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Panelist Profile

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Bruce Mackenzie (IASB) South Africa

Bruce Mackenzie is a member of the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB). Mr Mackenzie is from Johannesburg in South Africa and has more than two decades of technical accounting experience.

He is also the Managing Director of W.Consulting —an international firm providing advisory and technological solutions to companies applying IFRS Standards—where he has held the position of managing director since 2006.

He is a chartered accountant and registered auditor in South Africa. He chairs the Pan African Federation of Accountants' technical standard-setters forum and has been a member of the Financial Reporting Standards Council of South Africa. Mr Mackenzie has previously been a member of the IFRS Foundation's IFRS for SMEs Implementation Group and the IFRS Advisory Council.



Femi Wright (Panelist) Nigeria

Femi is the Managing Partner at WYZE Associates, a full-suite professional services firm providing tax, audit and advisory services with offices in Lagos and Abuja. Prior to founding WYZE, Femi was the General Manager Finance at Helios Towers Nigeria Limited (HTN). Before joining HTN, Femi was a Senior Associate at PricewaterhouseCoopers (PwC). He began his career at Greenback Alan and Howard Wade and Jacob, both medium-sized chartered accountancy firms in the City of London, where he trained and established his accounting skills. He also worked as Practice Senior at Wilson Wright & Co (WW) Chartered Accountants and registered auditors in London for over 4 years. He holds a degree in Accounting and Finance from Middlesex University Business School, and is a Fellow of the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants (ACCA), and Institute of Chartered Accountants of Nigeria (ICAN) and a member of the Chartered Institute of Taxation of Nigeria (CITN).



Rita Ahine tettey (Panelist) Ghana

Rita is a Chartered Accountant with over 16 years experience in practice across industry.

Possessing excellent interpersonal skills and having the ability to communicate professionally with all stakeholders on detailed issues.

She currently plays a leading role in the adoption and implementation of IFRS and ensure full compliance within PKF business in Ghana.

She describe herself as an easy going by nature and getting along with work colleagues among others.

She is a member of the ACCA and the Institute of Chartered Accountants Ghana.

Sintayehu Demissie (Panelist) Ethiopia

Sintayehu Demissie (ACCA) is a member of the Board of Directors of the Accounting and Auditing Board of Ethiopia (AABE -Regulator), leads the Reporting and Standards Working Group and ACCA's Member Network Panel Chair for the Corporate Governance Thematic Group.

Sinatyehu currently works as Chief Sourcing and Property Officer, and also a lecturer in the Department of Accounting and Finance at Addis Ababa University.



Geoffrey Injeni (Panelist) Kenya

Geoffrey Injeni, FCCA, is a seasoned professional and an academic powerhouse on the corporate reporting discipline. He currently sits on ICPAK's professional accounting standards committee besides being part of the faculty and consultant at the Strathmore Business School in Kenya.

Rizwan Permessur (Panelist) Mauritius

Rizwan Permessur is Audit Manager at HLB Appavoo & Associates in Mauritius. He has built up his career as an Accountant and an Auditor in full time practice. After acquiring experience with two previous Audit firms, Rizwan joined HLB. His work experience has been very diverse and he has accumulated expertise in accounts preparation in line with International financial Reporting Standards (IFRS), audit of offshore companies, Insurance loss adjustor, Business interruption consultant and more. Rizwan has exercised the function of Audit supervisor for both listed and non listed companies operating in diverse sectors of the economy. He has also led successfully various consultancy jobs, forensics, assignments and internal audit work for private and government bodies.

The ACCA Team





Jane Ohadike (Host) Regional Head of Policy, Africa

Jane Ohadike is Regional Head of Policy for Africa based in Nigeria, and will be **the host** for the session.





Richard Martin (Moderator) Head of Reporting

Richard is the Head of Reporting at ACCA based in the UK, and will be **the moderator** for the panel discussion.





Jamil Ampomah Markets Director, Africa

Jamil Ampomah is the Markets Director for Africa based in Ghana, and will share **the closing remarks and regional expectations** from the session.



