

# Enabling African manufacturing to scale across the world.

#### Producing ethical fashion is almost impossible



Lucy is **deeply conflicted** with the negative social and environmental impact that fashion has on the world. But **she can't find the fair and sustainabe fashion** that she is looking for. That's why she starts her own ethical fashion label. Soon she learns that **producing ethical fashion is almost impossible**.

She doesn't have resources to ensure transparency and she also **feels uneasy producing in Asia**. All other alternatives are however, too **expensive**.



Producing ethical fashion is very expensive.



Global supply chains are intransparant and opressive.



Alternatives are difficult to find or build.



## Africa's fashion industry is **massive\***, and ideal for **ethical production**.

# ...and almost untouched\*\*.

\*The textile market within Africa is worth more than \$31 billion; it accounts for the second largest number of jobs in developing countries after agriculture. (Fashion Africa Sourcing Trips, AFDB)

\*\*Africa currently accounts for just 1.9% of global manufacturing. (AFDB)

#### Why ethical production in Africa is a huge opportunity



# Truly fair & sustainable

Not entrenched in exploitive mass production. Truly sustainable natural resources.

#### #2

Judged\* & untouched

Millions of self organized producers only serving the local market. #3

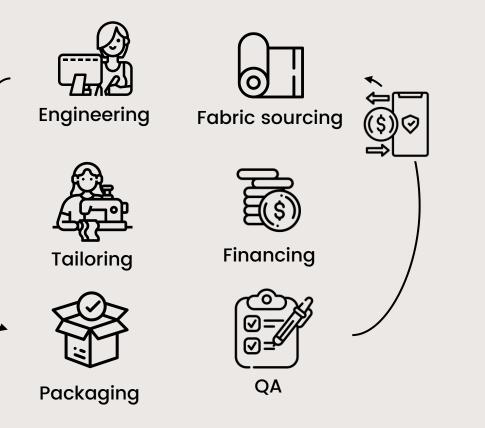
# The time is now

Fast tech adoption is enabling effective supply chains like never before.



\*It was found that sourcing textiles and garments from Africa underlies a strong negative bias which cannot be explained by governance or country characteristics. (Paul Brenton, 2007)

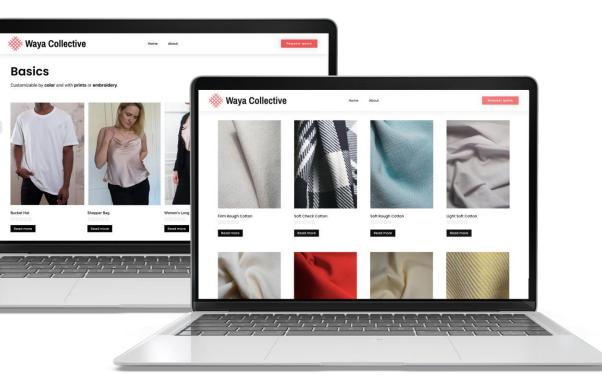




We are building a decentralized production network and supply chain. Enabled by blockchain.

#### Ethical Fashion Production as a Service





- ✓ 100 % transparent
- ✓ Flexible order sizes
- Fabric sourcing & product development
- Guaranteed ethical production



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### Our market is growing rapidly



#### What we have achieved so far



Acquired 3 customers



Network of textile producers and sourcing database



MVP in progress and launching in August

Published White Paper **F** 

Shared vision and

received a lot of

interest



Built strong advisory board



Hired first 2 employees



# We are the perfect team for this task

φAntonia LorenzCo-founder & CEO	Carolin BaltzerCo-founder & CFO	Chris Hiatt Co-founder & CTO
<ul> <li>Passionate entrepreneur</li> <li>Lives in Uganda to build operations</li> <li>BSc in industrial engineering</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Experienced in finance &amp; legal</li> <li>Passionate about sustainability</li> <li>BSc in business &amp; mathematics</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>&gt; Blockchain expert</li> <li>&gt; Passionate about building systems</li> <li>&gt; Computer science BSc &amp; MSc</li> </ul>

#### There's one more thing...

...we are not just solving a problem in fashion.

> We are solving a massive supply chain problem.

Supply chains in many African industries are decentralized and ineffective.

 Countless middlemen, corruption, lack of standards and quality are common issues.

Few African industries are connected to the global market.

#### We are building the Alibaba for African products.

Our supply chain solution makes now ineffective industries competitive. We are making African products accessible to the global market.

We are building the sourcing platform for ethical products.

#### Why start with fashion?

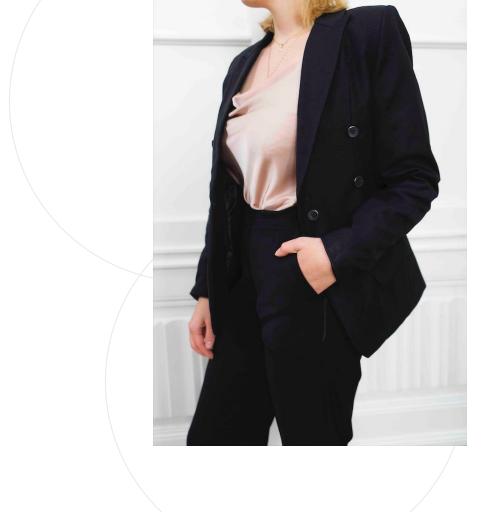
- > Easy market entry
- > Many actors which can be modeled
- > Can be leveraged to other industries
- > Ethical fashion is a big problem

#### **Other industries**

- Agriculture produce
- > Furniture
- > Electrics



We make Africa the ideal place to produce fair and sustainable products.





# Get in touch

Have we sparked your interest?

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