

**“Every action matters”**

Nurture Foundation (NuF) is a locally registered organization in Rwanda since 2022 whose main objective is to improve and sustain the environmental protection which empowers the vulnerable sections of society (youth and women) to thrive economically.

**VISION**

To create an enabling environment to achieve a just and sustainable future by the vulnerable sections of society, youth and women.

**MISSION**

To link Women and Youth to economic opportunities sustained by implementing interventions that are environmentally friendly and through recreational art programs to develop their potentials.

**Targeted and skilling programs:** NuF works alongside other organizations to train and equip communities with knowledge to improve their livelihoods from poverty to economic prosperity particularly women who shoulder the impacts of environmental degradation. Youth are equipped with knowledge on conservation.

**Community outreach programs:** NuF works with communities at its core reaching them with diversified messages relating to conservation efforts geared at development and protection of the environment, fostering unity through

recreational efforts and opportunities for growth and support. From organizing local events to spearheading educational programs, NuF, efforts create sustainability pathways owned by communities. **Gender-environment Nexus:**The differentiated impacts of climate change on men and women are closely linked to factors leading to gender inequalities and violence. Impacts such as division of labor, domestic responsibilities, control and access to resources result from scarcity thereof. When women have rights to productive economic resources such as land, natural resources and biodiversity, access to food, energy, water and sanitation, their well-being steer equalities that lead to wholesome robust health for all.

**Sustainable environmental protection interventions:** NuF is concerned with the ability to save our environment, ensures the relationship of humans with the environment are sustainable creating a harmonious environment for people to thrive. NuF deals with a restorative approach to improve our very existence while simultaneously conserving vital resources that may take hundreds (or even thousands) of years to restore once they have become depleted.

**Youth education through recreation activities:** NuF seeks to create cohesion among communities to create social relations leading to productive interactions involuntary interpersonal relationships lead to improvement of livelihoods through sports and other young people focused activities.

**Partnerships and Collaboration:** NuF is a partnership organization. It works alongside the efforts of the GoR and other development partners to realize its goals impacting the lives of the vulnerable impacting communities for a sustained future leaving a planet able to support lives for generations to come.

A profound reason why NUF was founded.

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