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GapIt Private Limited **COMPANY PROFILE**



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WHO WE ARE

GapIT is a premier Zimbabwean-based placement service dedicated to providing gap year programmes and transformative experiences across Africa and beyond. We empower individuals by connecting them with opportunities that align with their passions, interests, and career goals. Through tailored support and expert guidance, we make each journey impactful—fostering personal growth, cultural exchange, and professional development.

From personalised consultations and tailored internships to volunteering, apprenticeships, and professional networking, the company ensures participants gain skills, confidence, and global exposure. Whether maximising waiting periods, recharging for future challenges, or immersing in diverse cultures, individuals discover new passions while enhancing their CVs



OUR PURPOSE



VISION

GapIT envisions becoming the leading placement provider for gap year programmes and experiential opportunities across Africa and beyond. We aspire to empower individuals with meaningful experiences that foster cultural exchange, professional growth, and personal transformation. Rooted in Zimbabwean values yet globally focused, our vision is to make purposeful transitions accessible, inspiring journeys that shape resilient, confident, and future-ready individuals.



MISSION

Our mission is to partner with trusted institutions and service providers to create pathways that transform transitional life stages into opportunities for discovery and growth. Whether pausing before a career, changing direction, or seeking clarity, GapIT supports individuals with guidance, placements, and mentorship. We strive to reconnect people with purpose, broaden horizons, and nurture skills that enrich lives and communities.



OUR VALUES



Passion



Integrity



Respect



Kindness



Service



Transparency



HOW WE WORK

1

Book a personalised consultation to explore strengths, interests, timelines, and budget. Together we clarify goals, preferred locations, and sectors. Receive a curated shortlist of quality programmes, expectations, and practical guidance on documentation, eligibility, and next steps.

2

We match you with vetted providers and finalise your placement. Our team supports applications, statements, references and interviews.

3

During placement we provide check-ins, mentorship and support. After completion, we debrief and reflect on the experience to capture learnings. Achievements, skills gained and impact are recorded and these insights allow us to update individuals CV/ portfolio and map out the next steps between placement and future goals.



MEET THE TEAM

Our team blends expertise, passion, and commitment to guide individuals through purposeful journeys, ensuring every placement delivers growth, cultural exchange, and lasting impact.

Grace Maya
Co-Founder



Grace brings over 15 years of expertise in international education and study abroad programmes, with a career spanning diverse leadership roles including Senior Student Counsellor, University and Visa Support Agent, Business Development Manager, Operations Director, Regional Manager for Southern Africa, and Regional Marketing Manager for Africa. Her global perspective—shaped by academic experience in Australia and extensive international travel—enables her to deliver culturally attuned, student-centered advisory services. Grace plays a pivotal role in strengthening client relationships, managing strategic partnerships and guiding students with empathy and insight.

Gari Maya
Projects Co-ordinator



Gari brings a wealth of experience from the steel manufacturing sector, having successfully led and delivered projects across borders—including as far afield as Somalia. His expertise in organisational compliance, operational management, and strategic execution positions him as a key contributor to GapIT's global reach and operational excellence. Gari offers a global perspective that strengthens GapIT's ability to serve diverse markets with insight and precision. Gari plays a key role in guiding students and clients through international education pathways having experienced a transformative gap year himself before pursuing further studies in Australia. His exceptional networking skills and talent for connecting people make him a driving force behind GapIT's sustained growth and results-focused culture. His leadership is not only strategic but deeply collaborative, ensuring the company remains agile, effective and people-centered.

WHAT DRIVES US

We believe everyone deserves access to life-changing experiences that promote reflection, learning, and growth. Gap years aren't delays—they're opportunities. Whether by choice or circumstance, a gap year can help individuals refocus, gain valuable life skills, and prepare with clarity for the future.

Our Value Proposition

- ✓ Enhance Your CV: Real-world experiences are valued by employers and institutions alike.
- ✓ Trusted Partnerships: We vet all providers to ensure safe, supportive, and enriching environments.
- ✓ Maximise Waiting Periods: Whether intentional or not, time away from studies or work can be turned into productive, life-shaping experiences.
- ✓ Recharge and Reflect: Take a meaningful break to refocus your energy and discover new passions.
- ✓ Cultural Immersion: Engage in diverse environments, form international friendships, and gain a global perspective.
- ✓ Earn and Save: Many placements offer stipends or paid options.
- ✓ Develop Maturity and Confidence: Build resilience and emotional intelligence through hands-on learning.
- ✓ Expand Your Network: Meet mentors, professionals, and peers from around the world.
- ✓ Engage with Purpose: Participate in community-based service and social impact projects.
- ✓ Proudly Zimbabwean: Rooted in local values, with a vision that reaches the world.



OUR SERVICES

We provide tailored services designed to connect individuals with meaningful opportunities that foster growth, cultural exchange, and professional development.



Personalised Consultations



Programme Placement



Internships & Placements



Industry Exposure



Travel Coordination



Professional Networking

and lots more...



GET IN TOUCH

We'd love to hear from you and explore how GapIT can support your journey. Whether you are considering a gap year, looking for internships or apprenticeships, or seeking meaningful cultural and professional experiences, our team is here to guide you every step of the way. From initial consultation to programme placement and ongoing support, we are committed to making your transition smooth, purposeful, and rewarding.

If you are an institution or organisation interested in collaboration, we also welcome partnerships that create impactful opportunities for individuals and communities. Reach out today, and together we can begin building purposeful pathways that inspire growth, confidence, and lasting connections.



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