



Ubuntu Learning Centre

About us

Our vision:

Communities where people live in harmony with nature and with each other

Our mission

Ubuntu learning centre offers “a space” for bridging the gaps that people find in their lives

Type of organization: Not for profit Trust registered with the Ministry of Lands. Lusaka, Zambia on 19th April 2023

Who are we?

- ✚ Ubuntu learning centre is a space for sharing life changing experiences, for shining light on solutions that we need for healthier lives and for a regenerative planet.
- ✚ For us regeneration is about caring for ourselves, our communities and mother earth. It is about doing no harm and making sure that our activities support the ecosystem services or processes and not degrade them.
- ✚ We integrate regeneration by practicing self-care and by managing all the waste that we produce in our daily lives. We run a circular economy at our centre. We have no waste to waste.
- ✚ Success for us is when a visitor says they want to change their mindset, practices and or lifestyle and they actually make the change. As our motto is we do, we don't just talk.
- ✚ The greatest change that we would like to see in the world is that of mindsets or worldviews that should align with a healthier planet. I would like to see more Ubuntu in people. Ubuntu is the essence of being human. The caring for each other and for nature. We strive to live in harmony with each other. We work in harmony with nature, learning from it.

- ✚ We walk the talk, we are the change that we would like to see in the world. We are role models for others. It all starts with me and you.

Our principles of effectiveness

Goal

To become a hub for learning about healthy living practices for people from all walks of life

Our principles of effectiveness

These principles encompass our values. They are our values in action which we use to evaluate ourselves.

1. Start small, learn from what we are doing and gradually scale up and out.
2. Promote a culture of lifelong action learning always building on what is known already and encouraging everyone to take ownership of their own learning
3. Connect to nature, culture and the past as sources of wisdom and solutions to our every day challenges
4. Walk the talk in what we teach and expect others to do
5. Go out of our way to question what is taken for granted and think through things while connecting the dots and creatively thinking outside the box
6. Creatively design and demonstrate natural solutions to common challenges
7. Strive for harmony with nature and between people by taking care of ourselves and of others

Some technologies in practice at Ununtu learning centre

- ✚ Natural farming
- ✚ Syntropic agro-forestry;
- ✚ Organic farming;
- ✚ Fuel efficient stoves such as Rocket stoves;
- ✚ Ecological sanitation / dry toilets;
- ✚ Walk in solar drying;
- ✚ Aquaculture;
- ✚ Rain water harvesting;
- ✚ Earth building
- ✚ Natural cooling

Earth building

Some achievements to date

2024 Permaculture Design course

Organic certification by Ubumi PGS

2025 Lush Spring Prize Award

Successful collaborations with many initiatives such as:

-  Zambia Alliance for Biodiversity and Agroecology;
-  Andra Pradesh Natural Farming program
-  PLAEP, Kitwe;
-  ZAMKANDA;
-  Musika;
-  Action for Natural Medicine (ANAMED)
-  FIAN Zambia;
-  Kasisi Agriculture Training Centre;
-  Zhunga Farms;
-  Radical farmer
-  Women Federation for World Peace;
-  United Church of Zambia
-  Ubumi PGS group;
-  Perma-outreach Malawi;
-  Loctaguna Organics;
-  Vincent Green Environmental Foundation;
-  Mosi A Tunya Organics;
-  Greens and Grains / Greenfox;

-  SSAfrica. Nitin Nayee (Ubuntu ambassador)

<https://www.ssafrica.com/2024/02/17/ubuntu-learning-hub>

Links about Ubuntu work	where
https://youtu.be/LCWkzS4VvME?si=iqJzLvazrgXRFQrh	YouTube
https://drive.google.com/file/d/1HpoxIFySMOOC-xTj9YWN9Re9CxEiwRZA/view?usp=drivesdk	Spring Price LUSH
https://youtu.be/At5f5WO1DRY	Natural Farming training of trainers

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ma_Gjbl7n_M	Seed Coating
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nuxUnp_XHas	Designing a permaculture homestead
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9sE5MUiQV5U	Working with waste
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=s4ChmZ8MJUM	Water harvesting at ubuntu
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=887-vIPukHc	Walk through the gardens
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Fmb4B8RYszo	Global funding for syntropic work
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oy-TH-PEpBo	SPRING PRICE LUSH 2025
https://www.facebook.com/share/p/1E5smjgCaR/	Facebook for Ubuntu

[Celebrating stories of change at Ubuntu Zambia through permaculture and organic farming](#)

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