EDWIN BAMFO



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Edwin K. Bamfo

AUTHOR · PASTOR · SPEAKER · ENVIRONMENTAL LEADER · BUILDER

Helping the next generation of leaders discover purpose, grow with intention, and lead with lasting impact.

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AT A GLANCE

Fact Sheet

Name	Edwin Korba Bamfo (Edwin K. Bamfo)
Based in	Ghana
Roles	Author, pastor, speaker, environmental sustainability professional, communications designer and entrepreneur
Organisations	Founder & Executive Director, Environmental Leadership Forum (founded 2021) Lead, RealityExpress | Brand Communications (founded 2017)
Ministry	Campus Pastor, Charismata Chapel, KMC, The Healthy Church (since January 2023)
Book	*27 at 27: Reflections on Purpose, Growth and Fulfilment* (2026)
Education	BSc Environmental Science, KNUST MPhil Environmental Resources Management, KNUST
Recognition	Climate Reality Leader, Climate Reality Leadership Corps (2023)
Previously	Environmental & Social Safeguards Specialist, Ghana Secondary Cities Support Programme (World Bank-funded), 2023 Lead Graphic Designer, Octopi Studiox, 2019–2020

SHORT BIOGRAPHY · 60 WORDS

Edwin K. Bamfo is a Ghanaian author, pastor, speaker, environmental leader and builder whose work centres on helping people discover purpose, grow intentionally and build lives of meaningful impact. He is the Founder and Executive Director of the Environmental Leadership Forum, leads RealityExpress | Brand Communications and serves as Campus Pastor at Charismata Chapel, KMC. His first book is *27 at 27*.

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT

OVER

2,000

students reached through a plastic pollution campaign

BOSOMTWE FOREST RESERVE

3,000

seedlings planted through a land reclamation project

OVER · ASHANTI REGION

4,000

seedlings planted through ELF and related initiatives

MEDIUM BIOGRAPHY · 150 WORDS

Edwin K. Bamfo is a Ghanaian author, pastor, speaker, environmental leader and builder whose work centres on helping people discover purpose, grow intentionally and build lives of meaningful impact and fulfilment.

Homeschooled for much of his early education, he entered the Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology (KNUST) at sixteen to study Environmental Science and later completed an MPhil in Environmental Resources Management. In 2021 he founded the Environmental Leadership Forum (ELF), a youth-led organisation focused on environmental leadership, sustainability education and practical action, which he leads as Executive Director. He also leads RealityExpress | Brand Communications and serves as a campus pastor with Charismata Chapel, KMC, The Healthy Church.

His first book, *27 at 27: Reflections on Purpose, Growth and Fulfilment*, brings together twenty-seven lessons from his experiences, observations, reading and leadership journey. Edwin speaks to young people, students, leaders and organisations on purpose, personal growth, leadership, intentional living and environmental sustainability.

OFFICIAL BIOGRAPHY

Edwin K. Bamfo

Edwin K. Bamfo is a Ghanaian author, pastor, speaker, environmental leader and builder whose work centres on helping people discover purpose, grow intentionally and build lives of meaningful impact and fulfilment.

His journey has been shaped by an unconventional education, an early exposure to leadership, a strong Christian faith and a persistent desire to build people, organisations and ideas that create lasting value.

Edwin was homeschooled for much of his early education under the guidance of his father. This formative period developed in him a strong culture of discipline, independent learning and intellectual curiosity. At sixteen, he gained admission to the Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology (KNUST), where he studied Environmental Science. He later pursued an MPhil in Environmental Resources Management, completing his postgraduate studies at twenty-four.

His university years became an important period of personal growth and leadership formation. Initially reserved and painfully shy, Edwin began deliberately taking on roles that forced him beyond his comfort zone. He contested student leadership elections, experienced public losses, served in different leadership capacities and gradually developed the confidence to communicate, organise people and lead initiatives. These experiences reinforced one of the convictions that would later become central to his writing and teaching: growth often happens through action before confidence arrives.

His interest in purpose became especially significant during an internship in Takoradi in 2017, when he articulated a personal mission around leading people towards fulfilment. Over the years, that conviction has become the unifying thread across his work in leadership, ministry, environmental sustainability, entrepreneurship, writing and personal development.

In 2021, Edwin founded the Environmental Leadership Forum (ELF), a youth-led organisation focused on environmental leadership, sustainability education and practical action. Through ELF, he has helped build programmes that have engaged tertiary students and young professionals, developed volunteers, supported community environmental projects, planted thousands of trees and created platforms for young people to participate meaningfully in sustainability and leadership.

Alongside his environmental work, Edwin has developed extensive experience in communication, branding and creative enterprise. He leads RealityExpress | Brand Communications, where he works on branding, design, corporate communication, printing, media production and visibility solutions for organisations and businesses. His experience as a builder extends beyond business into the creation of organisations, programmes, communities, teams and systems.

Faith is central to Edwin's life and work. After embracing the Christian faith in 2013, he became actively involved in ministry, initially through church media and creative service. Over time, his responsibilities expanded into leadership, teaching and pastoral ministry. He currently serves as a campus pastor with Charismata Chapel, KMC, The Healthy Church, where his ministry focuses on spiritual growth, discipleship, leadership development, and building a healthy, purposeful Christian community.

As an author and teacher, Edwin writes primarily about purpose, growth, leadership, wisdom and fulfilment. His first book, *27 at 27: Reflections on Purpose, Growth and Fulfilment*, brings together twenty-seven lessons drawn from his experiences, observations, reading and leadership journey. His central message is that purpose is not simply something a person invents, but something to be discovered, developed and lived through intentional action.

Edwin also speaks to young people, leaders, students, professionals and organisations on themes including purpose, personal growth, leadership, intentional living and environmental sustainability. Through his writing, speaking, digital content and institutional work, he seeks to translate ideas into practical frameworks that help people think more deeply about who they are becoming, what they are building and the contribution their lives can make.

Today, Edwin's work is focused on leadership, sustainability, communication and human development. He serves as Executive Director of the Environmental Leadership Forum, leads RealityExpress | Brand Communications, serves in pastoral ministry, writes, speaks and develops educational and leadership initiatives for young people.

Across these different expressions, the underlying mission remains consistent: to help people grow into who they are meant to become and lead them towards lives of purpose, impact and fulfilment.

THE BOOK



27 at 27: Reflections on Purpose, Growth and Fulfilment

Edwin's first book (2026) brings together 27 lessons drawn from his experiences, observations, reading and leadership journey. It explores purpose, personal growth, leadership, wisdom, relationships, intentional living and fulfilment.

> **Purpose is not a decision. It is a discovery.**

Paperback: selar.com/27at27 · eBook: selar.com/52734az8e8 · Ghana pickup and orders: +233 59 185 4306

SPEAKING TOPICS

- Purpose & calling
- Leadership
- Personal growth
- Youth development
- Environmental sustainability
- Climate action
- Communication
- Branding & creativity
- Faith & leadership

AUDIENCES

- Young people and students
- Emerging leaders
- Professionals
- Churches and faith communities
- Organisations and institutions

FORMATS

Keynotes, conferences, university and campus programmes, church programmes, workshops, panels, corporate engagements, book talks and signings.

SELECTED ENGAGEMENTS

18 Oct 2026	Guest Author, Nyansapo Dialogue Series V, Great Hall, KNUST
6 Oct 2026	Speaker, Girls in Biotech Fellowship 2026
14 Aug 2026	Convener, Purpose in Motion + ELF at 5, KNUST

VALUES

Love · Integrity · Excellence · Responsibility · Service · Growth

APPROVED PHOTOGRAPHS



Official portrait



Headshot



Speaking, Great Hall, KNUST



ELF at 5

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MILESTONES

2013	Embraced the Christian faith; began serving in church media
2017	Founded RealityExpress
2021	Founded the Environmental Leadership Forum
2023	Campus Pastor, Charismata Chapel, KMC; Climate Reality Leader
2026	Published *27 at 27*; Purpose in Motion + ELF at 5

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