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The Social Capitalists



Big ups to a community of MUT graduates for establishing a group called Black Interdependent Movement. The movement is geared towards creating generational wealth through entrepreneurship and building career improvement programs. The group also offers support in promoting healthy lifestyles, improving physical, spiritual, and financial wellbeing of all the group members.

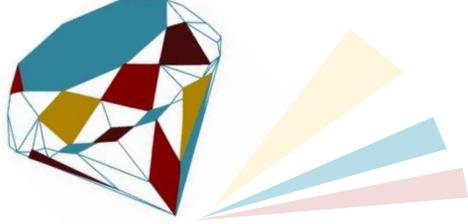
We are proud to see these young alumni from multidisciplinary professions creating value through skills transfer and supporting one another to shape and own the future.

Oscar Mthimkhulu - The Civic Leader, Class of '96



Kudos to Oscar Mthimkhulu, the first African CEO appointed at Sabi Sand Game Reserve. Since his appointment, his proudest career prospect has been to see African communities understand the value of conservation in their own space without it being imposed to them. He works tirelessly with communities of all backgrounds in conservation to manage and preserve our precious natural resources.

Mthimkhulu is a leader who understand that leading others is a privilege but above all excellent and selfless leadership is about giving service to others.



Voice of SA Youth loud and clear at Pre-SONA 2022



Alumnus Bright Hlongwane is adamant to pursue all avenues to make sure that the voice of young entrepreneurs is represented in policy and decision-making platforms. On 09 February 2022, Bright joined the Pre-SONA youth dialogue where he did not mince his words challenging the government to recognise and take necessary action to respond and resolve the plight of South African Youth. Talking live of ENCA, Bright cited lack of funding, lack of government support, access to resources and opportunities as the main challenges crippling youth entrepreneurs. Numerous efforts have been made by Youth in Business South Africa (YIBSA) to call on government to give youth an ear and consider recommendations and efforts of youth towards fighting youth unemployment in South Africa.

“I wish President Cyril Ramaphosa can act decisively towards fighting issues of youth unemployment, my hope is that the President will allocate resources and opportunities for youth in business. The pandemic has been catastrophic for youth entrepreneurs, businesses closed down because of lack of support from the government and it is so sad that some of the youth may not be able to pick themselves up post Covid-19,” said Bright.

Nonkululeko Khumalo- The public servant, Class of '96



MUT is home to an abundant energy of graduates who want to thrive and provide the assistance they once needed. This has also been one of Khumalo's dreams to pay forward the support she received from others during her early days as an MUT student. Khumalo's Non-Profit Organisation Buyisi Themba Community Development (BTCD) was established to give hope to previously disadvantaged communities by providing mentorship and resources to learners and students to maximise the number of throughputs and minimise the number of dropouts.

We are pleased to see that Nonkululeko understands the need for society that is well capacitated to thrive in every aspect of life.

