

Kelley Page Jibrell

Bio



Kelley Page Jibrell is a global advisor and solution finder with expertise in strategy, collaboration and implementation across sectors and continents. Ms. Jibrell also facilitates USA and foreign investments capitalizing on her network and international development experience. Ms. Jibrell sits on international Corporate Boards and has won both Corporate and Academic awards.

Her clients include United States and foreign governments, embassies, private companies and successful start-ups. Client industries include Agribusiness, Banking, Defense and Aeronautics, Diplomacy, International Development, Energy, and Mining. Prior to founding Sachem Global, LLC, Ms. Jibrell was a management consultant at an elite consulting firm and IBM for more than a decade. Her expertise in ***Strategic Direction, Leadership Support, Implementation, Organizational Change Management, Communications and Facilitation*** are highly sought. Ms. Jibrell is a speaker for renowned institutions such as the World Bank, MIT, African National Congress and Young African Leaders Initiative (YALI). Ms. Jibrell contributes to international publications including The Guardian Nigeria and Africa Trade Magazine.

Ms. Jibrell has conducted business on 5 continents in the following countries: Bangladesh, Bolivia, Bosnia & Herzegovina, Cuba, D.R. Congo, Dominican Republic, Ethiopia, Gabon, Germany, Ghana, Indonesia, Kenya, Morocco, Mozambique, Nigeria, Philippines, Rwanda, Senegal, South Africa, Thailand, Uganda, United Kingdom, Ukraine, USA and Zambia.

As an Adjunct Professor at Howard University's School of Business, Prof. Jibrell teaches International Business to MBA and JD/MBA candidates, the same international concentration she helped develop as a Graduate student. Prof. Jibrell engages Fortune 500 executives, government leaders and company owners from mature markets & developing countries and has presented at academic conferences. Prof. Jibrell led her class to support a Black-owned South African Engineering firm to win a set-aside for a 123Billion Rand (US\$20B) contract to revitalize the South Africa railway. Prof. Jibrell recently won a grant and launched a Global Trilateral MBA Program between Howard University and Universities in South Africa and China. The program provides integrity-based consulting services for businesses expanding in Africa.

Presently, Ms. Jibrell is a philanthropist for the Smithsonian's upcoming National Museum of African American History and Culture. Ms. Jibrell is a founding Board Member of the Young African Aviation Professional Association (YAAPA) based in Douala, Cameroon. Also, Ms. Jibrell is Africa 2.0's Co-Chair for Washington, DC comprised of emerging African Diaspora leaders with a collective vision and business plan for Africa. Additionally, she is a founding member of the African Diaspora working group for the U.S. State Department with Assistant Secretary of State, Bureau of African Affairs. Ms. Jibrell serves on the AGOA Civil Society Advisory Council. Ms. Jibrell is also a sitting member of the Corporate Council on Africa's (CCA) East Africa Private Sector Trade Working Group.

Ms. Jibrell served as Chair of the Board of Directors for Adeso, an award-winning international NGO based in East Africa. During her tenure, Ms. Jibrell spearheaded growth from US\$500,000 to over US\$35million

annually, with clean financial audits. As Chair, Ms. Jibrell's guidance led Adeso's expansion internationally across Somalia, Kenya and South Sudan. Adeso has led sustainable economic development through Public-Private Partnerships.

Ms. Jibrell graduated from Mount Holyoke College with a BA in Critical Social Thought and Spanish. Ms. Jibrell earned her MBA in International Business from Howard University. Ms. Jibrell has completed studies and a fellowship in Venezuela and Brazil. She speaks English, Spanish, Portuguese and learning French. Ms. Jibrell resides in the Washington, DC area with her family.

Ms. Jibrell is also a published poet whose work is included in an anthology entitled, "Quiet Storm: Voices of Young Black Poets", published in 1999.



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