

# SAFE WATER ACCELERATOR

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The Safe Water Accelerator Uganda supports 9 high-potential enterprises across the water value chain. Through tailored coaching, intensive training, and dynamic networking, these companies become investment-ready and equipped to scale both business and impact. Participants also receive technical assistance and a catalytic €10,000 grant to implement transformation projects. The hybrid delivery which combines in-person bootcamps, online modules, and field support ensures sustainable growth and deepens their capacity to deliver safe water solutions across Uganda.

**9 enterprises.12-month acceleration.**



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- 2 Water drilling & pumping companies
- 2 Water Purification companies
- 1 Water Kiosk
- 3 Water Technology Companies
- 1 Water Consulting & Engineering Company



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## WATERKIT

WaterKit is a tech-driven social enterprise that has developed WaterkitPay technology to improve the operation and maintenance of community wells, including boreholes. Through the wallet; community water user committees can save for repair and maintenance services, report system breakdowns, order repair services, receive repair donations, and request repair loans. WaterKit is currently piloting how the wallet can be diversified and scaled up as a platform to provide access to credit for essential water, sanitation, and hygiene products and services for personal and institutional users. WaterKit currently offers a subscription-based and pay-to-own model for solar water pumps for domestic use and small-scale irrigation, as well as water treatment filtration systems, and tap water connection financing services.

Impact so far: **500+ rural and refugee communities accessing safe and affordable water through the improved Operation and Maintenance framework**  
**2500+ refugee communities accessing essential water and sanitation products**



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## SUNDA TECHNOLOGIES UGANDA LTD

Sunda Technologies Uganda Ltd is a social enterprise that provides smart, prepaid water systems called SUNDA Systems to ensure communities have reliable and sustainable access to clean water. We work mainly in rural areas, partnering with local governments and NGOs to install our locally made systems at boreholes. Users access water using ID tags and pay through mobile money, while real-time dashboards track water usage and payments for transparency and accountability. What makes us unique is that our technology is designed by Ugandan engineers, making it simple to use and tailored to local needs. Additionally, our tap system is built to fit seamlessly into existing public water infrastructures and the handpump system is designed to integrate with the India Mark II hand pump, which is widely used across Uganda and Africa. Our goal is to install 350,000 units by 2030 and bring safe water to millions across Africa.



Impact so far: **More than 50,000 people use the Sunda System In Uganda**



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Pump up Water, Pump up Africa



## WATER GIANTS AFRICA LTD

Water Giants Africa Ltd is a leading private company dedicated to providing innovative and sustainable water solutions across Uganda. Since its inception, the company has been committed to delivering high-quality services that enhance water accessibility and efficiency for individuals, businesses, and communities.

We specialize in borehole services, solar energy solutions, water treatment and irrigation services.

Our solutions cater to a broad range of clients, including residential households, commercial enterprises, agricultural developers, non-governmental organizations, and government agencies seeking dependable water infrastructure.

Water Giants Africa Ltd stands out through its commitment to professionalism, innovation, and sustainability. We employ modern technologies, a highly skilled workforce, and environmentally responsible practices to ensure long-term water security for our clients.

Impact so far: **Over 5,000 people have gained access to clean water through our projects**



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## CAMA WOMEN PLUMBERS NETWORK LIMITED

Cama Women Plumbers Network Limited is a women-led and operated plumbing company that offers environmentally safe and water-saving plumbing services and products for homes and commercial spaces. The network advocates women empowerment through skilling and availing opportunities to all, in a market that is dominated by their male counterparts (90%).

Impact so far: **We have supported more than 25 women in having plumbing opportunities and supporting and mentoring women plumbing students at ST. Joseph's Kamuli Vocational Institute. This impacted more than 100 students in every organised sessions supported by Sendea Uganda.**



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## HEALTH SHORE LIMITED

Health Shore Limited is an Ugandan social enterprise transforming how rural schools access clean water through solar-powered purification systems with real-time IoT monitoring.

The company serves underserved schools by providing solar-powered reverse osmosis water systems that eliminate 99.99% of pathogens, operate off-grid, and prevent deforestation and CO<sub>2</sub> emissions linked to boiling water. Their innovative Safe Water Loan Scheme and service fee model, embedded in school bills, ensures long-term affordability and 100% community buy-in.

Impact so far: **5 rural schools supported with solar-powered water purification systems; 3,200+ students reached with access to safe, clean drinking water; 70% reduction in reported cases of waterborne diseases (e.g., cholera, typhoid); over \$300 monthly savings per school by eliminating firewood and bottled water costs; 50 acres of forest preserved per school by replacing firewood-based water boiling; 1,250 tons of CO<sub>2</sub> emissions avoided per district annually**



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# TUSAFISHE

Tusafishe designs, sells and installs community scale water purification systems for marginalized communities including refugee settlements, slums and rural schools. The enterprise generates revenue through the sale of purification systems either directly to these communities or to a partner organisation that pays on behalf of the community. Tusafishe is currently prototyping a digital billing system using mobile money to test a subscription model. This model will allow community members to periodically subscribe to access a given amount of water from the Tusafishe system.

Impact so far: **Access to safe water for 569,000 people**



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Water for life





## DAY LIGHT SOLAR ENERGIES

Day Light Solar Energies links organized groups with water related needs with financial institutions using an Artificial Intelligence chatbot Sandi Ai. The company also provides the delivery and installment of water service related products

Impact so far: **We have partnered with now 28 financial institutions and served 8000 people through their groups**

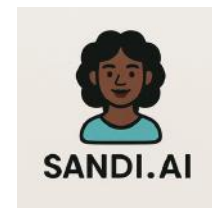


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## W. WATER WORKS LTD

W. Water Works Ltd is a Ugandan renewable energy and water solutions company specializing in the design and deployment of solar-powered water pumping and off-grid energy systems. Established in 2015 and majority female-owned, the company delivers high-quality, end-to-end engineering, procurement, and construction (EPC) services that support climate-smart agriculture, community resilience, and rural electrification across Uganda and other African markets.

Impact so far: **The company has deployed over 1.5 MW of solar capacity and solar pumping systems, now supplying over 10 million liters of water daily, serving more than 500,000 people across Uganda, Ethiopia, South Sudan, Mozambique, Burundi, and Rwanda. As an authorized distributor for Tier-1 global manufacturers, W. Water Works ensures access to durable, smart-enabled products backed by warranties of up to five years. Its model integrates system design, installation, remote monitoring, and training of local technicians, ensuring long-term sustainability and community ownership**



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## JOELEX UGANDA LIMITED/KEZA WATER

Keza Water aims to solve the problem of plastic waste and provide an affordable, eco-friendly alternative to bottled water. By offering a network of water refill stations with advanced filtration technology, the business addresses the need for convenient access to high-quality, purified drinking water without the ongoing cost and environmental impact of single-use plastic bottles.

Impact so far: **As a company we are growing to serving thousands of people very month**



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# PATH TO GROWTH

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*Program Kick-off*  
**28 May 2025**

*Enterprise Diagnostics*  
**9 June - 6 July 2024**

*1. Acceleration Boot camp*  
**9 - 11 July 2025**

*2. Acceleration Boot Camp*  
**1 - 5 September 2025**

*Transformation Projects*  
**September - October 2025**

*Financial Modelling*  
**September - October 2025**

*Investment Case Bootcamp (opt.)*  
**November 2025**

*Investor Matchmaking*  
**November Onwards**

*Continuous Follow-up Support*  
**Ongoing**

*Program Closure*  
**July 2026**

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