

WICCI COUNCIL ANGOLA



**WOMEN'S INDIAN CHAMBER
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Council Vision & Mission

Initially, we will adopt the global vision of the Bilateral Councils of WICCI.

Perhaps, after our inaugural meeting, we will have concrete goals and objectives, which, we believe, will naturally give form of a Vision & Mission more suitable to our context. Therefore:

- To empower women-owned business,
- To develop different areas of focus to mainstream women's voices and uphold women's interest in policy making at multiple levels.
- To work with corporations and governments for conducting important research studies, support skills development, deliver mentorship programs et al, with suitable grants and funding from them.
- To hold programs with experts in determined areas.

*Welcoming
Council Members*

to

WICCI

*President, Vice President
and 20+ Nominated
Council Members*

LUCIA STANISLAS & WICCI DESIGNATION

PRESIDENT, ANGOLA COUNCIL
WICCI

BIO :

Lúcia Fernandes Stanislas is a development enthusiast , entrepreneur, mentor, and humanist with over 20 years of experience acquired in the United States (Atlanta and New York) and Angola. Guided by the principles of innovation, impact, and unity, Lúcia builds strategies, systems and alliances to foster personal and organizational development, as well as social change.

Her work and social reputation led her to become a board member of an Oil & Gas company, and the Ambassador to WED (Women's Entrepreneurship Day) for Angola. WED is celebrated in more than 144 countries. Lúcia was recognized as part of the Golden Generation of Angola in 2017. Her contribution to the Entrepreneurship Ecosystem in Angola as a mentor and provider of specialized services has been mentioned in a publication promoted by the Embassy of USA in Angola. In addition, the work she leads that primarily aims at celebrating and supporting women entrepreneurs, was referenced by the First Lady of Angola.

Lúcia is the founder of Ujima Space (a conglomerate of small businesses), Kussokwela (a Mentorship Platform) , Mwika (a Resources Center for Development), Many Tribes One Blood (a Project for Arts & Culture Promotion), and she is the promoter of Dibaka (a Startup business Incubator).

As a thinker Lúcia has written a compilation of articles about leadership and strategy, which were published by the second most read newspaper in Angola.

Her higher education is in Liberal Studies with concentrations in computer information systems, philosophical studies and organizational communication, acquired at Morris Brown College and Mercer University in Atlanta, GA, United States.



Eva Rosa Santos & WICCI DESIGNATION

VICE PRESIDENT, ANGOLA COUNCIL
WICCI

BIO :

She is one of the leading names in Women's Leadership in Angola, a specialist with international backgrounds.

Founder of the Women's Leadership Project, with the mission of giving value to the Women in Leading Roles.

She's also founder of CRH - Human Resources Community, she is a regular presence as a speaker at various events and a columnist in various media. After going through several international experiences in these 22 years of career as Human Resources Director, with a successful proven record in the HR sector, skilled in Negotiation, Business Planning, HR Consulting, Coaching and Deferred Compensation. She's also Coach and Mentor. Nominated as Youth Ambassador for Peace for Angola, from Universal Peace Federation & Youth and Students for Peace.

Degree in Social and Organizational Psychology by ISCTE - IUL Instituto Universitário de Lisboa Portugal), Specialization in Business Management - Polytechnic University of Madrid (Spain) and Specialization in Human Resources by the Catholic University of Lisbon (Portugal).

Eva Rosa Santos intends to bring a new perspective on the valorisation of Women and their leadership role.

She's a mother, a wife, a daughter, a woman with strong enthusiastic for Leadership and Gender Diversity. What best defines Eva, is her strong belief that we are much better when sharing our knowledge.



ANDREIA MARTINS & WICCI DESIGNATION

COUNCIL MEMBER, ANGOLA COUNCIL
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BIO:- Degree in Management and Finance – University of Houston in Texas, USA.
Post-Graduate in Senior Business Management in ASM/ AESE-IESE
10 years in Cement Industry
3 years worked in the Oil Industry
Investor, Businesswoman and Entrepreneur
DRH Trainer
Administrative and Financial Administrator in FCKS
Certified Member of the John Maxwell Team



DICLA BURITY & WICCI DESIGNATION

COUNCIL MEMBER, ANGOLA COUNCIL
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BIO :

My name is Dicla Zera Gomes Burity Pinto, i was born in Luanda Angola 40 years ago, i am happily married and have four kids.

I work as a tv presenter, rádio host, creative, actress, digital influencer and many other ways of art and communication.

So i prefer to say that i am an Artist, because that IS art in everything that i do.

Besides that, i like to call myself a self development enthusiastic, i do perform as a mentor and inspiring speaker to improve people's life in my tv shows at events and conferences.

I am on tv broadcast for more then 20 years now, it's what i like to do more than anything, to communicate in different formats.

Right now actually i found on digital media a new way of doing it, so i am exploring the platform with really good results.

I had the most challenging and beautiful nacional and international experiences on tv, such us, having the pleasure to star in the cast of the first angolan Soap opera "Reviravolta " , co-hosting the "Tedx" event in Luanda, Officially hosting the three editions of "Big Brother Angola and Big Brother Mocambique" in South Africa, hosting a Portuguese version of " Your face sounds familiar" in Portugal

And most recently producing a reality web series of construction for instagram called "Mudando a casa com..."

My main goal in life is to inspire people to grow and to be absolutely abundant in all aspects of this experience we call life



EDUARDA MOSQUITO & WICCI

DESIGNATION

COUNCIL MEMBER, ANGOLA COUNCIL
WICCI

BIO :-

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General Director at Grupo António Mosquito

ELISÂNGELA RITA & WICCI DESIGNATION

COUNCIL MEMBER, ANGOLA COUNCIL
WICCI

BIO :-

Poetess since teenage and spoken word artist since 2013. Born in 1988 in Luanda. Graduated in commercial law in South Africa and completed his master's degree in international taxation in the USA.

- Member of Global Shapers Community - Luanda Hub;
- YSP Global Peace Ambassador - Nominated for Angola from from Universal Peace Federation & Youth and Students for Peace.
- Founder and CEO of Casa Rede - Culture and Arts venue and production company
- *Africa Cup of Slam Poetry - ACSP* – Chad, November 2018 - Ambassador for Angola

Member of organizing team and head of communications.

- *Global Shapers Community – Luanda Hub*, Angola, April 2018 Shaper.
- *Documentary Film 'Independence' about Angolan history*, Angola, November 2015 Voice over performance.
- *FLUPP 'Literature Festival'- Spoken Word Poetry competition*, Brazil, November 2015 Represented Angola.
- *TEDx, Luanda*, Angola, June 2014

PROFISSIONAL : Angolan Revenue Authority, International Relations Department, Luanda, Angola: *Tax Official*;
INFORFIP (Public Finance Professional Training Institute), Luanda, Angola: *Teacher of Angolan Tax Legislation*.



ELIZABETH SANTOS & WICCI

DESIGNATION

COUNCIL MEMBER, ANGOLA COUNCIL
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BIO :-
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CEO of Kikovo

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ÉRICA TAVARES & WICCI DESIGNATION

COUNCIL MEMBER, COUNCIL
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BIO :

An Environmental Biology graduate, currently studying a MSc in Ecology and Evolution.

I am passionate about people, nature, and science, especially because they all provide us tools to understand the world.

Therefore, I am using the knowledge and skills I am gaining to fight for biodiversity conservation, human rights, and climate justice. My mission is to raise awareness about environmental exploitation and degradation, promoting sustainability and environmental conservation. To accomplish that, I have co-founded and now direct EcoAngola, a philanthropic project that stands for environmental justice looking for solutions to help solve the current environmental and social crisis in Angola.

I am also the President of a Youth Scientific Community in Angola and nominated as a Young Ambassador for Peace by YSP, from Universal Peace Federation & Youth and Students for Peace.



FILOMENA OLIVEIRA & WICCI DESIGNATION

COUNCIL MEMBER, ANGOLA COUNCIL

WICCI BIO :

Better known as Filomena Oliveira, and with the full name of Maria Filomena Ramos de Oliveira, she has as main characteristics the fact of being a person full of energy, good communicator, rigorous professional who defends the need of existence clear procedures with certified practices of management, in order to achieve individual accountability and excellence.

Born in the city of Lubango, she lived the first years of her life amongst the traditional Himba-Herero people in the municipality of Curoca. Trained in Marketing and Management Filomena Oliveira was a consultant and trainer for ADF (American Development Foundation). She was Liaison Officer in UNDP Angola responsible for the areas of Gender and Resource Mobilization for UN and NGO's projects in Angola, being the focal point between the Donor Governments and the Angolan Government. She was a Consultant for the Ministry of Social Affairs in Angola (MINARS) and facilitated, during the war, the program to support the vulnerable groups in DNAPS – National Directorate for Assistance and Social Promotion. She was the project manager for the bilateral project Angola/Netherlands for the repatriation of political asylum seekers ensuring the liaison between the two governments through the Netherlands Embassy and the Angolan Government (MINARS).

In the business field, she continues to have great intervention in the field of Marketing and Business Consultancy, supporting and encouraging the Cooperative sector, as well. She is a founder member and investor in COOPERAGRO a cooperative in Cuanza Norte and is currently supporting the registration and the birth of KUROKA-COOP. a cooperative in the municipality of Curoca, classified as the poorest municipality in Angola.



HAYMÉE P. COGLE & WICCI DESIGNATION

COUNCIL MEMBER, ANGOLA COUNCIL
WICCI

BIO :

Highly motivated businesswoman with extensive experience in IT Industry and Innovation. Passionate about innovation and company building, committed to the promotion of the startup ecosystem in Angola, creating enduring and meaningful companies. Co-founder and Local Leader of Founder Institute chapter in Angola, the largest pre-seed Startups Acceleration Program in the world.

Dynamic and resilient with strong leadership skills and team building. Customer and sales orientated with strategic business vision. Advocating for entrepreneurship with purpose, women inclusion in technology and talent as a global element.

Pioneer of electronic communications and Internet development in Angola: ANGONET in 1994, 1st Electronic Mail Network for NGOs,, Co-founder of EBONET, the 1st Internet Service Provider in 1996. Co-founder of NEXUS Telecom Operator in 2003.

She holds a Master's degree in Economics from Doniestk State University in Ukraine, a postgraduate degree in Information Systems , a Mini MBA in Telecommunications from the Telecom Academy, Afica do Sul, Digital Transformation from LaSalle University in Spain and a Digital Business Strategy from the Emeritus Institute of Management of Columbia University.

Currently working for MSTelcom as Group Leader of Commercial Management

Loving mam and wife. Music, reading and travelling lover.



LILÍA CARDOSO & WICCI DESIGNATION

COUNCIL MEMBER, ANGOLA COUNCIL
WICCI

BIO :

WAS BORN IN ANGOLA, LIVED HIS CHILDHOOD, ADOLESCENCE AND ADULT PHASE BETWEEN GERMANY AND PORTUGAL, IS 36 YEARS OLD, HAD THE OPPORTUNITY TO KNOW AND DEAL WITH DIVERSE CULTURES. HAS PREDOMINANT EDUCATION WITH ANGLO-SAXONIC INFLUENCE.

LIVES IN ANGOLA, IN THE CITY OF LUANDA SINCE HER 22 YEARS OLD, AND Identify yourself AS A GLOBAL WOMAN.



LOURDES FERNANDES & WICCI

DESIGNATION

COUNCIL MEMBER, ANGOLA COUNCIL

WICCI **BIO :**

I am an Angolan lawyer and entrepreneur, founder of LCF Group. I have been working in the oil and gas sector since 1999 in order to promote compliance in the sector in Angola. I am also the founder of the African Women Capital Fund whose goal is to promote African women competitiveness worldwide.

Founder of LCF group, a company focused in law, education and social awareness. Promote the Angolan Human Capital by offering 575 from 2008 to 2018. Expanded to Houston-Texas in 2013 Developed a wide range of clients and network worldwide Organizes yearly FAFEC (African Financial Economical and Compliance Forum), that gathers a wide range African recognized professionals in the specified fields, to brainstorm in ways to improve the business environment and sustainable development in Africa

Founder of the African Women Fund Reduce the financial inequality among sexes Promote women entrepreneurship in Africa

MAGNA VEIGA & WICCI DESIGNATION

COUNCIL MEMBER, ANGOLA COUNCIL
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MARCIA COELHO & WICCI DESIGNATION

COUNCIL MEMBER, ANGOLA COUNCIL
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BIO :

Determined, entrepreneur, accountant, financial manager for over 13 years and passionate about Personal Finance.

Always seeking for personal growth, high level of productivity and a complete cycle of well being for me personally and for those that I can impact with my work.

My main goal is to increase financial autonomy and self-sustainability for women, poor families and foster homes by encouraging investment in financial education, professional careers and entrepreneurship"



MARINELA MENDES & WICCI

DESIGNATION

COUNCIL MEMBER, ANGOLA COUNCIL

BIO:-

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NÁDIA BROCK & WICCI DESIGNATION

COUNCIL MEMBER, ANGOLA COUNCIL
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BIO :

Today Institute for Integrative Nutrition - in formation for Wellness and Health Coach

Today Emergency Medical Doctor

Luanda Medical Center (LMC) – Maculusso - Responsible for diagnosis, treatment and transportation of patients

Today Intensive Care Medical Doctor / Instructor -Clínica Sagrada Esperança (CSE) – Ilha de Luanda

Responsible for identifying critical care patients and for giving the best treatment possible for full recovery. Medical Instructor of the Medical Emergencies Course and Advanced Life Support in CSE.

Jul. 2011 - Nov. 2016 Speciality in Intensive Care Medicine, CSE, Luanda

2005 - 2010 Medical-Surgical and Public Health certified by ESICM (European Society of Intensive Care Medicine), in Paris. **Haemodynamic Assessment and Monitoring** certified by ESICM (European Society of Intensive Care Medicine), in Algarve. **Infection and Severe Sepsis**, certified by SPCI (Sociedade Portuguesa de Cuidados Intensivos), in Porto. **2012 Basic Assessment and Support in Intensive Care** – ESICM (European Society of Intensive Care Medicine), in Lisbon. **2011 Advanced Airway Skills - EMSSA** (Emergency Medicine Society of South Africa), Certified by International Federation for Emergency Medicine, University of Cape Town.

Basic Ultrasound Course - EMSSA (Emergency Medicine Society of South Africa), Certified by International Federation for Emergency Medicine, University of Cape Town.



NADIR TATI & WICCI DESIGNATION

COUNCIL MEMBER, ANGOLA COUNCIL
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BIO :

Nadir Tati is without doubt the main reference when talking about contemporary African style and fashion in Angola. Advocate of African art and human rights, Nadir Tati works with disadvantaged children.

Nadir won the Best Designer of Angola Prize for three consecutive years in 2010, 2011 and 2012. She is the Angola Diva of Fashion 2011 & 2012 as well as the Diva of the Year in 2012 where she won two trophies at the same event.

The Prestigious Sirius Award assigned to Angolan personalities in 2013 was awarded to Nadir Tati for excellence in business and the industry and for having raised the name of Angola on the runways of the world.

Nadir was the first Angolan and African stylist to dress a film actress for the Oscars in Hollywood when Rachel Mwanza, from the Republic of Congo and nominated for Best Foreign film in 2013, wore a piece of her collection to the ceremony. Member of Ashinaga in Japan. A range of support for orphaned young people For nearly half a century, the Ashinaga Movement has striven to support orphaned students through education and engender . Ashinaga has been able to help almost 100,000 orphaned students continue their education. In Angola some of this students have been send to Brasil and Japan.



NOELMA ABREU & WICCI DESIGNATION

COUNCIL MEMBER, ANGOLA COUNCIL
WICCI

BIO :-

Noelma, has a degree in Psychology from the University of Lisbon, specializing in Clinical Psychology; postgraduate in Human Resource Management (Johannesburg), Master in Management and Leadership from the Catholic University of Lisbon. He practiced for several years at the Center for Cerebral Palsy Calouste Gulbenkian, at the Portuguese Center for Psychoanalysis, in Lisbon, at the SUSI Association, in Berlin, and at PROIN (Integrated Professionals) Consultancy for psychologists and psychiatrists, in Luanda. She is a teacher in undergraduate, graduate and professional training programs. Speaker at national and international conferences. She was a consultant and Manager at KPMG. Executive Director of the Center for Studies and Scientific Research of the Catholic University of Angola, Director of Human Resources at SABMiller and is currently President of the Executive Committee of SAESP (Angolan Society for Higher Education), Academia BAI and Fundação BAI. She is also the author of several articles on Clinical Psychology, published in scientific journals and other articles on Human Resource Management, Leadership and Identity, she is the author of a work on Psychology and Interpersonal Relationship, “Entre Sonhos e Delírios”, Edited by Leya Porto Editores .



SANDRA DIAS & WICCI DESIGNATION

COUNCIL MEMBER, ANGOLA COUNCIL
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BIO :-

49 years of my physical existence I Sandra Dias have always worked to maintain a stable lifestyle working towards a healthy and spiritual conscious body. Through my activities I searched for answers to the necessities of our physical body. Exercising our mind / soul (through spiritual dimension) supported with meditation, breathing and Reiki (a Holistic therapy originated in Japan that allows us to develop, stabilise the divine & awake the conscious energy, harmonising and working on the 7 Chikara's)

I believe in acts Good and Love (as far I can remember being a human) This is the MISSION I bring and share in all I do. It is the light that guides me... since learning how to "kick" a ball, hugging a loved one or a stranger.

For 24 years I have professionally worked with sports, I dedicate myself to social projects. Graduated as a certified trainer in Portugal

The company S.A.D.Y.D.I.A.S (Service Provider) Was created, with the thought of positive contribution through a holistic vision, meant for people's spiritual, physical and emotional well-being.

Excelling through sharing individual personalized sentiment of gratitude and love. Involving a point of equilibrium and conscious harmony.



VANDA OLIVEIRA & WICCI DESIGNATION

COUNCIL MEMBER, ANGOLA COUNCIL

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BIO :-

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VILMA CAETANO & WICCI DESIGNATION

COUNCIL MEMBER, ANGOLA COUNCIL
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BIO :-

Partner- Manager of Emptor - Consulting, accounting and auditing - Company in the field of Accounting and Auditing Consulting

Financial Management, Taxation, Organization and Restructuring of internal processes

Partner- Manager Netlogia, Lda, Information Technology Company, Consulting and Operations Management Company |

Performs works of - Consultancy (Analysis of the needs of the customers, Survey and Design of Solution), Training and Support to the customers.

She likes to develop her skills, sharing her knowledge in different areas, Example: Principal Trainer in the partnership between Academia BAI and Porlande, in the Spring Courses Module of Human Resources I; Primavera Contability I, Primavera Logistica I

He has specialized training in the area of Accounting, Update Course for Accountants and Accounting Experts, Primavera Score Product Technician; External Trade and Equipment and Assets. Annual updates, Primavera Academy. Degree in Accounting and Management from the Catholic University of Angola (UCAN)

She likes to dance, draw and is dedicated to causes related to gender equity. She has a new hobby, agriculture.



YARA LOPES & WICCI DESIGNATION

COUNCIL MEMBER, ANGOLA COUNCIL
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BIO :-

Cherie Blair Foundation Mentee Alumni

Analyst, Processes Quality at Standard Bank Angola

Founder at Pakito Angola, a distributor of biodegradable packaging with a retail ecommerce platform.



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