



CURRICULUM VITAE

PERSONAL INFORMATION

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ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS

2015: Ph. D in Kiswahili Literature, Kenyatta University

2008: Master of Arts in Kiswahili Literature, Kenyatta University

2003: Bachelor of Education (Arts), First Class Honors, Kenyatta University

1998: Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education, Kitui High School

1994: Kenya Certificate of Primary Education Kangii Primary School

PARTICIPTION IN CONFERENCES AND SEMINARS

2019: Kenya Institute on Curriculum Development Conference on “*Enhancing Inclusion: Enhancing Learning through Language in 21st Century*” held on 6th August at KICD, Nairobi.

2019: International Mother Language Day Conference on 20th to 22nd February at Kenyatta University, Kitui Campus.

2019: Participated in CHAWAKAMA Conference on 26th Jan. 2019 at Karatina University

on Research Presentations addressing Various Issues Affecting Kiswahili Language and Literature.

2013: Seminar on Teaching Methodologies, Tests and Measurements organized by Kenyatta University.

2007: Attended Codestria International Seminar on Scholarly Writing and Research held at Kenyatta University.

WORKSHOPS AND TRAININGS

2016: Training Workshop on Public Complaints Handling and Management by Commission for Administrative Justice at Nairobi, Kenya.

2015: Training Workshop on Effective Public Complaints Management by Ethics and Integrity Institute, Kisumu, Kenya.

2015: Training Workshop on Quality Management Systems by Kenyatta

University.

2007: Translation and Interpretation Training Workshop Organized by World Social Forum, Nairobi, Kenya.

PUBLICATIONS

Arege, T. & Kauai, T.M. (2021) *AKS 303: Contemporary Kiswahili Novel & Play*. Blended Teaching Module. Kenyatta University.

Onyango, J. & Kauai, T.M. (2020) *AKS 102: Historical & Current Developments in Kiswahili*. Blended Teaching Module. Kenyatta University.

Wafula, R.M., Masinde, E. & Kauai, T.M. (2020) *AKS 413: Comparative Literature in Kiswahili*. Blended Teaching Module. Kenyatta University.

Kauai, T.M. & Muriithi J. (2020) *AKS 201: Introduction to Study of Literature*. Blended Teaching Module. Kenyatta University.

Kauai, T.M. (2014) *Mwongozo wa Mstahiki Meya*. Nairobi: Quineex Publishers.

Kauai, T.M & Wafula R.M. (2009) *Mwongozo wa Utengano (2009)*. Nairobi: Njigua Publishers.

EXPECTED PUBLICATIONS

Kauai, T.M. & Mutugu, B. (Ed.) (2021) *Diwani ya Hadithi Fupi*. Storymoja Publishers.

Kauai, T.M. (2021) *Maradhi ya Moyo*. Short Story.

Kauai, T.M. (2021) *Lipi Kosa Langu?* Short Story.

FINISHED RESEARCH WORKS

Ph. D Research in Kiswahili Literature in the area of Literary Intertextuality. Topic: Tathmini ya Usimilisho wa Riwaya na Hadithi Fupi kwa Wanafunzi wa Sekondari Nchini Kenya (2015).

M.A Kiswahili Dissertation in Kiswahili Literature entitled: Usawiri wa Vijana katika Tamthilia Teule za Kiswahili (2008).

UNPUBLISHED WORKS

Research Paper (2017) entitled: Towards a Standard Translation of the Swahili Bible: An Overview of the Challenges.

Ph. D Thesis (2015) entitled: Tathmini ya Usimilisho wa Riwaya na Hadithi Fupi kwa Wanafunzi wa Sekondari Nchini Kenya.

M.A Dissertation (2008) entitled: Usawiri wa Vijana katika Tamthilia Teule za Kiswahili.

CONFERENCE/SEMINAR PAPER PRESENTATION

1. 22nd February, 2019 *Usimilisho katika Fasihi ya Kiswahili: Dhana, Historia na Maendeleo yake*, Presented at International Mother Language Day, Kenyatta University, Kitui Campus.
2. 21st February, 2019 *Lugha Chafu katika Fasihi ya Kikamba: Ubunifu ama Matusi?* Presented at International Mother Language Day, Kenyatta University, Kitui Campus.
3. 20th February, 2019 *Lugha kama Kichocheo cha Ubunifu: Uhakiki Linganuzi wa Nyimbo Pendwa za Kikamba na Kitanzania*, presented at International Mother Language Day, Kenyatta University, Kitui Campus.
4. 31st July, 2014 *Usimilisho wa Riwaya kwa Wanafunzi wa Sekondari Nchini Kenya*, Seminar Paper Presented in Kiswahili Department Postgraduate Seminar at Kenyatta University, BSSC.
5. 16th July, 2014 *Mbinu za Usimilisho wa Riwaya na Hadithi Fupi* Seminar Paper Presented in Kiswahili Department Postgraduate Seminar at Kenyatta University, BSSC.

CONFERENCE ORGANIZATION

Member of International Mother Language Day Conference Organizing Committee held on 20 – 22nd February, 2019, Kenyatta University, Kitui Campus.

COMPLETED PROJECT SUPERVISION

1. **Simiyu Dennis Munyore** c50/25240/2014 *Usomaji na Ufasiri Sasa wa Utenzi wa Mwana Kupona, Kenyatta University. (Agosti, 2017)*
2. **Judith Nabangi** c50/CE/27925/2013 *Athari ya Utenzi katika Uandishi wa Riwaya Teule ya Kiswahili, Kenyatta University. (Agosti, 2017)*

ONGOING PROJECT SUPERVISION

1. **Godwin Lawi** c50EA/28903/2014 *Tathmini ya Mwingiliano Usomaji kaika Fasihi ya Watoto na Watu Wazima, Kenyatta University.*
2. **Kamau Jane Nyaruiru** c50/CE/28322/2013 *Mchango wa Maandishi ya Shaaban Robert kwa Tanzu Teule za Fasihi Simulizi. Kenyatta University.*
3. **Seth Gatende Gekuno** c50/22596/2011 *Matumizi ya Vipengele vya Fasihi Simulizi katika Tamthilia za Chamchela na Kijiba cha Moyo, Kenyatta University.*
4. **Stephen Waweru** c50/NKU/CE/28101/2013 *Nafasi ya Mbinu Rejeshi katika Fasihi ya Watoto ya Kiswahili, Kenyatta University.*
5. **Hawa Mohammed** c50/CE/28462/2015 *Mwingiliano Matini katika Riwaya za Kufa Kuzikana na Narejea Nyumbani, Kenyatta University.*

INTERNAL PROJECT EXAMINATION

1. **Mwangi Teresia Wanjiku** c50/CE/22325/2010 *Mabadiliko ya Nafasi ya Mtazamo wa Wahusika Wanaume katika Riwaya za Said A. Mohamed: Utengano (1980) na Dunia Yao (2006).*
2. **Tanui Chepkoech Selly** c50/28501/2014 *Usawiri wa Maudhui yenye Kufunza Wanafunzi wa Vyuo Maadili Mema: Tathmini ya Alidhani Kapata na Damu Nyeusi.*

3. **Elizabeth W. Gathenya** c50/CE/11305/2008 *Mtindo na Mielekeo ya Shafi Adam Shafi katika Riwaya za Kuli (1979) na Haini (2003).*
4. **Rebecca Aor Omuya** *Tathmini ya Usimilishwaji wa Biblia kama Fasihi ya Watoto: Hadithi Teule.*
5. **Mang'era Mose Erick** "Maudhui ya Ufisadi kama Kichocheo cha Ari ya Mabadiliko katika Jamii kwa Mujibu wa Tamhilia Teule."
6. **Ephraim Muiga Gathogo** c50/CE/20379/2012 "Mchango wa Msimilishaji Simulizi katika Maonyesho ya Filamu: Mfano wa DJ.Afro"
7. **Dorothy Akinyi Odhiambo** c50/22706/2011
8. **Janet Wambui** C50/20380/12

EXTERNAL PROJECT EXAMINATION

1. **Evelyn Kakivi Muthui** c425/KIT/20670/2015 (M.A.) *Utathmini wa Maudhui katika Tamhilia za Karne Mpya zinazotahiniwa Shuleni za Upili Nchini Kenya: Mstahiki Meya (2009) na Kigogo (2016).* South Eastern Kenya University.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

April 18th 2011 to date: Kenyatta University

Lecturer Department of Kiswahili and African Languages

September 2009 to April 2011: Kenyatta University

Part-time lecturer

October 2007 to April 2011: Teachers Service Commission

Kisasi Secondary School

January 2005 to August 2005: Kyondoni Girls' Secondary School

B.O.G Teacher

OTHER WORK EXPERIENCE

2017- to date: Kwelf Empowerment Organization CBO

Leader - Student Mentorship Programme

2009: Kenya Bureau of Statistics

Census Supervisor

2008: Research Assistant

Research on Reproductive Health in Mwingi and Kitui Districts (2 weeks) by

Dr. Muthei of Religious Department, Kenyatta University

2007: Seminar Facilitator

Kitui District Language Teachers' Seminar

2007: Translation and Interpretation

World Social Forum

Kenya

RESPONSIBILITIES

25th Nov. to 16th Dec. 2020 - Acting Director, Kitui Campus

2017 - to date: Deputy Director, Student Affairs

Kenyatta University - Kitui Campus

2015 - 2017: Public Complaints Officer

Kenyatta University

Kitui Campus

October 2012 to October 2014: Deputy Director, Student Affairs

Kenyatta University

Kitui Campus

April 2012 to October 2012: Ag. Deputy Dean of Students

Kenyatta University

Kitui Campus

2010 - 2011: Deputy Dean of Studies

Kisasi Secondary School

2008 - 2011: Entertainment Master

Kisasi Secondary School

2011 - Present: Student Mentor

BOARDS AND COMMITTEES

2019 - to date: Kangii Mixed Secondary School

B.O. M Chairman

2019 - to date: Kwelf Empowerment Association

CBO Chairman

2016 - 2018: Kangii Mixed Secondary

Chairman, Board of Management

2012 - 2015: Kangii Mixed Secondary

Chairman, Board of Management

2016 - 2018: Kwelf Empowerment Organization (CBO)

Chairman, Education Sub-Committee

2016 to date: Kenyatta University Kitui Staff Welfare Association

Chairman

2008 to date: Wadhati Welfare Association

Chairman

2012 to date: Chama cha Kiswahili (Kitui Campus)

Patron

- 2019 to date:** Chairman, Kitui Campus Catering Committee
- 2019 to 2021:** Chairman, Kiswahili Department Visitor's Committee
- 2019 to date:** Member, Graduate Studies Committee
- 2017 to date:** Member, Kitui Campus Management and Advisory Committee
- 2019 to date:** Member, Staff Recruitment, Appraisal and Promotion Committee
- 2016 to date:** Member, Tender Committee
- 2012 to date:** Member, Kitui Campus Marketing Committee
- 2012 to date:** Member, Student Disciplinary Committee

ACHIEVEMENTS

- 1. 2011:** Teacher of the Year Award Winner (TOYA), Kisasi Sec School
- 2. 2004:** Helb Postgraduate Scholarship
- 3. 2001:** Represented Kenyatta University in BBC's *Vijana Leo Programme*.

REFEREES

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