



Stori Bilong Emelda Lomah

Digital Story, 3 minutes 51 seconds

Synopsis

Emelda Lomah is a young human rights defender. She faced challenges in her community when her uncle was accused by a witch doctor of being a sorcerer. She went with her family to see the witch doctor to disprove her statements. As a human rights defender Emelda stepped in to ensure that her uncle's rights were respected.

About Yumi Sanap Strong

Yumi Sanap Strong is a community led initiative that emerged from an action research project undertaken by Queensland University of Technology in partnership with the University of Goroka and community-based partner organisations. The project develops communication strategies and materials to address sorcery accusation related violence in Papua New Guinea.

The community partner organisations of the project are: Kafe Urban Settlers' Women's Association (KUSWA), Goroka; Kup Women for Peace, Simbu; Kedu Seif Haus, Milne Bay and Nazareth Centre for Rehabilitation, Bougainville.

Video Link:

<https://vimeo.com/245621392>

Reference

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