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Mayira Tukulakulane SCOBA Group shares

It was all joy as "Tukulakulane" [SCOBA](#) held their first sharing after spending a year [saving](#) together. Some of these members have been saving to raise enough capital to [invest](#) in income generating activities and others finally have the capacity to address some of their families' pressing [needs](#). So cool to see people develop the ability to realise their [dreams](#) through saving. We are grateful to our partners for supporting us to create these groups, their sharing is the testimony of the impact created so far. Many other groups will be sharing in the coming months.

Below: Some of the "Tukulakulane SCOBA" during their first sharing meeting.



Our work is possible because of the support of our partners [The Queens Commonwealth Trust](#), [MNS Foundation](#) and [Roddenberry Catalyst Fund](#). We thank them for enabling us to equip rural lives in rural Sub Saharan Africa with the tools to lift themselves out of poverty sustainably.

SCOBAs are using phones to digitize their record books, and managing the saving and lending operations of their groups

After the training in mobile digital platform, the team recently started distributing phones and the first groups have received the phones for digitization. The group members are being sensitized about the benefits of digitization and being empowered on how they use it to serve their needs.

With this new digitization initiative, SCOBA members can now use phones to save, apply for loans, check for their saving progress and access all details of their individual accounts.



Kisoboka Africa Team members participate in Street Business School training of trainers in Kampala

To strengthen our Business Training Program, two of our team members participated in a training empowering people to rise out of poverty through business. The international training was organized by Street Business School drawing participants from five countries including Uganda, Rwanda, Malawi, Zambia, and Kenya



We thank The [M. Night Shyamalan Foundation](#) for sponsoring two KISA staff's participation in the training. We are committed to sharing the acquired skills to empower our beneficiaries chart their way out of poverty.



We were thrilled to host Visitors from [Africa Education Program \(AEP\)](#) from Zambia at our office in Mbirizi

In a bid to scale-up our SCOBA model across Uganda and beyond, we had the honor of hosting two young change makers from Zambia at our office in Mbirizi town Lwengo district. Bernard and Violet were sent by Africa Education Program (AEP) so that they can learn from our SCOBA model and also transfer knowledge and skills to their team. It was wonderful having them with us for a week, visiting different SCOBAs in rural Lwengo and learning from each other. We are grateful for the mutual friendship that exists between us and AEP and we look forward to doing more exciting development projects.



AEP team visiting one of the SCOBAs in rural Lwengo



From left to right- Stephen, Kisoboka Africa with Violet & Bernard from AEP

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