

# CURRICULUM VITAE

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## 1.1 PERSONAL PROFILE

### 1.1.1 Personal Details:

Name: Prof. Alice N. Ondigi  
Nationality: Kenyan  
Designation: Associate Professor

### 1.1.2 Academic & Professional Qualifications

- 2003: PhD in Human Development, Kenyatta University, Nairobi, Kenya
- 1993: Masters of Education in Community Education & Administration , University of Minnesota, USA,
- 1992: Bachelor of Science in Home Economics University of Minnesota, USA,
- 1989: Associate of Arts in Human Nutrition Minneapolis Community College, Minnesota, USA,
- 1990: certificate course on Registered Nursing Assistant at Hennepin Technical College, Brooklyn Park, Minnesota, USA.

### 1.2.3 Employment History

- 2018 to date: Senior Lecturer, Department of Community Resource Management and Extension, Kenyatta University
- 2010 - 2018: Senior Lecturer, Department of Hospitality Management, Kenyatta University
- 2003 – 2010: Lecturer, Department of Community Resource Management and Extension, Kenyatta University
- 1998 – 2003: Tutorial Fellow Department of Family and Consumer Sciences (Community Resource Management and Extension), Kenyatta University

### 1.2.4 Major Achievements since last Appointment

- Outstanding and wealth of experience as a Dean of the school for Nine and half (9.5) consecutive years (March 2009 to September 2018)
  1. Started the school of Hospitality and Tourism
  2. Initiated and developed many academic programmes
  3. Initiated the construction of the school of hospitality and Tourism Complex in order to meet a competitive edge training standards in the region
  4. Overseer and fast-tracked the capacity development of staff to attaining Ph.D in the school which was a biggest challenge to the school
  5. Registered the school into Professional bodies (Association of Hospitality and Tourism schools in Africa (AHTSA), and Eco Tourism Kenya (ETK)
  6. Campaigned and sort for e-supervision for postgraduate students from USA and other countries
  7. Marketed the school and the University widely by Initiating international and internal linkages
  8. Brought money to the University through research and consultancy
  9. Perfected multi-tasking skills e.g, teaching, research, external examining and service to community
  10. Published and disseminated knowledge at international forums.
  11. Gained international exposure by networking at international conferences
  12. Organized seminars and pertinent forums at school and with other institutions
  13. Raid strategies to attract more student enrolment both from Diploma, Bachelors, Masters and Ph.D levels.
  14. Initiated international and internal linkages
  15. Coordinated development of curriculum for other Universities in the region (Nigeria & Ghana)
  16. Mobilized students and staff for community outreach activities
  17. Chairs school harmonization curriculum programme review meetings
  18. Chairs regular school board meetings
  19. Chairs school board of examiners meetings
  20. Chairs postgraduate students defence boards (Masters & Ph.D)
  21. Participates in student disciplinary committees
  22. Coordinated quality control management meetings at the school
  23. Coordinated regular postgraduate seminars at the school
  24. Classified and graduated many students (diploma, Bachelors, Post graduate diplomas, Masters and Ph.Ds)
  25. Participates in many University senate committees and boards
    - Senate executive committee
    - Linkages board (LB)
    - Graduate school board (GSB)
    - University Board of Examiners (UBE) committee
    - Student Disciplinary Committee
    - University Senate
    - Graduation committee

## 1.2 RESEARCH & PUBLICATION

### 1.2.1 Refereed Journal Papers

- ❖ Gachara F. W., Ngige L.W., Ondigi A (2018). Perspectives of orphans and vulnerable children towards charitable children's institutions of care. *International Journal of Social Sciences and Humanities Research*, Vol. 6, Issue 3, pp.307-316. ISSN: 2348-3164 (Online); ISSN 2348-3156 (Print). [www.researchpublish.com](http://www.researchpublish.com)
- ❖ Mugambi, R. M, Imungi J.K., Waudu J.N, Ondigi A (2017). Mothers' and Households Food Security Status in Kangai and Mutithi Locations of Mwea West Sub County, Kenya. *Food Science and Quality Management Journal – IISTE – ISSN (print)2224-6086, ISSN (online) 2225-0557, Vol 58, 2016.*
- ❖ Mugambi, R. M, Imungi J.K., Waudu J.N, Ondigi A (2017). Relationship between Socio Demographic Characteristics and Risk factors for Micronutrient Utilization among Mothers in Mwea West Sub County, Kenya. *Food Science and Quality Management Journal – IISTE – ISSN (print)2224-6086, ISSN (online) 2225-0557, Vol 59, 2017.*
- ❖ Mugambi, R. M, Imungi J.K., Waudu J.N, Ondigi A (2016). Relationship between Mothers' Socio Demographic Characteristics and food Security Status in Kangai and Mutithi Locations of Mwea West Sub County, Kenya. *Food Science and Quality Management Journal – IISTE – ISSN (print)2224-6086, ISSN (online) 2225-0557, Vol 58, 2016.*
- ❖ Omweno Lucy, Ondigi Alice, & Ogolla Lucy (2015), Socio-Cultural Factors Influencing Access to Reproductive Health Service Information among Youth in Korogocho slum of Nairobi, Kenya. *Journal of Research on Humanities and Social Sciences – IISTE – ISSN (paper) 2224-5766, ISSN(online) 2225-0484, Vol.5, No. 14, 2015.*
- ❖ Ndayala Pheobe, Ondigi Alice, & Ngige Lucy (2015), Nature and Extent of HIV Self Disclosure by Seropositive Adults in HIV support Groups in Nairobi Count, Kenya. *Journal of Research on Humanities and Social Sciences – IISTE – ISSN (paper) 2224-5766, ISSN(online) 2225-0484. Vol.5, No. 16, 2015.*
- ❖ Kieru N. jane, Ngige L, & Ondigi Alice (2015), Factors Associated with Reproductive Behavior of Low Income Mothers in Kiandutu Slum in Thika Municipality, Kenya. *Asian Social Science Journal; Canadian Center of Science and education, ISSN 1911-2017, E\_ISSN 1911-2025*
- ❖ Dr. Shem Maingi, Dr. Joe Wadawi and Dr. Alice Ondigi (2015): Market profiling and positioning of park brands in Kenya. (Case of Premium and Under-utilized parks in Kenya) *International Journal of Tourism Research. ISSN: 1522-1970. DOI: 10.1002/jtr.2036*
- ❖ Dr. Shem Maingi, Dr. Joe Wadawi and Dr. Alice Ondigi (2014): Towards a Competitive framework for Park Branding in Kenya. (Case of Premium and Under-utilized parks in Kenya). *J Tourism Res Hospitality*, 2014 3:2 <http://dx.doi.org/10.4172/2324-8807.1000141> 3:2

- ❖ Echesa C.A. P., Nyambaka H., Ondigi N.A., Omoterema S., Toil W., and Sande A., (2013) Variation of Micronutrients in Pumpkin Fruit Varieties Grown within the Victoria Basin. *Journal of Food Science and Quality Management – IISTE- ISSN 2224-6088(print) ISSN 2224-0557(online) Vol. 17*
- ❖ Echesa P., Ondigi, A. N & Nyamabaka (2013) Micronutrient Analysis of Pumpkins Leaves (*Cucurbita maxima, c. moschata, c. pepo and a gourd lageneria* ) Grown by Small Holder Farmers For Food Security In The Lake Victoria Basin, East Africa. *African Journal of Environmental Science and Technology*.
- ❖ Kuria, S. K., Wanderi P, & Ondigi A. N (2012) Hotel Employment in Kenya, contingent work or Professional career? *International Journal of Academic Research in Business and social sciences* July 2012, Vol.2, No-7 ISSN: 2222-6990
- ❖ Ondigi A, N, & Ondigi S. R , (2012). The Influence of Poverty and well Being of the elderly people in Nyanza Province, Kenya. *Asian Social Science Journal; Canadian Center of Science and education, AssVol 8, No. 2, February, 2012.*
- ❖ Kuria, S. K, Wanderi P, & Ondigi A. N (2011). Factors influencing labour turnover in star-rated Hotels in Nairobi, Kenya. *International Journal Of Humanities and Social Science, Centre for Promoting Ideas, USA. IJHSS Vol. 1 No. 20; December 2011 ISSN 2220-8488 (print) 2221-0989(online). <http://www.ijhssnet.com/archive/621.html>*
- ❖ Ondigi A, N, & Ondigi S.R , (2011). The Role Of Research In Teaching And Learning Processes In Kenyan Universities. *International Journal of Business and Management Tomorrow Vol. 1 No. 2. ISSN 2249-9962*
- ❖ Ondigi, Alice. N; Mugenda Olive.M (2011), Psychosocial determinants of Quality of Life among Kenyan Families. *International Journal Of Humanities and Social Science, Centre for Promoting Ideas, USA. IJHSS VOL.1. NO.7. ISSN 2220-8488 (print) 2221-0989(online).*
- ❖ Ondigi A. N, Toil, W, Afhini T & Omuterema S (2008), Comparative Analysis of production and utilization of pumpkins (*Cucurbita pepo and c. Maxima*) by small holder farmers in the lake Victoria basin, East Africa. *African Journal of Environmental Science and Technology, AJESTX-08-014 Vol. 2 (9). Available online at <http://www.academicjournals.org/AJest> ISSN 1996-0786 © 2008 Academic Journals*
- ❖ Donald Maingi; Dr. Alice Ondigi; and Dr. Shem Maingi ( 2009 ) A critique of Tourism Management sector reforms in Kenya (Results vs Value driven approach) *African Journal of Applied Human sciences* ISSN 2070-917X
- ❖ Ondigi, A. N. (2005) The influence of partner relationship and Social support to expectant women in Low income areas. *Discovery And Innovation journal*, vol 17 number ¾ pg 105-209. Dec ISSN1015-079X

## **1.2.2 Other publications**

### **ii. Patented invention or innovation:**

2018 Business trade Mark

### **iv. Book chapter in a university level scholarly book:**

- ❖ Ondigi, A.N; Ngige L.W; Wilson S (2008) Family Diversity in Kenya (chapter 9) in the Families in Global Context, Taylor & Francis Group, LLC, New York. ISBN: 978-0-7890-2708-5

### **xiv. Scholarly presentations at conferences/workshop/seminars**

Ondigi A N (2019). Intervention on household health eating habits exhibition booth at 1<sup>st</sup> International Food safety Conference on 20<sup>th</sup>-24<sup>th</sup> May 2019 at BSSC, Kenyatta University, Nairobi, Kenya.

Murungi C; Ondigi A. N, Khayiya R; Abere Y (2017) “Choice of Hotel facilities by disabled people visiting hotel facilities in Kenya”. Presented at The International Conference of Marketing Hospitality and Tourism, held at Warbiner College, New York, USA on 27-31<sup>st</sup> May 2017.

Maingi, W, S, Ondigi, A. N, (2015):Tourism Destination Branding effectiveness in a Developing country context” presented at The International Interdisciplinary Business-Economics Advancement Conference (IIBA Florida, 2015) held in Ft.Lauderdale, Florida, USA, between 28 March- 02 April, 2015.

Ondigi, A. & Maingi, S. (2013). Brand Consolidation and Strategy: The Economics of Brand Consolidation in East Africa. Hotel Summit East Africa Nairobi, Kenya August 2013

Maingi, W, S, Ondigi, A. N, & Wandawi J (2012), The role of Destination brands in influencing choices of wildlife-based Tourism in Kenya. Presented at a Travel and Tourism Research Association Conference held in June 17<sup>th</sup> -19<sup>th</sup> 2012 at Virginia Beach Resort hotel, Virginia, USA.

Pheobe N, Ngige, & Ondigi (2012). Relationship between emotional violence and HIV self-disclosure by PLWHIV to sexual partners, Presented during the Gender conference held at Kenyatta University, Nairobi, Kenya.,

Maingi W. S, Ondigi, A. N, & Wandawi J (2011) The Impacts of Place Brands on Tourist Choice-behavior in Kenya. Paper presented during the Research week June 16<sup>th</sup> -17<sup>th</sup> 2011, At Strathmore University, Nairobi, Kenya

Mutsya M, Ondigi A, & Khayiya R (2010) The application of the All-inclusive holiday Concept at the Kenyan Coast. Paper presented at an International Research Symposium in service Management 1, Mauritius 2010

Echesa P., Ondigi, A. N & Nyamabaka (2011) Micronutrient Analysis of Pumpkins Leaves (*Cucurbita maxima, c. moschata, c. pepo and a gourd lageneria*) Grown by Small Holder Farmers For Food Security In The Lake Victoria Basin, East Africa. Paper presented at an Ethnobotany cluster workshop, held in Kampala, Uganda

Ondigi A. N & Mugenda O M (2010), Psychosocial determinants of Quality of Life among Kenyan adult population. Presented at the First PanAfrican International Conference on Family Strength, July 21<sup>st</sup> - 24<sup>th</sup> 2010 at NorthCoast Beach Hotel, Mombasa, Kenya.

Ondigi A, N & Ondigi S. R July, 2009, 'The role of universities in globalizing education' presented at an International Conference on Education, July 10<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> 2009, KUCC, Kenyatta university.

Ondigi A, N, Mayaka M, & Wandawi J (2007). 'Community Tourism in Kenya' presented during the 1<sup>st</sup> international conference of the Association of Hospitality schools in Africa (AHSA) Nov 12<sup>th</sup> -14<sup>th</sup> 2007, Pretoria Hotel School, Cape Town, South Africa

Ondigi A, N, & Ondigi S.R (2006) , "The impact of poverty on the wellbeing of older people in Nyanza province, Kenya." Presented during the 8<sup>th</sup> Global conference of International federation for aging (IFA) 30<sup>th</sup> May -2<sup>nd</sup> June 2006, Copenhagen, Netherlands

### **Convening and Coordinating Conferences/Workshops/Seminars**

**2018**, Coordinating and organizing school annual training seminars for staff and postgraduate students, at BSSC, Kenyatta University

**2017**, Coordinating and organizing school annual training seminars for staff and postgraduate students, at BSSC, Kenyatta University

**2016**, Organizing and hosting the seminar on Entrepreneurship and sustainable development in Hospitality and tourism in Kenya, held on 16<sup>th</sup> March 2016, Kenyatta University, Nairobi, Kenya

**2016**, coordinating the School curriculum review, held at Kenyatta University conference Center, Nairobi, Kenya

**2012**, Coordinating the School Strategic plan workshop, Held at Kenyatta University Conference center, Nairobi, Kenya

**2012**, Coordinating School curriculum review workshop, held at Kenyatta University Conference center, Nairobi, Kenya

**2012**, Coordinating School forum seminar, Positioning Tourism and Hospitality in Kenya's Socio-economic Agenda (The vision 2030).

**2009 to 2018**, coordinating the Bi -annual postgraduate Seminar for grandaunts at the school of hospitality and Tourism, Kenyatta University

**July 2010**, Appointed by the Vice Chancellor into A committee to organize an international conference on Family Strength in African Context, held at North coast hotel, Mombasa, Kenya

### **1.3 QUALITY TEACHING AND LEARNING**

- i. Student evaluation** –I have always scored 70% and above as teaching instructor, advisor and mentor
- ii. Training in higher education** – as indicated below:
  - **February/March 2019**, Inaugural Introductory course in Geriatric Medicine, KUCC, Kenyatta University, Nairobi, Kenya
  - **January 2018**, Training on administration of public offices at higher learning Institutions, KUCC, Kenyatta University, Nairobi, Kenya.
  - **November, 2017** Corruption free at public institutions, KUCC, Kenyatta University, Nairobi, Kenya
  - **August 2016**, Status of Higher education in Kenya, Amphitheatre, Kenyatta University, Nairobi, Kenya
  - **August 2016**, Training on palliative hospice care by Nairobi Hospice for non-health workers, Kenyatta University, BSSC, Kenya.
  - **July 2016**, Workshop on research methodology training, school of hospitality and tourism, Kenyatta University Amphitheater, Kenya
  - **March, 2016**, Workshop on hospitality and tourism sustainable and entrepreneur development, Kenyatta University Amphitheater, Kenya
  - **July 2015**, 4<sup>th</sup> ICE Pre-Conference workshop on information Literacy and Ethics, held at Kenyatta University Conference Center from 13<sup>th</sup> -14<sup>th</sup> 2015. Nairobi, Kenya
  - **March, 2014**, Senior University Managers’ workshop, held at North coast Beach Hotel Mombasa, Kenya
  - 2014, Summer school training workshop on cultural Heritage focusing on wonders of the world (65 hrs) at Lugano, Switzerland
  - 2013, Teaching methodology course to enhance content delivery and setting competitive exams, Kenyatta University, Nairobi, Kenya
  - **Sep 2012**, Training on Research uptake, held at Kenyatta University, Nairobi, Kenya
  - **July, 2012**, Score card management systems Training, school of Monetary studies, Nairobi, Kenya
  - **July, 2011**, Methodology and publishing workshop, KUCC, Kenyatta University, Nairobi, Kenya0
  - **July, 2009**, Training on Management of University schools, at La Mada hotel, 28<sup>th</sup>-30<sup>th</sup>, Nairobi, Kenya
  - **May, 2009**, Regional Deans training workshop with Partnership For Higher Education in Africa (PHEA), 19<sup>TH</sup>-21<sup>ST</sup> at KUCC, Kenyatta University

### **Postgraduate Supervision**

- iii. Evidence of on-going supervision**

3 PhDs on-going  
4 Masters Supervision on-going

**iv. Successful supervision**

9 PhD Supervision Completed  
16 Masters Supervision completed

**v. Additional successful graduates up to a maximum of 4 (Yes)**

**POSTGRADUATE SUPERVISION (details of students)**

**PhD Supervision Completed**

Name of Students		Reg. No	Title of Thesis	Date of Completion	Degree awarded
1.	Isabella Wandaka	H87/15723/05	Investigation of the challenges & opportunities facing women entrepreneurs in textile businesses	2009	Ph.D <i>completed</i>
2.	Mary Mutsya	H87/10857/07	An Analysis of the Application of the all inclusive holiday concept at the Kenyan	2011	Ph.D <i>Completed</i>
3.	David Molell	H87/10564087	Performance and entrepreneurial capabilities of Community based tourism programmes at close proximity to protected areas in Arusha, Tanzania	2012	Ph.D <i>Completed</i>
4.	Charles Murungi	T130/13407/09	Choice of Hotel facilities by guests with disabilities in Nairobi	2013	Ph.D <i>Completed</i>
5.	Alice Nzioka	H87/10964/07	Factors affecting women career progression in the Hospitality Industry in Kenya	2013	Ph.D <i>Completed</i>
6.	Pheope Ndayara	H87/12197/09	Factors Associated with HIV self disclosure to sexual partners by seropositive adults in support groups in Nairobi,	2014	Ph.D <i>Completed</i>



			Kenya		
7.	Shem Wambugu Maingi	H87/11076/08	The efficacy of Park Branding in influencing choice behavior of local and international tourism in Kenya	2014	Ph.D Completed
8.	Rahab Mugambi	T130/23393/2012	Household Food Security and Dietary Micronutrient Intake among Mothers in Mwea West Sub county, Kirinyaga County, Kenya.	2017	<i>Ph.D</i> <i>Completed</i>
9	Jane Bitok	T130/23080/2011	Educational Tourists' consumer behavior as a strategy in Nairobi, Kenya	2019	<i>PhD</i> <i>Completed</i>

#### Ph.D Supervision on – going

Name of Students		Reg. No	Title of Thesis	Status	Degree to be awarded
1	Francis Wanjoi Gachara	H87/13313/2009	Opportunities of enhancing care and support to HIV/AIDS positive orphans and vulnerable children under 15 years in Nyeri, Kenya	2018, Presented Findings at the department and refining it for examination	Ph.D <i>Candidate Deceased</i>
2	Esther Laurinda Akomaning	T130F/38751/2017	Linen management in Budget Hotels in Ghana	Developing Proposal	Ph.D Ongoing
3	Ramatu Halidu	T130F/39245/2017	Relationship between household responsibilities of women managers and work performance in Hotels in Northern Ghana	Developing Proposal	Ph.D Ongoing
4	Stella Appiah	T130F/38751/2017	Food safety practices among food Vendors and customer awareness in Southern Zone, Ghana	Developing Proposal	Ph.D Ongoing

#### Masters supervision completed

Name of Students	Reg. No	Title of Thesis	Date of	Degree
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				Completion	awarded
1	Jane Kamau	H60/6274/2003	Selected Family factors associated with reproductive behavior of low income families in Kiandutu slum in Thika district, Kenya	2007	Msc <i>Completed</i>
2	Lenah Kebaso	H60/1257/05	Factors influencing utilization and sustainability of water in Kibira slums of Nairobi	2008	Msc <i>Completed</i>
3	Nelly Marete	H60/OL/0501/03	Assessment of outsourcing Decision-Making in Star-Rated Hotels in Nairobi-Kenya	2008	Msc <i>Completed</i>
4	Janet Kimeto	H60/10030/07	International Tourism perceptions and Acceptance of the Kenyan Ethnic Cuisine	2010	Msc Completed
5	Jane Kathurima	H60/10909/07	Impact of corporate Social responsibility programs in 5 star Hotels in Nairobi	2010	Msc Completed
6	Samson Kung'u	H60/11578/04	Assessment of factors influencing labour turnover in star-rated Hotels in Nairobi, Kenya	2011	Msc <i>Completed</i>
7	Peter Echessa	156/CE/15663/05	Evaluation of the pumpkin varieties and determination of their micronutrients in the Lake Victoria Basin.	2011	Msc. Completed
8	Beatrice K Icheria	H60/10722/08	Household food insecurity and Community Based intervention strategies among small scale farmers in Tharaka District, Kenya	2012	Msc. Completed
9	Okungu Kennedy Oywa	H60/10298/2008	Opportunities and Challenges faced by	2013	Msc

			Youth Groups in management of small and micro-enterprises in Kisumu west, Districts		Completed
10	Omweno Lucy K.	H60/CE/10532/07	Selected socio-cultural factors influencing access to reproductive health services information among the youth in Korogocho slum of Nairobi, Kenya	2013	Msc <i>Completed</i>
11	Alex Kyalo Kivuva	H60/OL/11080/08	The Empirical Relationship between prices of the Hotel Rooms and Demand by local Market: A case study of Mombasa Hotels	2014	Msc <i>Completed</i>
12	Evan Choi Choi	156/CE/15655/05	Determination of the levels of some macro nutrients in pumpkin varieties grown in Lake Victoria Basin, East Africa	2015	Msc <i>completed</i>
13.	Sunday Musa Adama	T129F/33554/14	Hospitality Management Graduate Certification and Employment in Lokoja, Kogi State Capital City, Nigeria.	2017	Msc <i>completed</i>
<b>Masters Supervision Ongoing</b>					
1	Catherine M. Kioli	H60/CE/23075/2010	Enhancing women group participation in community development in Nzau district, Makueni county, Kenya	writing thesis	Msc <i>Ongoing</i>
2	Simiyu Rose	H60/CE/22640/2010	Assessment of Microfinance opportunities to	Analyzing data	Msc <i>Ongoing</i>

			women in Shweywe location, Kakamega County		
3.	Lydia Mbethie	H60/CE/23036/2011	The Adoption of community hygiene strategies to safe water and sanitation among mothers of underfives in Migwani, Kitui county, Kenya	2019	Msc Completed
4.	Purity Kanyua Murithi	T129/OL/23260/2013	ICT Usage on the performance of Fast Food Restaurants in Nairobi CBD	2019	Msc completed
5.	Winnie Wanja Mwaura	H60/26947/2013	Role of Mpesa Micro Enterprises in Improving the Livelihoods of Youths I Githurai, Nairobi, Kenya	Analyzing Data	Msc Ongoing
6.	Kithinji Liza Muthoni	T129/OL/City/27934/2014	Effects of corporate Social Responsibility (CRS) on performance of Selected Hotels in Machakos County, Kenya	Correcting data	Msc <i>Ongoing</i>
7.	Festus Maina Mburu	T129/29255/2014	The Role of Local Communities in enhancing sustainable community based heritage tourism in Mt. Kenya region, Kenya	2019	Msc completed
7	Sani Hamza Lawan	T129F/2216/2012	Employ Gender influence on job performance in registered hotels in Kano State, Nigeria	2018	Msc completed

#### 1.4. PROFESSIONAL/CONSULTING

##### i. Networking and collaboration with external organizations:

- ❖ Collaborative research with Kenyatta University, UNESCO, and USI, University of Lugano, Switzerland; project on training ICT to develop and promote sustainable tourism heritage sites which culminated into First Africa IFFTI 2017 conference.
- ❖ VICRES – Multidisciplinary collaboration with Four Researchers in the universities within the Lake Victoria region on a research projects
- ❖ In a research team doing corroborative research with Equity bank, Retirement Benefit Authority (RBA) and KU

**Initiating/ Leading External Collaborations :** Initiated the following collaborations during my tenure as chair and dean.

- Federal Polytechnic of Bauchi, Nigeria - where over fifteen international students in postgraduate programmes were enrolled
- The Marriot Hotels Internationals, Middle East – where the human Resource directors picked our students to train them to work in Marriott hotels
- Rwanda Tourism University college, Kigali, Rwanda – getting students from there
- James Madison University (USA)-gained e-supervision guidance for post graduate students
- North Dakota State University (USA)- e-supervision for post graduate students
- East Carolina State University (USA)- gained e-supervision guidance for post graduate students
- California State University –East Bay (USA)- gained e-supervision guidance for post graduate students
- Oklahoma State University (USA)- Got external examiners
- University of Trier (Germany)- Got external examiner
- University of Lugano, Switzerland-Did collaborative research and joint conferences
- Koforidua Technical University, Ghana- Post-graduate students

## **ii. Review of Professional periodicals.**

- ❖ I have reviewed 3 articles that have been published in refereed journal
  - (i) African Journal of Environmental & Technology (On-line Journal)
  - (ii) Discovery and Innovation Journal –Africa
  - (iii) Asian Journal of Agriculture extension, Economics and Sociology
- (ii) 2017, Appointed by South Eastern University (SEKU) to review for them a new curriculum of Bachelor of Hospitality Management - mounted in 2017.

## **iii. Appointed to national boards**

### **University Council Member**

- ❖ 2014 To Date, Appointed to the University Governing Council of Kiriri Women’s University of Science and Technology (KWUST).

## **iv.External Examiner**

- ❖ **2017** Appointed External examiner for Makerere University dept of Hospitality and reactional management
- ❖ **2017**, Appointed external examiner for Alupe University department of Hospitality management
- ❖ 2014, Appointed External Examiner for Mt. Kenya University, Department of Hospitality and Tourism Management
- ❖ 2013, Appointed External Examiner for Moi University, Department of Hotel and Hospitality events management for three (3) years.
- ❖ 2010, Appointed External Examiner for Mt. Kenya University, Department of Hospitality and Tourism Management

#### **iv. External examining for undergraduate programmes**

- ❖ 2017, Appointed by South Eastern University (SEKU) to review for them a new curriculum of Bachelor of Hospitality Management - mounted in 2017
- ❖ 2013, Appointed by Commission for Higher Education to Review a Bachelor of Science degree programme for Pioneer University

### **1.5 ADMINISTRATION AND RESPONSIBILITIES**

- i. **March 2009 to October 2018:** Appointed Dean, school of Hospitality and Tourism.
- ii. **June 2006 to March 2009:** Appointed Chairman, Department of Hospitality and Tourism Management
- iii. **September, 2003 to June 2006,** Appointed Coordinator, Board of Postgraduate Studies, department of Family & Consumer studies
- iv. **1999/2000-2002/2003** academic years: Appointed Departmental Examination officer, department of Family & Consumer studies
- v. **February, 2005,** Appointed Programme Coordinator for all academic programmes in the department of Family and Consumer Sciences.
- vi. **2002/2003** academic year, Appointed Coordinator Board of Undergraduate Studies and student advisor.
- vii. **October, 1998-2001,** Appointed Child Care Coordinator Family and Consumer Sciences Lab.
- viii. Renewal of Deanship appointments
- ix. Renewal of Chairmanship appointment
- x. Chairperson of conference organizing committee
- xi. Member of Many University senate committees/Boards:
  - Senate executive committee
  - Graduation committee
  - Linkages Board
  - Graduate school Board

- Disciplinary committees
- xii March 2011-May 2017, Appointed Patron of Kenyatta University SDA church whereby I was instrumental in spear-heading into completion the construction of the Kenyatta University Seventh Day Adventist (KUSDA) Church which currently hosts about three thousand (3000) student population and staff.

### **1.5.2 Other responsibilities in the University**

**2014 to 2017** : Appointed student mentor

**January - March 2008**, Appointed Acting Dean, School of Applied Human Sciences.

**April, 2005**, Appointed Acting Chairman, Department of Textile, Family and Consumer Sciences

**2005-2008**, Appointed committee member of the school of Applied Human sciences school journal

**March, 2004**, Appointed Acting Chairman, Department of Textile, Family and Consumer Sciences

## **1.6 COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT AND OTHER CONTRIBUTIONS**

### **i. Attracting Research and development funding:**

- ❖ 2010, Received Research Grant from ViCRES, Second funding, \$23,000
- ❖ 2011, Received Research Grant from VICRES, Third Funding, \$15,500
- ❖ 2012, Received Research Grant From VICRES, supplementary, \$5,000
- ❖ Ph.D Curriculum development consultancy for Koforidua Technical University, Ghana bringing about 8 million to KU as fee payments
- ❖ Post-graduate diploma and Masters programmes for Federal Polytechnic of Bauchi bringing about 7 million to KU as fees
- ❖ Increased number of students enrollment at the school from all levels (diploma, BSc, Masters and Ph.D since 2010 to date which means lots of revenue to the University

### **ii. Community service and outreach**

#### **Community service**

- ❖ 2014 to Date: Appointed into the Governing Council of Kiriri University of Science And Technology
- ❖ Awarded community service recognition certificate for outstanding performance and leadership by Kenyatta University Seventy Day Adventist church for having served as the Patron of the church and being head of family ministry 2011-2017

- ❖ Awarded by Eco tourism training warrior award of the year (2012) for promoting responsible and sustainable tourism training programme with community development and nature conservancy. Sponsored by 7 African fund for endangered wildlife (AFEW).

### **iii. Professional affiliations and portfolios**

- Member of eco-tourism Kenya (Eco-Kenya)
- Member of Hospitality Hotels in Africa(AHSA)
- Member of Tourism Professional Association
- Member of National council of Family relations

### **iv. Awards/Recognition/Honors**

- ❖ Awarded community service recognition certificate for outstanding performance and leadership by Kenyatta University Seventy Day Adventist church for having served as the Patron of the church and being head of family ministry 2011-2017
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### **v. Any other sub-category**

#### **Being invited as guest speaker**

- ❖ Invited to Kamagambo Adventist College, Kisii as a Guest of Honor to speak during their 86<sup>th</sup> Graduation Ceremony held on May 14<sup>th</sup> 2014
- ❖ Invited to Hotel Summit East Africa as Guest Speaker on July 26<sup>th</sup> 2013 at Kenyatta International conference Nairobi, Kenya
- ❖ Invited to Pioneer School, Kiangueni Girls school, and Sironga Girls school as a Guest speaker

#### **Developing External Programmes**

- ❖ 2011-2012, Initiated and Facilitated the introduction of a postgraduate Diploma (PGDE) in hospitality and Tourism which is a bridging course to Masters degree for international students
- ❖ 2017, Heading a technical committee team that is developing academic programmes for Koforidua technical University, Ghana.

#### **Initiating/leading Research Projects**

- ❖ 2015, Principal investigator(Team Leader) for a research project funded by VICRES On Evaluation and analysis of Pumpkins (Cucurbita maxima, c. moschata, c. pepo and a gourd lageneria) for food security in the Lake Victoria Basin.



- ❖ 2014, The efficacy of park Branding in influencing choice of behavior of local and international tourism in Kenya.
- ❖ 2014, Factors Associated with HIV self disclosure to sexual partners by seropositive adults in support groups in Nairobi, Kenya
- ❖ 2013, Choice of Hotel facilities by guests with disabilities in Nairobi, Kenya
- ❖ 2013, Opportunities and Challenges faced by Youth Groups in management of small and micro-enterprises in Kisumu west, Districts
- ❖ 2013, Selected socio-cultural factors influencing access to reproductive health services information among the youth in Korogocho slum of Nairobi, Kenya
- ❖ 2012, Evaluation of production and Utilization of Pumpkins (*Cucurbita pepo* and *C. maxima*) by Smallholder Farmers for Food Security and poverty Reduction in the Lake Victoria Basin\_A three year project and funded by VICRES
- 2012, Household food insecurity and Community Based intervention strategies among small scale farmers in Tharaka District, Kenya
- ❖ 2011, An Analysis of the Application of the all-inclusive holiday concept at the Kenyan
- ❖ 2011, Evaluation of the pumpkin varieties and determination of their micronutrients in the Lake Victoria Basin.

## REFEREES

Dr. Jane Kieru, Chairman, Department of Population, Reproductive health and community Resource management and extension, Kenyatta University

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