

MEMBER COUNTRY CHAPTERS



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COMMONWEALTH BUSINESS WOMEN AFRICA

(CBW-AFRICA)



VISION

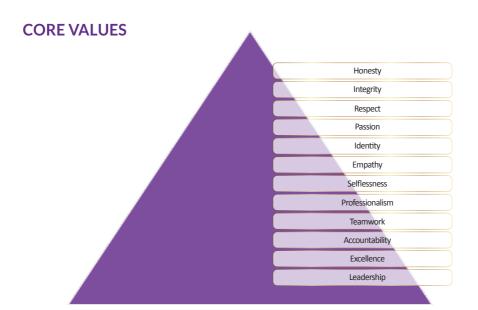
CBW-Africa empowers African women entrepreneurs by enhancing their access to financial products and services, building capacity, and creating opportunities to connect with domestic and global markets. Our organisation aims to foster the entrepreneurial spirit of women and girls in Africa and the Commonwealth.

MISSION

Commonwealth Business Women Africa (CBW-Africa) aims to empower women across Africa and the Commonwealth by eliminating gender inequalities and breaking down barriers in business. The organisation is committed to achieving gender equality and systemic change, giving every girl and woman a voice, a choice, and the ability to achieve independence.

WHO WE ARE

Commonwealth Business Women Africa (CBW-Africa) is an organisation dedicated to promoting the skills and talents of African women. We aim to empower women to become entrepreneurs, leaders, and professionals, creating a more inclusive and gender-balanced business environment across Africa and Commonwealth countries. We strive to eliminate inequalities and leverage the power and potential of women in business to break down gender barriers as change agents committed to gender equality and systemic change.



OUR OBJECTIVE

We form a network of businesswomen to share experiences, pool resources, build relationships, impart knowledge, and address critical issues. We aim to optimize local and global opportunities for women in Africa, connecting them to the global platform for action on sourcing expertise, tools, and logistics to achieve economic independence.

We identify and secure support for the organization at local, national, continental, and global levels, raising awareness of the organization's objectives with the media, the private sector, the public sector, and businesswomen. The goals of CBW-Africa are to scale up access to financial literacy and opportunities, education for women-led businesses, and foster an enabling environment to ensure girls' and women's participation and voices are heard.

We also aim to eliminate financial bottlenecks to empower women in family and community-transforming activities. We also promote the use of technology to achieve development, address advanced learning in all spheres of life so that no one is left behind, and promote the call to dismantle barriers to girls and women's full participation in the socioeconomic development of their nation.

COLLABORATIONS

To achieve our objectives, we collaborate with African and Commonwealth countries, promoting women-owned businesses and seeking equal opportunities for women in business. We provide an open forum for discussions on matters affecting women in various sectors while promoting continuing education, intellectual growth, and career advancement for our members.

We organize activities to promote the businesses of members and women in Africa and encourage friendly and social relationships across Africa and the Commonwealth nations. We also cooperate with other organizations, institutions, or bodies of persons established in Africa, the Commonwealth, and different continents, having objectives similar to those of the CBW-Africa.

We aim to affiliate with organizations of other women's bodies with objectives similar to ours. Affiliate organizations must be non-political, non-religious, and non-profit, independent of and not subject to the control of any government.

END GAME

We encourage and empower our members and women to fulfil their potential and aspirations in life. We are dedicated to advocating for women's rights and opportunities in business and leadership. We provide a platform for our members to exchange ideas, foster collaborations, and contribute to the global dialogue on gender equality.

We are committed to improving the impact of gender equality on women's social, economic, religious, cultural, and environmental development. We also aim to promote human capital for sustainable development by assisting young girls born in abject poverty to thrive. We support, empower, and provide encouragement to the economic potential of women in the continent, similar to the CBW-Africa ideal, and provide tools, logistics, and strategies for women to progress economically.

Thank you.

Yours faithfully,

For: Commonwealth Business Women Africa (CBW-Africa)

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OUR STRATEGIC PARTNERS















OUR PROGRAMS

- Women in STE(A)M
- CBW-Africa Trading Centre
- Summits and Business Retreats
- Environmental Conservation Programs
- Mental Wellness Programs
 - 1 Million Girls Coding Program
 - Mentorship Programs
 - Boy Child Programs

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