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Crystal joined Novartis in 2018 as the Head of Data Privacy for Sub-Saharan Africa. Prior to joining Novartis she worked at The Council for Scientific and Industrial Research (CSIR) in the Privacy Office. Crystal started her career in legal practice at Savage, Jooste and Adams Inc. in Pretoria as an attorney, notary and conveyancer. Subsequent to leaving private practice Crystal has held positions in the legal, compliance and risk space for Financial Services Providers.

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