BUILT AFRICA
Building you to shape your future

TRANSFORMING UNENPLOYED YOUTH AND WOMEN TO CREATE A BETTER FUTURE

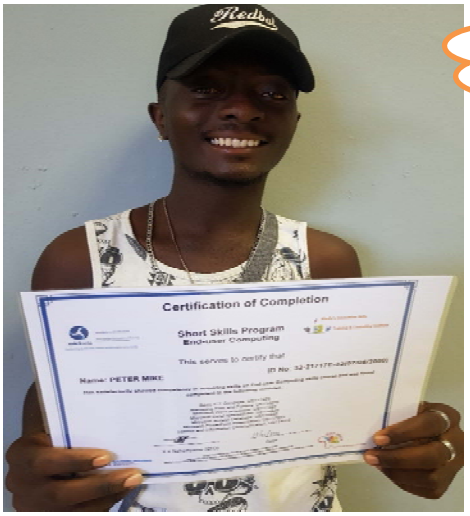




I am grateful to Built Africa that gave me an opportunity to improve the quality of my life!

Meet Lizzy Joy Napo is of our first beneficiaries who went through our Life Skills workshop, following with Computer training. Upon successful completion Built Africa managed to place her in a temporary job for a period of six month which help to ease certain challenges she was facing. When her six months contract ended she joined our security training program where she did very well and is currently looking for employment using her new acquired skills.

Open Rubric



Amazing facilitators!

Meet Mike Peter one of our beneficiaries originally from Zimbabwe who attended our Life Skills program and thereafter completed the Computer training successfully. He was our top student based on his hard work and dedication. Built Africa assisted him to enrolled at ABET (Adult Based Education and Training) to complete his High School Education.

ABOUT BUILT AFRICA

Built Africa was found in 2016 and registered on 22nd March 2017 at the Department of Social Development (DSD) in South Africa as a non-profit organisation and at South African Revenue (SARS) as a Public benefit organisation, which embraces a strong standing for all races of the African continent. Built Africa founders are Ms Gertze, a registered Social Worker (UNISA) by profession including various Post-graduate Diplomas with a vast experience over 20 years within Occupational Health and Safety and Community Development gained from Telkom SA and UNISA on the one hand. On the other, Mr Dias Bongo is a Graduate with a Master of Theology with specialisation in Narrative Therapy (UNISA) and Master of Philosophy Degree in Futures Studies (Stellenbosch University) who has worked as Human Resources Professional up to a Group Director level in various national and international organisations and currently serves as a Senior Advisor on Capacity Building to the CEO of the African Peer Review Mechanism (APRM), a specialised agency of the African Union (AU) dealing with issues of Governance throughout the African Continent.

The name, Built Africa derived from the word “built” which means sturdy or strong. Our overall aim is to build a healthy and strong community through skill development programmes to fight unemployment of the young people and vulnerable woman in the context of community development.

It is governed by board members who are from different backgrounds, passionate and equipped to contribute positively to the organisation in the areas of their expertise.

In addition to fight unemployment in the community, the increase of the issues of gender-based violence and the spread of HIV/Aids which deprive women and young girls from opportunities to reach their full potential in life, Built Africa has designed different social and educational programmes that will help them to achieve something through access to information, advices, services, and programmes:

Our focus is placed on helping the unemployed youth and vulnerable woman to:

- Personally, develop and live a happy life.
- Nutrition.
- Health (Provide information, understanding, and the knowledge to avoid contracting HIV, TB and other STI's).
- Understanding family support structure.
- Skills development programmes.
- Access educational and economic opportunities; and
- Ultimately work placement as posting open

OUR VISION

The vision of Built Africa is to empower the youth and vulnerable women to change their own "futures", enabling them to live a life in a world free of violence through obtaining appropriate education and training that will benefit them either by gaining employment and /or becoming entrepreneur for self-reliant for sustainable futures.

OUR MISSION

Our mission is to offer psycho-social support through negotiated relevant skills development programmes that will empower youth and vulnerable women to become self-reliant and independent to improve the quality of their life.

OUR CORE VALUES

Our Values are reflected in who we are, what we do, and the way we work. We ensure the effectiveness of our integrated and decentralized approach to business and help us achieve our purpose through our unique mix of people, solutions and passion.

TRACK RECORD OF OUR SUCCESS STORIES

For the past two years we were committed and dedicated and overachieving our targets:
We have successfully trained young people in the following programmes:

- Life skills - 799
- Computer training - 347
- Forklift - 12
- Security - 40
- Leaners licence - 7
- Drivers' licence – 2
- Job placement – 97

Presently, we have a waiting name list of candidates of more than 340 who have applied for this life changing training.

Built Africa contribute to alleviate levels of poverty from community dwellers in the cycle of crimes and violence. Built Africa's offerings promote directly and indirectly to local socio-economic development and a safe, healthy environment through dedicated programmes. Though our services we have already made a tremendous impact to the dwellers of areas we are serving.