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## Foreign Policy Articles



*Foreign Policy's* July/August issue features a couple of interesting articles.

In "[Can Silicon Valley Save the World?](#)", Charles Kenny and Justin Sandefur question the effectiveness of the solutions popular among some Silicon Valley entrepreneurs giving large sums to development projects. A system of vaccine development incentives tested by IPA affiliates [Michael Kremer](#) and [Rachel Glennerster](#) is cited as an example of assisting markets in creating effective development solutions, while research by network members [William Jack](#) and [James Habyarimana](#) on road safety stickers in Kenya is cited to emphasize the potential of rigorously tested, low-tech innovations.

Meanwhile, Paul Starobin's "[Does It Take a Village?](#)" takes a critical look at economist Jeffrey Sachs's Millennium Villages Project. IPA affiliate [Edward Miguel](#) voices concern about Sachs's methods, while [Esther Duflo](#) and [Abhijit Banerjee](#) are mentioned as economists preferring small-scale change to Sachs's broad approach.

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