# VasTech Uganda Limited

# **Company Profile**



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# INTRODUCTION

**VasTech Uganda Ltd (VTL)** is an ICT company incorporated in Uganda, owned and managed by Ugandans and based in Kampala at Plot 167 Ssekabaka Road, Wakaliga.

## **Our Vision**

Providing improved quality and affordable solutions to a wide range of types and sizes of businesses

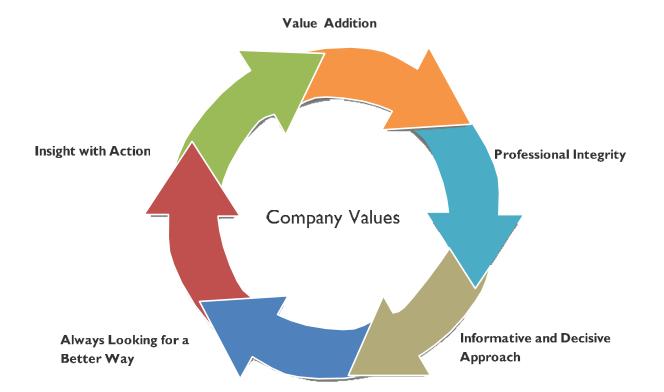
### **Our Mission**

Adding Value to your ICT Investment by providing effective, competitive, result oriented & practical business solutions to the organization to optimize your operational efficiency in order to maximize return on investment & ultimately to achieve your goal.

#### **Company Values**

At VasTech Uganda Limited, we passionately believe that corporate values are vital. They help to provide boundaries on how a company conducts business and helps express to our clients the approach adopted by VasTech Uganda Limited.

At VasTech, five key values express our approach to business:



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# 1. Professional Integrity

This manifests itself in asking clients challenging questions and remaining `honest` to a project. We flag up issues that may be controversial and we look to see if there is a smarter way that companies could be operating. We report what we find, even if it's not always the news that clients want to hear. Looking at the way a client organization operates through a `fresh pair of eyes` is one of our most powerful insights and one we preciously guard.

# 2. Informative and Decisive Approach

Some business problems can be intricate, the solutions complex, but our approach is to provide clear and unequivocal solutions designed to make a difference.

# 3. Always Looking for a Better Way

Like the saying goes 'You can't do the same thing over and over and expect the results to be different 'So, we apply ourselves to thinking about how your organization **could** and **should** be meeting customer requirements.

# 4. Insight with Action

We are passionate that even small insight and knowledge, coupled to management action is far more powerful than considerable knowledge that remains idle`. VasTech's focus is always on delivering positive change, through implementing what has been discovered. Voluminous reports that gather dust on shelves play no part in our business.

# 5. Value Addition - Making a Difference

Our motivation comes from leaving an organization stronger than when we arrived. If the difference is not tangible and obvious, then the opportunity has been missed.

#### About Us

VasTech has a management and staff with high technical expertise and several decades of experience in Information Technology, Mathematics, Statistics, Computer Science, Consultancy, Accounting, Sales & Marketing Management, and Customer Relationships providing the technological cutting edge needed to meet the demands of the ICT industry.

VasTech is, thus, poised and dedicated to keeping abreast of the ever-changing needs of our dynamic world, based on an assessment of individual organizational needs, seeking for ways to bring greater satisfaction & fulfillment in the use of their ICT investments.To this end the team develops & offers affordable, high quality customized & off-the-shelf solutions (products and services) to our clients by adding value to their ICT investment through market-driven research and innovation in such fields as Financial Ac counting, Human Resource Management, Fixed Assets Management, Academic Registry Information Management, Project Tracking and Monitoring and Social Policy Decision Support Systems.

In our determination to grow locally and regionally as providers of improved quality and affordable solutions to a wide range of types and sizes of businesses, VasTech's programming team has already successfully developed and implemented high quality products for the local market in the areas of Human Resource Management and Payroll Systems, Fixed Assets Management, and Academic Registry Information Management Systems and are still seeking opportunities to venture into yet more areas critical to the growth and success of businesses such as Customer Relationship Management (CRM) software (Electronic Queue Management and Information Displays systems), Hotel Industry software distribution etc...

VasTech is determined to become a leader in innovative, research-based ICT development providing real additional value to already existing software products and creating new solutions for new problems.

Currently we have a growing customer base of over 200 contented clients in Uganda who have made VasTech Uganda Ltd their choice of service provider. (See List of Customers)

VasTech Uganda Ltd is also the exclusive distributor of Sage Pastel accounting software in Uganda taking the lead in providing quality training and support for users of this highly-acclaimed software.

### **Products**

#### Accounting Software Solutions

#### PASTEL ACCOUNTING EVOLUTION, PARTNER & XPRESS :

• South African made financial accounting systems (9 out of 10 Accountants in South Africa use Pastel) with a wide international - and local - appeal (55 countries worldwide), More than 200 organisations locally use it and rely on us for quality training, support and implementation. It is very popular among professional accountants for its adherence to accounting principles and ethics. (See table of product features/brochure for details)

#### Focus RT :

• Focus RT is an Enterprise Resource Planning Software (ERP) of global repute, tested and tried in the rigorous and exacting standards of the Middle East and Asia, ideal for large enterprises, Focus RT fully integrates all departments in an organization - Accounting, Payroll and Human Resource, Manufacturing, and Fixed Assets Management - into a harmonious system (See product features/brochure for details)

#### Electronic Queue Management (EQM) and Information Display Systems (IDS)

- The Electronic Queue Management (eQ) System is designed to enable a systematic approach to crowd management and
- Information Display Systems (IDS), are an electronic method of information dissemination that uses the latest available technology to meet the needs of institutions like Banks, Hospitals and Public Institutions, Embassies and Consulates, Financial Institutions and stock exchanges

In Uganda, WARID Telecom and United Arab Emirates are already enjoying the benefits of a successful installation of these systems by VasTech Uganda Ltd.

# Human Resource Management & Payroll System

People Manager:

A comprehensive Human Resource and Payroll Management system designed and developed by VasTech Uganda Ltd specifically for the Ugandan market, serving a wide range of businesses. Easy to setup and use, highly customizable and with its powerful reporting capability, it is everyHuman Resource Manager's delight. (See table of product features/brochure for details)

### Fixed Assets Register

#### Assets Manager:

• A Fixed Assets Management system designed and developed by VasTech Uganda Ltd. A complete assets register to speed up calculation of and reporting on asset depreciation, revaluations, transfers, disposals. (See table of product features/brochure for details)

# Academic Registry Information Management Systems

### ARIMS:

• Higher Educational Institutions Software designed and developed by VasTech Uganda Limited. It is ideal for Universities to speed up Application, Registration, Re-registration processes. Immediate generation of vital reports e.g., transcripts etc... (See table of product features/brochure for details)

#### ARIMS Lite:

• A smaller version of Educational Institution Software designed and developed specifically for primary and secondary schools.

#### Mifos - Microfinance Software

• Mifos is a web-based Microfinance application Software set out to Manage Loans and Savings for Microfinance Institutions.

### <u>Services</u>

#### Network Setup, Support and Maintenance

• Our extensive range of Network services is both broad and unique in their quality. Services comprise of networking consulting, network management solution, enterprise networking solution etc... hence providing the opportunity for improving business performance.

#### **User Training**

• We offer User Training for all our software to ensure a smooth Systems Migration

#### **Customer Care and Support**

• We provide all year round Customer care and Support

#### **ICT Consultancy**

 VasTech Uganda Limited is the professional body for all you ICT consultancies and business advice.
 Designed to raise standards of professional practice in support of better business performance, the company provides a development path for the professionals, supported by high quality resources and a recognized qualification route.

#### All Software Maintenance

• VasTech services ensure that all its customers receive adequate attention throughout the year and derive increased satisfaction from the use of their software.

# Table of Products Features

| Product  | Specifications         CORE MODULE         • Multi-Currency         • Multi-Store         • Bills of Material, manufacturing,         • Business Intelligence Centre         • Point of Sale         • Receipting         • Serial Number Tracking         • Reporting         • Project Tracking / Cost Centers         • Transaction Audit Trails         • Invoicing         • Inventory         • Reporting         • PDF Printing & Emailing         • Audit Trails         • Suppliers         • Multi-Period Processing         • Authenticated User Access, System Navigator, Help File |  |
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| Accounting Software Solutions; <ul> <li>Pastel Evolution</li> <li>Pastel Partner</li> <li>Pastel Xpress</li> </ul> |   |  |
| Fixed Assets Register - Assets Manager   | <ul> <li>KEY FEATURES <ul> <li>Asset Registrations, Revaluations, Transfers and Disposals</li> <li>Set up Multiple Depreciation Types</li> <li>Annual and Periodic Book and Tax Depreciation Schedules</li> <li>Asset Maintenance Schedule</li> <li>Security and User Access Levels</li> <li>Detailed Book Depreciation Reports</li> </ul> </li> </ul>  |  |

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| Product                       | Specifications  |  |  |
|-------------------------------|---|--|--|
| Academic Registry Information | Online Access for   |  |  |
| Management Systems            | Enquiries   |  |  |
|                               | Admissions  |  |  |
| ARIMS                         | Results Processing  |  |  |
| ARIMS Lite                    | Registration  |  |  |
|                               | Tracking Student Progress   |  |  |
|                               | MODULES   |  |  |
|                               | Applications and Admissions Module                                |  |  |
|                               | Registration Module   |  |  |
|                               | Course Management Module  |  |  |
|                               | Examination Management Module                                     |  |  |
|                               | Transcripts and Certification Module                              |  |  |
|                               | Timetabling Module  |  |  |
|                               | Accommodation Module  |  |  |
|                               | Library Module  |  |  |
|                               | Analysis and Evaluation Modules                                   |  |  |
| Human Resource Management     | MODULES   |  |  |
| & Payroll System              | <ul> <li>Multi-User, Web Enabled platform.</li> </ul>             |  |  |
|                               | Multi Company.  |  |  |
| - People Manager:             | <ul> <li>Easy Configuration/Customization.</li> </ul>             |  |  |
|                               | <ul> <li>Seamless Integration of all system modules.</li> </ul>   |  |  |
|                               | <ul> <li>Integration with various accounting software.</li> </ul> |  |  |
|                               | <ul> <li>Assign User Access Levels/Security.</li> </ul>           |  |  |
|                               | <ul> <li>Automated Recruitment Process.</li> </ul>                |  |  |
|                               | <ul> <li>Employee Qualifications tracking.</li> </ul>             |  |  |
|                               | Leave Management.   |  |  |
|                               | Benefits Management.  |  |  |
|                               | Disciplinary Management.  |  |  |
|                               | Appraisals Management.  |  |  |
|                               | Manage Multiple Worker Types.                                     |  |  |
|                               | All Statutory Reports.  |  |  |
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| Product   | Specifications   |  |
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| Electronic Queue Management<br>System (eQ System) | MODULES  |  |
|   | <ul> <li>Ticket Dispensing Units</li> <li>Electronic Queue Status Display Units (Waiting Area Displays)</li> <li>Counter Display, Information Display over the</li> </ul>  |  |
|   | <ul> <li>eQ Teller Station Units for Customer Call Out</li> <li>Active Controller &amp; Active Hub - Linux based Queuing<br/>Server providing extensive electronic queue<br/>functionality</li> <li>Extensive Reporting System on Teller - Client<br/>Attendance evaluation</li> </ul>   |  |
| Mifos - Microfinance Software                     | <ul> <li>MODULES</li> <li>MFI regions, branches, and centers management<br/>Module</li> <li>User Authentication Module</li> <li>Create groups and register clients who will receive MFI<br/>services</li> <li>Loans and Savings products creation Module</li> <li>Create and maintain loan accounts</li> <li>Pay out (disburse) loans</li> <li>Collect repayments on loans</li> <li>Collect and keep records for all fees paid</li> <li>Savings accounts Management Module</li> <li>Collect deposits and pay withdrawals for savings<br/>accounts</li> <li>MFI Reporting Module</li> </ul> |  |

# The Depth and Variety of Our Expertise and Consultancy Support Base

**VasTech Uganda Ltd** (VTL) Team, of Technical and Management Professionals, has a wealth of varied and specialized experience and has successfully undertaken a variety of assignments.

The following is a non-exhaustive list of the team's capabilities:

| Product   | Client  | Description   |
|---|---|---|
| Academic Registrar Information<br>Management System (ARIMS)       | <ul> <li>Uganda Christian University<br/>Mukono</li> <li>Nkumba University</li> <li>Uganda Management Institute</li> <li>Kabale University (In progress)</li> </ul>   | Construction, Supply, Installation,<br>Training and Support for the Academic<br>Registry Information Management<br>System (ARIMS).  |
| Pastel Accounting Solutions<br>(Management Information<br>System) | <ul> <li>Electricity Regulation Authority</li> <li>ACDI/VOCA MISEP I</li> <li>Uganda Investment Authority</li> <li>Micro Save</li> <li>Microfinance Support Center</li> <li>Rural Financial Services Program</li> </ul>                           | Supply and Implementation of Pastel<br>Accounting, Pastel Payroll and Pastel<br>Fixed Assets<br>Supply and Implementation of Financial<br>and Human Resource Management<br>systems for Uganda Investment<br>Authority |
| Pastel Accounting Solutions<br>(Human Resource System)            | <ul> <li>Uganda National Bureau of<br/>Standards (UNBS).</li> <li>Uganda Christian University</li> <li>Doctors with Africa (CUAM)</li> <li>Air Uganda Limited</li> <li>Population Secreriat (POPSec)</li> <li>US Defense System (USDS)</li> </ul> | Supply, Implementation and Training   |
| Pastel Accounting Solutions<br>(Manufacturing)                    | <ul> <li>Maganjo Grain Millers</li> <li>Oscar Industies</li> </ul>  | Supply, Implementation and Training   |

| astel Accounting Solutions<br>Administrative Data)                | PAMSU Project   | Supply and Implementation of Pastel<br>FMS for Protected Areas<br>Management for Sustainable Use (ICB-<br>PAMSU) |
|---|---|--|
| astel Accounting Solutions<br>Large Volumes of Transaction)       | <ul> <li>Uganda Christian University</li> <li>Nkumba University</li> <li>POSTA Uganda</li> <li>St Francis Hospital Nsambya</li> <li>Mengo Hospital</li> </ul>   | Supply, Implementation and User<br>Training  |
| Iuman Resource Management<br>: Payroll Systems<br>People Manager) | <ul> <li>Doctors With Africa - CUAMM</li> <li>Uganda Broadcasting<br/>Corporation</li> <li>Uganda National Bureau Of<br/>Standards</li> <li>Population Secretariat</li> <li>G4S Security Uganda Limited</li> <li>UCU Holdings</li> <li>Uganda Credit And Savings<br/>Cooperative Union</li> <li>Uganda Post Limited</li> <li>Mukono Bookshop</li> <li>Oriflame Uganda</li> <li>NGO Forum</li> <li>Nkumba University</li> <li>Uganda Christian University<br/>Mukono</li> <li>Regional Universities Forum For<br/>Capacity Building In Agriculture</li> <li>Uganda Christian University<br/>Mbale</li> <li>Kigezi Water Project Kabale</li> <li>Ultimate Security Limited</li> </ul> | Supply, Data migration and User<br>Training  |

|   | <ul> <li>Uganda Network On Law, Ethics<br/>And HIV/AIDs</li> <li>People Performance Group</li> <li>East African Vermiculites Mbale</li> <li>Kabale University</li> <li>Reach Out Mbuya</li> <li>SANLAAM</li> </ul>                 |   |
|---|--|---|
| Electronic Queue (eQ)<br>Management Systems | <ul> <li>WARID Telecom Uganda<br/>(Mbarara, Mbale, Jinja Road, Lira)</li> <li>UNITED ARAB EMIRATES</li> </ul>  | Setup, Implementation, User Training<br>and Maintenance |
| Fixed Assets                                | <ul> <li>Rural Financial Services Program</li> <li>BayPort Financial Services</li> <li>Uganda Broadcasting<br/>Corporation</li> <li>Uganda Credit and Saving<br/>Cooperative Union</li> <li>Doctors with Africa - CUAMM</li> </ul> | Supply, Data migration and User<br>Training             |
| Mifos - Microfinance<br>Management Software | • Friends Capital Finance  | Set up, Data Migration, Training and Support            |

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