SAATCA STRATEGY
SOUTHERN AFRICAN AUDITOR & TRAINING CERTIFICATION AUTHORITY

Vision

To be the leading provider of a certification scheme(s) for management systems auditors, product and process auditors and auditor training course providers.

Mandate

Its purpose is to operate a scheme for the registration of:

- Auditors - Management system and product and process auditors in various disciplines/schemes as indicated under "Levels of Auditor Grade".

- Training course providers providing auditor training in the above fields.

Mission Statement

To develop and maintain certification schemes for management system auditors, product and process auditors and auditor training course providers to National and International Standards.

These schemes assist SAATCA certificated auditors to become leaders in their fields and enable them to operate in areas which provide national and international recognition by certification bodies and trade.

Strategic Objectives

Objective 1	Objective 2	Objective 3	Objective 4	Objective
• Leading brand nationally and internationally for auditing and training.	• Expand our cross-boarder footprint participation and visibility.	• Improve our communication and stakeholder management.	• To provide opportunities for continual professional development of competent auditors, and training course providers.	• To expand our market share and recognition through corporate membership, auditor certification and training course provider certification.

Focus Areas

• Run the Roadshows • Enhance Products and Services • Host the annual conference	• Review the Governance Structures	• Register with SAQA	• Piloting of the mentoring and coaching of the provisional auditors to meet registration requirements. • Develop the process for the validation of the issued certificates with SAATCA logo.	• Stabilize the operational activities.

Initiatives/ Programmes

• Marketing plan (annually). • Provincial assessments on SAATCA services. • Growth Strategy – future SAATCA. • Partnership with the TCP's and other. stakeholders. • Conference plan – including possible host in two provinces and cost benefit.	• Review the SAATCA governance structure. • Develop the mandate for SADC structures and reporting. • Stakeholder matrix (RACI) between SAATCA and SADC.	• Registration plan – clear milestones. • Participate in different SABS Technical committee. • Source funding.	• Pre-determined audits to the SAATCA clients – logo. • Partnership model to assist provisional auditors.	• Financial Sustainability (cost saving and funding mechanisms. • Review the operating model and the new SAATCA of tomorrow. • Implementation of new schemes. • Developing the reporting model for all the schemes and Executive committees reporting to Board. • Manage Risks.

Provide confidence to the regulatory authorities, accreditation bodies and certification bodies, to business and industry, and indirectly to the public at large, that auditors certified to the SAATCA schemes are competent and provide a credible and accountable auditing process – *Value Proposition*