THE FOODTECH PROGRAMME

Tackling Africa's Food Security from Food Production to Food Consumption

























Stage: Seed

Investment Ask: R1 000 000 | \$55 000

Industry: Agriculture www.abiri.co.za

Abiri Innovations | Piet Mashita and Kwena Paulus Moshidi

Abiri Innovations provides integrated livestock tracking and monitoring for rural households and farmers to prevent theft and offers real-time data about the health status of their animals.



Stage: Seed

Investment Ask: R600 000 | \$33 000

Industry: Food and Beverage www.buttercupfarmhouse.co.za

Buttercup Farmhouse | Chantelle de Bruyn

Buttercup Farmhouse is a Food and Beverage Outlet specializing in organic dishes. The business is famously known for its Prime Organic Coffee processed out of vegetables. The Coffee gives off the same coffee effect, just healthier. It caters for the health sector and coffee lovers at large. The world's first and a customer's favourite.



Stage: Pre-seed

Investment Ask: R1 700 000 | \$94 000

Industry: Food and Beverage www.keneilwelactations.com

Keneilwe Lactations | Keneilwe & Peter-John Goeieman

Keneilwe Lactations is a lactation cookie brand. Lactation cookies aid and stimulate breastmilk supply in breastfeeding women who struggle to naturally produce sufficient milk. We also offer a freemium model in the form of free tips and information based on breastfeeding and the motherhood journey (research and experience based). This business was started because the founder, Keneilwe Goeieman, experienced a low breastmilk supply with her then new-born. We have a national footprint which we achieved in one and a half months since inception, as well as international interest from countries such as Nigeria, USA, India, among others.



Stage: Pre-seed

Investment Ask: R2 700 000 | \$150 000

Industry: Food and Beverage www.littlefoodease.co.za

Little Foodease | Louisa Gibbons

Little Foodease addresses the lack of essential nutrition and stimulation in early childhood by focusing on early childhood development through three sections. Firstly, they offer frozen baby and toddler food in four stages that are dietician approved and contain 100% goodness with no added salt, sugar, colourants, or preservatives. Secondly, they provide silicone tableware that makes mealtimes stress-free and mess-free, with clever and safe products for on-the-go lifestyles. Finally, they offer sensory play for brain development, allowing children to learn 30 times faster through play while developing crucial skills and calming anxiety.



Stage: Pre-seed

Investment Ask: R5 000 000 | \$274 000

Industry: Agriculture

www.mangauanimalfeeds.co.za

Mangau Animal Feeds | Matome Motalane

A green business in agro-processing, Mangau Animal Feeds manufactures animal feeds and fertilisers. Agri-tech and e-commerce are the driving forces of this business and customers are able to pay for products and/or services of their choice through the use of the mobile app (MAFATS).



Stage: Pre-seed

Investment Ask: R200 000 000 | \$11 000 000

Industry: Food Manufacturing

www.matomani.com

Mangau Animal Feeds | Wendy Vesela-Ntimbani

Matomani is a proudly South African Sustainable Protein food manufacturing company. They specialize in healthy food products that is protein rich, sustainable, low-impact, organic, using indigenous mopani caterpillars. Their products are mopani protein bars, biscuits, protein powder, great for a healthy diet. Matomani also supports rural communities and preserves the environment. It is a 100% black female owned entity. BBBEE level 1. Located in Phalaborwa, Limpopo Province and Lanseria Gauteng.

FINALISTS



Stage: Pre-seed Investment Ask: R1 100 000 | \$60 000 Industry: Agro-processing www.phekogroup.co.za

Pheko | Oscar Monama and Judas Pule

Pheko PM Group, is a Moringa by-product manufacturer. Their business is to turn normal household consumable products into super foods, exponentially increasing their nutritional value. Their value chain covers Moringa animal-feed, creating Moringa infused meat; Moringa & Olive Cooking oil, 100% Moringa oil, Moringa porridge and Rababa Chilli Paste, which is a Moringa condiment. Pheko PM Group's mission is to change perceptions that Moringa isn't just a health supplement but a tree of life that has been existing for over 5000 years that our forefathers consumed to continuously stay healthy, boost immune and prevent the body from any ailments.



Stage: Pre-Seed Investment Ask: N/A Industry: Agriculture www.sproutfarms.co.za

Sprout Farms | Kamlin Reddy and Deshni Subbiah

Sprout Farms is a technology driven organisation that exists to reduce the carbon footprint and water usage within the agriculture sector and make high-quality fresh produce more accessible to the growing urban population. This is achieved by removing the dependency on heavy machinery and long-haul transportation from farms to urban distribution centres and retail stores by growing produce in urban areas within 10km radius of the customer. The significant benefits of growing vertically using controlled environment agriculture is the elimination of harmful pesticides that will offer customers a safe, healthy and organic option when purchasing.



Stage: Early Stage Investment Ask: R4 500 000 | \$250 000 Industry: Agriculture www.nosetsa.co

Nosetsa | Pontsho Moletsane

Nosetsa is a water management solution. It is a cloud-based software that integrates with existing irrigation equipment to give internet-of-things devices autonomy that eliminates imprecise worker dependency to save water, ensure accurate plant hydration, conserves resources and reduce costs

