

# Japan Africa Business Forum 2014

## Speakers



**Dr. Ibrahim Hassane Mayaki**, *Chief Executive Officer, New Partnership for Africa's Development (NEPAD)*

*NEPAD 計画調整庁長官*

Dr. Mayaki was professor of Public Administration and Management in Niger and Venezuela where he served during the periods 1978 – 1982 and 1985 – 1987. He also worked during ten years in the mining sector in Niger. From 200 – 2004, he was Visiting Professor at the University of Paris XI where he taught international affairs and international organizations. He also led researchers at the Centre for Research on Europe and the Contemporary World in the same university. In January 1997, under the presidency of Ibrahim Baré Maïnassara, Dr. Mayaki joined the cabinet as Minister in charge for African Integration and Cooperation, before holding the position of Foreign Minister.

He was appointed Prime Minister of the country in November 1997. He remained in charge until January 2000. As Prime Minister of Niger, Dr. Mayaki played a catalyst role in enhancing the social dialogue in the country. He initiated the creation of relevant technical committees in charge of the negotiations with social partners. In 1998, Dr. Mayaki, with the collaboration of the International Confederation of Free Trade Union, organized a national forum on social dialogue, launched necessary consultations and measures which resulted in the creation of the first 'National Commission for Social Dialogue' (Commission Nationale sur le Dialogue Social) in 2000. This commission was the first created in Africa. In August 2000, he created the Public Policy Analysis Circle (Cercle d'analyse des politiques publiques), a think-tank focusing on health and education policy. In 2004, he became Executive Director of The Platform supporting rural development stakeholders in Western and Central Africa (The Rural Hub), located in Dakar in Senegal. Since 2009, Ibrahim Assane Mayaki, is the CEO of the New Partnership for Africa's Development.



**Mr. Davis Chirchir, Cabinet Secretary, Kenya Ministry of Energy and Petroleum**

ケニア・エネルギー石油長官

Mr. Chirchir has a depth of experience in project development, management and execution and is skilled in strategic analysis and financial management. He previously served as a commissioner at the Interim Independent Electoral Commission. He was also General Manager at Kenya Posts and Telecommunications Corporation where he coordinated the restructuring of KPTC to create Telkom Kenya, Communication Commission of Kenya, Postal Corporation of Kenya and staff Pension Fund. Mr Chirchir also coordinated the privatisation of Telkom Kenya and the establishment of mobile phone company Safaricom. He holds a Masters of Business Administration in International Management from Royal Holloway School of Management at the University of London. He also has a Bachelor of Science degree in Computer Science and Physics from the University of Nairobi.



**Ms. Valentine Sendanyoye Rugwabiza, Prime Chief Executive Officer, Rwanda Development Board (RDB)**

ルワンダ開発庁長官

Amb. Valentine Sendanyoye Rugwabiza, has been appointed new Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of Rwanda Development Board (RDB) in 2013. She is a former Deputy Director General of the World Trade Organization. Ms. Rugwabiza was also appointed a member of the cabinet and Claire Akamanzi, who has been acting CEO, has been made the Chief Operations Officer (COO). While at WTO, Rugwabiza was mainly in charge of development issues that included trade policy review, training, technical cooperation and trade facilitation. She was one of four director-generals who served under director-general Pascal Lamy from October 2005 to September 2013 and was also in charge of WTO work program on aid for trade. Before joining WTO, she served as Rwanda's envoy to the United Nations in Geneva and Switzerland. She is also the founder of the Rwandan Association of Women Entrepreneurs. Previously, Rugwabiza served in various senior managerial positions in the private sector, both in Rwanda and abroad, including in a Swiss multinational corporation.



**Ms. Daphne Mashile-Nkosi, Executive Chairperson, Kgalagadi Manganese**

*カラガティ・マンガニーズ CEO*

Ms. Mashile-Nkosi was named 'CEO of the Year' at the Africa CEO Forum 2014, held in Geneva, Switzerland. The coveted award recognised companies and individuals whose strategies contributed to Africa's economic ascendance. Ms. Mashile-Nkosi dreams big and by all accounts has worked hard in her swim upstream to build a manganese mine and a sintering plant. Ms. Mashile-Nkosi has plans to build a smelter at Coega, a port in South Africa's Eastern Cape province, to produce high carbon ferromanganese, but at an estimated cost of R5bn funding is again in question. Mashile-Nkosi has hinted at wanting to build a steel plant despite the country's excess steel-making capacity. Ms. Mashile-Nkosi has a Small Business Management Diploma from Wits Business School and she serves as the chair and director of a wide range of companies. She is the chairperson of Kalahari Resources and executive chairperson of Kalagadi Manganese. She is a trustee and the chairperson of the Women's Development Bank Trust and leads the board at the Women's Development Bank.



**Ms. Eleni Gabre-Madhin, Chief Executive Officer of eleni LLC**

*エレニ LLC CEO*

Ms. Eleni Gabre-Madhin serves as Chief Executive Officer of eleni LLC. Ms. Gabre-Madhin is an internationally recognized thought leader on commodity exchanges and rural development in Africa. She was Founder of Ethiopia Commodity Exchange and served as its Chief Executive Officer 2008 to 2012. Ms. Gabre-Madhin has over 15 years of experience on agricultural markets in Africa. She took the exchange from its project phase to annual trading of US \$1.2 billion in three years. She served in many senior positions in the World Bank, the International Food Policy Research Institute (Washington), and United Nations (Geneva). She has been a Director of Syngenta AG since April 23, 2013. She received the American Outstanding Dissertation Award in Agricultural Economics in 1999. She was awarded the prestigious Yara Prize and the African Banker Icon award in 2012, and invited to address world leaders at the G8 summit in Camp David. She was named among 100 Most

Influential Africans 2012, the 50 Women Shaping Africa 2011, and Ethiopian Person of the Year 2009. She received the Outstanding Dissertation award from the American Agricultural Economics Association in 1999. She holds Doctorate in Applied Economics from Stanford University, Bachelors and Masters in Economics from Cornell University and Michigan State University, respectively.



**Mr. Mohamed El Kettani, Chairman and CEO of Attijariwafa Bank S.A.**

南アフリカ・アティジャリワファ銀行 CEO

Mr. Mohamed El Kettani serves as the Chairman and Chief Executive Officer at the Attijariwafa Bank S.A. Prior to this position, he served as its Managing Director of Corporate Banking. Mr El Kettani started his banking career in 1984 at the Banque Commerciale du Maroc in the investment loans department; he started managing this department in 1985. His succeeding position was as deputy chief executive officer and chief officer of the loans department in 1994. In March 2003, Mr El Kettani took over the management of the department of investment banking. After the fusion of the BCM and the Wafabank in 2003, consequently renamed Attijariwafa Bank, he was appointed manager of the investment banking section of the new bank. He has been a Director of the Attijariwafa Bank S.A.



**Mr. Karim Hajji, CEO, Casablanca Stock Exchange, Morocco**

カサブランカ証券取引所会頭

Mr. Karim Hajji is the CEO of the Casablanca Stock Exchange, one of the largest exchange in Africa, and a member of the World Federation of Exchanges. In 2011, he joined the HOPE Global Board of Advisors and was appointed Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Association of African French speaking Exchanges. Prior to joining CSE in April 2009, he was Chairman and CEO of Atlas Capital Group, a well-respected, independent investment bank, active in both corporate finance and

asset management, which he had founded in 1999. After an 8 year international career at Eli Lilly and Co in the US then in Italy and Switzerland, he had joined the ONA Group, Morocco's largest conglomerate, in 1990 as advisor to the Chairman, then General Manager of an affiliate in Monaco and finally Group CFO in 1994. Mr. Karim Hajji holds an MBA from New York University's Stern School, a diploma from "Institut d'Etudes Politiques de Paris" and a Master's degree in capital markets from the University of Paris-IX Dauphine.



**Ms. Minoush Abdel-Meguid, MANAGING DIRECTOR & CO-FOUNDER of Union Capital Partners, Egypt**

ユニオンキャピタルパートナー代表

Ms. Minoush is the Managing Director and cofounder of Union Capital Partners, the Investment Manager of Union Capital Private Equity one of Egypt's first SME focused private equity funds. She leads the investment management team of Union Capital and also works on post-acquisition value creation. She serves on the board of several investments as well as their executive committees. Minoush served as Assistant to the Chairman and of the Head Corporate Finance Division within Egyptian Capital Market Authority between December 2005 and December 2007. In her capacity as corporate finance head, Minoush has been part of the team leading the introduction of a new takeover chapter as well as working on a comprehensive reform plan for the division. She was the CMA representative in the stock exchange Listing and Acquisitions committees was appointed CMA representative in the board of the Mortgage Finance Fund. Ms. Abdel Meguid managed a team of 10 people responsible for daily operations related to all corporate finance activities within the CMA.

Ms. Minoush has more than 15 years of experience in the field of investment banking and investment management. Prior to joining the CMA, Ms. Abdel Meguid was Senior Transactor - Resident Vice President, Corporate Finance & Investment Banking North Africa Division at Citigroup in Egypt since April 2004 (nominated for a promotion in December 2005 to Vice President). She also served as a Manager, Investment Banking Division HSBC Investment Company Egypt from up to April 2004. Prior to joining HSBC she was a Financial Analyst at the Investment Banking Division of Goldman Sachs International, London, as part of the European Mergers & Acquisitions team covering M&A, Debt and Equity capital market transactions. She attended the Goldman Sachs International Analyst Training Program as well as the Principal Investment Area (PIA) Training during her work with Goldman Sachs in the UK. Ms. Minoush also attended the Chase Manhattan Bank Credit & Investment Training Program within the Commercial International Bank's training. Upon the completion of the program she worked as a Senior Investment Analyst, Private Equity Investments Division of Commercial International Investment Company managing the company's portfolio in the cement and building material, financial services, food and agribusiness as well as real estate with a total portfolio under management exceeding EGP500 million. She was part of the team

that acquired a minority stake in the Sidi Kreir Petrochemicals Company (SIDPEC) as well as a stake in the Egyptian Financial and Industrial Company, Housing & Development Bank, Egyptian International Pharmaceuticals Company and Al Watany Bank of Egypt. Ms. Abdel Meguid has also been involved in major corporate finance and investment banking transactions including: First cross border M&A in Egypt - Orascom Construction Industries (OCI) acquisition of Pakistani Cement Chakwal Cement, Sidi Krir Petrochemicals Company 20% Initial Public Offering (USD 250 million), the first IPO in the Egyptian market in five years and ADR offering for Portuguese government-owned Electricity Company (Electricidade de Portugal SA).

Ms. Minoush is the founding president of the Egyptian Young Bankers Association, an Egyptian non-governmental organization that caters for the progression of young bankers from 2003 until her resignation in 2008. She was the sole Egyptian participant at the State Department's renowned International Visitors' Leadership Program in 2005 with focus on "Women in Economic Development". She was also selected by Business Today Magazine as the 2nd ranked Young Executive under 40 in Egypt in 2003 and was the Class Speaker at her graduation commencement at the American University in Cairo from which she holds a B.A in Economics and International Relations, magna cum laude. Ms. Minoush has been on the Forbes list of the Most Powerful Women in Africa since 2011, the renowned magazine has cited her strong commitment to bring about change in the field of investment and entrepreneurship in Egypt as reasons for her selection. She has participated in several international conferences and has lectured as a guest speaker at various leading universities and think tanks across the world on topics including Entrepreneurship, Women Empowerment, Economic Development, Investments and Finance including at the University of Georgetown, University of Kansas, University of Sydney, Australian National University, the London School of Economics, the World Bank, International Republican Institute and Girls Inc.



**Mr. Adam Kendall, Partner, McKinsey & Company's sub-Saharan Office, Johannesburg**

マッキンゼー・サブサハラ・オフィス パートナー

Adam is a principal in McKinsey's office in Johannesburg, South Africa. He leads McKinsey's Electric Power and Natural Gas Practice work in Sub-Saharan Africa (SSA), and does a significant amount of work in the mining sector as well. Since 2000, his work has focused on projects in the energy, electricity, and mining sectors, with particular attention paid to bringing electricity access to rural areas, capital project delivery, regulatory strategies, transformations, and operations work in emerging markets. Adam brings extensive experience working directly with private sector and government leaders across a range of African and international markets. Prior to joining McKinsey, Adam worked as a short-term consultant in the Social Protection Sector of the World Bank, developing programs to monitor the success and sustainability of the Sector's projects. Adam has a BA in History and Political Science with Distinction from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill (1998). In addition, Adam has a Diploma in International Relations from the Johns Hopkins

University Bologna Centre (1999), and a Masters in International Relations with Distinction from the School of Advanced International Studies of the Johns Hopkins University (2000).



**Ms. Rendani Neluvhalani**, *Partner, Pan-Africa Tax Desk, International Tax Services, Ernst & Young*

アーンスト&ヤング 部長

Ms. Rendani Neluvhalani, International Tax Services (ITS) Partner, who has been with the organization for over 15 years and brings extensive Pan- African tax experience to the role. Currently, she leads the *Ernst & Young Africa Global Tax Desk Network* in Beijing. Ms. Rendani joins China's Africa Global Tax Desk Network from her current position as EY's Pan-African ITS Partner, based in South Africa. Ms. Rendani and the EY Africa tax network serve the China market, as well as countries in the Asia-Pacific region and Japan. She brings a broad understanding of many African tax systems to her new role, as well as a well-established African network. Ms. Rendani's experience spans across various industries, with a focus on the financial services and telecommunication industries. She spent over two years with the international and structured finance team in EY's London office where she spent a significant portion of time on tax effective supply chain and transfer pricing engagements. Ms. Rendani also led the ITS practice in South Africa for four years as well as the Africa region for two years.



**Prof. Hiroyuki Hino**, *Senior Advisor to the Presidency of the Republic of Kenya*

ケニア大統領府アドバイザー

Prof. Hiroyuki Hino is Senior Advisor to the Presidency of the Republic of Kenya for Strategic Initiatives and Economy. He is on assignment from Kobe University, Japan, where he is Professor of Economics at its Research Institute of Economics and Business Administration. Prof. Hino is also Special Fellow at Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) Research Institute, Member of Board of Advisors of Centre for Research on Peace and Development at Leuven University and

member of the National Economic and Social Council of Kenya (NESC). Prof. Hino was until recently Economic Advisor to the Prime Minister of Republic of Kenya.

Prior to assuming the current positions, Prof. Hino was a senior staff of the International Monetary Fund (IMF), serving as Director of the Regional Office for Asia and the Pacific, Senior Advisor of the African Department, Assistant Director in the Policy Development and Review Department, Resident Representative to the Philippines, and others. He also was Economic Advisor to the Minister of Finance of Uganda, and served in a number of advisory committees of the Ministry of Finance of Japan. Prof. Hino is an author of a number of books and articles. His publications include among others, *Youth and Employment in Sub-Sahara Africa: Working But Poor* (co-editor, Routledge, forthcoming); *Ethnic Diversity and Economic Instability in Africa: Inter-Disciplinary Perspectives* (co-editor, Cambridge University Press, 2012); and *Towards the Restoration of Sound Banking System in Japan: its Global Implications* (Co-author, Kobe University, 1999). He holds a Ph.D. in Economics at University of Rochester.

## Participants (Africa Business Leaders)



*(to be confirmed)* **Dr. Ayoola Oba Otudeko**, *Chairman, Honeywell Group; FBN Holdings Plc*

ハニーウェル・グループ、FBN ホールディング会長

Dr. Oba Otudeko (CFR) is Chairman, FBN Holdings Plc; Honeywell Group Ltd; Airtel Nigeria and Fan Milk Nigeria Plc. He is a foremost Nigerian entrepreneur and visionary reputed for his highly successful domestic and foreign investments that cut across diverse sectors of the economy. He was Chairman, First Bank of Nigeria Plc and FBN Bank (UK) Limited. He has, at various times, served on the boards of Central Bank of Nigeria, Guinness Nigeria Plc, British American Tobacco Ltd and Ecobank Transnational Incorporated, headquartered in Lome, Togo. Dr. Otudeko was the 16th President and Chairman of Council of the Nigerian Stock Exchange. He holds the Nigerian National Honour of Commander of the Order of the Federal Republic (CFR) awarded in 2011. He is a Chartered Banker, Chartered Accountant and Chartered Corporate Secretary. He was for 10 years, Chancellor of the Olabisi Onabanjo University, Ago-Iwoye, Ogun State and currently serves as a member of the Office of Distinguished Friends of London Business School (UK). Dr. Oba Otudeko is the founder of Oba Otudeko Foundation (OOF), and a not-for-profit organization.





**Mr. Yaw Owusu, Founder, Managing Director, Gateway Innovations**

ゲートウェイ・イノベーション社長

Mr. Yaw Owusu founded Gateway Innovations Ltd to develop and manage the first technology park in Ghana. Mr. Owusu co-authored the book *Modernizing Commonwealth Governments* (publisher: Commonwealth Business Publications, London, England, 2004). The book, available on Amazon.com, outlines the role of startup incubation and technology parks in transforming Africa's IT economy. Mr. Owusu has presented papers on innovation in emerging markets in the last 10 years, including the ITU Telecom World 2012 in Dubai, UAE; the 11th MIT Global Startup Workshop, Madrid, Spain and the 8th Annual Africa Business Conference at Harvard Business School. He worked for General Electric and IBM Global Services as project manager before joining the technology group of the Investment Banking unit at Goldman Sachs in New York. Mr. Owusu studied in the Executive MBA program at Columbia Business School in 2001-2002 and majored in Mathematics and Economics at Albright College, Reading, Pennsylvania. He earned a certificate in Planning, Developing and Managing Technology Parks in 2007 from the Shanghai International Business Incubator.



**Mr. Kiprono Kittony, National Chairman, Kenya National Chamber of Commerce and Industry (KNCCI)**

ケニア商工会議所会頭

Mr. Kiprono Kittony is the National Chairman of the Kenya National Chamber of Commerce & Industry. His main agenda is to enhance economic development, trade facilitation and create business opportunities for its members at the local and international scene. He is also the CEO of Capital Realtime Limited which is a Safaricom Dealership, Chairman of Media Owners Association, My Jobs In Kenya, AAR Health Insurance Ltd, Mtech Limited, Member of the World Chambers Federation, Board Member of Media Council of Kenya, KEPSA (Kenya Private Sector Association), Betting Control & Licensing Board, AAR Holdings Limited, Business Advocacy Fund, Advocate of the High Court of Kenya and Director of other Small and Medium-sized Enterprises (SMEs). He has a lot of experience in public life as an implementer of various developmental projects countrywide and has a wide exposure in International relations. He is the Founder Chairman of Radio Africa Limited which is now the fastest growing media company in Kenya with several radio stations including the market leading Kiss TV, Kiss FM, and Classic 105 Radio Stations, as well as a national

daily newspaper. He is also involved in philanthropic activities such as aiding orphans and supporting other worthy causes and mentors youth through Green Horn Mentorship and AIESEC programme. He graduated with a Global Executive MBA from United States International University & Columbia Business School, degree in Owners Management Programme from the Strathmore University/ Lagos Business School, a degree in Bachelor of Commerce Business Administration and a degree in Law from the University of Nairobi.



**Mr. Tewolde GebreMariam, CEO, Ethiopian Airlines**

エチオピア航空 CEO

Mr. Tewolde GebreMariam joined Ethiopian Airlines in 1985 as Transportation Agent at Addis Ababa Airport. He progressed through the ladder to Manager Cargo Traffic Handling. In 1995, he was appointed as Regional Director for India and Southeast Asia based in Bombay. He was later transferred to Jeddah as Area Manager for Saudi Arabia. When Ethiopian commenced direct services to the USA in 1998, he was appointed as Area Sales Manager for North East USA and Canada based in New York. In Oct-2000, he was appointed as Regional Director for the Americas. On 16-Aug-2004 he was appointed as Executive Officer Marketing & Sales to head the Marketing and Sales Operations of Ethiopian. On 1-Jul-2006, he was appointed as Chief Operating Officer of Ethiopian to head all the operating divisions of the airline commercial, flight operations, customer services and maintenance and engineering. Since 1-Jan-2011 he has been serving as CEO of Ethiopian Airlines. In his CEO role, Mr Tewolde has been a triple award winner. In Nov-2012, he won “The African CEO of the Year-2012” award from the African CEO Forum organised jointly by Jeune Afrique and the African Development Bank in Geneva. In Dec-2012, he won “The Best African Business Leader” award from the Washington D.C. based Corporate Council on Africa, which promotes trade and investment ties between the USA and Africa. In Jul-2013, he became the first African Airline CEO to receive “The Airline Strategy Award for Regional Leadership” in the award’s 12 year history. The Award is given out annually by Airline Business Magazine, a publication of Flight Global, the world’s leading aviation media brand. In addition to his duties as CEO of Ethiopian Airlines, he also serves as a member of the Board of Governors of the International Air Transport Association (IATA); and an Executive Committee member of the African Airlines Association (AFRAA); a Board member of Ethio Telecom; and a member of the Airlink Advisory Council.

He earned his B.A. Degree in Economics from the Addis Ababa University in Ethiopia and his Masters Degree in Business Administration from the Open University in the UK.



**Mr. PETER MUNGA**, *Non-Executive Chairman of the Board of Directors of Equity Bank Ltd & CEO of Equatorial Nut Processors*

*Equity Bank 理事会議長*

Mr. Peter Kahara Munga, CBS, serves as Non-Executive Chairman of the Board of Directors of Equity Bank Ltd. He is also Member of the Governance, Board Nomination and Staff Remuneration Committee and of the Strategy and Investment Committee of the Company, as well as Chairman of the Company's Board Executive Committee. Additionally, he is Chairman of National Oil Corporation and a Director in Micro-Enterprise Support Program Trust (MESPT), British American Investments Company (Kenya Ltd), Rockefeller Foundation and Equatorial Nut Processors. He is a retired Deputy Secretary. He is Certified Public Secretary with experience in both public and private sector management. He holds a diploma in Human Resources and Financial Management.



**Ms. Yukiko Omura**, *ADVISORY and NON EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR of BOARDS Assured Guaranty Ltd. & Former Vice President and COO of International Fund For Agricultural Development (IFAD), Executive Vice President of Multilateral Investment Guarantee Agency (MIGA), World Bank Group*

*アマテオン・アグリ・ホールディング顧問 前 MIGA 長官*

Ms. Yukiko Omura is currently the Director of the Board for Assured Guaranty, Member of the Risk and Finance Committees, an Advisory Board member of Amatheon Agri Holding N.V., a Non-executive member of the board of directors for GuarantoCo Ltd. (Private Infrastructure Development Group), and Chair of the Treasury Committee on Advisory Boards of CG/LA Infrastructure and Columbus Frontiers. She has been an Executive Vice President of Multilateral Investment Guarantee Agency (MIGA), a member of the World Bank Group since May 2004. Ms. Omura served as Vice President of the international fund for agricultural development (IFAD). She has more than 30 years of international professional experience in multilateral development agencies and leading investment banks. She worked in more than 80 countries, including 20 African countries and gained vast experience in the management of global, regional and country operations with particular emphasis on public-private partnership project finance. She began her career as a project economist with the Inter-American Development Bank, in Washington, D.C. She spent 10 years at J.P. Morgan in Tokyo, New York and London, among other duties launching the emerging markets operations in the Tokyo office and heading EMSTAR (Emerging Markets Sales, Trading and Research) Marketing for Northern Europe, out of London. Ms. Omura joined Lehman Brothers as Head of Emerging

Markets, Asia and served as its Head of Credit Business, Asia. She was Head of the Global Fixed Income and Derivatives Department of UBS in Japan. Following a merger with SBC and LTCB, Ms. Omura served as the new Head of the merged bank, She was head of Dresdner's Global Markets and Global Debt offices in Japan. She serves as a Member of Advisory Board at Amatheon Agri Holding N.V. and supports the development of Amatheon in Africa. In 2002, Ms. Omura created the AIDS Prevention Fund. Ms. Omura educated in Switzerland and the United Kingdom and she holds Master's degree in Political Economics from the Boston University.



**Mr. Robert B. Hersov, Founder and Chairman, Africa Invest and African Capital Investments**

アフリカ投資・資本投資創始者 / 議長

Mr. Robert B. Hersov, is a senior executive, private investor and entrepreneur, based in London. He currently serves as a Managing Partner of merchant bank Sapinda, chairman of the VistaJet Advisory Board, chairman of Adorem Partners, and is the founder and chairman of Invest Africa and African Capital Investments. Invest Africa acts as a multi-service platform for access and investment into Africa; allowing business leaders, investors and entrepreneurs to gain insight into opportunities in Africa.

From January 2004 to January 2008, Mr. Hersov was the vice chairman of NetJets Europe Ltd., a subsidiary of NetJets, Inc., a private aviation company, and a member of the NetJets Europe Advisory Board until December 2009. Appointed in January 2010, Mr. Hersov is now the chairman of the VistaJet Advisory Board. Mr. Hersov founded and, from December 2002 to April 2004, served as chief executive officer of Marquis Jet Europe, a private aviation company which he sold to NetJets, Inc. Mr. Hersov founded and, from October 1998 to December 2002, served as the chairman of Sportal Ltd., a company that operates an Internet site that offers sports-related games and videos. From October 1996 to September 1998, he served as the executive director of Enic plc, a holding company listed on the London Stock Exchange that invests primarily in the sports and media sectors. From September 1995 to September 1997, Mr. Hersov was the chief executive officer of Telepiu PayTV in Milan, Italy, a pay TV and digital satellite company. From March 1993 to August 1995, Mr. Hersov served as an executive director of Richemont, a tobacco, luxury and media conglomerate listed on the SWX Swiss Exchange. Prior to that Mr. Hersov ran Morgan Stanley's European media investment banking group from 1991 to 1993, was an executive at News Corp. in New York from 1989 to 1991, reporting to Rupert Murdoch, and worked as an analyst at Goldman, Sachs & Co. in New York from 1985 to 1987. Mr. Hersov has been a member of many public and private Boards and owns many companies in the resource, media/marketing, luxury and finance sectors. Since October 2009, Mr. Hersov has been a member of the board of directors of US-listed Cullen Agri-Tech (resigned January 2014). Since December 2009, Mr. Hersov has been a member of the board of Deltec International Group (DIG), the Holding company which owns 100% of Deltec Bank & Trust, the oldest bank in the Bahamas (resigned June 2013). Until recently, Mr. Hersov has also been chairman of AIM-listed Paragon Entertainment, chairman of Taggstar and chairman of Medikidz. Since January 2013 Mr. Hersov has been Chairman of Luxembourg-listed RNTS Media. Mr.

Hersov's grandfather founded AngloVaal, one of Southern Africa's largest mining and industrial companies, which his father, Basil, ran in the 70's, 80's and early '90's.

Mr. Hersov received a B.B.S. from the University of Cape Town and a M.B.A. from the Harvard Business School. He is married to entrepreneur Dr Kate Hersov, founder of Medikidz, and he has three children.



**Mr. Avninder Singh Dhariwal**, *Managing Director, AVOC Investments, Tanzania & Board Member of East African Business Council (EABC)*

タンザニア AVOC 投資局長・東アフリカビジネス評議会役員

Mr. Avninder Singh Dhariwal has worked 12 years in the construction industry in the UK on various highway and building projects. During this period he qualified for Chartered Engineers status of the Institution of Civil Engineers and also the Institution of Highways and Transportation. In 1993, he returned back to Tanzania to join his father's construction company and formed Avco Investments Ltd, which has grown into a large transport and building materials supply company. He is currently the vice chairman of the British Business Group Tanzania and on the northern zone committee of Tanzania Truck Owners Association (TATOA). He is a graduate of the University of Warwick, UK.



**Mr. Ken Poonoosamy**, *Managing Director, Board of Investment (BOI), Mauritius*

モーリシャス投資委員会 委員長

Mr. Ken Poonoosamy is the Managing Director of the Board of Investment (BOI), the country's national investment promotion agency.

Since joining BOI in 2005, he led various directorates within the organization and has used his international expertise to develop and promote Mauritius as a competitive global hub and has seen investment thrive in financial services, logistics, BPO, ICT, seafood and Freeport sectors.

Ken has equally been closely involved with the development of new economic clusters as part of the country's strategy of economic diversification and has also formed part of a series of bilateral negotiations panels at a country level. Since 2011, he has driven a number of initiatives as part of the broader country Africa Strategy. His leadership and insight are contributing to Mauritius's rise as the global investor's platform into Africa.

Ken is a regular speaker at international conferences on Africa related investments, good governance in IPAs and doing business practices, shipping and seafood as well as a number of sector specific opportunities.

Prior to joining the BOI, Ken served in the Mauritius Freeport and at Deloitte and Touche. He holds a Master's degree in Port and Shipping Management, a BA (Hons) Economics and International Trade from Leeds Metropolitan University (UK), in addition to a professional diploma in shipping from Lloyds (UK). Ken is also an alumnus of the ESSEC Business School in France.



**Mr. Daniel David**, *Chairman of Group SOICO – Sociedade Independente de Comunicaçã, Limited.*

*SOICO グループ会長*

Mr. Daniel David was born in Mozambique. He is currently Chairman of Group SOICO iV Sociedade Independente de Comunicacao, Limited. In 2000, founded SOICO - Sociedade Independente de Comunicacao, the unique media group in the country that brings the TV channel ("STV" in 2002), Radio station ("SFM" in 2004) and daily Newspaper ("O Pais" in 2005). He was a CEO of DHD, Consulting & Holding, Limited, a holding company with investments on media, IT, Real Estates, Banking. Mr. David was the president of the Chamber of Commerce Mozambique-Portugal. He joined TVM (Mozambique Public Television) in 1989, where he served as cooperation and Training Director, Marketing and Commercial Director and was later appointed as a member of Board. In 1998, Mr. David was elected Vice-President of URTNA (Union of the Radios and Televisions of Africa). He has received several honorary awards in recognition of his entrepreneurial spirit over the years. It is important to remember the honorary award "Emerging Entrepreneur of the Year Award", awarded by Ernst & Young in 2007.

He attended the Management course at UNISA University in South Africa (Advanced Executive Programmer). He holds degree in Administration and Management of Companies by Universidade Politecnica.



**Mr. Nkosi' Mcineka, Co-founder and CEO, Amaphisi Farmers, South Africa**

アマフィシ・ファーマーズ CEO

Mr. Nkosi' Mcineka is an entrepreneur and a farmer with extensive experience in Agri-business, Food security, Information Technology, Project Management, Broadcasting technologies, Banking systems and Contact centre business. He is a co-founder and Chief Executive Officer of Amaphisi Farmers which is a South African (RSA) registered enterprise focusing on producing and processing cooking herbs, vegetables and offering agri-advisory services to farmers and investors in Africa. He is an Electronic and Computer Engineer by profession; he obtained his education in RSA and in The United Kingdom (UK).

Nkosi' has served in senior positions in both private and public sectors in RSA and UK. His major contributions are in Agriculture; Rural Development, Transformation of Small businesses, Pay-TV industry (Multichoice, Irdeto, Open-TV and Morai); Financial Industry (Standard Bank Africa and Land Bank) and Energy (Eskom) and Government (CIPRO, DWAF, and NC Premier Office). Managing resources in different continents has made Nkosi' understand and appreciate different cultures. Nkosi' is a family man who likes spending time with his loved ones, farming, cooking, travelling, aviation and socializing in general.



**Professor. Emmanuel Nnadozie, Executive Secretary of the African Capacity Building Foundation (ACBF)**

ACBF 事務局長

Professor Emmanuel Nnadozie is the Executive Secretary of the African Capacity Building Foundation (ACBF). Prof. Nnadozie is an educator, economist, professor of economics, author and development expert. His work spans over 20 years in the development sector. Prior to his selection for ACBF, he was Chief Economist and Director of the Macroeconomic Policy Division and before then the Director of the Economic Development and NEPAD Division of the United Nations Economic Commission for Africa (UNECA) which he joined in 2004. At the UNECA, Prof. Nnadozie led the production of the well acclaimed annual Economic Report on African from 2010 to 2013; the Least developed Countries Monitor and the annual Africa MDGs Report for 4 years. He also served as a UN representative at various intergovernmental and continental forums and as coordinator for the UN system-wide support to Africa's development as well as the focal point for UN/UNECA's

relations with African Union Commission, NEPAD Secretariat and the African Peer Review Mechanism (APRM). Before joining the UNECA, Prof. Nnadozie taught economics from 1989 to 2004 at Truman State University in Kirksville, Missouri. While at Truman, he also held a fellowship at University of Oxford and a visiting professorship at University of North Carolina. In 1992 he obtained a federal grant to establish the university's McNair Scholars Program—a predoctoral programme for underrepresented students. He served as the director of the program until he left the university in 2004. Additionally, he was a co-founder and faculty advisor of the African Students Association at Truman. Mr. Emmanuel Nnadozie has written several books and book chapters which include among others, African Economic Development. Recognized as an educator, Emmanuel Nnadozie is member of many Honor societies and organizations, including Pi Delta Phi, Omicron Delta Kappa, and Phi Kappa Phi. He received higher degrees at the University of Nigeria Nsukka and the Université de Paris 1 Sorbonne.



**Mr. James Kuria**, *Head of Africa Business Development, Deloitte Tohmatsu Consulting Co.,Ltd.*

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Mr. Kuria has 12 years career ranging from Semiconductor Manufacturing, Beverage Supply Chain Management, Chemicals Business Management and Consulting in Japan. After Graduating from Tokyo Metropolitan University (Japan), He started his career at Texas Instruments (TI) Japan as a Semiconductors Process Engineer in charge of semiconductor Epitaxial, Etching and Copper Plating Metallization processes. On leaving TI, He joined Coca Cola Japan Supply chain Operations in Tokyo. He worked as a Project Manager in start-up of 2 new beverage Aseptic Filling Plants of blended Teas and Mineral water to supply the West Japan Region of Osaka, Hiroshima and Fukuoka. He later joined Sumitomo Chemical Company Japan as a Deputy Manager in Crop Protection and Household Chemical business covering ASEAN countries, and Africa Market. Currently he is the Head of Africa Business Development at Deloitte Tohmatsu Consulting in Japan. Mr. Kuria authored the Japanese book *Africa; the last remaining frontier in the world - Business Opportunities and Risks* (publisher: Nippon Jitsugyo Publications, Tokyo, Japan, 2014).

He holds MBA from Chuo University Graduate School of Strategic Management Japan. He has a Kenyan nationality and a Japan permanent resident. He is Fluent in Japanese, English and Swahili.





**Dr. Zodwa Dlamini, LHWC Chief Delegate, Lesotho Highlands Water Commissioner (LHWC)  
RSA's Permanent Delegate, Maseru Lesotho**

レスト高地水道長官

Dr. Zodwa Dlamini is currently LHWC Chief Delegate leading the RSA Delegation based in Maseru Lesotho. She was appointed as Lesotho Highlands Water Commissioner (LHWC) RSA's Permanent Delegate based in Maseru Lesotho since 2005. Prior to joining LHWC, from 1986 to 1991, she was a Tutor at the University of Iowa Geography Department, Iowa City, USA and Researcher for the Office of Affirmative Action University of Iowa and Africare Fellow at the University of Iowa. Dr. Dlamini was the first African Senior Lecturer appointed at the Johannesburg College of Education teaching Sociology of Education in 1992. In 1994, she promoted as the Deputy Director for Advanced Basic Education and Literacy (ABEL) an AED and Creative Associates Project funded by USAID to assist and fund Transitional Government and NGOs involved with ABET and Pre-primary education in South Africa. Dr. Dlanimi was the Head of Education in the Northern Cape – Amalgamated all the three ex-departments of Education into one Department.

Due to the leadership of Ministers the RSA LHWC Delegation successfully concluded the LHWP Phase II Feasibility Study. Subsequently the RSA Cabinet gave DWA through RSA Delegation a go ahead in Dec 2008 to start negotiations with the Government of Lesotho (GOL) for Phase II. She has been successful in leading the RSA Delegation to conclude the negotiations of the implementation of Phase II. As the member of a non-government organisation "Every Child Is Ours" founded by President Clinton while he was president, Dr. Dlamini introduced the Northern Cape Education Department and Training to ECIO and provided books for school libraries in the province.

She obtained her BA Honours in Geography from the University of Fort Hare, Alice Eastern Cape, MA in Urban and Political Geography from the University of Iowa, IA USA, and PHD in Social Foundations of Education from the University of Iowa, IA USA.

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モロッコフリースーン局長

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**Mr. Raymond Zate Zoukpo**, *Director, Office of the First Vice President and Chief Operating Officer (FVP & COO), African Development Bank*

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Mr. Zoukpo is currently the Director of Office of the First Vice President and Chief Operating Officer (FVP & COO) since 2008. He has joined the African Development Bank in 1986 as the Economist of Research and Planning Department. After serving as Personal Assistant to the President, Head of Debt Management, Head of Credit Risk Management, Mr. Zoukpo worked as Director of Financial & Risk Management Department (FFMA) in 2006 and Director of the Reform Implementation Team (RIT), President office in 2007. Mr. Zoukpo has a Doctorate's Degree specialization in Quantitative Policy Analysis (University of Tsukuba, Japan), a Master of Arts degree in Management Science and Public Policies (University of Tsukuba, Japan) and a MAITRISE D'ECONOMIE APPLIQUEE (M.E.A) in Economics from the University of Abidjan, in Côte d'Ivoire. He had a distinguished career in banking, financing and development.



**Mr. Désiré Vencatachellum, Director, Resource Mobilization and External Finance (FRMB), African Development Bank**

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His work focuses on issues of relevance for developing and emerging economies, in particular African ones. Over the course of his career Mr. Désiré has demonstrated his ability for strategic thinking and innovation, produced impactful policy documents, and published applied research. Mr. Désiré is actively involved in international development discussions, such as the post-2015 development agenda and the ongoing African Development Fund replenishment. His technical expertise spans economic policy, country-level studies, development effectiveness, quantitative analysis, and private sector operations for enhanced development impact.

His 18 years of post-Ph.D. professional experience started as University Professor at HEC Montréal (Université de Montréal). Mr. Désiré then moved to the African Development Bank as a Research Economist. Through a competitive process he was promoted twice at the Bank to his current position of Director of Operational Resources and Policies. Throughout his career Mr. Désiré has been acclaimed for his strong managerial capacities. Mr. Désiré has set up and led teams to deliver on high-level mandates.



**Mr. Mouhamadou Niang, Acting Director, Private Sector Operations, African Development Bank**

アフリカ開発銀行民間セクター局局長代行

Mr. Mouhamadou Niang, a Senegalese national, is the Acting Director of Private Sector Operations at the African Development Bank (AfDB). In this capacity, he oversees the Bank's private sector operations in Infrastructure, Natural Resources, and Financial Institutions. He has more than twenty years of experience in project finance and private equity funds investing. Before joining the Bank, he held various positions in multilaterals and private sectors, including the IFC as Investment Officer, and Modern Africa Fund Managers as Senior Advisor; most recently, he worked with the Islamic Development Bank where he was instrumental in setting up the Structured Finance Unit. He has broad experience in PPPs, and has led the financial closing of projects in infrastructure, industries and agribusiness. He holds Masters Degrees in Business and in Information Systems. He was educated in France and the US, and holds Masters Degrees in Business and in Information Systems.



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Before joining the AfDB, Ms. Kilonzo is the Chief Executive Officer of the Capital Markets Authority (Kenya) 2008-2012 responsible for the development and regulation of all capital markets. Previously, she worked in Financial Industry Regulatory Authority, in Chicago, USA. She was Chairman, East African Securities Regulatory Authorities 2008-2010. She has a First Class Honors Bachelors of Commerce Degree from the Catholic University of Eastern Africa an MBA in Corporate Finance, Loyola University, Chicago and is Certified Public Accountant (CPA), USA.



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Mrs. Onike Nicol-Houra, a Sierra Leonean national, joined the African Development Bank in 2001. She holds a Master degree in Business Communication, with a focus on marketing and business development. She also holds a Master degree in Information and Communication Technologies (ICTs) and a Master degree in Environmental Communication. Her multidisciplinary background allows her to cover a wide range of activities involved in realizing new business opportunities, including product or service design, business model design, and marketing. Since May 2001, Mrs. Nicol-Houra has been working for the Private Sector Department of the African Development Bank, where she gained significant experience in information and communication activities, client relationship management, as well as Business promotion. For the past 7 years, her scope of activities has expanded to include marketing and business development. In this regard, she is actively involved in designing and implementing major business development activities in private sector operations.

Before joining the African Development Bank, Mrs. Nicol-Houra was a communication specialist for the International Finance Corporation (IFC), the private sector arm of the World Bank Group. Mrs. Nicol-Houra views her position at the African Development Bank as an opportunity to create synergies between communication, marketing and business development activities and make the most of it for private sector operations, and beyond.

**Mr. Masayuki Tamagawa, Head, External Representation Office for Asia (ASRO), African Development Bank**

アフリカ開発銀行アジア代表事務所所長

Mr. Masayuki Tamagawa, Japanese national, is currently the Head of External Representation Office for Asia of the African Development Bank since October 2012, when AfDB opened its first regional external office outside Africa. While serving as a senior official of Ministry of Finance in the area of international finance, financial sector policy and tax/custom administration, he had actively taken international assignments at OECD (Deputy Chair of Financial Market Committee), IOSCO (Chair of Working Group on Secondary Market Regulation), IMF (as advisor of the Monetary and Financial Sector Department) and Asian Development Bank (Director General of Budget, Human Resource and Management Systems Department). Before joining AfDB, he was Deputy CFO of JT (Japan Tobacco Inc.). He has degrees from the University of Tokyo (B.A in Law) and Oxford (M.A in Philosophy, Political Science, and Economics).