



**MÁRCIA LUCRÉCIA JEIAMBE**  
HER VOICE FUND AMBASSADOR,  
MOZAMBIQUE

### **HER Voice Fund allowed me to grow professionally**

During my entire career, I have never had the opportunity to facilitate sessions outside of my country and in a different language. Through the HVF initiative, particularly through the AGYW Capacity Strengthen Curriculum initiative, I had the opportunity to facilitate different sessions focusing on what is my passion which is data analysis as a person with an academic background in Maths and Population studies I had the opportunity to put my skills in action and for the first-time doing work in southern Africa. I was also happy to see my analysis reflected in the report.

In the last quarter, I had my greatest achievement during the pilot training where I had the opportunity to also provide training in different topics incorporated into the curriculum such as Governance and Strategy; Advocacy, Project Management, and Monitoring and Evaluation. I was able to provide the training also because of the many pieces of training I received through Her Voice Fund Initiative related to gender and advocacy.

### **Ambassador Angels Program**



When the Ambassador Angels Program started, I couldn't expect that it could change completely my life. Gracious and myself are sharing the same mentor which is Sibiu. I had different sessions with my Mentor Sibiu, she helped me to focus on my potential and define my priorities. She helped me with my vision board and in September, we focused on developing my skills in elaborating CV and cover letter. She connected me with a professional on recruitment and also helped me identify several tools I can use to write a good cover letter. I am also applying for different opportunities.

### **Partnership Among Ambassadors**



During the last quarter I had the opportunity work together with two Ambassadors from Malawi and South Africa. Grace and I made a video on the 7th replenishment together in Malawi. We decide to do it to enhance collaboration between different Ambassadors and also learn from each other, it was a wonderful experience and we managed to have good material. I wrote an abstract with one of the grantees in Mozambique and it was approved for poster presentation at the International Workshop on Adolescence and HIV, unfortunately, I couldn't present in person because of the lack of funds and I asked the Gracious to present on my behalf with the support from our Mentor Sibiu. Gracious received the sponsorship and she was able to do it on our behalf. This attitude was honourable and strengthened our relationship as Ambassadors.

**Consultation meeting in Mozambique on how to improve youth friendly services for AGYW conducted by consultants from the University of Cape Town representing Global Fund.**

One of our roles as Ambassadors is also to create spaces for other AGYW to contribute and be heard. In July I organized a consultation meeting with a group of consultants from GF. I helped them with all the logistics for the event, and they also invited me to facilitate the discussions as the main facilitator. It was an amazing opportunity for the AGYW from the HER VOICE Task force to contribute to this amazing initiative that will bring a positive impact on the lives of many AGYWs.

