## Ms Princess Mthombeni – Biography

Princess, known by many as "Princy" is a Nuclear Communication Specialist who recently won a Women in Nuclear Global (WiN) Excellence Award. She holds a Bachelor of Philosophy (BPhil) in Marketing Management from the Graduate School of Marketing (IMM).

Princy's background includes more than 13 years of experience in the nuclear industry where she focuses on reinforcing the communication and awarenessraising initiatives to address the lack of information and knowledge that persists around nuclear energy. She has volunteered in difference non-profit organisations that mobilize women and young people in the field of nuclear science and technology.



Princy is the Chief Editor for the Voice of Nehawu Nuclear Energy Workers Newsletter, NNEWO – Today which features articles from different experts in the nuclear industry, both national and international. She is also the South African coordinator for Stand Up For Nuclear, the first international pro-nuclear movement that works with allies around the world to advocate for the protection and expansion of nuclear as a source of energy and other applications. She is currently leading the development and implementation of the African Young Generation in Nuclear (AYGN). Previously, she has served as a member of the Women in Nuclear Board from 2015 until 2019. Her main focus is to address the socio-economic issues of the African continent through promoting the peaceful uses of nuclear science and technology.

Princy has consulted and coordinated technical meetings and conferences for international organizations including the International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA) and World Nuclear University (WNU), amongst others. She has been part of numerous high-profile projects with tremendous success and has built an even more powerful reputation, which led her to becoming an "International Communication Expert".