

Year-End Report (2024): Achievements and Future Directions

Introduction

As 2024 draws to a close, Creceer Africa proudly reflects on a year defined by strategic planning, impactful initiatives, and a relentless commitment to empowering individuals and communities across the country. This year has been pivotal in setting the foundation for future growth, fostering meaningful partnerships, and preparing for the roll-out of transformative programmes. Our achievements highlight the dedication of our team, partners, and supporters.

This report provides an overview of our 2024 activities, details ongoing projects, and presents a vision for an ambitious and impactful 2025. Together, we look forward to creating a brighter future for the African youth community.

Achievements in 2024

1. Programmes Initiated

- **Work Exposure Open Day (WEOP):** Partnering with DexterPro Limited, Creceer Africa successfully delivered industry-specific open days, allowing students to engage with professionals, explore career opportunities, and gain valuable exposure to workplace dynamics.
- **Entrepreneur Spotlight Blog Series:** Our inaugural interview with Dr. Babatunde Ibidapo-Obe has inspired many. His story, available [here](#), highlights the transformative power of entrepreneurship and mentorship.

2. Organisational Development

- Expanded our leadership team with the onboarding of key personnel, including a Social Media Manager and several executive personnel, enhancing operational capacity.

Ongoing Projects

1. Internship Partnership Programme

- Crecer Africa plans to work with organisations across sectors such as technology, engineering, healthcare, and agriculture to provide students with practical, hands-on training in real-world environments.

2. Youth Empowerment Webinar (YEW)

- Originally scheduled for 2024, this event will now take place in February 2025. The webinar will focus on leadership development, innovation, and entrepreneurship, fostering the skills necessary to empower African youth.

Looking Ahead to 2025

1. Strengthening Partnerships and Advocacy

- Expanding collaborations with local and international organisations to amplify programme impact.
- Continuing to align activities with the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), particularly SDG 4 (Quality Education), SDG 3 (Good Health and Well-being), and SDG 8 (Decent Work and Economic Growth).

As we move into 2025, Crecer Africa is ready to transform its ambitious vision into tangible outcomes. Our mission to empower communities, foster innovation, and promote sustainable development has never been stronger.

We extend our heartfelt gratitude to our supporters, partners, and beneficiaries who make our work possible. Your contributions have laid the groundwork for a brighter future. Together, we will continue to drive change, inspire leadership, and create opportunities for growth and empowerment cross the country.

Thank you for being part of this journey.