

# **Living Business Education**

# BA Opportunity—Financial planning & business growth

## **Summary**

Partners Worldwide is looking for a Business Affiliate (BA) to partner with an education and financial planning organization in Kampala, Uganda called Living Business Education (LBE) and Mazima Retirement Plan (MRP).

LBE and MRP are looking for a well-networked BA team with experience in entrepreneurship and the financial services sector, as well as a passion for training people in business. LBE has trained over 10,000 micro-entrepreneurs using the Partners Worldwide Business Curriculum and Reconcile Business Curricula. The MRP (a micro-pension plan) is less than two years old and has over 600 savers with over \$150,000 USD in savings.

### **Qualifications**

- Wide experience in the financial services sector. In-depth understanding of the pension sector is an added advantage.
- Highly entrepreneurial.
- Committed to serve and walk alongside Living Business Education and Mazima.

#### LCI Overview

**Living Business Education:** LBE was born 10 years ago out of the desire to build an institution that serves the needs of micro-entrepreneurs. LBE offers business training, coaching, and mentoring.

Mazima Retirement Plan: MRP targets voluntary long-term savings and is Uganda's largest voluntary retirement savings program. It is registered as an irrevocable trust (memberowned organization). MRP works in partnership with Housing Finance Bank as the plan's custodian, as well as African Alliance Limited as Fund Managers. You can visit their website at http://www.mrp.co.ug.

#### The BA Role

- Provide insights and expertise in strategy development and execution.
- Have monthly calls with LBE/Mazima and visit the partnership at least once per year.
- Diagnose and recommend better ways of how the Business Training component can grow and serve the micro-entrepreneurs (and Mazima clients) in a profitable manner.
- Help develop a strong business case to reach out to investors and donors.
- Recruit a BA team to work with LBE and Mazima to help grow the partnership.

#### **Take Action**

Are you a Christian businessperson with the desire to mentor and walk alongside LBE/Mazima to help fight poverty through business training and micro-pension plan development? Do not hesitate to contact us at info@partnersworldwide.org.



## **Uganda**

Uganda is a landlocked country in eastern Africa with a population of 41.5 million. The official languages are English and Swahili.

Kampala is Uganda's national and commercial capital. It borders Lake Victoria, Africa's largest lake. Kampala has a population of 1.4 million.