

COMPANY PROFILE



MILLENNIAL
LEGACY



Our Philosophy



Vision

To empower businesses and organizations that create lasting positive impacts and empower communities for a better future.



Mission

To provide cutting edge consultancy to empower organizations in competitive environments.

Our Values



Proactive Leadership and
Direct Communication



Ability to Multitask



Creativity and Teamwork



Informed Decision Making



Collaborative Problem Solving

Who We Are?

Building legacies through the positive power of business

We are a research and projects consulting firm dedicated to delivering practical, innovative, and results-driven business solutions to governments, NGOs, startups, and established entrepreneurs across East Africa.

Our approach is highly consultative and tailored to the unique needs of every client. We work closely with organizations to understand their challenges, identify opportunities, and develop actionable strategies that drive sustainable growth and measurable results.

Our work transforms ideas and evidence into practical products that strengthen organizations and create lasting impact.

We support clients through:

- Strategic and business planning
- Research, assessments and contextual analysis
- Program design and co-creation
- Gender, disability and policy analysis
- Entrepreneurship training, coaching and employability programs
- Leadership, governance and conflict-resolution facilitation
- Strategic investment, marketing and business development
- Digital learning platforms, training courses and systems development
- Visual communication, documentaries and advocacy materials

Our experience includes developing strategic plans for NGOs and refugee-led networks, designing entrepreneurship programs for hundreds of business owners, conducting research for international organizations, supporting policy and advocacy initiatives, and building consultancy and learning platforms.

With a decade' experience: we combine research, innovation, community engagement and strategic insight to help organizations improve performance, mobilize resources, expand opportunities and deliver measurable results. We do not simply provide advice—we work with our clients to develop solutions that can be implemented, sustained and scaled.

We do this by combining research-driven insights with strategic thinking, innovative business models, and a deep understanding of the East African business environment. Our approach incorporates Blue Ocean Strategy and platform business models to help clients discover new opportunities, differentiate themselves from competitors, and create lasting value.

Our Services

We provide strategic planning, research and analysis, entrepreneurship and education development, project management, and strategic communication services for organizations, businesses, and community initiatives.

Strategic Planning and Organizational Development

Strategic plans, investment plans, organizational reviews, leadership development, governance, and conflict resolution.

Education, Employability and Digital Learning

Curriculum and course development, entrepreneurship learning platforms, employability training, student recruitment strategies, and instructor training.

Research, Analysis and Evaluation

Contextual research, needs assessments, gender and disability analysis, policy analysis, surveys, and program research.

Project and Program Design and Management

Program design, implementation, coordination, stakeholder engagement, fundraising support, and monitoring of community and development initiatives.

Entrepreneurship and Business Development

Business plans, market research, marketing and sales strategies, entrepreneurship training, business coaching, and enterprise-support programs.

Strategic Communication and Visual Storytelling

Marketing videography, documentaries, visual assets, advocacy materials, and communication products for public engagement.



How We Do It

“We combine research, strategic thinking, practical execution, and continuous learning to deliver measurable results across our core services.”

Clear Plans, Time frames and Measurables

Whether supporting a short-term assignment or a long-term program, we translate objectives into clear action plans. Each engagement includes defined activities, time lines, responsibilities, outputs, and measurable indicators of progress.



Quality Assurance

Our internal review and quality-control processes ensure that research, strategies, training materials, reports, and communication products meet high professional standards before they are delivered to the client.

Evidence-Based Approach

We begin by understanding the client's context, objectives, and challenges. Through research, assessments, stakeholder engagement, and analysis, we develop solutions grounded in evidence, experience, and local realities.

Practical and Collaborative Delivery

We work closely with clients throughout the process—from strategic planning and research to project implementation, training, and communication. Our approach ensures that recommendations are practical, locally relevant, and designed for effective use.

Client Involvement and Ongoing Support

Clients remain involved at every stage of the engagement. We provide regular updates, status reports, data, and visual progress summaries. For longer-term assignments, a dedicated contact person supports coordination, communication, and follow-up.

Monitoring, Evaluation and Learning

We monitor performance, evaluate progress, and use evidence to improve implementation. Regular reviews help identify what is working, address challenges early, and ensure that projects and strategies remain focused on results.



Our commitment

We do not simply provide advice. We help clients understand their challenges, develop practical solutions, implement them effectively, measure results, and learn for continued improvement.

Proof of Capacity: OUR SOLUTIONS

Since 2017, we have supported organizations, businesses, institutions, and communities across East Africa with practical, evidence-based solutions in strategy, research, entrepreneurship, education, project management, organizational development, and strategic communication. Our work is collaborative, context-responsive, and focused on achieving measurable and sustainable result



REFUGEPOINT

YEAR: JULY 2026

Facilitated a leadership workshop for the Urban Refugee-Led Organization Coordination Board. The workshop focused on leadership, conflict resolution, and clarifying roles and responsibilities to strengthen coordination and organizational effectiveness.



WATERAID

YEAR: JANUARY–FEBRUARY 2026

Conducted a contextual analysis of the COP29 text and NDC 3.0, focusing on capacity building for climate-resilient WASH and COP processes. The analysis supported WaterAid staff working on climate resilience and water, sanitation, and hygiene programming in Africa.



YOUTH VOICES COMMUNITY

YEAR: NOVEMBER 2025–FEBRUARY 2026

Developed a five-year Strategic Plan for Youth Voices Community covering the period 2026–030. The process provided a framework for organizational growth, program development, institutional strengthening, and sustainable impact.



OXFAM INTERNATIONAL

YEAR: AUGUST–NOVEMBER 2025

Developed a Feminist Foreign Policy Analysis to examine policy priorities, power relations, gender equality, and opportunities for advancing feminist approaches within international cooperation and development.



KISUMU MEDICAL AND EDUCATION

TRUST YEAR: JULY 2025–FEBRUARY 2026

Developed a five-year Strategic Plan for Kisumu Medical and Education Trust covering the period 2026–030. The plan provides strategic direction for institutional development, program implementation, resource mobilization, and organizational sustainability.



RELON-UGANDA

YEAR: JULY– SEPTEMBER 2025

Developed a five-year Strategic Plan for the Refugee-Led Organization Network Uganda covering the period 2026–030. The plan focused on organizational strengthening, refugee-led advocacy, partnership development, resource mobilization, and long-term institutional growth.

SHINING LORDS KIDS ENGLISH

SCHOOL YEAR: APRIL–JUNE 2025

Developed a Strategic Investment Plan and produced marketing videography for Shining Lords Kids English School in Mozambique. The assignment supported institutional positioning, investment planning, visibility, and communication of the school's educational value.



OXFAM INTERNATIONAL

YEAR: DECEMBER 2024–FEBRUARY 2025

Led the development of gender-analysis products for the Kampala Declaration and the CAADP 2026–035 strategy. The process involved close collaboration with a Technical Working Group comprising Oxfam and seven partner organizations.

The work generated recommendations, including 16 core indicators to strengthen women's participation in sustainable food systems and climate adaptation. Regular engagement with the Technical Working Group ensured that partner input shaped the gender brief and informed the gender response within the CAADP 3 results framework.



YOUTH VOICES COMMUNITY

YEAR: SEPTEMBER–OCTOBER 2024

Produced a documentary highlighting the experiences and perspectives of persons with disabilities. The documentary supported advocacy, public awareness, visibility, and more inclusive conversations around disability rights and participation.





RELON-KENYA AND IRAP **YEAR: AUGUST–OCTOBER 2024**

Conducted strategic research to support the co-design of a two-year disability program. The assignment examined the needs, experiences, priorities, and opportunities of refugees with disabilities and generated evidence to guide program development and partnership planning.



CHRISTIAN AID **YEAR: APRIL–NOVEMBER 2024**

Designed visual communication assets to promote public dialogue on governance deficiencies within international financial institutions, particularly in relation to Special Drawing Rights.

The work translated complex financial-governance issues into accessible and compelling visual content to support advocacy, stakeholder engagement, and informed public discussion.



NIEHUB **YEAR: NOVEMBER 2023–2024**

Developed 30 entrepreneurship courses and supported the creation of an entrepreneurship-learning platform. The assignment also included the development of a training manual and systems manual to support the delivery and management of entrepreneurship programs in Northeastern Kenya.



MCGILL UNIVERSITY **YEAR: 2021**

Developed a postgraduate prospective-student recruitment strategy for Africa. The strategy provided recommendations for strengthening market positioning, student engagement, outreach, recruitment processes, and institutional visibility across African markets.



RELON-KENYA **YEAR: MAY–JULY 2024**

Developed a five-year Strategic Plan for RELON-Kenya covering the period 2024–2028. The plan was designed to strengthen the organization's fundraising capacity, support progressive rights advocacy, and promote entrepreneurship development among its membership and partners.



BORDER HUB, BUSIA COUNTY **YEAR: JANUARY–MARCH 2024**

Conducted a digital and entrepreneurship needs assessment to identify learning, technology, enterprise-development, and support needs. The findings provided a basis for designing relevant digital-learning and entrepreneurship interventions.



MILLENNIAL LEGACY INVESTMENTS LTD **YEAR: 2022–2025**

Designed, developed, and launched a business consultancy system and digital platform serving startups, established companies, and NGOs.

The platform applies qualitative and quantitative insights to support customized consultancy solutions. It has handled 56 consultancy cases, including 21 led directly by the firm's lead consultant, addressing organizational, operational, strategic, and business-development challenges.



BLUE CROSS KISUMU AND IOGT-NTO **MOVEMENT YEAR: 2021**

Conducted the National Alcohol Situation Analysis Endline Survey. The research generated evidence on alcohol-related circumstances, trends, and outcomes to support learning, program review, and future planning.





M-SHAMBA

YEAR: 2020–2021

Developed western Kenya operations and established a regional marketing strategy for agricultural produce. The strategy created the capacity to move approximately 84 tonnes of Irish potatoes to markets across the region.



AQUARECH LIMITED

YEAR: 2021

Developed marketing and sales strategies to strengthen market positioning, customer engagement, revenue generation, and business growth. The strategies also supported more sustainable approaches to agricultural produce distribution.



SOS CHILDREN' VILLAGES, KENYA

YEAR: 2018–2020

Implemented the first and second cohorts of *The Next Economy' Employability Training and Placements* program.

The program supported young people to develop employability skills, improve their readiness for work, and access relevant placement and career opportunities.



HUMANITY AND INCLUSION

YEAR: 2019

Conducted research on the prevalence and situation of persons with disabilities within the general refugee population living in Kakuma Refugee Camp and Kalobeyei.

The research generated qualitative and quantitative evidence on the experiences, needs, barriers, and opportunities affecting refugees with disabilities.

HAKI FINANCE

YEAR: 2019

Developed consultation protocols for SME business assessments and designed a database to support the collection, organization, analysis, and management of SME information.

The solution strengthened the assessment process and provided a structured system for generating insights into the needs and performance of small and medium-sized enterprises.

MAJIK WATER TECHNOLOGY LIMITED

YEAR: 2018

Developed a Business Plan to guide the organization' business direction, operational planning, market positioning, financial sustainability, and future growth.



ACACIA SCHOOL ELDORET

YEAR: 2018

Developed a Strategic and Business Plan to guide institutional growth, educational development, operational improvement, market positioning, and long-term sustainability.



YOUTH ALIVE KENYA

YEAR: 2017–2019

Implemented an Employability Training and Placements program to support young people in developing workplace competencies and accessing employment opportunities.

The program combined employability training, career preparation, practical skills development, and support for transitioning into work.

HILLSVIEW PRIMARY SCHOOL

YEAR: 2018

Developed a Marketing Plan to strengthen the school' positioning, visibility, student recruitment, stakeholder engagement, and communication of its educational offering.



“Our Corporate Social Responsibility”

Millennial Legacy Foundation (MLF)

The Foundation was registered as a non-profit arm of the company, operating as a CLG under the laws of the Republic of Kenya.

Mission and Overview

Founded in July 2019, MLF is dedicated to empowering the next generation of leaders and entrepreneurs. The organization operates with the core mission of transforming the youth landscape by providing essential tools for personal, academic, and professional development. To date, MLF has successfully reached over 8,650 youth, fostering a culture of innovation and resilience.

Core Programs and Services

The foundation delivers impact through a multi-faceted approach, focusing on four primary pillars:

- **Education Support:** MLF champions academic success through initiatives such as the Reuben Ogonda Education Fund, which provides scholarship referrals and direct learner support to underprivileged students.
- **Mentorship and Innovation:** By facilitating entrepreneurship clinics and mentorship programs, the foundation equips young people with practical skills and guidance necessary for navigating the modern economy.
- **Community Outreach:** MLF actively engages with families and communities, offering guidance and resources to ensure holistic youth development.
- **Global Opportunities:** The organization acts as a bridge, connecting Kenyan youth to global platforms and networks, broadening their perspectives and potential for success.

Strategic Impact and Value Proposition

MLF distinguishes itself through its targeted, community-centric model that addresses the root challenges facing Kenyan youth. By combining immediate educational assistance with long-term entrepreneurial mentorship, MLF creates a sustainable pathway to self-reliance. As an organization, MLF is committed to "building the legacy of tomorrow, today," consistently leveraging local partnerships and volunteer networks to create measurable, life-changing impact.

For more information, visit <https://millelegacy.org/>



ENTREPRENEURSHIP CLINIC YEAR: 2022–2023

Launched an Entrepreneurship Clinic to support business development through a regular talk-show program. The initiative created a platform for entrepreneurs, business professionals, public-sector representatives, and other stakeholders to share knowledge, opportunities, and practical business solutions.



ENTREPRENEURSHIP COACHING FOR WOMEN ASYLUM SEEKERS YEAR: 2022

Trained and coached 40 women asylum seekers in entrepreneurship. The program focused on business knowledge, opportunity identification, enterprise development, and practical strategies for economic participation and self-reliance.



CROSS-BORDER TRADE AND BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT YEAR: 2019–2021

Trained 30 women entrepreneurs on cross-border trade and business development, including the COMESA Common Market protocols. The program strengthened participants' understanding of regional trade, market access, compliance, and enterprise growth.



WOMEN' BUSINESS RESILIENCE PROGRAM YEAR: 2019–2021

Trained and coached 20 women entrepreneurs on COVID-19 resilience and business-survival mechanisms. The support focused on adapting business models, managing risks, maintaining operations, and identifying recovery opportunities during economic disruption



EAST AFRICA LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT YEAR: 2018–2021

Conducted leadership training for an East Africa leadership team. The training focused on leadership capacity, team effectiveness, organizational responsibility, communication, and collaborative decision-making.



KISUMU BUSINESS FORUM YEAR: 2022–2023

Designed and implemented a business forum to showcase products and services offered by entrepreneurs. The initiative supported business visibility, networking, market access, and collaboration among entrepreneurs and business-development stakeholders.



BUILD YOUR BUSINESS POTENTIAL PROGRAM YEAR: 2020–2021

Designed and launched an entrepreneurship and business-development program supporting 450 entrepreneurs across Kisumu, Nakuru, Lamu, Nairobi, and Mombasa.

The program focused on business skills, enterprise development, market opportunities, business resilience, and practical strategies for strengthening entrepreneurial performance.



WOMEN' ENTREPRENEURSHIP AND GRANT SUPPORT YEAR: 2019

Trained 19 women entrepreneurs in business and strategy development. The assignment also included coaching, mentoring, and supervision of three grant implementations for successful participants.



WOMEN' BASIC BUSINESS SKILLS PROGRAM YEAR: 2019

Trained 15 women entrepreneurs on basic business skills. The program focused on strengthening participants' understanding of enterprise development, business planning, financial management, and day-to-day business operations.





SHAREHOLDERS



MANAGING CONSULTANT



SENIOR
CONSULTANT



SENIOR
CONSULTANT



SENIOR
CONSULTANT



SENIOR
CONSULTANT



ADMIN
ASSISTANT



INVESTOR
RELATIONS OFFICER



COMMUNICATIONS
STRATEGIST



ACCOUNTANT



PROJECTS
MANAGER



SERVICE PROVIDERS



SIMEON O. OGONDA

WORK EXPERIENCE

Senior Consultant at Millennial Legacy Investments LTD

Dec 2017 - Present

- July 2026: Leadership workshop Facilitator/Consultant for Urban RLO Coordination Board on leadership, conflict resolution, roles and responsibilities with RefugePoint
- Jan- Feb 2026: Contextual Analysis of the “OP29 Text and NDC 3.0 for Capacity Building on Climate Resilient WASH and COP Processes for Africa WaterAid staff
- Nov 2025-Feb 2026: Developed a 5-year Strategic Plan (2026-2030) for YVC (Youth Voices Community)
- Aug- Nov 2025: Developed a Feminist Foreign Policy Analysis for Oxfam
- July 2025- Feb 2026: Developed a 5-year Strategic Plan (2026-2030) for KMET (Kisumu Medical and Education Trust)
- July- September 2025: Developed a 5-year Strategic Plan (2026-2030) for RELON-Uganda (Refugee-Led Organization Network)
- Apr-June: Develop a Strategic Investment Plan and Marketing Videography for SLKES (Shining Lords Kids English School)- Mozambique
- Dec 2024-Feb 2025: The consultant leads the development of gender analysis products, collaborating closely with a Technical Working Group composed of Oxfam and seven partner organizations. They regularly update the TWG, ensuring their input shapes the brief, which informs the gender response of the CAADP 3 results framework.
https://drive.google.com/file/d/1_jbKsIAmcE6Ru_5Q1W-coty5uTGgSTHN/view
- Sept-Oct 2024: Documentary of persons with disability for Youth Voices Community.
https://drive.google.com/file/d/1dtvFzGdOafuDEFGAHjv7VGzYp9QFxo5/view?usp=drive_link
- Aug- Oct 2024: Conducted strategic research for Disability program co-design of a two-year program process for RELON-Kenya and IRAP.
https://drive.google.com/file/d/1ZrYxr7CM8vN0pPKANdJzv_arUzyYHVre/view?usp=drive_link
- May-Jul 2024: Developed a Strategic Plan for RELON-Kenya on behalf of Oxfam International. The 5-year Strategic Plan is aimed at supporting the 180-member organization to expand its fundraising program and undertake progressive rights advocacy and entrepreneurship development over the next five years.
<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1jZbjfCoVseVQJTHywehFOqCR3OHnhxjR/view>
- Apr-Nov 2024: Designing visual assets for Christian Aid: Visual Assets aimed at promoting public dialogue on governance deficiencies of international financial institutions in the context of Special Drawing Rights (SDRs).
https://drive.google.com/file/d/1yCVBkzQsmZA1nzwNtN4Cyx5st3ZjzaGo/view?usp=drive_link
- 2022-2025: Designed, developed, and launched a business consultancy system/platform for providing consultancy services to startups, established companies, and NGOs. The system has handled 56 consultancy cases with 21 being handled by me as the lead consultant:
<https://millelegacy.com/>
- Nov 2023-2024: Developed 30 entrepreneurship courses for NIEHUB for training, building an entrepreneurship learning platform for NIEHUB for training entrepreneurship programs, and and launch a training manual and a systems manual in Northeastern Kenya



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About

Self-motivated Professional and Commonwealth Scholar, successful in seizing viable opportunities for expansion and innovation in business and community projects.

- Jan-Mar 2024: Digital and entrepreneurship needs assessment for the BorderHub in Busia County
- 2021: Developed Post-graduate prospective students recruitment strategy for Africa on behalf of McGill University in Canada. https://drive.google.com/file/d/149vni9njUjPjNyaSe5kSCOWTUxQYiE-P/view?usp=drive_link
- 2021: Conducted the “National Alcohol Situation Analysis Endline Survey Report” for Blue Cross Kisumu, and IOGT-NTO Movement based in Sweden. https://drive.google.com/file/d/1RqpWE6oAE6lCXX1dUozDIIdTmZNEPxIIQ/view?usp=drive_link
- 2021: Developed marketing and sales strategies for Aquarech Limited
- 2020-2021: Developed M-Shamba's western Kenya operations: Established a successful marketing strategy with the capacity of moving 84 tonnes of agricultural produce (Irish potatoes) to the markets in the region.
- 2019: Developed the Consultation on SME Business Assessment Protocols and designed the database for SME Business Assessments for Haki Finance, a start-up based in Nairobi.
- 2019: Conducted research on “he Prevalence and Situations of Persons with Disabilities in the General Population of Refugees Living in Kakuma Refugee Camp and Kalobeyei” for Humanity and Inclusions (HI); https://drive.google.com/file/d/11CTCSK-vSL9j_ryHNgyw1KNsMvqgJvem/view
- 2018: Developed the Business Plan for “Majik Water Technology Limited”
- 2018-2020: Implemented the first and second cohorts of “he Next Economy’ Employability Training and Placements” for “OS Children Villages, Kenya”
- 2018: Developed the Strategic and Business Plan for “Acacia School Eldoret”
- 2018: Developed the Marketing Plan for “Hillsview Primary School”
- 2018-2021: Conducted Training for the East Africa Leadership Team for “The Pollination Project Foundation.”
- 2017-2019: Implemented the Employability Training and Placements” for “Youth Alive Kenya.”

Trust at Millennial-Legacy Foundation

July 2019 - Present

- 2022-2023: Launched the Entrepreneurship Clinic to support business development through a regular talk-show program inviting different players in partnership with the County Government of Kisumu. The program is currently ongoing: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Z4fJU5Wls-4&t=12s> and <https://fb.watch/on6eEhmPk5/>
- 2022: Trained and coached 40 women asylum seekers on entrepreneurship through partnership and Funding from the Community Solutions Program (IREX), in Jerusalem, Israel
- 2022-2023: Designed and implemented the Kisumu Business Forum to showcase business services and products from Kisumu entrepreneurs in partnership with the Kisumu County’ Department of Trade and Business Development for 100 entrepreneurs in Kisumu, Kenya
- 2019- 2021: Trained and coached 20 women entrepreneurs on COVID resilience and business survival mechanisms through partnership and funding from World Learning in Kisumu, Kenya.
- 2020-2021: Designed and launched the Build Your Business Potential Program for 450 entrepreneurs in Kisumu, Nakuru, Lamu, Nairobi, and Mombasa in partnership with the U.S. Embassy. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MBQV4vsVK9k&t=42s>
- 2019: Trained 15 women entrepreneurs on basic business skills at Remba Island, Homabay County, Kenya. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SKYgQ8mBMCw&t=98s>
- 2019-2021: Trained 30 women entrepreneurs on cross-border trade (COMESA common market protocols) and business development through partnership and funding from World Learning, in Kisumu Kenya.
- 2019: Trained 19 women entrepreneurs on business and strategy development, and coached and supervised three grant implementations for winners, in partnership with Nosotras Women Connecting (a Costa Rican Organization) in Kisumu City, Kenya. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=sBR9Irdz9BE>

Regional Consultant-Manager- Western Kenya at M-Shamba, Kisumu :

Jun 2020 —Aug 2021

- Developed M-Shamba's western Kenya operations
- Established a successful marketing strategy with the capacity of moving 84 tonnes of agricultural produce (Irish potatoes) to the markets in the region.

Programs Manager at StartUpAfrica, Kisumu

Mar 2014 —Nov 2015

- Expanded the Diamond Challenge for Young Entrepreneurs from 13 schools to 87 schools in Kenya

- Organized two successful National Competitions for the Diamond Challenge program in 2014 and 2015
- Expanded the volunteer program for StartUpAfrica to 4 regions

Programs Director at Spring Break Kenya, Mombasa

Apr 2012 —Mar 2014

- Co-founded the Spring Break Kenya as a community program
- Organized 5 successful community immersion camps
- Created a successful secretariat that run the Community Based Organization for 5 years.

Research Coordinator at PARADEP, Kisumu

July 2011 —Apr 2012

- Organized 3 successful community-based research on challenges facing South and Central Sakwa locations in Bondo district
- Assisted, in a technical capacity, in the development of a successful proposal that brought \$379,000 with funding from the European Union and Community Development Trust Fund to the community.
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EDUCATION

Ph.D in Strategic Management: JKUAT, Nairobi, Kenya

May 2025 —

Admission approved and learning begins September 2026

Master' in Education and International Development, University College London-, U.K:

Oct 2015 —Apr 2017

- Awarded Second Class Honors, Lower Division
- Completed professional development in Education Policy International Development
- Commonwealth Scholars (CSC) Program

Transparency and Accountability Credits, George Mason University, Washington, D.C (No Degree):

Aug —Dec 2014

- Completed professional development in Transparency and Accountability
- Continuing education credits from George Mason University

Bachelor of Arts (With IT), Maseno University, Maseno: Sep 2008 —Nov 2012

- Achieved Second Class Honors, Upper Division
- A Major in Philosophy and a Minor in Political Science
- Member of Enactus Maseno University
- Member of Junior Achievement Trainers
- Awarded Business Award Medal at SIFE World Cup in 2009

Kenya Certificate for Secondary Education, Our Lady of Fatima Secondary School, Nairobi:

Feb 2003 —Nov 2006

- K.C.S.E. certificate with a mean grade of B Plain
- School Captain in 2005

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT AND AFFILIATIONS

Commonwealth Scholarships Alumni Association of Kenya (CSAAK): Dec 2025 – Present

Joined the CSAAK alumni association

Community Engagement Exchange (CEE) Program Specialist at IREX, Washington, D.C. United States: Sep 2023 - Sep 2024

Specialist supporting 2024 CEE Fellows in navigating their professional fellowship before, during, and after the program, as well as supporting them in implementing their post-program hubs.

AlumniTIES at World Learning, United States:

July 2019 - Dec 2021

- Selected for participation in the Alumni Thematic International Exchanges Seminars organized by World Learning and the U.S. State Department for exceptional service in supporting women entrepreneurs.
- Implemented two fully funded short-term projects in partnership with World Learning between 2019 and 2021

Panelist at The Pollination Project Foundation, Los Angeles, United States:

Apr 2018 - Oct 2021

- Panelist and Grant Reviewer in the 'Economic Empowerment and Education and Schools' for the Foundation. Reviewed 387 projects over a period of 3 years for funding and helped finance over two hundred startups:
<https://thepollinationproject.org/simeon-oyando-ogonda/>

Non-profit Leader of the Year Award at American Express Foundation, New York City, United States:

Apr 2016

Non-Profit Leader of the year for exemplary work in supporting Non-profits and leadership in expanding opportunities in the non-profit sector

Future Forward Challenge Finalist at Ashoka Changemakers, Kenya:

Nov 2014 —Mar 2015

Finalist in the Future Forward Challenge and was published in Forbes, Guardian, B-Team, Huffington Post, and other programs

U.S. State Department Fellow in Community Solutions at International Research and Exchanges Board (IREX), Washington, D.C. United States:

Aug 2014 —Dec 2014

Community Solutions Program in Transparency and Accountability, a program supported by the U.S. State Department and implemented by IREX.

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