

# PORTFOLIO

## PRINCESS ADJOBANYANIBAYANKSON JOH

**POET / DESIGNER / PAINTER / NUTRITIONIST/ MOTIVATIONAL SPEAKER**







Princess Adjoba Nyaniba Yankson Joh sat for her West African Basic Education (WAEC) having aggregate of best six distinctions in Burma Camp (Ghana). After that, she was enrolled in Tema Senior Secondary School (TEMASCO) as a Science student; Coming out with an outstanding grade. During her years in school, she got involved in various social activities.

As years went by, based on her good results, Princess Nyaniba was enrolled in West African Insurance Institute (WAI) in the Gambia as a private student; a course for prospective middle managers in insurance and risks Management where she obtained a Diploma certificate in Insurance and Risks Management.

Later on, Princess Nyaniba attended Management Development Institute (MDI) in the Gambia, where she obtained a distinctive diploma in Management Studies. She then began her professional career working with Gamstar Insurance Company and after for Great Alliance Insurance Company in the Gambia for a period of 8 years. During her working period in the Insurance industry, Princess Nyaniba participated in various insurance seminars and workshops organized by Mainstream Re (Accra-Ghana), Continental Re (Lagos Nigeria) etc.



She is hard working, very determined, very ambitious at work and good in what she does. Due to this reason, she was promoted from being an underwriter to an Officer in the Insurance Company heading the reinsurance department, which is the back bone of every insurance company. In addition, she was honored and given a certificate of Merit in recognition of satisfactory performance of duty. But despite her outstanding performance towards her professional career, she had a great passion for the Art in general, and crocheting in particular

Her weaving skills began through her childhood days as a hobby but as years went by, she became more creative than ever that she started to make "ends meat" from it. But Princess Nyaniba felt it was not enough so she travelled to England to look for a Designer who could help her to explore more in the Art. After months of search for the Designer, it wasn't successful and she returned to the Gambia. However, she didn't sit but kept working towards her vision and goals. She registered her own Art business called ADJOBA DESIGNS in 2010.

She wanted to enlarge her Art gallery, so she joined and became a member of ASSET (Association of Small Scale Enterprises in Tourism) but was still not satisfied by the impact of her Art. She began having various interviews with the gambian medias and magazines in order to find designers to upgrade her Art but all was in vain.



One day at a social meeting in the Gambia, she came across the Cultural Heritage and Peace Emperor H. Malatsi SIWA from South Africa. Convinced by his expertise, she decided to give a full attention to the Art. Deep down in her, she knew it was a calling and that was her destiny. The strong desire and passion she had for the Art was unexplainable. She then began the Art lessons with His Majesty Siwa from scramble Art, painting, decoration, dance, singing, poetry, nutrition etc. The teachings with him were not only about the Art but also about life after the Art; always saying that it is good to be versatile cause we never know how the future is going to be. From 2010 till today, Princess Nyaniba has been travelling with His Majesty Siwa across Africa (Gambia, Senegal, Sierra Leone, Mali, Burkina Faso, Guinea Conakry, Morocco, Ghana ...) as an incubator and member of THE MESSENGERS OF MESSAGES (MOMS), a Panafrikan Cultural and Artistic Edutainment Movement they have created in 2010 and formalized officially as an NGO in 2020 with other members from various African countries. Being part of the MOMS allowed her to make her career international, realise how blessed her Continent is, but also to know the major problems affecting it and contribute in finding the solutions to solve them through the Arts. She was then able to change the lives of many underprivileged youth, women, people living with disabilities, migrants etc. using Art, Culture and words of wisdom as weapons. She was able to meet and receive awards from Presidents, Kings, various dignitaries and international organizations based on their actions as MESSENGERS OF MESSAGES.



## RECOGNITION FROM DIFFERENT INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS:

- ☐ ICESCO
- ☐ UNESCO
- ☐ INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION OF MIGRATION
- ☐ AFRICAN UNION
- ☐ MOROCCAN PARLIAMENT
- ☐ CGELU-A
- ☐ MOROCCAN AGENCY FOR INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION
- ☐ ORIENT OCCIDENT FOUNDATION
- ☐ LIONS CLUB INTERNATIONAL
- ☐ INTERNATIONAL CENTER FOR DIPLOMACY IN MOROCCO
- ☐ AFRICANITY TROPHY FOUNDATION
- ☐ MOROCCO-AFRIKA ORGANIZATION
- ☐ UNIVERS CINE PLUS (UCP) ASSOCIATION
- ☐ Etc.

## PARTICIPATION IN DIFFERENT EVENTS AS A POET:

- ☐ VISA FOR MUSIC FESTIVAL
- ☐ AFRICITIESSUMMIT
- ☐ IMMIGRATION AND DEVELOPMENT FORUM
- ☐ CAPSPARTELFESTIVAL
- ☐ INTERNATIONAL BOOK FAIR OF MOROCCO
- ☐ CONAKRY WORLD BOOK CAPITAL
- ☐ RABAT OF CULTURES FESTIVAL
- ☐ AFRICAN PRIZE OF LEADERS
- ☐ AFRICAN ACHIVIERS AWARD (Sierra Leone)
- ☐ AFRICANPRIZEOFDEVELOPMENT
- ☐ VOLUBILIS FESTIVAL
- ☐ FORMULA E FESTIVAL
- ☐ NATIONAL MOVIE FESTIVAL (MOROCCO)
- ☐ INTERNATIONAL CHILDREN OF PEACE FESTIVAL
- ☐ INTERNATIONAL STORYTELLING FESTIVAL ...

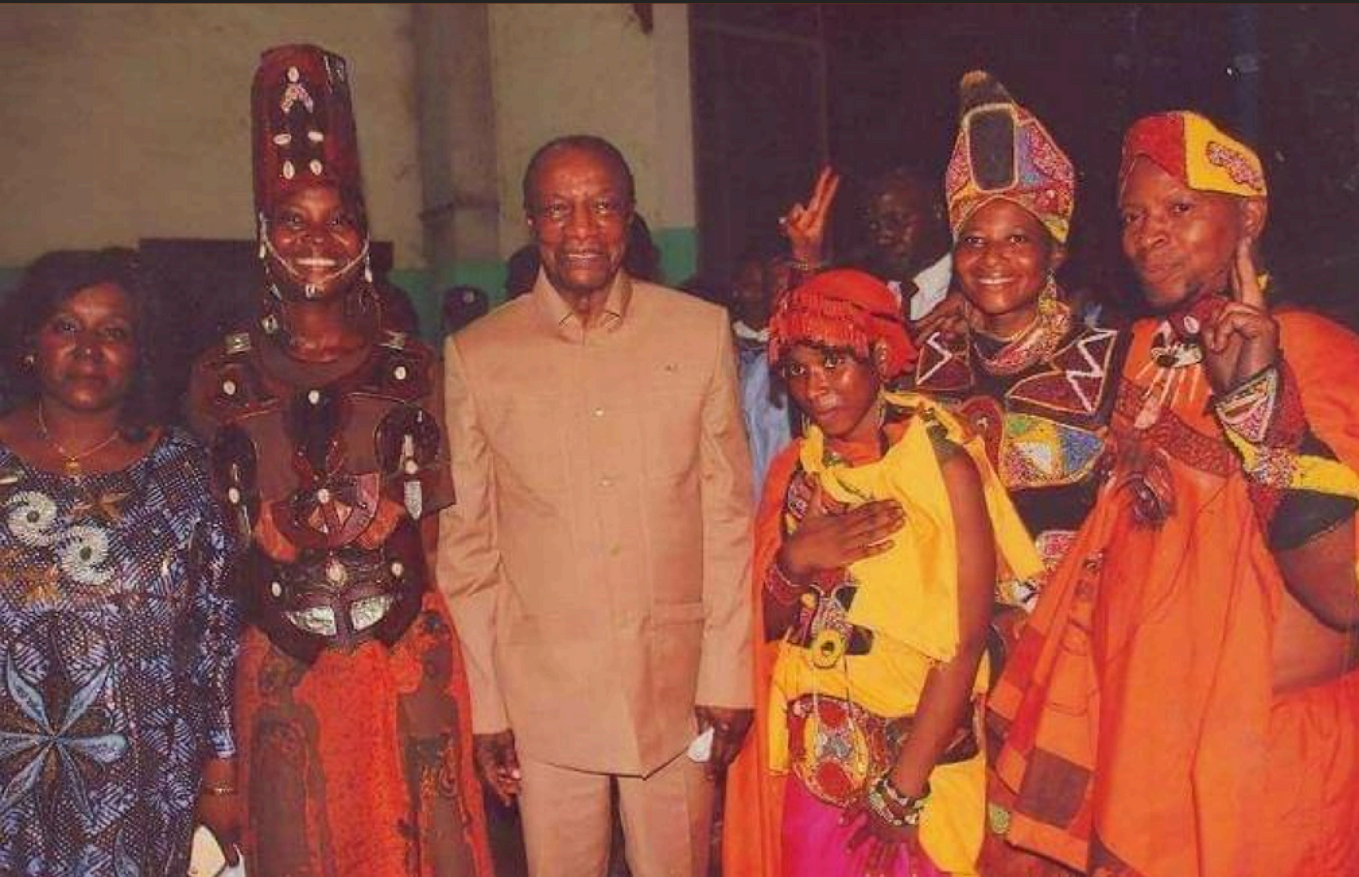


# THE MESSENGERS OF MESSAGES





# Performing for the President of African Union





1. With the President of Liberia H.E Helen Sirleaf Johnson

2. With the Minister of Youth, Culture and Communication of Morocco, HE Mr. Mohamed Mehdi Bensaid





1. With the Dr of ICESCO and his spouse Dr Salim M. Al Malik 2. With the Minister of Culture of Morocco and HE Mr. André Azoulay, First Adviser of His Majesty the King Mohamed 6 (God be with him)





With the princesses Lalla Malika and Lalla Fatima Zohra of Morocco; and the Ambassadors of South Africa, Bangladeshi, Senegal, Salvador, Ireland, Finland, Czech Republic, Kazakhstan, Mexico and Azerbaijan to Morocco.



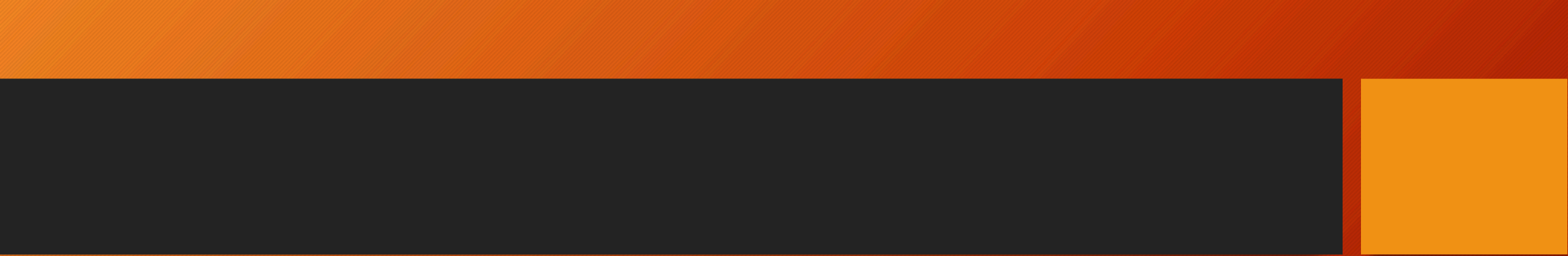


# HER VARIOUS ACHIEVEMENTS IN DIFFERENT FIELDS

Princess Nyaniba mainly intervention 5 different fields such as:

- ❑ Poetry: She writes and performs on different occasions poems about Africa, Culture, women and different topics affecting Africa and the world.
- ❑ Painting: She has a particular touch of naive Art which makes her different and unique in her own way.
- ❑ Fashion designing: Through her creations, she represents the beauty of mix African cultures in a Royal way.
- ❑ Cooking and Nutrition: She has a great passion for cooking and a knowledge in various types of food (asian, european, african, pastries tc.). She doesn't miss the opportunity to create meals and based on her knowledge on food combinations, she helped many people to lose weight in a natural way and a short time.
- ❑ Motivational speaking: Through her words of wisdom she was able to change the lives of many youth across Africa based on her innate maternal instinct.





# **VARIOUS INTERNATIONAL AWARDS**



1. Awarded by the Africanity Trophy Foundation at ICESCO, and decorated by the Moroccan former Minister of High Education, Scientific research and Executives training.
2. Decorated by the First Lady of Sierra Leone





1. Florilege Festival Award(Morocco)
2. AfricanAchieversAward(Sierra Leone)





1. African Prize of Leaders (Morocco)
2. SICA Festival Award (Guinea Conakry)
3. African Prize of Development (Morocco)





1. World Art Day (Morocco) 2. Confederation of Foreign African Students and Trainees in Morocco (CESAM)  
Award





# 1. ALECA FOUNDATION Certificate (Morocco)

## 2. Certificate of service to the CESAM on the occasion of the International Women Day

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Fondation Ayad Lemhouer pour  
l'Education, la Culture et les Arts  
72, Avenue des Alaouites, Plage Guyville, Harhoura

### CERTIFICATE

We hereby certify that the Artist Princess Adjoba Nyaniba Yankson Joh organized an artistic event on June 17, 18 and 19, 2022, within the **ALECA Foundation**, Harhoura, province of Temara, Morocco, on the theme: "**MOROCCO IS AFRICAN**".

On the program:

- Exhibition of costumes and artistic works
- Exhibition of handmade African accessories and printed T-shirts with handmade African motifs
- Concert of music, poetry and songs
- Conference on the career of the Artist
- Public artistic (painting on canvas) and musical performance on the beach of Guyville, Harhoura

During the three-day event, all visitors showed great interest in the works on display as well as in the musical performances, and above all expressed a strong appreciation for the human qualities and professional skills of the Artist.

For the ALECA Foundation, President Pr. Ayad Lemhouer

Phone: 0661302931

20 June 2022

Fondation ALECA, Harhoura

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1. Award of the International Forum for the Cooperation Morocco-Africa
2. Award of the Festival Rabat of Cultures





# Certificate of training in Bakery and Pastries







# **SOME OF HER PERFORMANCES AND VARIOUS ARTISTIC CREATIONS**



# POETRY

1. Performing with the Cops Club of Ghana
2. Performing at the African Cultural Center of Morocco





- 1.Performingat the Book FairFestival of Morocco
- 2.Performingat the International FashionFestival in Africa(FIMA)
- 3.Performingfor the celebrationof the MoroccanNational Day





1. Performing at ICESCO in the presence of all the accredited African Ambassadors in Morocco
2. Performing at the International Storytelling Festival of Morocco

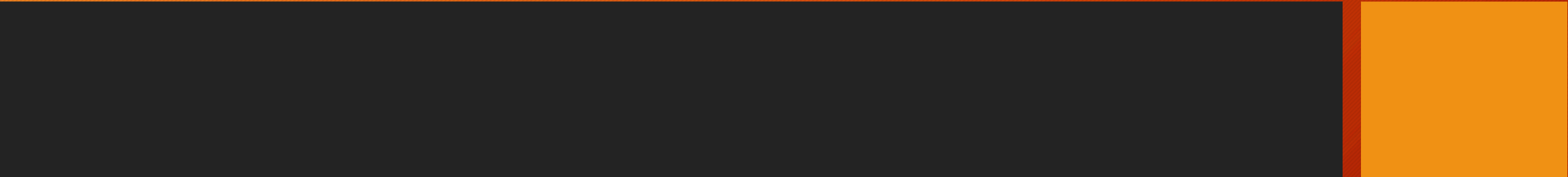




# Performing at the 17th session of UNESCO Committee for safeguarding the intangible Heritage







**HUMANITARIAN ACTIVITIES WITH STUDENTS,  
MIGRANTS, REFUGEES, ASYLUM SEEKERS,  
PEOPLE LIVING WITH DISABILITIES...**



Celebrating June 16th (Massacre of Soweto) in Guinea Conakry with the youth in the presence of Miss Guinea, HE the Ambassador of South Africa to Guinea and his spouse.





# Arts and Handcrafting artistic residence with the youth of «TIABALA» Orphanage in Guinea Conakry





Celebrating MANDELA DAY by performing with the youth of «LA MAIN DU CŒUR» orphanage of Burkina Faso





1. Cultural activities with underprivileged youth in TADZEWU village (Ghana)
2. Musical performance with the Panafrican Youth Orchestra on TV (Ghana)





Awareness campaign about peace and social cohesion on different TV stations in Burkina Faso





Celebrating the African Cultural Day with Moroccan students and the members of Univers CinePlus (UCP) Association, gathering 20 different African nationalities to promote cultural diversity in Morocco.





Artistic residence with migrants and celebration of the International Day of Migration at the African Cultural Center of Morocco.





Artistic Residence with  
migrants, refugees and  
asylum seekers at the  
Orient Occident  
Foundation of Morocco





1. Celebrating the International Peace Day in Sierra Leone with the Rev. David Chambers
2. Awareness campaign about peace and social cohesion in Sierra Leone in the presence of HE Mrs Helen Sirleaf Johnson, President of Liberia and HE the President Maada Bio of Sierra Leone.





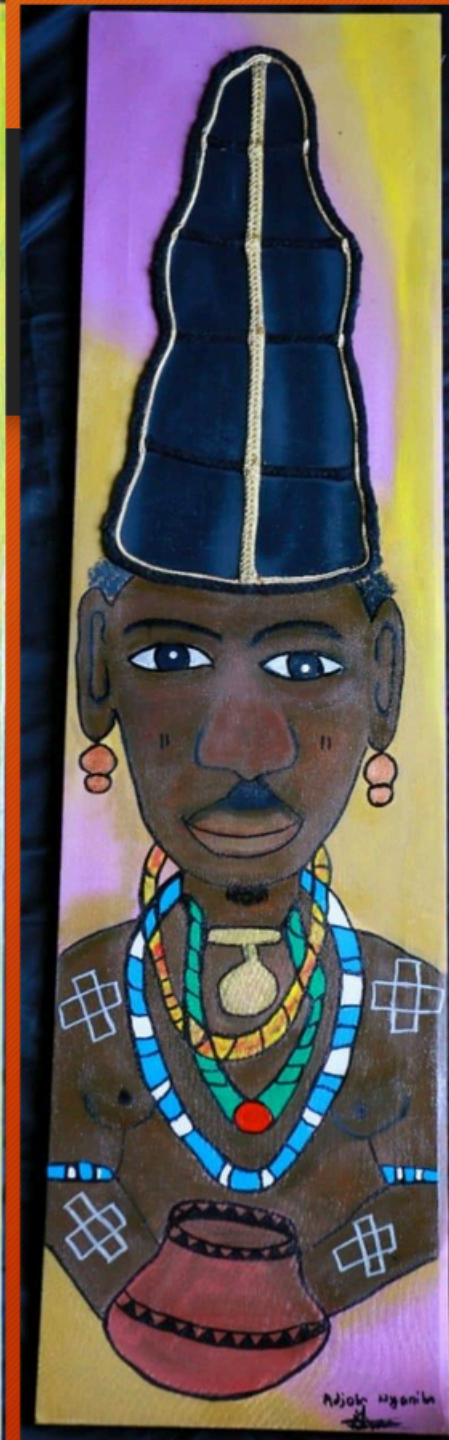
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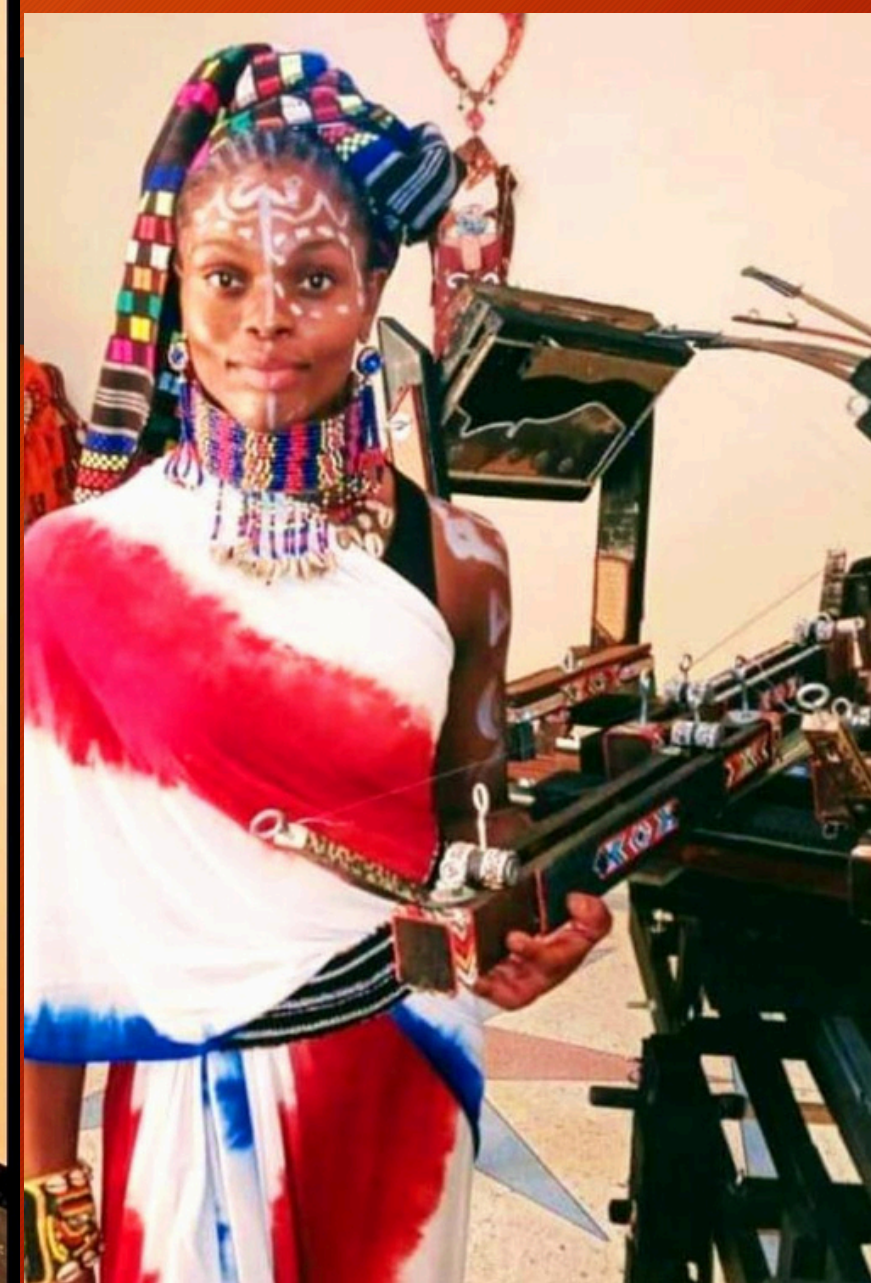
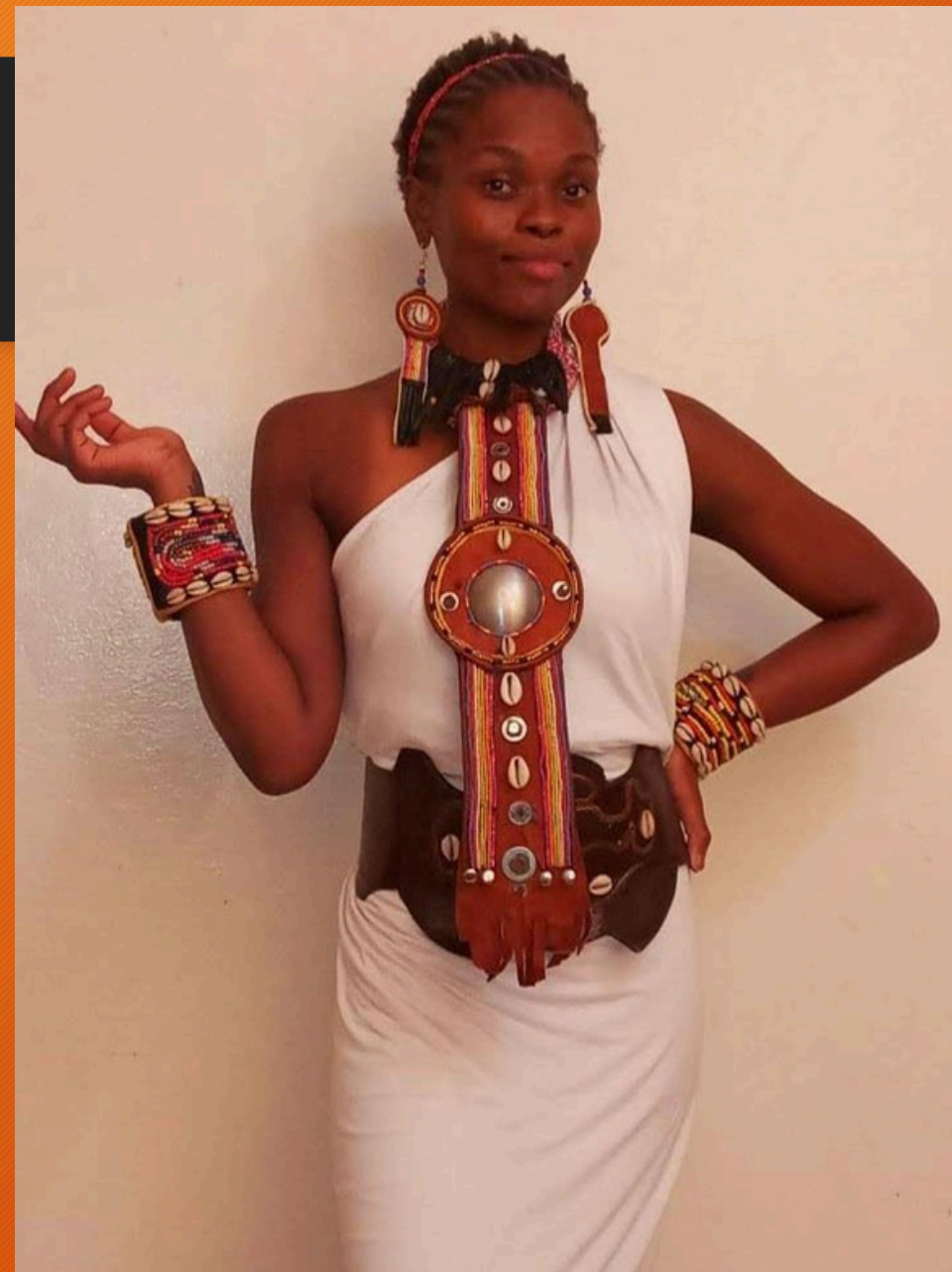




# FASHION DESIGNING





































# COOKING AND NUTRITION













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Journée du Patrimoine Africain يوم التراث الإفريقي

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Expositions, musique, défilé de mode, art culinaire en Afrique

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Samedi 12 Novembre 2022

Salle Allal El Fassi-Agdal

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# MOTIVATIONAL SPEAKING







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«NO MATTER HOW SMALL YOUR GIFT OR TALENT IS,  
VALUE IT LIKE A DIAMOND».

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