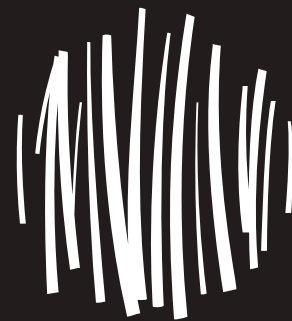


OUR BISATE RESERVE MANAGEMENT TEAM



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Introducing our wonderful Bisate Reserve Management Team.

Celebrating their inspiring journeys and future aspirations, and we are very proud to have played a role in providing them with these opportunities through our operation in the area.

ADELAIDE IRATEGEKA TRAINEE MANAGER

Addy was born in Kigali, the capital city of Rwanda. Here she attended school and college, where she studied IT. She also completed various hospitality courses, and found her way into the tourism industry, working in restaurants and hotels in Kigali to acquire experience. After a few years in the big city, in 2021 Addy took a position within the Bisate team. In her spare time, Addy likes reading books, especially novels. She also enjoys listening to music, and singing. Addy has a wonderful sense of humour and is always making her colleagues laugh. She is also a fantastic story teller, keeping the rest of the Bisate team entertained.





ANGELUS KARANGWA EXECUTIVE CHEF

After high school, Angelus studied culinary art and then completed an internship at Heaven Restaurant in Kigali where he ended up working as a chef. He is very thankful to have been able to join the Wilderness family. Angelus also takes great inspiration from the trainers who have come from all over the world to Bisate.

Traditional dance and song are important to Angelus, but he also enjoys listening to reggae music in his time off. He values people who are humble and treat their peers with respect. If he could visit anywhere in the world, it would be Israel.

ANIVIA PEACE MUTETERI ASSISTANT MANAGER

Anivia is the youngest in her family of five children. Although she studied business administration, she heard the calling for hospitality and never looked back. Cool and calm, Anivia adds a sense of grace and elegance to the team – and everywhere she goes. When she isn't hard at work at Bisate, Anivia loves to travel and visit new places in Rwanda and around the world.

She has even been adventurous enough to conquer Mount Bisoke and plans to hike Mount Karisimbi next! One of her greatest memories is visiting Egypt and being able to see the pyramids and sphinx in Egypt with her some of her closest friends.





BENJAMIN FURAH A NSEKUYE FOOD & BEVERAGE MANAGER & TRAINER

After studying Tourism & Hotel Management in the DRC, Benjamin then moved to Rwanda where he worked at Mille Collines as a chef trainee. He then worked in several Rwandan hotels as Food & Beverage Manager. On learning about Wilderness, he was thrilled to become part of the family.

Together with the team he would like to provide exceptional service to all our guests. Benjamin is a very keen photographer and really enjoys reading books. He would like to visit South Africa and Germany one day.

ELIE DUSENGIMANA MANAGER

Elie was born in Rwanda's Southern Province and has travelled far and wide across the county. Elie joined the Wilderness team in 2018 and has grown immensely since then, becoming an integral part of the family. He started as a housekeeper and has worked very hard to get to where he is now. He is the second-born in a family of four siblings. Having spent a few years at Wilderness Magashi in Akagera National Park, he is now happy to be working in the cooler Volcanoes National Park area, at Bisate.

While working at Wilderness, one of Elie's biggest achievements has been completing his studies and obtaining a Bachelor's degree in Hospitality, becoming the first person in his family to obtain a formal qualification. When Elie is not hard at work, he loves football and wildlife.





FRANCINE UWAMAHORO TRAINEE MANAGER

Francine was born in Kigali. She is proud mom to a handsome young man. Before joining the Bisate Family, she worked in Dubai for two years which she explored, and travelled to different places. She even hiked Mount Kazbek in Georgia! When Francine isn't working, she loves to spend as much time in nature as she can, especially forests. She enjoys eating local sweet potatoes and beans. Francine is a beautiful singer and hopes that one day she will be able to travel again as she really wants to visit Canada.

FULGENCE KAMANZI TRAINEE MANAGER

Fulgence was born in Kinigi sector very close to Bisate. He was born into a very big family and is one of nine children! When he isn't working, he is a big football fan and loves watching his local team live when he can. He loves to sing and listen to gospel music. His favourite food is a local dish made up of potatoes and climbing beans. He would love to visit Canada one day, as a lot of his friends have moved there.





JP KWIZERA MANAGER

JP, or affectionately known as Japes, joined Bisate in 2017 and through lots of hard work and dedication, has grown into one of the leaders in our team. He is grateful that Bisate is built in his village, as it means that this will help develop the area, and the community will benefit. When he was younger, JP wanted to be a teacher.

When he is not at work, he likes to work on his farm, read books and watch movies. He enjoys listening to country and gospel music, and he loves drinking tea. JP would like to visit Botswana one day. One of his greatest memories is trekking to see the mountain gorillas.

PATRICK BIZUMUREMYI MANAGER

Patrick was born and raised in Kinigi. His love for hospitality started after his primary studies knowing that it was the only career that will allow him to create joy in the lives of others, whether guests or workmates.

His favourite thing about Rwandan culture is Igitaramo, because he learns the importance of celebrating every big or small win that he achieved during the day. He likes jogging, reading and movies.

What he loves the most about working for Wilderness is being part of the family. Not every company will treat you as a part of the family, but he feels Wilderness would love to see him grow and being the best he can be, as his own family would. His role model is H.E Paul Kagame, mainly because of how he restored the country after the tragic history of 1994, and he aspires to grow in his career and become a GM in the future.





RYAN DEWES CONCESSION MANAGER

Ryan was born and raised in Johannesburg, South Africa. After finishing school Ryan studied Hospitality Management at Stenden University, following which he worked in the commercial real estate industry for a year. He then decided to follow his true passion for luxury hospitality and conservation, and started working as a manager at a top luxury safari Lodge.

When Ryan isn't working, he loves fishing, cryptology and playing his guitar. He is thrilled to have joined the Wilderness team in Rwanda, and greatly appreciates being able to share the beautiful culture of this country and our conservation efforts with all of our guests.

TIFFANY FRANKS GENERAL MANAGER

Tiffany grew up in Johannesburg, South Africa, and has always had a great love for nature and animals. After finishing school and spending some time working and studying abroad in the UK, she returned home to pursue her dream of working in the conservation and safari industry.

She worked as a manager at a luxury safari lodge in South Africa for three years before taking a break to work as an attorney in Johannesburg. In her spare time, Tiffany enjoys wildlife photography and reading. She is overjoyed to have joined the Rwanda team in October 2022.





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