

# Abridged CV: Mike Gcabo

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Mike Gcabo is a serial entrepreneur.

Mike served in the mining industry in different positions, the last of which was as General Manager Corporate Affairs- Lonmin Platinum. He is a senior strategist, life and business coach. Mike is the Chief Executive Officer of the Ekim Group of Companies, (**Ekim Wildlife** and Ekim Business Consulting) –the latter is a company consulting on six-sigma, corporate strategy and conversation facilitation, project management and Business and Individual Coaching.

Mike has in excess of 25 years board and executive management experience in state owned and private companies. Mike is one of the founding members of the Ethics Institute of South Africa and a Certified Ethics Officer. He is a member of the Institute of Directors of Southern Africa (IoDSA).

## **Other boards and interests**

- AFASA- Member of the National Executive Committee of African Farmers Association of South Africa (AFASA) and member of the AFASA Investment Committee.
- Limpopo Wildlife Business Incubator- Director, founding shareholder and chairman, involved in the mentorship, coaching and support of emerging entrepreneurs in the wildlife economy and agriculture,
- Niloticus Holdings (Pty) Ltd (crocodile breeder) - Director
- African Game Ranchers Association (AGRA)- Wildlife Commodity of AFASA- Director and founding chairman
- Bloodline Africa- an established group of game breeders -Member
- Wildlife Ranching South Africa (WRSA) – an industry body for the wildlife ranching in South Africa- Director: Transformation-
- AGRISA- Represents Wildlife on the Commodity Chamber