

## **TERESA MBAGAYA**

PRINCIPAL (REPRESENTATIVE)

## BIOGRAPHY

Teresa Mbagaya is a principal at Imaginable Futures whose work focuses on driving our investments and activities within Africa.

Prior to joining Imaginable Futures, Teresa served as Microsoft's education lead in East and South Africa. She led regional teams in the implementation of learning solutions across 10 countries, impacting millions through initiatives centered on digital education transformation and youth skills development. As the head of Econet Education, Teresa drove the development of Zimbabwe's first digital education platform. The business provides overlay education services targeting over five million subscribers in Zimbabwe.

A 2020 Desmond Tutu Associate and a 2019 Obama Foundation Africa Leader, Teresa was previously named by Forbes as one of the "30 Most Promising Young Entrepreneurs in Africa" and has served as an advisory member on the Global Education Platform under the UN Special Envoy for Global Education. She is the co-founder of Bidii Children Foundation, a nonprofit that funds tuition support for more than 900 students in western Kenya.

Teresa received a Bachelor of Arts in Political Science from Yale University.

A good day for Teresa often includes time with her communities, the outdoors and movement, whether dance or fitness. Next in store is summiting Mt. Kilimanjaro.

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