



PROFILE BIO

Mothupi Modiba is the CEO of Kaborona Investments, a private equity company with interests in the mining, property and tech industries. He is also the Managing Director of Bokamoso Barona Trust, whose beneficiary student organisations are SASCO and COSAS.

He is Chairman and Founder of Right the Law, a social-justice advocacy organisation that lobbies for legislative change in the interest of Black South Africans, while championing narratives that promote Black African culture, anti-racism and equality for all.

He previously served on the Council of the University of South Africa as well as the board of Eyesizwe Mining, the then single largest shareholder of the JSE listed Exxaro. He also served as the Chairman of Eyesizwe Mining Development Trust, and was earlier appointed by the then president of the republic, Thabo Mbeki, to serve as a Commissioner of the National Youth Commission (NYC), the predecessor of the National Youth Development Agency (NYDA). He was later appointed by President Jacob Zuma to serve on the board of the National Youth Development Agency for a period of three years which ended in March, 2016.

As a student activist, he served in various capacities, amongst which was as president of the South African Students' Congress (SASCO), the largest tertiary student organisation in the country. He also served as a National Student Representative Council (NSRC) member of the University of South Africa.

He holds a Master of Philosophy (MPhil) in Inclusive Innovation from the UCT Graduate School of Business, an MBA from Henley Business School, a Professional Certificate in Public Management (PCPM) from the Wits School of Governance, as well as a Bachelor of Business Administration degree from the University of South Africa (Unisa).