

# ***TL AWARDS***

**Alquity, the Ashmore Foundation and EMpower** are together contributing more than **\$250,000 in combined funding** and support to **strengthen youth livelihoods** in Indonesia and South Africa.

*life changing*

# ***FIRST AWARDEE***

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**THE ROLE FOUNDATION**  
(INDONESIA)

# ROLE'S MISSION

Founded in 2007, ROLE is a non-profit that focuses on **empowering marginalised young women** and **uplifting communities.**



# THE BALI WISE PROGRAMME

Over 6 months, young women are provided **life skills** (e.g. health & well-being and financial literacy) and vocational **training in hospitality, tourism and digital marketing.**

**8** DECENT WORK AND ECONOMIC GROWTH



**5** GENDER EQUALITY



# INCLUSIVE PROGRAMME SUPPORT

The students receive free **accommodation**, uniforms, books and **learning materials**, transport, **mental health support** and allowances to **support their families**.

# CREATING GENERATIONAL CHANGE

**1,858** women have **graduated**.

**88%** of the students have secured **full time employment** with fair wages.

**9,290 family members** have indirectly benefitted.

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Source: ROLE, as of 2024

A young woman wearing a white polo shirt with a logo, a black cap, and black pants with a red and white stripe down the side is working with waste. She is wearing a grey glove on her right hand and is holding a piece of white plastic. The background shows a pile of dry sticks and some plastic waste on the ground, with a building in the distance.

# THE ROLE ECOSYSTEM

ROLE also runs the **ZeroWaste Center**, which conducts **ecological awareness** and **waste management training**.

# ***SECOND AWARDEE***

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***SOZO***

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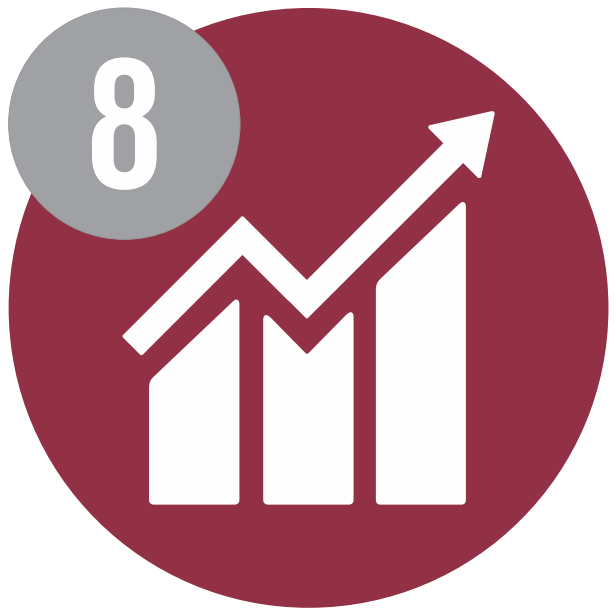
*pathways to youth employment*

**THE SOZO FOUNDATION**  
**(SOUTH AFRICA)**

# ABOUT SOZO

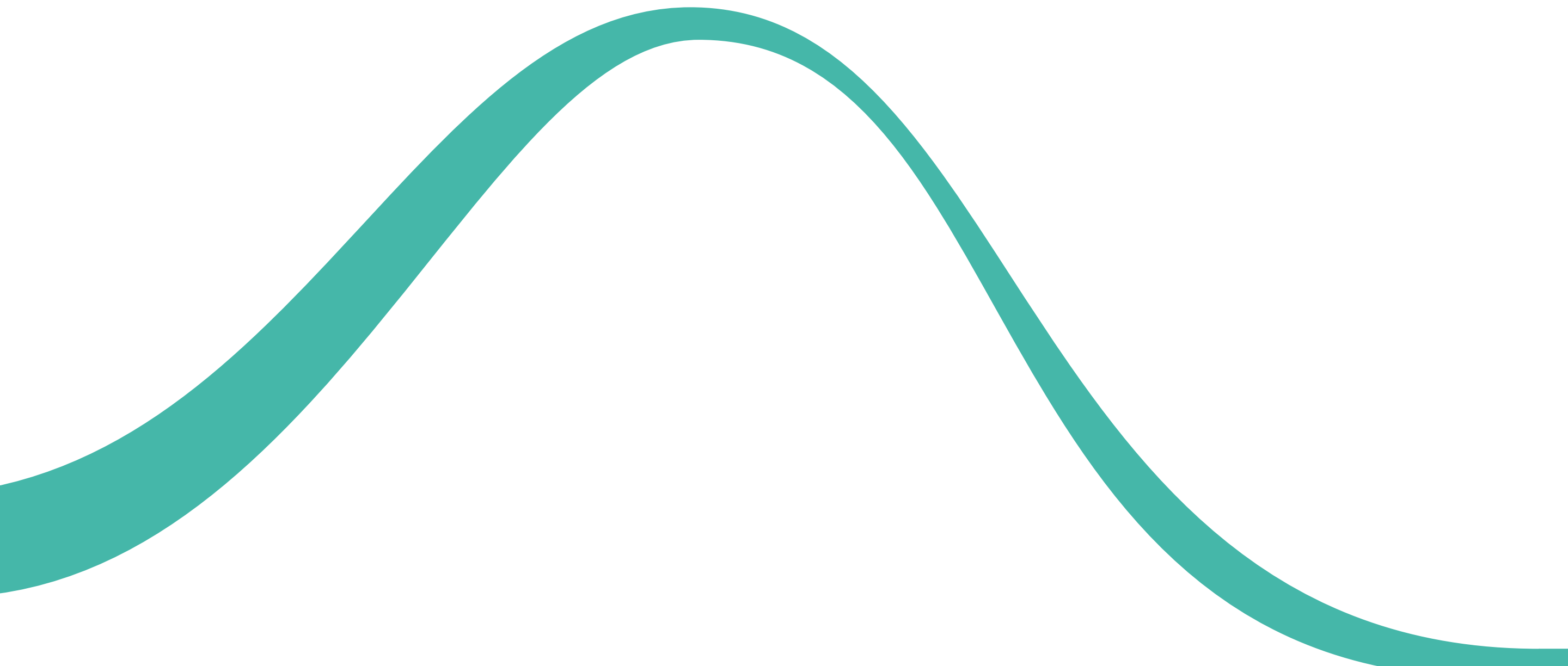
Founded in 2011, Sozo is a Cape Town-based non-profit committed to **empowering at-risk youth and transforming communities** in the township of Vrygrond through four programmes.





# SOZO'S MISSION

Sozo connects **unemployed youth** with the **education, skills,** and **support** they need to find - or create - **employment.**



# SOZO'S PROGRAMMES

Sozo runs a range of four programmes including:

- **High school tutoring and accredited education**
- **Vocational training** in areas like barista skills, hair & beauty and coding
- **Entrepreneurship** incubation
- **Three social enterprises**



# SOZO'S IMPACT

**15 micro-businesses** created.

**139 learners** with a 98%  
pass rate.

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Source: Sozo, as of June 2025

# ***THIRD AWARDEE***

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**ASPIREYOUTH**  
(SOUTH AFRICA)

# ABOUT ASPIREYOUTH

Founded in 2014  
in Cape Town as a  
social enterprise  
built to **empower  
unemployed and  
out-of-school  
youth** through  
income-generating  
opportunities and  
personal growth.



# THE PROGRAMME

Aspire runs an 18-month programme that delivers:

- Emotional resilience and **personal growth**
- Literacy, numeracy and **employability training**
- Paid **internships** and **entrepreneurial support**
- **Micro-business incubation**

# ASPIREYOUTH'S IMPACT

**70%** of participants **are now employed.**

**40%** of them launched their **own microenterprises.**

**50%** increased their **monthly income.**

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Source: AspireYouth, as of June 2025

