

# Women's Education THE UNFINISHED AGENDA

“There are few subjects that match the social significance of women's education in the contemporary world.”

Amartya Sen, Nobel Laureate in Economics, “What's the Point of Women's Education,” address at Women's Education Worldwide 2004: The Unfinished Agenda, conference at Mount Holyoke and Smith Colleges, June 2, 2004



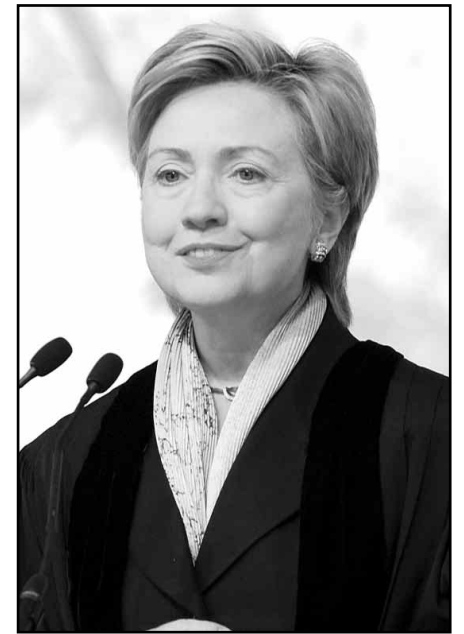
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“Improvements in women's education have contributed the most by far to the total decline in child malnutrition; and mothers with a secondary education have children with mortality rates nearly 36 percent lower than mothers with only a primary school education.”

First Lady Laura Bush, remarks to the United Nations Commission on the Status of Women on International Women's Day, March 8, 2002

“People ask me today is there still a role for women's colleges and I answer immediately, ‘Absolutely.’ What I hope we can do is spread women's education across the world. It could be one of America's greatest legacies.”

Senator Hillary Clinton, commencement address, Agnes Scott College, May 14, 2005



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