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# 15th Annual Conference

 **SCALING  
SMART WATER**

**Berlin, Germany**  
MAY 27-29, 2025



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# NEWS FROM THE FRONT DESK

*With Warona*



**AS WE STEP INTO THIS NEW MONTH, WE'RE REMINDED THAT EVERY NEW BEGINNING CARRIES A QUIET KIND OF MAGIC—THE KIND THAT WHISPERS OF FRESH STARTS, RENEWED ENERGY, AND LIMITLESS POTENTIAL.**

Whether the past weeks brought victories or challenges, today gives us a clean page to write new stories of growth, purpose, and joy.

This month, we're choosing positivity—not just as an attitude, but as a daily practice. We're celebrating the power of small wins, the beauty of resilience, and the strength that comes from simply showing up for yourself and others. Each sunrise is a reminder that life, no matter how complex, always gives us another chance to evolve.

Let's continue to nurture our minds, uplift those around us, and honour our journeys. Let's celebrate life—not just the milestones, but the moments in between that shape who we are becoming. Here's to a month filled with light, growth, gratitude, and progress. Keep shining.



*A New Month. A  
Fresh Opportunity*



## INAUGURAL BOTSWANA GREEN & CIRCULAR ECONOMIES FORUM 2025



THEME: SUSTAINABLE PROSPERITY; LEVERAGING THE GREEN AND CIRCULAR ECONOMIES FOR OPPORTUNITIES AND ECONOMIC GROWTH

### Meet Our Speakers



**THEBE ROY JOHANNES**  
*Technical Director*  
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Thebe Roy Johannes is a visionary entrepreneur and the Technical Director of Leeroy Systems, a Botswana-based company specializing in smart prepaid water metering solutions. With a strong background in engineering and a passion for developing green technologies, Johannes is committed to creating solutions that enhance quality of life and promote sustainable resource management.

Under his leadership, Leeroy Systems has become a key player in the smart water management sector, offering innovative Metering-as-a-Service (MaaS) solutions that leverage IoT technology for real-time billing and water usage monitoring. The company's services include the manufacture, supply, and installation of smart water meters, as well as ongoing maintenance and data management support, enabling government sectors and communities to adopt more efficient and transparent water management systems. Johannes's commitment to innovation and sustainability has not only positioned Leeroy Systems as a trusted leader in Botswana but has also earned the company global recognition. Leeroy Systems is a proud member of the Smart Water Networks Forum (SWAN), the leading global hub for the smart water and wastewater sector. The company has also been nationally endorsed by Brand Botswana for its



contribution to advancing sustainable technologies and promoting citizen economic empowerment

Through his visionary leadership, Johannes continues to align Leeroy Systems' work with Botswana's broader goals of developing resilient infrastructure, promoting digital transformation, and embracing a thriving circular economy. Beyond his role at Leeroy Systems, he remains actively engaged in initiatives that foster sustainable development, innovation, and community empowerment across Botswana.



*The future of business  
 is green*



# 15TH ANNUAL SWAN CONFERENCE

*Berlin, Germany* May 27-29, 2025

**SWAN'S FLAGSHIP EVENT IS THE MEETING POINT FOR THE SMART WATER SECTOR – A MUST-ATTEND EXPERIENCE FOR THOSE NAVIGATING THE DIGITAL TRANSFORMATION JOURNEY.**

As a proud member of SWAN Leeroy Systems was excited to attend the 15th Annual SWAN Conference!

This year's theme was, "Scaling Water Metering," which resonates deeply with our mission to drive innovation in smart water solutions. The attendance of the annual event was fostered in looking forward to meaningful conversations, new partnerships, and exploring how data and technology can shape the future of water management. The event will feature three days of cutting-edge content, including inspiring keynotes, interactive workshops on "Foundation to Scale" (Back to the Future theme)

and "Beyond the Buzz" of AI/Digital Twins, speed dating, a Start-Up Scaling Masterclass, and more!

The term "scaling" can mean many different things in the water sector. It's not just about speed and automation, but increasing workforce productivity, adapting to diverse situations like weather extremes, and providing continuous value, often through co-creation. It's also not just about scaling "up", but scaling down to provide more accessible and equitable solutions such as to smaller systems, rural communities, and developing countries.

Successful scaling relies on taking a holistic approach and balancing internal factors and external influences, from investing in people and processes to deploying the latest innovative solutions. These ideas are depicted in the modified image below based on the Accenture 'Future Ready' model.



SWAN Ambassadors are champions of smart water technologies, working globally to promote innovative solutions in water management through digital transformation and sustainability. Ms. Motshegwa exemplifies this mission through her advocacy and thought leadership.



**Day 1** wrapped with electric energy as voices from across the region came together for bold, thought-provoking roundtable discussions. From leadership to innovation, no topic was off the table—and the momentum is just getting started



**Day 2** at the SWAN 2025 Forum – Scaling Smart Water!

Today's sessions were all about turning innovation into action. From smart meters and AI-driven systems to community empowerment and digital integration — we explored how to scale smart water solutions in a way that works for people, planet, and progress.



The SWAN Forum 2025 brought together trailblazers, innovators, and solution providers from across the globe — all united under one roof to reimagine the future of water.

With the event concluding, the biggest take home was inspiration, a clearer understanding, and overflowing with ideas ready to take the lead in delivering Smart Metering Solutions that will transform how communities manage water sustainably and intelligently.

As Leeroy Systems, we are proud to be part of the movement. The future of water is here — and we are ready to drive it.

*Be part of the water revolution.*



# Resilience in Action

# THRIVING IN A WORLD OF CHANGE

Leeroy Systems was in attendance at the celebration and commemoration of World Facilities Management Day, with our Technical Director featured as one of the keynote speakers.

Leeroy Systems is proud to participate in the 9th Annual Facilities Management Day Commemoration and Exhibition, hosted at BOBS by Dikago Facilities Solutions! Theme: Resilience in Action – Thriving in a World of Change

We are excited to showcase our innovative technologies and solutions that empower resilient, adaptive, and sustainable facilities management. Together, we are building the future of FM—one solution at a time.





# Celebrating Mothers Day

## MOSADI KE THARI YA SECHABA

**THE MONTH OF MAY IS A VERY SPECIAL MONTH AS WE CELEBRATE ALL THE BEAUTIFUL MOTHERS ALL OVER THE WORLD.** Understanding the sentimental value the role and presence of mother has on the impact of not only the child's upbringing and social-moral construct of the community, Leeroy Systems was a proud supporter of the **Ikemeleng Basadi Gala Dinner**, hosted on a Sunday in Kgale View.

*The first Annual*  
**Ikemeleng Basadi**  
**Gala Dinner**

PROGRAM

- 18:00 Time Activity Facilitator/Speaker
- 18:00 Opening Prayer Volunteer
- 18:05 Words of Wisdom by Hon. Reverend
- 18:10 Opening Remarks by Hon. Mafara Ntso
- 18:20 Official Opening of proceedings Hon. Mafara Mophahling
- 18:35 Presentation by VBCA
- 18:50 Community Engagement Session (challenges and solutions) facilitated by Hon. Leaga Chombo
- 19:00 Words of Encouragement Hon. Deputy Mayor Mankie Sabela
- 19:10 Closing Remarks Hon. Charles Rereko
- 19:15 Dinner, Networking & Socializing All Attendees

*Mosadi thari ya sechaba*

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# The Month of May in Pics



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## HAPPY MOTHER'S Day



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