

## **PERSONAL PROFILE**

I am a passionate about youth empowerment, community betterment and climate action. For the past 7 years, I have actively engaged in activities along these passions.

## **CONTACT INFORMATION**

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## **SKILLS**

- Leadership
- Problem solving
- Critical Thinking
- Web Designing
- Adaptability & Flexibility
- Team Work
- Communication
- Multi-tasking
- Project Development
- Creativity

## **AWARDS & RECOGNITIONS**

- Youth Representative at 2023 United Nations High-level Political Forum on Sustainable Development (HLPF), at UN Headquaters, NY
- Youth Delegate at Athens Democracy Forum, 2023
- Delegate at AFS Youth Assembly 2023
- Global leader at Queens Commonwealth Trust Network
- 25 under 25 leaders changing the game in Africa Award, 2020
- Samsung Hidden Eco-Hero Award 2021
- Honor of Distinguished service at King's College, Budo 2018

# SSENYANGE APOLLO

ACTIVIST | ADVOCATE | PRACTITION ER

## **EDUCATION**

International Christian University - Japan BACHELORS IN INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS 2021 -2025

King's College, Budo - Uganda
A'LEVEL - BIOLOGY/CHEMISTRY/MATHMATICS 2013 - 2018

# **CAREER SUMMARY**

#### **FOUNDER & CEO**

SIGNALS FROM THE GRASSROOTS | DEC 2022 - PRESENT

Founded & leading a youth empowerment initiative that aims to amplify youth voices, advocate for meaningful youth inclusion, bring opportunities closer to youth, and build a culture of dialogue amongst them to stimulate their engagement in discussions that shape society.

#### UNITED NATIONS VOLUNTEER

SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT INTERNATIONAL (SODEIT) | SEP 2021 - MAR 2022

Worked as Development Associate at UN's affiliate organization SODEIT, to develop improved programs for STEM education in rural areas of Cameroon & Sierra Leone.

#### **AMBASSADOR**

SAMSUNG TUNZA ECO-GENERATION | FEB 2021 - AUG 2021

- Advocated & raised awareness about climate action globally.
- Voted most inspirational ambassador of the 21st cohort

#### **INTERN**

WAKISO DISTRICT LOCAL GOVERNMENT | MAR 2021 - MAY 2021

- Led the East Africa Youth Inclusion Program (EAYIP) to eqip youth with entrepreneurial skills.
- Worked with ACORD (Cooperation and Research in Development) to maintain peace during the 2021 general elections in Uganda

#### **VOLUNTEER**

ASHINAGA UGANDA | DEC 2014 - DEC 2018

- Master of Ceremonies Ashinaga Annual Cultural Festival- 2015, 2019
- Master of Ceremonies Ashinaga Future Leader's Camp 2016

## **REFERENCES**

MOTOHIDE YOSHIKAWA

Former Permanent Representative of Japan to the United Nations ymotohide@icu.ac.jp