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Dr. Tumenta F. Kennedy, a distinguished expert in economic ethics and international economics, is a champion for empowering African communities, particularly the diaspora. As the Co-Founder and CEO of the African Business Information Bank (AfricanBIB), he has pioneered a unique platform facilitating responsible investment, entrepreneurship, and credible information dissemination across Africa and its global diaspora. This innovative initiative fosters individual responsibility and an entrepreneurial spirit, positioning AfricanBIB as a catalyst for transformative change on the continent.

With a deep understanding of international relations and a specialization in diaspora-related issues, Dr. Tumenta has a proven track record of building bridges between diaspora communities and their countries of origin. His strategic thinking and leadership skills are evident in his influential role on the African Union African Diasporas Sixth Region (AUADS) High Council, where he advocates for harnessing the potential of the African diaspora as a key driver of sustainable development.

Dr. Tumenta's extensive experience encompasses numerous international organizations, where he has held key positions that align with the mission of the African Diaspora Development Agency. As the Executive Representative of the African Scientific Institute (ASI) in Germany and a member of the GICAM Taskforce, he has actively contributed to the development of governance frameworks that enhance enterprise growth in Africa. His advisory roles with esteemed entities, such as the United Nations Economic Commission for Africa (UNECA), International Labour Organization (ILO), and the African Development Bank, further exemplify his commitment to promoting economic growth through ethical leadership and sustainable practices.

His research initiatives—including studies on Entrepreneurship 4.0 and the integration of youth and women into high-value chains—demonstrate his dedication to inclusive economic development. As a Senior Adviser on Global Ethics and Research at the Global Cooperation Council and former Director at the Wittenberg Centre for Global Ethics, Germany, Dr. Kennedy has directed programs aimed at fostering global cooperation and building

new alliances with Africa, emphasizing the importance of diaspora engagement in these efforts.

Dr. Tumenta's influence extends beyond academia; he is a sought-after speaker and consultant on topics such as international relations, peacebuilding, and economic resilience. His lectures at prestigious institutions, including the Technical University of Berlin and various African universities, reflect his passion for educating future leaders and driving impactful dialogue on development issues.

Recognized globally for his contributions, Dr. Tumenta was named one of the Most Influential Contemporary Africans in the diaspora in 2016 and has received multiple accolades for his leadership in promoting African excellence abroad.

Through initiatives like www.AfricanBIB.biz, ABIB Leadership Institute, Incubation HUB and a range of consulting services, Dr. Tumenta has directly impacted over 95,000 Africans, inspiring change and innovation across the continent and Diasporas. His vision aligns closely with the goals of the African Diaspora Development Agency, making him a valuable advocate for mobilizing diasporic resources toward sustainable development in Africa.