



### **Imoni Akpofure**

Imoni Akpofure is an experienced finance and sustainability professional with 25 years' of developed and developing country experience. She is a generalist with wide industry and geographic coverage and has a deep understanding of Sub-Saharan Africa.

She became a Chartered Civil Engineer in 1993. She joined the International Finance Corporation (IFC), the private sector arm of the World Bank Group, and worked there from 1995 until her departure in 2013 as Director Western Europe. She was responsible for growing IFC's business with private clients, managing the portfolio, and building relationships with governments and other stakeholders in 36 countries in Africa and Western Europe.

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