

# The next generation of storytellers

## MTF success stories across Africa

### Lorato Orapeleng

*Botswana*

Opened her own production company and has worked with MultiChoice Botswana on projects and brands.

### Jonathan Kapumba

*Malawi*

Is working on a TV series (SAOPA – Do not fear) with Voice of Accountability as a script and production supervisor.

### Amarilis Gule

*Mozambique*

Opened a photography studio and purchased equipment with money she saved up from her MTF Stipend.



### Riejhaat Wolhuter

*Namibia*

Was commissioned to work on a telenovela for DStv Namibia (alongside Hilma).



### Rutendo Mahofa

*Zimbabwe*

Worked in a reality show on Honey Channel.



### Muchemwa Sinkala

*Zambia*

Wrote and directed the first teen drama series in Zambia (*Tikula*).

### Nelson Madzima

*Zimbabwe*

Works with Centripetal Media House Makofi, a Zambezi Magic production.

**Hilma Sheema**

*Namibia*

Was commissioned to work on a telenovela for DStv Namibia.

Was awarded four-week online training with Nihilent.

**Toivo Ashivudhi**

*Namibia*

Opened a media group of companies and worked with local brands.

Facilitated/trained the second MTF Cohort in 3D Animation.

**Joshua Kafumukache**

*Zambia*

Is working with Centripetal Media.

Travelled to the Cannes Film Festival and was part of the pitching team that pitched and won at Pavilion Afriques.

**Maira Taucale**

*Mozambique*

Awarded an eight-week scholarship to study at the New York Film Academy.

**Rachel Mbewe**

*Zambia*

Won a short film competition with PACRA.

Was awarded the opportunity to pitch her project in South Africa.

**Nkosilesica Ncube**

*Zimbabwe*

Works as a scriptwriter for Ubuntu, a Zambezi Magic show.

Partakes in a Youth Leadership Programme in the USA under the Nelson Mandela Fellowship.



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### Mainala Silondwa

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The first Southern MTF student to be awarded the eight-week New York Film Academy training.

Worked on a couple of projects, including TV station Spring TV.

Received a scholarship on wildlife documenting.

### Mphatso Makoma

*Malawi*

Taught film and TV production basics at University of Malawi after graduating.

Partnered with Open Society for Southern Africa and wrote and directed a 10-episode web series called Zalero News with Zaluso Arts.

### Cosmas Ngandwe

*Zambia*

Plays a Logic on one of the highest rated Zambezi Magic telenovelas called Mpali.

Produced local comedy shows.

Is part of a comedy show with William Last KRM.



### Emmanuel Mwape

*Zambia*

Scholar of the Tobacco Harm Reduction Programme funded by Knowledge Action Change.

Received grant to shoot a short film about the harmful effects of tobacco.

Received a grant of up to USD30 000 for a production.

### Masuzyo Mwale

*Zambia*

Was awarded a four-week scriptwriting internship to Nigeria.

Was selected to be part of the Media team of the My Miss Home Town beauty pageant.

Documented the journey of the girls who were selected from different provinces in Zambia.