

Odamea Abena

CULTURAL STRATEGIST &
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CULTURAL CREDENTIALS & EDITORIAL ACCESS

- Editorial Byline:
 - Contributor, The Knockturnal ([Official Author Portfolio](#))
- Confirmed Press Credentials & Festival Access:
 - Toronto International Film Festival (TIFF) — Contributors Circle Member (2026)
 - Cherry Lane Theatre , A24— Shifters West End Transfer Press Access (2026)
 - The Old Vic, London — Clint Dyer’s One Flew Over the Cuckoo’s Nest (2026)
 - Film at Lincoln Center — New York African Film Festival (2026)
 - Apollo Stages —PitchBLACK, Andscape and Netflix (2026)

MEDIA & ENGAGEMENT INQUIRIES

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EXECUTIVE PROFILE

Odamea Abena is a Cultural Strategist, Enterprise Systems Architect, and Contributor for The Knockturnal. For over 16 years, she has supported and designed enterprise-wide adoption frameworks bridging human behavior, systemic change, and organizational technology across one of the world’s leading healthcare systems.

Her practice bridges the boardroom and prestige arts. By analyzing the structural power dynamics, character architectures, and institutional friction depicted in prestige film and theater, she translates complex cultural narratives into actionable executive frameworks for high-performing leaders, studio executives, and global institutions

CORE PRACTICE & SERVICES

1. Cultural Strategy & Narrative Risk Assessment
Advising studios, showrunners, and theatrical producers on narrative authenticity, structural power dynamics, and audience resonance. We conduct comprehensive script audits and cultural mapping to ensure prestige narratives engage high-performing and diaspora demographics while mitigating institutional blind spots.
2. Institutional Translation & Boardroom Architecture
Translating human behavior, change resistance, and systemic friction into structured executive frameworks. Delivering customized advisory for leadership teams navigating restructures, high-stakes visibility transitions, and operational change.
3. Keynotes & The Access Circle
Executive briefings and keynote lectures on power, visibility, and organizational design. Odamea is also the founder of The Access Circle—a private, invite-only thought-leadership think tank for senior leaders navigating institutional systems.

INSTITUTIONAL CREDENTIALS & ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- Academic Appointments:
 - Instructor, Public Health Informatics — Leading Global Healthcare System & African Research Oncology Group (2026 Cohort)
 - Guest Lecturer — AfroFuture X Mastercard Design Program
- Education & Certifications:
 - Advanced Graduate Certificate, Health Informatics — Columbia University
 - Project Management Certification — Cornell University
 - M.A., Community Health Education & Public Health — CUNY School of Public Health
 - B.S., Chemistry & Medical Humanities — University of Richmond