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Mduduzi Mbiza has been a writer since 2014. He started as a short story writer and later began writing articles, particularly in education. As a professional writer and researcher, Mr Mbiza has honed his skills through years of experience. His work has been featured in various publications, including The Conversation, News24, Daily Maverick, Mail & Guardian, The South African, Modern Ghana, Business Insider South Africa, and Head Topics. He has co-authored a commentary publication in a peer-reviewed journal, the South African Journal of Science. He is a self-taught and dedicated writer with experience on numerous topics in education, politics, and technology.

University of Johannesburg / Contributing Writer & Research Associate

MARCH 2023 - NOV 2023, Remote

Co-authoring Op-Eds with the Deputy Vice Chancellor for Research and Internationalisation at the University of Johannesburg.

NNC / English Writer

DEC 2022 - JAN 2023, United Arab Emirates (Remote)

- Attend virtual events that require the presence of an English writer, assist in covering the event and write news, reports, and press materials.
- Write press releases and other media content to be published in newspapers, magazines, and websites.
- Conduct research on the company's clients and the sectors we cover and develop personal skills to obtain and document data and information while ensuring its reliability and accuracy.
- Follow up on the most important news and keep up with the most prominent services of interest to the company's clients and the fields we work on.
- Conduct professional press interviews with government officials and spokespersons over the phone and in person.

University of Johannesburg / Contributing Writer & Research Associate

SEPT 2022 - DEC 2022, Remote

Co-authoring Op-Eds with the Deputy Vice Chancellor for Research and

Bio

Experience

Internationalisation at the University of Johannesburg.

Navigate Compliance / Content Developer and Researcher

MAY 2022 - OCT 2022, Remote

- Research regulatory trends and guidance papers and produce insightful summaries.
- Proofread articles and other content submitted by third parties.
- Design and create content for the Compliance Metaverse using WordPress and Tutor LMS.
- Maintain the website and make improvements to optimise SEO.
- Contribute to innovation and enhancements.
- Liaise with external developers to ensure that new designs/updates and features are implemented.
- Assist with gaining media presence.
- Develop advertisements for social media.
- Manage the social media accounts: design newsletters, brochures and other marketing content.

University of Johannesburg / Contributing Writer & Research Associate

FEB 2022 - FEB 2022, Remote

Co-authoring Op-Eds with the Deputy Vice Chancellor for Research and Internationalisation at the University of Johannesburg.

Rockstars / Blog Manager, Content strategist

OCT 2018 - JAN 2019, Remote

- Managed day-to-day activities of website blog through WordPress.
- Researched topics for relevant blog posts.
- Created and posted blog posts every Monday.
- Analysed blog posts' statistics to align content for marketing better.

The Fourth Industrial Revolution: Conceptual paradox or catalyst for achieving the Sustainable Development Goals?

A non-peer-reviewed commentary in The South African Journal of Science.

Energy transition and social construction of the territory in the face of the challenge of climate change and the new geopolitical framework - Book

A peer-reviewed book chapter. Section I of the book.

Publications

Clients







