

CURRICULUM VITAE

PERSONAL DETAILS

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KEY QUALIFICATION: Broadly trained in theoretical and applied economics with emphasis on environmental economics, agricultural economics, micro-economic theory, macroeconomic theory, econometrics and statistics, development economics, international economics, managerial economics and public policy analysis.

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Education Background

PhD (Economics) -Kenyatta University – December 2016

(PhD by Coursework, Examination and Thesis)

Core courses done: Advanced Microeconomics, Advanced Macroeconomics, Quantitative Methods and Econometrics.

Specialization: International Economics (Trade and Finance) and Environmental Economics

Thesis Title: Effect of Climate Variability on Output and Yield of Selected Crops in Kenya

MA (Economics) – Kenyatta University - 2010

A Collaborative Masters Programme under Katholischer Akademischer Ausländer-Dienst-KAAD and BIOdiversity Monitoring Transect Analysis in East Africa – BIOTA

Core courses done: Advanced Microeconomics, Advanced Macroeconomics, Quantitative Methods and Econometrics. International Economics (Trade and Finance) Public Sector Economics

BACHELOR OF EDUCATION ARTS (Economics) - First class

honours’ –Kenyatta University-2007

Core courses done: Microeconomics, Macroeconomics, Statistics for Economists,

Mathematic for Economists, Sample Survey, Monetary Economics, Public Finance, Project Appraisal, Economic Growth and Development, Development Planning among others.

PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATION

2005-2007: Certified Public Accountant (SECTION V)

2017-June- Preparing your manuscript by Elsevier Publishing Campus

2017-June-Structuring your Article

RESEARCH WORK

2018: Ongoing research on Negotiating Urban Citizenship: A Conceptual Metaphor Analysis of Hawking, Hawkers and Nairobi's Central Business District Street Space

2015: Research assistant for a survey commissioned by SNV Kenya. The study was titled: Market survey on Ware Potato in Kenya.

2010: Research assistant at National Economic and Social Council (NESC). Research report- Competitiveness of the Manufacturing and Service Sectors within Kenya/EAC/COMESA,

2010: Research assistant at National Economic and Social Council (NESC). Research report- How institutions (e.g. EAC, EU, Diplomatic missions), treaties and protocols and their networks can enhance Kenya's competitiveness.

2009: Researcher with BIOTA East Africa Sub Group E 13. Research Report-Economic Feasibility of Live Fences: a Case Study of Farms Surrounding Kakamega Forest.

2009: Researcher at REMPLAI -Baseline survey for Ministry of Water and Irrigation funded by World Bank.

AWARDS

2018: Travel grant to attend the Methodology and Scholarly Writing Workshop held in Harare Zimbabwe between 19th and 24th February 2018. Grant was offered by The Council for the Development of Social Science Research in Africa (CODESRIA) in collaboration with the Sam Moyo African Institute for Agrarian Studies (SMAIAS)

2017/2018- CODESRIA 2017 Meaning- Making Research initiatives grant (worth \$ 30000)

2007: Katholischer Akademischer Auslander-Dienst (KAAD) /BIOTA– Masters degree Scholarship at Kenyatta University

Work Experience

2016: Lecturer, Department of Economic Theory, School of Economics, Kenyatta University. Teaching in bachelors, masters programs.

2010 – 2015: Tutorial Fellow, Department of Economic Theory, School of Economics, Kenyatta University.

2010: Research Assistant National Economic and Social Council

2009: Project assistant baseline survey for Ministry of Water and Irrigation funded by World Bank.

Administrative Responsibilities

August 2016 – to date: Coordinator, School of Economics, Mombasa campus Kenyatta University.

2010-2016: Thematic leader (Economics Programme) – Mombasa Campus, Kenyatta University

Seminars and Workshops

17th- 19th April 2018: Attended and made a paper presentation during the 1st Annual International Conference 2018 held at Machakos University. The paper was titled *Climate Change and Maize yield in Kenya: An Econometric Analysis*. The theme of the conference was: *Harnessing Scientific Research, Innovation and Technology for Sustainable Development*. The paper was presented under the Sub Theme: - *Agriculture, Food Security, And Agribusiness for Community Transformation*.

19-24th February 2018: Attended and made a proposal presentation during Methodology and Scholarly Writing Workshop held in Harare Zimbabwe. The presentation was titled. *Discursive Contestation of the Political Economy of Hawkers in Nairobi's Central Business District: A Conceptual Metaphor Analysis*

20th – 23rd July 2017: Attended Annual Seminar of the KAAD Association of Scholars from East Africa (KASEA) held at Jinja, Uganda. Theme for the seminar: *“Education for Life, Education for Development: changing Approaches in A Changing World”*

9th December, 2016: Attended and presented a paper in the 33rd Kenyatta University Postgraduate Seminar in Kenyatta University, Nairobi. Paper title: *Effect of Climate Variability on Output and Yield of Selected Crops in Kenya*

20th – 23rd February 2014: Attended Annual Seminar of the KAAD Association of Scholars from East Africa (KASEA) held at Arusha, Tanzania. Theme for the seminar: “*Nature knows no Borders- Natural Resource Management in Regional Perspective*”

28th May and 14th Nov 2013: Successfully completed a course on teaching methodology at Centre for Teaching Excellence and Evaluation. Kenyatta University

10th-11th September 2013: Econometrics and Statistics Workshop on Panel and Time series Data Organized by Department of Econometrics and Statistics Kenyatta University

1st – 4th August 2013: Attended Annual Seminar of the KAAD Association of Scholars from East Africa (KASEA) held at Nairobi Kenya. Theme for the seminar: “*Communion in African Communities*”

21st-24th May 2013: Participated in a TOT workshop on integrating *HIV and AIDS into the ART courses in the university curriculum*. Organized by Aids Control Unit Kenyatta University

May, 2010 – to date: Attended several post graduate seminars/thesis defenses organized by Kenyatta University, **Nairobi Kenya.**

Publications.

Tindika, O.K.N., Wanjau, K.L., Kariuki, G.M. and Muchiri, J., 2020. Moderating Role of Environmental Dynamism on the Relationship between Opportunity Evaluation and Growth of NGOs in Kenya. *Expert Journal of Business and Management*, 8(1), pp.98-109.

Kariuki, G., Njaramba, J., & Ombuki, C. (2020). Maize Output Supply Response to Climate Change in Kenya: An Econometric Analysis. *European Scientific Journal*, Volume 16(3),63-83.

Ndeveni, O. K., Wanjau, K. L., Kariuki, G. M., & Muchiri, J. (2019). Entrepreneurial opportunity discovery dimensions and growth of non-governmental organizations in Kenya. *International Journal of Research in Business and Social Science* (2147-4478), 8(5), 18-26.

Kamunzyu, B. I., & Kariuki, G. (2019). Effect of financial literacy on employees investment decisions at Kenya Ports Authority, Mombasa Kenya. *The Strategic Journal of Business & Change Management*, 6 (2), 640 – 657.

Kariuki, G., Njaramba, J., & Ombuki, C. (2018). Climate Change and Maize Yield in Kenya: An Econometric Analysis. Proceeding of the 1st Annual International Conference held on 17th-19th April 2018, Machakos University, Kenya

Kariuki, G. M. (2016). *Effect of Climate Variability on Output and Yields of Selected Crops in Kenya* (Doctoral dissertation, Kenyatta University).

Kariuki, G. M. (2009). Economic feasibility of live fences: a case study of farms surrounding Kakamega forest (Master's thesis, Kenyatta University).

Postgraduate Supervision

| Students Name | Topic |
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| Joyreen Wambui | Effects Of Community Empowerment on Child Marriage in Kilifi County, Kenya. |
| Eli Nibizi | Effects Of Anti-Corruption Strategies on Service Delivery and Revenue Collection in Burundi Revenue Authority |
| Victor Omomdi | An Analysis of Household Food Insecurity in Kisumu county |
| Benisters Isaack | Effect of Financial Literacy on Employees Investment Decisions at Kenya Ports Authority, Mombasa Kenya |
| Mwangi, David Gichaga | The Effects of Women Empowerment Through Women Enterprise Fund on Household Welfare, A Case of Nyandarua County - Kenya. |
| Erick Mbogo | Financial Planning and Performance of Manufacturing Firms in Mombasa County |
| Lorna Adero | Effect Of Micro Finance Institutions and Financial Empowerment: A Case of Women Entrepreneurs in Mombasa County |
| Noah Wamalwa Wasike | Currency Misalignments and Optimal Monetary Policy: A Reexamination of The Kenyan Shilling |

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