



# FinEquity Africa 2024

## Annual Convening





# WELCOME

March 14, 2024





# FinEquity Africa Annual Convening

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3. Agenda for today
4. Opening discussion

# FINEQUITY GROWTH



## FINEQUITY GLOBAL

5,000 individuals reached

## FINEQUITY ALC

2,850 individuals reached

## FINEQUITY AFRICA

869 individuals reached

**>8,000 individuals reached** (unique subscribers across all 3 mailing lists)

About 10% of FinEquity ALC and 40% of FinEquity Africa individuals are also reached through FinEquity Global

*As of Feb. 2, 2023*

# LEARNING THEMES

JOIN THE FINEQUITY  
COMMUNITY ON  
LINKEDIN & DGROUPS



## Climate WFI Nexus

### Women and Climate Hypotheses and Assumptions

Based on CGAP, Agrofin and Dalberg research in Kenya (2022)



#### FINEQUITY GUIDE

##### ABOUT THIS GUIDE

By Catherine Hight, FintEquity  
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## WEE Measurement

### Tools Clinic: Using Financial Diaries to Develop Products for Women

L-BT, FINBIT, LAPO, and BRAC Myanmar



#### About this event

27 June 2023

Online

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## Gender Lens Investing for Women-Led MSMEs

### How can gender lens investing catalyze growth for women led MSMEs?



#### FINEQUITY BLOG

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# FinEquity Africa

*A regional branch of FinEquity Global that promotes equitable access to and use of financial services*

## Areas of work:



Accelerate knowledge generation



Foster best practices



Encourage regional sector collaboration

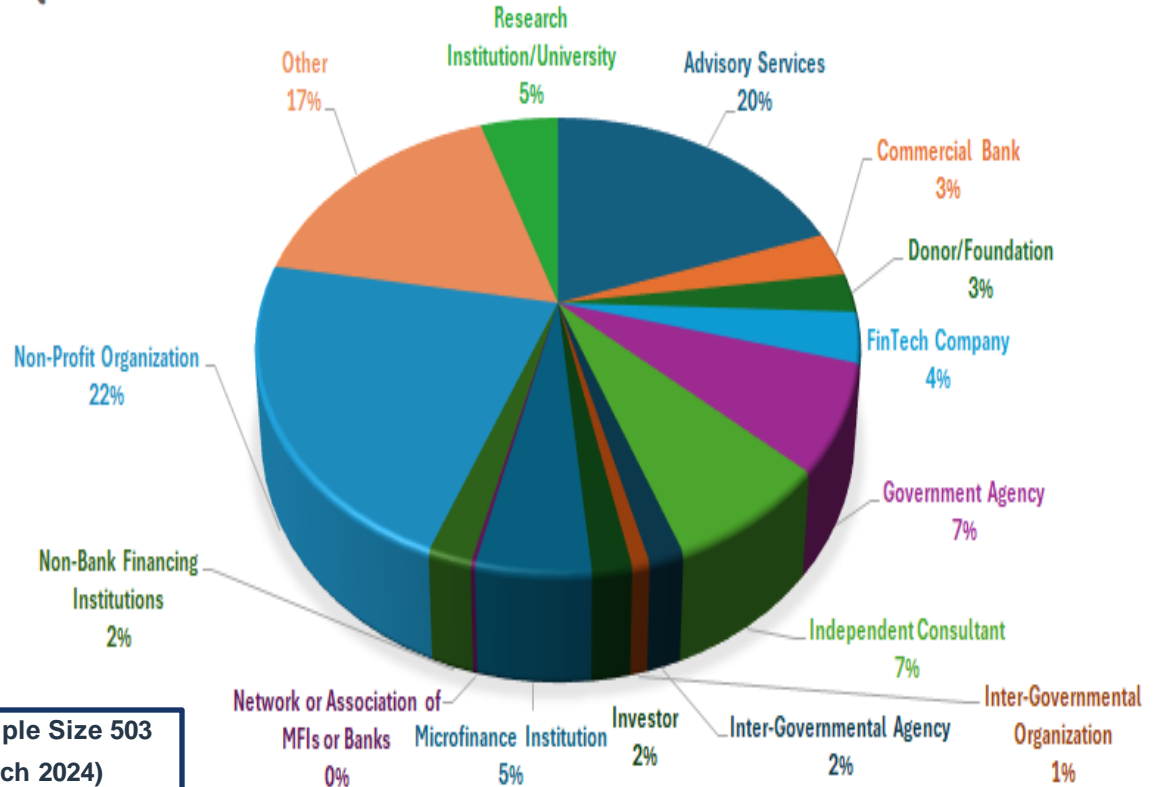
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## FINEQUITY AFRICA REACH BY INSTITUTION TYPE



Sample Size 503  
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# RECENT ACTIVITY

Join us!



## Events

- FinEquity Africa Panel at Women Deliver, Rwanda (July 22, 2023)
- FinEquity Africa Event in Nairobi, Kenya (Sept. 20, 2023)
- FinEquity Africa Panel at SAM, Togo (Oct. 18, 2023)
- FinEquity Africa Panel at PIC Summit, Nigeria (Nov. 19, 2023)
- FinEquity Africa Annual Convening, Ethiopia (March 14, 2024)

## Regular Communications

- Development and dissemination of newsletter to members 4x/yr
- One-on-one discussions with potential partners Development Partners (GMT, WDFI/WWB, AfDB's AFAWA, DFI)
- Growing FinEquity Africa membership through recruitment drive, social media campaign and member engagement
- Member blog posts

## Topics

- Climate gender nexus - Case studies
- Digitization of Savings Groups - WG





# AGENDA | THURSDAY, MARCH 14

1:50 – 3:25 PM  
PLENARY

Barriers and Opportunities for Women's Financial Inclusion in East Africa: A Conversation with “enablers”



Caroline Morrow  
Chief Executive Officer, FSD

Shiphra Chibba  
Chief of Policy, Strategy, and Research, FSD

Audrey Hove  
Senior Advisor, Africa for Financial Inclusion

Antonia Paulo  
Executive Director, FSD

Sophie Mills  
Lead Partner, FSD

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3:30 – 4:45  
BREAKOUT

From Compass to Map:  
Policy and Women's Financial Inclusion



Audrey Hove  
Senior Advisor, Africa for Financial Inclusion

Brenda Mwanza  
Executive Director, Financial Sector Development

Yasmin Bin Humam  
Principal Advisor, Africa for FSD

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WORKSHOP

Making Climate-Smart Financial Solutions work for Women



Hana Alem  
Program Officer, FSD/Compass

Tolulope Babajide  
Senior Regional Program Officer, FSD

Lucy Kaaria  
Executive Director, Women's Center

Kevin Munjat  
Senior Development Advisor, FSD

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4:45 CLOSING &  
COCKTAIL



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**Cocktail**

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Hyatt Hotel, Addis Ababa - Ethiopia  
Time: 5:00pm

Event graciously sponsored by BMGF

# OPENING QUESTIONS



What is the biggest change needs to happen to advance WEE through financial inclusion in Africa?

What is your organization doing?

What should we take away from FinEquity Africa 2024 Convening?

PLEASE SHARE  
YOUR FEEDBACK

THANK YOU!





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