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Thato has progressed from a junior transactor to a highly capable mid-level dealmaker at RMB Corporate Finance, earning recognition for his transaction expertise, independent thinking and commitment to developing others. His inclusion in The Rising 20 reflects his strong dealmaking track record and potential to become a leading figure in South Africa's corporate finance market.

His experience spans mergers and acquisitions, private equity and equity capital markets. Thato takes responsibility for key client engagements and transaction workstreams, contributing to complex mandates while supporting senior dealmakers in delivering high-quality outcomes. His technical competence, diligence and sound judgement have earned the confidence of colleagues and clients.

What sets Thato apart is his independent, questioning approach to challenges, underpinned by commercial awareness and intellectual maturity. He takes ownership of his responsibilities and maintains a strong focus on execution, often operating beyond what might ordinarily be expected at his level of experience.

Beyond transactions, Thato is a committed mentor to junior colleagues, offering practical guidance on live deals, strengthening their technical skills and helping them build the resilience needed to succeed in a demanding environment. His investment in their development reflects a broader commitment to building capable teams and nurturing future talent.

Having demonstrated sustained growth throughout his M&A career, Thato is well positioned to take on greater responsibility for leading major transactions and advising clients on critical strategic decisions. His combination of dealmaking experience, independent judgement and collaborative leadership makes him a promising future leader in South Africa's corporate finance profession.

