



# Experienced practitioner joins Fruit SA

**Kgabo Rammutla,**  
Operations Manager  
of Fruit SA.

**Bonnie Buthelezi**  
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**K**GABO RAMMUTLA has recently joined Fruit SA as the Operations Manager. He is a development practitioner with over 15 years' rural and urban development experience. He has experience working with institutions, government agencies and non-governmental organisations, and is focused on facilitating and managing agribusiness and rural development, development facilitation, food security assessments and poverty alleviation programmes.

Mr Rammutla made a significant contribution to the development of the agribusiness landscape in the Limpopo Province as the Field Coordinator of the first phase of the Limpopo Agribusiness Development Academy (LADA) from 2007 to 2010 and as the Operations Manager in the second phase from July 2010 to October 2011. The main thrust of the programme was to provide emerging commercial farmers and agri-entrepreneurs with the much-needed post-production and agribusiness management skills along the agricultural value chain.

In January 2013 he was appointed as Project Manager of the West Rand Agricultural Training Institute with the Gauteng Department of Agriculture

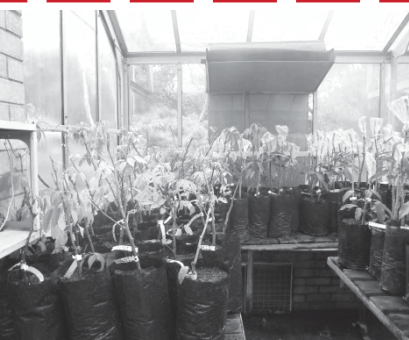
and Rural Development. In January 2015 he was seconded to spear head the review process of Gauteng Agro Processing Strategy to align with the bold provincial developmental agenda of transformation, modernisation and re-industrialisation of the economy.

He holds a masters degree in sustainable agriculture (MSA) from the University of Free State where he majored in Strategic Management and Planning in Agriculture, National and International Agricultural Marketing and Farm Management for Sustainable Agriculture.

He is married to Christine and has a son and a daughter, Tlou and Thato. Kgabo's hobbies include watching sports, gardening and travelling. ❖



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