

# Lerato Mahlasela

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Lerato Mahlasela is currently the Managing Executive: Corporate Education at the Gordon Institute of Business Science (GIBS) where she leads a team that designs and delivers relevant learning solutions aimed at improving responsible individual and organisational performance in South Africa and on the continent.



Over the last 22 years, Lerato has worked in Recruitment, Learning as well as Talent and Leadership Development for organisations in Financial Services, Engineering and Construction, Consulting as well as Education.

She holds a Mastère Spécialisé® Consulting and Coaching for Change from HEC Paris, an Honours Degree in Industrial Psychology from Rand Afrikaans University and a BCom Human Resources Management degree from the University of Pretoria. She is registered as a Chartered HR Practitioner with the South African Board of People Practices.

A product of a village of mentors, Lerato firmly believes that successful and sustainable organisations and societies are built by individuals, young and old, who recognise that they have agency to create the futures they envision. She brings this belief to the coaching work she does. Serving as a catalyst and helping to mobilise people towards the change they desire is her contribution to society.

When she is not working, Lerato enjoys a good movie or a book, time with family, which usually involves lots of cooking or a braai and going on impromptu "Short Lefts" which are short breaks that enable her to see different parts of South Africa.