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Takalani "Taki" Makhuvha is a seasoned marketing and communication professional, facilitator and entrepreneur with over 16 years of experience helping brands find their authentic voice and connect meaningfully with their audiences.

As the Founder and Head Marketing Strategist at Chatbox Communication (Pty) Ltd, Taki leads with a clear mission — to transform research-driven insights into stories that inspire, strategies that deliver, and solutions that make measurable impact.

Her career spans corporate, government, NGO, and entrepreneurial sectors, where she has built a strong record of success in marketing, branding, events, communications, and research. Known for her ability to combine strategic insight with creative storytelling and people-centered engagement, Taki turns bold ideas into tangible results.

A lifelong learner, Taki's journey began at Sacred Heart College Marist Observatory, a school that instilled in her the values of service, integrity, and leadership that continue to guide her work today. She went on to earn a Certificate in Marketing and Business, a BCom in Marketing & Business Management, a Digital Marketing Certification from Regenesys Business School, a Facilitation Certificate (ETDP SETA), and a Certificate in the Psychology of Mentorship (UNISA). With over six years of facilitation experience, she is an accredited trainer specializing in capacity-building, leadership development, and mentorship.

Beyond her professional pursuits, Taki is deeply passionate about youth empowerment. Through mentorship and coaching, she inspires young people to recognize their potential, build confidence, and create opportunities for growth. She also serves as the Secretary of the Sacred Heart College Alumni Association (SHCAA), where she continues to champion collaboration, mentorship, and community-building initiatives.

Driven by creativity, integrity, and impact, Taki embodies the values of innovation and service. As a woman leading in the marketing and communication space, she champions fresh perspectives and collaborative solutions that not only help brands stand out but also build stronger communities.

Taki believes that authentic storytelling has the power to connect, inspire, and create lasting change.

