2021 ENTREPRENEURSHIP PROGRAMME APPLICATION AT A GLANCE

- **TOTAL APPLICATIONS**: 406,257 (2020 & 2021)
- **TOTAL SHORTLISTED FOR TRAINING**: 206,550 (50.84%)

**URBAN/RURAL BY APPLICATION SPLIT**
- Urban: 153,804 (74.46%)
- Rural: 52,746 (25.54%)

**GENDER DISTRIBUTION**
- Male: 76,560 (37.07%)
- Female: 129,456 (62.68%)
- I' D RATHER NOT SAY: 534 (0.25%)
- FEMALE: 37.07%

**APPLICATIONS BY STAGE OF BUSINESS**
Distribution of Business stage- state that many of the selected applications (87.82%) are from the idea and Infancy entry stages.

- **IDEA STAGE**: 121,660 (58.9%)
- **INFANCY**: 59,738 (28.92%)
- **GROWTH**: 25,152 (12.18%)

**TOP 10 COUNTRIES BY APPLICATION**

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<th>Country</th>
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<tr>
<td>Nigeria</td>
<td>70.62%</td>
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<td>Benin</td>
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<td>Uganda</td>
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*Highest to Lowest Applications*
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TRAINING CATEGORISATION BY APPLICATION

- Preparatory: 49.16%
- Disruptor: 38.97%
- Innovator: 35.74%
- Start-Up: 25.3%

TOP SECTORS BY APPLICATION

- Agriculture: 39.72%
- Fashion: 8.96%
- ICT: 7.14%
- Food and Beverage: 6.08%
- Commercial/Retail: 5.22%
- Education and Training: 5.22%
- Manufacturing: 4.8%
- Beauty and Wellness: 3.16%
- Healthcare: 2.54%
- Construction: 2.1%
- Professional Services: 2.24%
- Media and Entertainment: 1.95%
- Waste Management: 1.53%
2021 ENTREPRENEURSHIP PROGRAMME SELECTION AT A GLANCE

4949 SELECTED FOR FUNDING BY REGION

Fifty-four (54) African countries were represented in the selected 4949.

**REGIONAL DISTRIBUTION**

- **Western Africa**: 2304
  - Algeria 1
  - Benin 1
  - Burkina Faso 1
  - Cape Verde 1
  - Cote d’Ivoire 1
  - Democratic Republic of Congo 1
  - Central African Republic 1
  - Chad 1
  - Comoros 1
  - Congo 1
  - Gabon 1
  - Ghana 1
  - Guinea 1
  - Guinea-Bissau 1
  - Kenya 1
  - Liberia 1
  - Madagascar 1
  - Malawi 1
  - Mauritania 1
  - Mozambique 1
  - Morocco 2
  - Namibia 1
  - Niger 1
  - Nigeria 1
  - Rwanda 1
  - São Tomé and Príncipe 1
  - Senegal 1
  - South Africa 2
  - Swaziland 1
  - Tanzania 1
  - Togo 1
  - Tunisia 1
  - Uganda 1
  - Zambia 1

- **Eastern Africa**: 1204
  - Angola 4
  - Burundi 35
  - Cameroon 14
  - Comoros 1
  - Djibouti 1
  - Ethiopia 8
  - Eritrea 25
  - Egypt 1
  - Madagascar 94
  - Malawi 95
  - Mauritius 2
  - Mozambique 9
  - Russia 116
  - Seychelles 2
  - Somalia 1
  - South Sudan 20
  - Tanzania 96
  - Uganda 75
  - Zambia 98
  - Zimbabwe 77

- **Central Africa**: 662
  - Angola 9
  - Cameroon 212
  - Chad 260
  - Congo (Republic of the) 27
  - Central African Republic 9
  - Democratic Republic of Congo 10
  - Guinea 8
  - Republic of the Congo 5
  - Tanzania 9

- **Southern Africa**: 224
  - Botswana 66
  - Lesotho 13
  - Namibia 27
  - South Africa 97
  - Swaziland 21
  - Zambia 98

- **Northern Africa**: 29
  - Algeria 1
  - Egypt 1
  - Libya 1
  - Morocco 4
  - Sudan 1

**GENDER DISTRIBUTION**

- Female: 68.07%
- Male: 31.93%

**BUSINESS STAGE DISTRIBUTION FOR 4949 SELECTED BENEFICIARIES**

- **Idea Stage**: 3684
  - 74.44%
- **Infancy**: 1198
  - 24.21%
- **Growth**: 67
  - 1.35%

**TOP 10 SECTOR DISTRIBUTION**

- **Agriculture**: 1692
- **Food and Beverages**: 558
- **Fashion**: 441
- **Beauty and Wellness**: 253
- **Education and Training**: 245
- **Manufacturing**: 221
- **ICT**: 219
- **Commercial/Retail**: 215
- **Healthcare**: 178
- **Waste Management**: 139

**ADDITIONAL 3949 ENTREPRENEURS FUNDED BY PARTNERS**

- **TEF Funded 1000**
  - 2420
  - 500
- **KfW DFG**
  - 239
  - 220
- **ICRC**
  - 150
  - 20

**DISTRIBUTION BY SECTOR**