



MOHAMED ALFIE HAMID

Alfie Hamid began his career as a Mathematics & Science teacher in South Africa. Over the years, he was promoted through the ranks and culminated his career in government as the Head of Education Technology.

In 2006, he joined Microsoft as their Academic Programs Manager, managing their flagship Partners in Learning Program and other initiatives for South Africa, Swaziland and Lesotho.

After three years at Microsoft, he joined Cisco to manage their Networking Academy program for the Southern Africa region and over time was promoted to Regional Manager for Africa.

Currently he is Cisco's Corporate Affairs Senior Manager for Global Partnerships, focused on Networking Academy and Skills For All. He manages relationships and partnership with entities like the ITU, UNESCO, GIZ, USAID and several others.

Alfie Hamid also serves as the Chairperson of the African Union Commission's TVET Cluster.

He strongly believes that the pursuit of knowledge is a fundamental commandment, as it unleashes potential and levels the playing fields.