

**Cora Fernandez – SAVCA Chairperson Sanlam Private Equity**

CEO

Cora is the CEO of Sanlam Private Equity at Sanlam she manages Sanlam's private equity R4 billion investments programme and has strategic oversight of a R5 billion investment portfolio. Prior to joining Sanlam, Cora was a partner at Tiso Private Equity. Cora was named the Association of Black Securities and Investment Professionals' top private equity professional in 2006.

**J-P Fourie – Executive Officer**

Joined SAVCA in May 2006, previously J-P was a Member of the SAVCA Executive in his capacity as a representative of the JSE, where he managed their strategy team. J-P has qualifications in economics and investment management.

**Craig Dreyer – Ethos Private Equity**

Chief Financial Officer

Craig has been with Ethos since 1998, where he sits on various committees including the Strategic Policy Committee. Previously he was an Audit Partner at BDO Spencer Steward.

**David Stadler – Nedbank Capital**

Head of Private Equity

Dave has more than 23 years investment banking experience in corporate and structured finance and private equity. In 1996 Dave was appointed head of private equity to establish BoE Equity Partners, the private equity division of BoE NatWest. This division was merged with Nedbank Corporate Equities in January 2003. Dave has broad experience across a wide range of sectors both domestically and internationally.

**Emile du Toit – Development Bank of Southern Africa**

Divisional Executive: Private Equity

Emile oversees the DBSA portfolio of investment into third party private equity funds. Emile has over 9 years corporate finance and private equity experience and was with BAE systems/SAAB before joining the DBSA in 2003.

**Frencl Gillion – National Empowerment Fund**

CIO

Frencl is a qualified Chartered accountant with more than 12 years investment experience. He currently holds the position of Chief Investment Officer at the National Empowerment Fund. Frencl worked for Actis Africa Private Equity as an Investment Principal in its Empowerment Fund. He previously held the position of Head: Corporate Finance at DBSA where he was responsible for managing the DBSA's BEE investment portfolio.

**Fundiswa Roji – Kagiso Ventures**

Executive Director

Fundiswa has been involved with private equity and fund management since 2001. She joined the Kagiso Group in 2001. Since joining Kagiso Ventures, she has participated in the Negotiation Dynamics Programme and completed the Foundation Programme for Practitioners in Venture Capital, both through Wits Business School, as well as the Johannesburg School of Finance's Investment Fundamentals course

**Kuhle Kunene – Brait Private Equity**

Director

Kuhle joined Brait in 2005 and his responsibilities include financial and industry analysis as well as support activities for investments in packaging and construction. Kuhle also has responsibilities in Brait's fundraising activities. Kuhle was at HSBC before joining Brait. Kuhle is a graduate of the University of Cape Town where he completed a degree in Business Science.

**Nazeem Martin – Business Partners**

Managing Director

Since July 2000, Nazeem has been the General Manager responsible for Business Partners' iKapa Business Unit operating in South Africa's Western, Northern and Eastern Cape Provinces, as well as a specialist national Tourism Investment fund for SME's.

**Njabulo Mthembu – Treacle Private Equity**

Partner

Njabulo has been with Treacle since May 2004; previously he was a senior associate at Deloitte in New York and the interim CEO of the Professional Development Program in New York.

**Patrick Helson – Actis**

COO Africa.

Patrick joined Actis in 2001 and is based in South Africa as COO for the Actis Africa business and Global Head of Transaction Support. He has significant operational management experience, including seven years as CFO of Pacific Rim Palm Oil Limited, an Asia-Pacific agribusiness group. Patrick is a chartered accountant, having trained originally with KPMG, and holds an MA in Law from Cambridge

**Polo Radebe – Identity Partners**

Co-founder and Chief Executive

Polo responsible for the strategic direction, market linkages, deal sourcing and management of the business. She left the private sector to join Government in 2003 where she served as the Chief Director responsible for BEE at the dti until June 2007. Polo served on the Advisory Board and investment committee of National Empowerment Fund until April 2008.

**Richard Flett – Horizon Equity Partners**

Managing Director

Richard is the managing director of Horizon Equity Partners, a fund manager that he co-founded in 1996. He holds a B.Sc. (Honours) in Physics from Manchester University and an MBA from INSEAD, France. Prior to founding Horizon, Richard spent seven years as the investment director with Euroventures Switzerland, a \$50m venture capital fund based in Geneva.