

Black Business Quarterly: honoring the achievement of black business for over a decade

About Black Economic Empowerment

Black Economic Empowerment (BEE) is a program that was launched by the South African government to redress the inequalities of Apartheid by giving previously disadvantaged economic opportunities previously not available to them. It includes measures such as Employment Equity, skills development, ownership, management, socio-economic development and preferential procurement. Since its implementation, BEE has given the rise to some of South Africa's major black business players such as Cyril Ramaposa, Patrice Motsepe and Wendy Luhabe. This was the beginning of a new era in black business. The birth of BEE was not the beginning of black business, throughout the years prior to the introduction of this empowerment program, business veterans like Richard Maphonya and Herman Mashaba who have been holding the flag of black entrepreneurs up high for over a half century.

BBQ's role in harnessing and celebrating the evolution of black business today

Black Business Quarterly is South Africa's premier journal for black business leaders. Since its launch in 1999—BBQ has been the mouthpiece of South Africa's business community through its projection of excellent editorial on happenings within the ever-evolving black business fraternity. Throughout the years black business Quarterly has been championing its competition by being the longest standing and most successful black business publication in South Africa. The annual BBQ awards have been Black Business Quarterly's flagship event where black business greats are formally honored.

Content

Through our quality editorial BBQ speaks directly to the upper echelons of black business in South Africa addressing matters affecting economic growth, black empowerment and co-operation throughout South Africa, the SADC regions and globally. Issue affecting the development of black business throughout all the sectors are discussed and debated in every issue. The 2009

launch of the website www.bbqonline.co.za has enabled BBQ to have and maintain a more current portal of keeping our readers up to date with news and occurrences that are constantly shaping the growth of black business today. BBQ showcases the comprehensive and sophisticated infrastructure, products and services available for and by black entrepreneurs.

The topics that BBQ touches on in each issue include:

- Wealth management
- Investment
- Global markets
- African economies
- ICT
- Engineering
- Politics
- Human resources
- Education
- Health
- Profiling key players in black business locally, continentally and globally
- Trends that effect business development
- Lifestyle/Travel

Please note: the above-mentioned topics are an example of what is covered in Black Business Quarterly. Each topic is not covered in every quarter and the above-mentioned are not subjected to exclusivity.

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