Power as a way of serving society, featuring Paula Moreno

Paula Moreno is the founder and president of Corporación Manos Visibles in Colombia. This video transcript is part of the Future Is Hers multimedia series, celebrating innovators, risk-takers, and change makers supported by the Ford Foundation, who have impacted the lives of women and girls around the globe.

Transcript begins.

[on-screen text: Paula Moreno, President, Corporación Manos Visibles / Visible Hands Foundation]

[A tall Black woman with big eyes and natural-hair braids, wearing a red top and black pants, addresses the camera.]

PAULA MORENO: I was the youngest woman to be a minister in Colombia. I was the youngest in the history of the country, because I was 28. And at the same time, I was the first Black woman to be in that position. I see power as a way of serving the society. My main motivation for doing this work is because I didn’t want to be the only one. And I’m working to make that more the rule—not exception.

[on-screen graphic: Ford Foundation logo]

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