, we are passionate about developing leaders who create lasting impact in and outside of their organizations. We believe that becoming the best requires a lifelong commitment to learning, improving, adapting and developing. For more than 25 years, Linkage has provided insights on leadership development strategy, consulting services, and learning tools to organizations looking to strengthen their leaders, more effectively engage their teams, and build cultures of employee engagement and lasting leadership impact. Learn more about Linkage at <http://www.linkageinc.com> or call +1.781.402.5555.

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