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## Vuyolwethu Dubese (long bio)

Currently based in South Africa and Kenya, Vuyolwethu Dubese is an Innovation and M&E Consultant, Corporate Moderator, Host of the ESG for SMEs Podcast and (Angel) Investor impassioned about the creation and execution of a new renaissance of impact-driven business and equitable economic empowerment.

At present, she is the Founder of InnovTel, an impact design studio specialising in Impact Design, Advisory and Reporting. InnovTel's strategic goal is to scale and accelerate impact with a particular interest in impact investing, sustainability, and startups across emerging markets. The company has worked with large cross-sector clients such as MasterCard Foundation (Africa), ShEquity (Switzerland), MBC Africa (Ghana) and UCT Graduate School of Business (South Africa) to mention a few. InnovTel has advised and published impact reports in high impact sectors such as agriculture, green economy, impact investing and social enterprise development. Prior to this, Dubese was an Associate in Impact Acceleration at Impact Amplifier and Startup Partnerships Lead for Africa at Thomson Reuters Labs.

The innovator is also a brand partner who has worked with global organisations including Sage, Samsung, Standard Bank, Momentum and ABSA to mention a few.

Her 7+ years of expertise and capabilities extend to working with institutional organisations including the World Bank Group, UNDP Africa and Accenture, Mastercard Foundation and Thomson Reuters. In 2020, Dubese gave her inaugural lecture on impact innovation at the University of South Africa (UNISA), Africa's leading ODL university. She has spoken on stages of She Leads Africa, Lufthansa Impact Week, Facebook, and Africa Angel Investor Summit amongst others.

As a well-versed moderator, she has engaged multiple high-level discussions among C-Suite executives and innovators in various regions across social impact, business, and tech.

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## Vuyolwethu Dubese (1 line bio)

Vuyolwethu Dubese is a leading innovation and impact professional and executive, with over 7 years of experience in business innovation and strategy, impact development and communications in growth markets across sectors including financial services and technology. She is often described as an advisor and a change agent driven by the work that she does in inclusion to unlock and catalyse innovation, investment, and impact.