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Over 300 scholars, journalists and civic leaders from more than 30 countries have signed the *Voices of the People* petition to EU authorities.

We urge European Union authorities to:

- Lift all restrictions imposed on the publication of the *Voices of the People* book and facilitate broad access to this innovative study in Africa.
- Review the facts of the case and establish measures to prevent infringements of academic freedom in EU-funded projects.
- Support initiatives that strive to listen to the voices of the people and generate knowledge and ideas designed to strengthen democracy's *demos* and enhance civic capabilities.

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