

## **CURRICULUM VITAE**

### **PERSONAL DATA**

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### **EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND**

**1. Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) in Business Administration**

2014 University of Nairobi

**2. Masters in Business Administration (MBA)**

Oct 1991 to 1993

University of Nairobi.

I received University of Nairobi Scholarship.

**3. B.com (Accounting)**

1988-1991

University of Nairobi.

Honours- Second Class (upper division)

**4. Advanced Certificate of Education ("A" Levels)**

1986-1987

Saint Patrick's High School, Iten

Results: 3 Principals and 1 subsidiaries (17 points)

**5. Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education ("O" Levels)**

1982-1985

Koelel High School

Results: Achieved- First Division (13 points).

### **PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND**

**Certified Public Accountant (K)**

I am a member of the ICPAK

**I am well versed in normal computer applications: such as Ms Word, Ms Excel, Ms Access, Power Point, SPSS**

## **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

### **1. Lecturer, Department of finance and accounting, University of Nairobi. From September 1994 to date**

I have lectured in the following courses: Corporate Governance and International Financial Markets to MSc Students, Financial Management, Managerial Accounting, Corporate Finance, Financial Economics and Finance Seminar to MBA Students, Real Estate Finance, Corporate Finance, Investment and Portfolio Management, and Introduction to Finance to BCom Students.

### **2. Coordinator, Mombasa Campus, University of Nairobi, reporting to the Vice Chancellor through Principals offering programmes in Mombasa. From 2004 to February 2012.**

I setup the Campus structures including all the systems, procedures and internal controls. As at February 2012, the Campus had 2600 students. The coordinator's mandate was to oversee all programmes offered at Mombasa Campus by the University. The coordinators duties were: To facilitate the admission of students to all the programmes offered at the Mombasa Campus; To ensure that all students admitted at the Mombasa Campus are registered according to the requirements of University and the documents of registration maintained by the Coordinator; To ensure that revenue is collected efficiently and effectively by coordinating with respective Principals of Colleges and MD, UNES; To coordinate and ensure that appropriate teaching and learning facilities are provided at the Mombasa; To administer the examinations and ensure that they are marked and processed in accordance with the University requirements; To carry out staff performance appraisal and make appropriate reports as expected; To liaise with respective College Principals and other University officers to ensure the efficient teaching and learning at the Mombasa Campus; To implement University policies, regulations and procedures as directed by the Vice-Chancellor and other Senior Officers of the University; To carry out any other duties as delegated by the Senior University Officers.

### **3. Consultant & Director, VAS Consultants Limited, From 2001 to date**

Specialisation: Management Accounting, Financial Management, Investments and Strategic Management.

### **4. Visiting Lecturer, Strathmore University, From September 1993 to March 2004**

I lectured in Management Accounting, Financial Management, Performance Management, Business Finance, Cost Accounting and Auditing.

### **5. Examiner, Kenya Accountant and Secretaries National Examination Board (KASNEB)**

I examine in Management Accounting and Financial Management for CPA, Financial Planning and Policy for CPS, Advanced Portfolio Management, Risk Management, Asset Management and Capital Budgeting for CFA.

6. **Lecturer, Daystar University, July 1993 to September 1994**  
I lectured in Financial Management, Financial Accounting, Cost Accounting, Management Mathematics, Statistics, and Computer Science.
7. **Audit assistant, Price Waterhouse, July to Oct 1991.**
8. **Teacher, Muririchua Secondary School, Nakuru, Jan to September 1988.**

***Publications/Research Undertaken:***

- a. **Cyrus Iraya, Mirie Mwangi & Gilbert W. Muchoki (2015).** The effect of corporate governance practices on earnings management of companies listed at the Nairobi Securities Exchange. *European Scientific Journal*, 11(1), 169-178
- b. **Mirie Mwangi & Cyrus Iraya (2014).** Determinants of financial performance of general insurance underwriters in Kenya. *International Journal of Business and Social Science*, 5(13), 210-215
- c. **Mwangi C.Iraya & Oyenje J.J. (2013).** The Relationship between Corporate Social Responsibility Practices and Financial Performance of Firms in the Manufacturing, Construction and Allied Sector of the Nairobi Securities Exchange, *International Journal of Business, Humanities and Technology*, 3(2), 81 - 90
- d. **Mwangi C.Iraya & Musyoka L. (2013).** Performance of socially screened portfolio at the Nairobi Securities Exchange, *International Journal of Humanities and Social Sciences*, 3(6), 73-83
- e. **Mwangi C.Iraya, Omollo M. & Amenya S (2012).** Capital Structure Adjustment, Speed of Adjustment and Optimal Target Leverage among Firms Quoted on the Nairobi Stock Exchange, *International Journal of Humanities and Social Sciences*, 2(9), 100-114
- f. **Mwangi C.Iraya & Muga D. (2012).** An Investigation into the Existence of Exchange Rate Arbitrage in The Mombasa Spot Market, *International Journal of Humanities and Social Sciences*, 2(21), 182 – 196
- g. **Mwangi C. Iraya (2014).** Socially responsible investments, portfolio management, institutional characteristics and performance of mutual funds in Kenya. *An Unpublished PhD Thesis*, University of Nairobi
- h. **Mwangi C. Iraya (2012).** Socially responsible investments and portfolio performance: A critical literature review, *An Unpublished PhD Independent Study Paper*, University of Nairobi
- i. **Mwangi C. Iraya (1992).** Forecasting demand in health services: the case of the university of Nairobi health clinics. *An Unpublished MBA project.*

***Resource person:***

I was a key resource person in the following:

1. Training the environmental department of Nairobi City Council on Cost Management.
2. Development of Ministerial/Departmental Strategic Plans (2004) for:
  - a. Ministry of Foreign Affairs;
  - b. Ministry of Regional Development Authority;
  - c. Public Service Commission; and
  - d. Kenya National Audit Office.
3. Development of Human Resource Strategy for Parliamentary Service Commission, 2004.

4. Development of Human Resource Strategy for Kiambu Dairy and Pyrethrum Co-op Union, 2004.
5. Development of Strategic Plan for Kiambu Dairy and Pyrethrum Co-op Union, 2004.
6. Involved in the development of strategic plan for TARDA, 2004.
7. Development of strategic plan for Wanandegge Sacco, 2003.
8. Development of Capital Markets Authority(CMA) proficiency examination curriculum for players in the Financial Services sector, 2003.
9. Assessment of the cost of production of Crown Foods Ltd, 2003.
10. Developed the Strathmore University's Distance Learning Course Manuals in Financial Management and Management Accounting for CPA Part 3.
11. A Key resource person in Curriculum Development of BCom. Degree of Strathmore University, 1999 - 2001.
12. Involved in revision of the BCom, and MBA degrees syllabuses of the University of Nairobi.
13. Curriculum development of BCom. Degree of Daystar University, 1993/1994.
14. Development of the parallel degree programme of the University of Nairobi, 1996.
15. Development of accounting system for Mzima Springs Sacco.
16. Facilitator, various seminars in finance and accounting at Strathmore University.
17. A resource person in University of Nairobi Student Welfare Authority's seminar on Financial Management and Budgeting, 1996.
18. A resource person in ESAMI senior management seminar on lease financing.

#### **Referees.**

1. Prof. Enos Njeru  
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