

## Profile of Bernice Sam



Bernice Sam is a development professional with more than 25 years' experience in government relations, social performance, gender and social inclusion, communications, community engagement and multi-stakeholder dialogues.

Bernice is a lawyer, an international Diversity and Inclusion Trainer, a Global Leadership Assessment Practitioner as well as an Advanced Community Relations Practitioner. She was the External Affairs Manager for Aker Energy, Ghana; the West Africa Portfolio Manager on a UKAID Girls Education Programme; Dialogue Lead at the DAI's Western Region Coastal Foundation, and the immediate past Programme Coordinator of WILD AF Ghana.

She is passionate about inclusion, diversity and gender equality. Bernice has designed and implemented gender responsive and inclusion projects on health, legal literacy, rural development, gender-based violence, girls' education and child labor in Ghana. Also, Bernice has experience working in the extractives sector with responsibilities for corporate social investments and external affairs.

Bernice is presently the Managing Consultant at BSC Advisory, a consulting firm that supports private and public businesses to be more inclusive by accommodating people of different ethnic, social, economic, geographic, religious and other backgrounds.