

HENDRINA C. DOROBA BIO PROFILE

Ms. Hendrina C. Doroba is the Division Manager of the Education and Skills Development at the African Development Bank. She is a development practitioner, educationalist, mathematician, gender expert, and Leadership coach with over 35 years of work experience in the development sector. Before joining the Bank, Ms Doroba served as the Executive Director of the Forum for African Women Educationalists (FAWE) Africa. During her leadership tenure, FAWE won the \$1 million Al-Sumait Prize and became a 2017 Laureate for African Development in Education for her achievements in influencing positive policy and practice toward promoting gender equity and equality across 33 African Countries.

Ms Doroba also served and represented FAWE on various advisory Boards, including the Global Education Monitoring Advisory Board, UNGEI Global Advisory Board, and African Union Specialised Technical Committee and ADEA. She also served as the chairperson of the Gender in my Agenda Campaign (GIMAC) Network Steering Committee for two years. Her contribution to these various boards ensured that the girls and women's issues remained a priority and given due consideration.

In her previous engagements, Ms. Doroba has held various positions in the international development arena, including the Irish Embassy in Zambia, Oxfam GB-Zambia, and the Ministry of Education- Zambia. A teacher by profession, her passion remains towards empowering the youth- improving education and skills development opportunities and professional coaching. Promoting and strengthening linkages between tertiary Education and Human Capital and skills needs in local African industries.

Ms. Doroba is an alumnus of the National University of Ireland, Dublin, the University of Melbourne, Australia, and Nkrumah Teachers' Training College in Kabwe, Zambia: a Synergos Senior Fellow, Global Women Leadership Network (GWLN) member, and Brave Thinking Institute.