**BADASS WOMEN**

**Meet the women who are leading the way toward a better world.**

**33 KARA GOLDIN** The entrepreneur runs Hint, the largest independent nonalcoholic-beverage company in the country, with over $800 million in sales as of this year. When she’s not expanding her brand into other areas like sunscreen, she’s lobbying Congress to make sure clean drinking water is available at schools and in the military. “I love my job because I feel like it’s part entrepreneur and part advocate for the consumer,” she says. “When I hear that a $1.50 bottle of water is helping people recognize that they can create healthy change in their lives, that’s pretty powerful.”

**34 SEYI OLUYOLE** After a dance video of her students was reposted by Naomi Campbell, Iman Hammam, and Rihanna last spring, the founder of Dream Catchers Dance Academy in Nigeria became an Internet sensation. The scriptwriter and freelance film director, who started the free academy when she was just 16, now uses her own salary plus donations to house, care for, and educate nine students and teach about 650 kids total. “My wish is to tour the world and heal people with the joy these kids exude, irrespective of their pasts,” she says. “I believe the future holds great things for us. The world will know our name.”

**35 FRANCES ARNOLD** When the Caltech professor was awarded a Nobel Prize for directing the evolution of enzymes, she became only the fifth woman in 117 years of Nobel history to win in chemistry. “I breed molecules like people breed cats or dogs—only I do it in the test tube with DNA and bacteria,” she explains. This method yields new enzymes and other biomolecules to use in practical yet earth-friendly applications, like a nontoxic alternative to pesticide sprayed by Jane Goodall, someone Arnold cites as an inspiration. “I’m inspired by creative people who try to do something positive for the world,” she says. We can add Arnold to that list.