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Empowering youth, cultivating excellence



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IT IS A SUCCESS STORY

On 8th November 2024, we hosted our third graduation ceremony, celebrating 42 graduates from the Class of 2023. This brings the total number of beneficiaries trained to 250. This milestone is a remarkable determination and growth of our trainees, with 85% already pursuing diverse livelihood opportunities within the hospitality industry. We extend our heartfelt congratulations to these inspiring graduates, whose stories exemplify the transformative power of resilience and opportunity.

A NEW NAME -CLEARER VISION

The event also marked a significant milestone as we officially launched our rebranded name, Twajali Empowerment Network.

This new identity reflects our mission to empower marginalized youth through holistic and experiential training. During the ceremony, we introduced this exciting concept to stakeholders, sharing our vision for creating a more dynamic and inclusive community.



NO YOUTH IS LIMITED

INTERNSHIP & JOB LINKAGES

We recently conducted an evaluation of 26 former trainees currently interning at various hotels. The results were inspiring: 50% secured direct employment through their internship placements, 30% found opportunities in other establishments, and 20% are actively pursuing job opportunities.

These outcomes highlight the impact of our training program, which equips trainees with the skills and confidence needed to thrive in the hospitality industry.

INTAKE OF NEW BENEFICIARIES

As part of our recent mobilization efforts, we welcomed 19 new beneficiaries for the September intake. These youths are the first to experience the pilot phase of our updated concept and curriculum, which introduces innovative approaches to holistic and experiential training.



A JOURNEY OF 1000 MILES

A STEP TOWARD OUR DREAM CENTRE WITH JI

From December 16th to 21st, 2024, we were honored to host architects Hester and Lennart from Journeyman International. Their visit focused on collaborating with us to design the master plan for the Dream Centre at our new location in Kajiado.

During their time with us, they also participated in benchmarking visits to various institutions across Kenya and engaged with local building materials companies. These activities aimed to identify sustainable construction materials available locally, ensuring that the project aligns with our commitment to environmental and community sustainability.

POWER OF PARTNERSHIPS

On December 10, 2024, Twajali officially signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with Rhema Compassion, an organization supporting street families and vulnerable individuals through food, shelter, and education.

Rhema Compassion will sponsor its beneficiaries who meet Twajali's recruitment criteria, and in turn, we will provide them with comprehensive training, mentorship, and opportunities to connect with sustainable livelihoods. Together, we aim to transform lives and create lasting impact.



THANK YOU FOR THE SUPPORT

