

TMG *Journal*

TIGUI MINING GROUP

THE NEXT GENERATION OF MINING

Tiguidanke Mounir Camara

About the Founder

Tiguidanke Mounir Camara, a former model turned mining entrepreneur, is the Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of Tigui Mining Group (TMG) and Camara Diamond & Gold Trading Network (CDGTN) she founded respectively in 2012 and 2009.

Ms. Camara is one of the youngest women mining executives and one of the few women mine owners in Africa, the sole one in Guinea.

A visionary and proactive businesswoman, she uses her entrepreneurial background to pursue her objective of creating a conglomerate of natural resources and innovative technology companies.

Ms. Camara firmly believes in the growing mineral resources industry as a main driver of economic development, especially those of African countries.

She leverages her relationships with local communities, governments, and investors to promote sustainable business ventures as well as the next generation of women in the mining industry.

Ms. Camara's mineral resource companies specialize in Africa, with a particular emphasis on West Africa. They develop ambitious projects through strategic partnerships and alliances to play a crucial role in shaping the future of the region.

Tigui Mining Group

Tigui Mining Group (LLC) is a woman-owned junior mining exploration company in West Africa.



Terry Heymann, Managing Director, Gold for Development and Market Intelligence

TMG was incorporated in 2012 and has been present in Guinea since 2010 through Camara Diamond & Gold Trading Network (CDGTN), its subsidiary, holding assets (gold and diamond) totaling 356 km² in the regions of Siguiri and Kerouane-Macenta. TMG owns a total of eight licenses in the exploration phase.

Tigui Mining Group plays a strategic role in acquiring and developing enterprises that have economic value and potential for future growth.

TMG is headquartered in New York City, and has offices in Guinea and Cote d'Ivoire.

NEWS

Tigui Mining Group Expands in Côte d'Ivoire

In negotiation with the government to acquire gold and diamond exploration licenses

Tigui Mining Group is finalizing a semi-industrial project for gold exploration with a local cooperative in Côte d'Ivoire, in the region of Odienné, located in the northwestern part of the country. Production will start within 3 months. Tigui Mining Group controls 100% of the operation.

Tigui Mining Group is officially registered in Cote d'Ivoire under Tigui Mining Group Côte d'Ivoire, TMG-CI.

Activities in Cote d'Ivoire will focus on mining, agriculture, oil, infrastructure and real estate.

Mining Indaba 2015



Rafael, Ousmane Danfodio Bangoura and Aicha representatives of CPDM Guinea (Center for Promotion and Development of Mining), Minister of Mines & Geology of Guinea.

Last February, Tigui Mining Group attended Mining Indaba, the world's largest mining investment conference and the world's third largest mining conference in Cape Town, South Africa.

Women in the mining industry

Ms. Camara is a proud member of (WIM) International and co-founder of Women in Mining Guinée (WIM-Guinée).



from left to right Wilna Lamb, WIM South Africa, Zenaib Camara co-founder and president, WIM Guinea, Tiguidanke Camara co-founder WIM Guinea, Ros Lund of WIM UK, Nichole McCulloph, Managing Partner Ashton Partnership & WIM UK, at Women In Mining Stand.

WIM-Guinée is a platform for women working with mining companies in Guinea and women who are interested in providing services to the mining industry. The association includes over 100 women members.

Women are under-represented in the extractive industries. Tiguidanke Camara, who is the sole woman mine owner in Guinea, is a strong advocate for women working in the sector.

Official launch of Women In Mining Côte d'Ivoire called "FEMICI"

Ms. Camara is a proud member of FEMICI Women In Mining International (WIM-Côte d'Ivoire).

On March 28, Ms. Camara attended the first General Assembly (AGS) of Women In Mining Cote d'Ivoire (FEMICI), the network of women in mining in Côte d'Ivoire, organized by Ms. Christine Logbo-Kossi, Executive Director of the Chamber of Mines of Cote d'Ivoire. TMG is now a member of Women In Mining Côte d'Ivoire



Christine Logbo-Kossi, Executive Director of the Chamber of Mines of Côte d'Ivoire



Tim Kucha, Real Estate Executive and Vice President of TMG

TMG Real Estate is a private section of Tigui Mining Group focused on Real Estate and Infrastructure.

TMG Real Estate focuses on acquiring, developing, and managing properties to create long-term value. The division is led by veteran Real Estate Executive and Vice President of TMG, Tim Kucha.

With over 20 years of experience in the field, he is a skilled negotiator who is particularly adept at understanding market issues and trends. Tim has closed complex multi-million dollar transactions which required unique and creative problem solving techniques. He hopes to use his expertise to position TMG as one of the leading Real Estate and Infrastructure company.

TMG Real Estate is comprised of 3 Groups:

Investment Group:

Focused on investing in "value-added" opportunities in office and residential product in growth areas within West Africa, especially Abidjan.

Capitalizes on the investment team's extensive market knowledge, leasing, underwriting, financial reporting and management capabilities to achieve superior returns. Size of properties will be flexible with a focus on returns and opportunity creating a superior ability to close on small to mid-size deals ranging between \$5- \$50M.

Development Group:

TMG appreciates the value of purchasing land and developing it into quality residential and commercial buildings.

Hospitality Group:

TMG realizes the demand for luxury hotels and has relationship with some of the leading flags looking to enter into West Africa.

TMG Celebrates Women's History Month

The Label of African Consumers



With Jean-Louis Billon, Minister of Commerce, Crafts and SME Promotion and Manuella Coussen-Ollo, President of Coussen & Associés Consulting

On March 21, Tiguidanke Camara was an honored guest at the dinner gala for the launch of The Label of African Consumers, organized by Manuella Coussen-Ollo, president of Coussen & Associés Consulting.

The dinner gala was held in the presence of his Excellence Mr. Jean-Louis Billon, Minister of Commerce, Crafts and SME Promotion. This initiative will annually award the best Ivorian and African products and services voted for by the consumers. It will promote the quality, innovation and best practices in the commercial and economic sector of Côte d'Ivoire.

The Night of Entrepreneur & Dynamic Women

On March 27, Tiguidanke Camara was a guest speaker at the "La Nuit des Entrepreneuses et Dynamiques", the dinner gala was organized in honor of the Women's History Month by Yeo Djelika, President of Pluriel Communications and of RTI TV show "Entrepreneuses et Dynamiques" and her Vice-president Edem Kuadio Bokbi.

The dinner gala was held in the presence of his Mrs. Anne-Désirée Ouloto, Minister of Solidarity, Family, Women and Children of Côte d'Ivoire. 25 successful women entrepreneurs have been distinguished during the award ceremony. Most of them started from humble beginnings. Ms. Camara who was driven to action at an early age by her entrepreneurial spirit and started her career at the age of 14, took the opportunity to encourage the young women to follow their passions.

"Entrepreneuses & Dynamiques" (Entrepreneur & Dynamic) is a TV show which promotes women entrepreneurs and is broadcasted on RTI1, the National Ivorian TV Channel.



With Professor Aliou Mane, President of UA, Former General Consul of Sénégal in Côte d'Ivoire

Corporate Social Responsibility *AGRO-MINE*



Women's participation is vital to strong economies, specifically, African economies, societies and cultures. This value-added can no longer be ignored. Women can and must be part of the development solution. This was reinforced by the IFC's organized session on the topic during the 2015 Mining Indaba. Small interventions to support women can have significant impact. For example, investments in agriculture have significant potential

for economic growth because the agriculture sector is the largest employer and the lifeblood of numerous communities: Côte d'Ivoire is one of these success stories. However, these investments must be sustainable.

TMG focuses on sustainability and gender empowerment through the promotion of economic opportunities for women in our centers of exploration. We developed an agriculture program within all our mining projects to empower women and build community resilience. Through our "Agro-mine" program, we provide sustainable agriculture opportunities for women. They learn about producing and marketing diverse products that generate income for them and their families. We will also help them develop a venue for a green market. We also strategically partner with agriculture companies to provide training courses on food hygiene, food security and income generation.

To better implement our program, Ms. Camara

participated in the International Exhibition of Agriculture and Animal Resources Abidjan (SARA) on April 3rd, 2015 in Côte d'Ivoire. The exhibition focuses on promoting sustainable agriculture investment.



Upcoming Events

- **Africa Policy Breakfast:**
African Elections and Governance in 2015 and Beyond.
Thursday, April 23, 2015
Washington DC