



TILAHUN ALENE TERFIE

SENIOR EXPERT,

STARTUP AND INNOVATIVE ENTERPRISE DEVELOPMENT

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Addis Ababa, Ethiopia
Ministry of Innovation & Technology

Language

- Amharic (fluent)
- English (Advanced)

Skills

- Management Skills
- Creativity
- Programming (full stack Developer)
- problem-solving skill
- Mentoring and Counseling

Education

- **BA Degree in History and Heritage Management,**
Debre Markos University (October, 08/2013)
- **BA Degree in Economics**
Arsi University (January,29/2021)
- **BA Degree in Management**
Bahir Dar University (May,31/2022)
- **MA Degree in Public Policy Studies**
Ethiopian Civil Service University (October,25/2021)

Experience

- **Teacher**
 - **Amhara Education Bureau (2013-2014)**
 - I taught History and Social Science subjects for primary and secondary school teacher for two years.
- **Education Curriculum Coordinator**
 - **Addis Ababa Education Office (2014-2016)**
 - I led 150 education experts, teachers and school administrators to executing the local school curriculum. I collaborated with international partners to support its implementation in schools. During this time, I launched libraries for the local community, enabling students to use them after school. I also received certificates of appreciation for my contributions.
- **Team Leader**
 - **Councils and Regions Coordination Directorate, Ministry of Innovation and Technology (2016-2021)**
 - I led a team of five members in coordinating efforts to establish an innovation system across all regions of the country. Together, we successfully established Science, Technology and Innovation institutions in all regions by provide training, workshops, consulting as well as convince regional leaders to support the initiative.
- **Project Manager**
 - **Ministry of Innovation and Technology (October/2021-May/2022)**
 - As a Project Manager, I managed and led ICT projects with my team, particularly e-government (e-service) initiative, which enabled over 300 government institutions to provide services through an online platform.
- **Senior Expert**
 - **Startup and Innovative Enterprise Development Desk, Ministry of Innovation and Technology (May 2022-Now)**
 - Currently, I have been working as a Senior Expert, Startup and Innovative Enterprise Development. I provide training, mentorship, networking opportunities, and acceleration support for innovative and tech- based startups.



References

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