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Over the past 10 years, it has been my life's work to serve in our mission to provide the most vulnerable girls of Liberia with a quality education and opportunities for advancement so they can have better lives. My first priority has always been to support these girls.

I'm writing you to tell you that in light of the Liberian Advisory Board's recommendation for an independent investigation and after careful thought I have made the decision to temporarily step down from the role of CEO while the investigation takes place.

I support the Advisory Board's decision and will cooperate fully with the investigative firm, and I believe stepping aside while the investigation is underway will further the goal of a thorough and impartial review. I'm confident that the results from this investigation will outline the best way forward for More Than Me.

More Than Me is not only the Academy anymore. We are a much stronger organization with a qualified and passionately dedicated team in partnership with the communities we work in—and with Liberia, a country we love so dearly—to ensure every girl (and boy) gets access to the safety, health and education they deserve.

For the Girls, Katie