

CURRICULUM VITAE

Name: Dickson M. Nyariki
Date of Birth: 4 December, 1959
Gender: Male
Nationality: Kenyan
Marital Status: Married

Educational Background:

Institution [Date from - Date to]	Degree(s) or Diploma(s) obtained
1. University of Reading, UK (1994-1997)	Ph.D. Agricultural Economics
2. University of Nairobi, Kenya (1987-1990)	M.Sc. Agricultural Economics
3. Ben-Gurion University of the Negev, Israel (1990)	'Dip.' Economic Crops for Arid Lands
4. University of Nairobi, Kenya (1983-1986)	B.Sc. Range Management

Language Skills:

Competence on a scale of 1 to 5 (1 - excellent; 5 - basic)

Language	Reading	Speaking	Writing
1. Gusii	Mother tongue		
2. English	1	1	1
3. Kiswahili	1	1	2
4. French	5	5	5

Other Skills:

Fully computer literate

Summary Strengths:

Associate Professor specialised in Agricultural Economics with a bias towards resource productivity and use efficiency, economics of livestock, food security and agricultural and natural resource policy. Carried out tens of consultancies and published widely on

various aspects of agricultural economics and related areas, including food security and policy. Coordinated and worked on regional projects involving IGAD, FAO, COMESA and EAC countries on food security/policy, livestock production and water harvesting. Carried out research and taught (for more than 20 years) several courses at BSc, MSc and PhD levels at the University of Nairobi and South Eastern University College/South Eastern Kenya University including: Agricultural Policy; Natural Resource Policy; Livestock Economics; Resource Economics; and Project Appraisal, Planning, Management and Implementation. Supervised postgraduate research at M.Sc. and Ph.D. levels. Working at the South Eastern Kenya University as Ag. Deputy Vice-Chancellor since March 2013 in charge of Administration and Human Resource Management. Previously worked at the South Eastern University College as Deputy Principal in charge of Administration (and Finance) for over 3 years, and in Kenya's civil service.

Current Employment (Short-term/Contract):

Ag. Deputy Vice-Chancellor (Administration and Human Resource Management), South Eastern Kenya University.

Current Employment (Long-term/Permanent):

Associate Professor: Department of LARMAT, University of Nairobi.

Areas of Focus/Interest:

Farm/natural resource productivity; Food Security; Livestock Production Economics; Agricultural/Livestock Marketing; Conservation Economics; Agricultural and Natural Resource Policy

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Award:

Distinguished Service Certificate Award by the Organisation for Social Science Research in Eastern and Southern Africa (OSSREA) for chairing the National Steering Committee of the Dryland Husbandry Project (DHP)—a regional project involving IGAD countries. Awarded in the year 2003 in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia.

Professional Associations:

- Member of the British Agricultural Economics Society (AES)
- Member of the Animal Production Society of Kenya (APSK)
- Member of the East African Wildlife Society (EAWLS)
- Member of the Eastern Africa Range Management Society (EARMS)

Appointments:

- Ag. Deputy Vice-Chancellor (Administration and Human Resource Management), South Eastern Kenya University, 1st March 2013
- Deputy Principal (Administration and Finance): South Eastern University College (Constituent College of the University of Nairobi), 27th January 2010—1st March 2013
- Sub-Regional Coordinator, FAO Initiative on Soaring Food Prices (ISFP), 6th April 2009—6th January 2010
- Regional Coordinator, IGAD Water Harvesting Pilot Project for Crop and Livestock Production to Enhance Food Security, Feb. 2005—Dec. 2006
- Associate Professor, Department of Land Resource Management and Agricultural Technology, University of Nairobi, July 2004
- Chairman, Department of Range Management, University of Nairobi, March 1999—May 2005
- Senior Lecturer, Department of Range Management, University of Nairobi, Oct. 1999—July 2004
- Lecturer, Department of Range Management, University of Nairobi, Aug. 1991—Oct. 1999
- Graduate Assistant, Department of Range Management, University of Nairobi, July 1989—Aug. 1991
- Civil servant—District Range Planning Officer—Isiolo District, Kenya, July 1986—Oct. 1987

Relevant Experience:

1. Serving as Deputy Vice-Chancellor, Administration and Human Resource Management, at South Eastern Kenya University since 1st March 2013
2. Served as Deputy Principal, Administration (and Finance), at South Eastern University College (a Constituent College of the University of Nairobi); 27th January 2010—1st March 2013
3. Served as Sub-Regional Coordinator, FAO Initiative on Soaring Food Prices (ISFP), aimed at addressing the problem of soaring food prices by improving the availability of farm inputs to enhance food security through increased grain production, involving six countries—Kenya, Ethiopia, Sudan, Djibouti, Burundi, and Rwanda; 6th April 2009—6th January 2010
4. Teaching at the Department of Range Management (Current Department of Land Resource Management and Agricultural Technology), University of Nairobi, rising from Graduate Assistant in 1989 to Associate Professor in 2004
5. Served as a Regional Coordinator, Water Harvesting Pilot Project in the IGAD Region, to improve water availability for enhancing food security through increased livestock and crop production, involving four countries—Kenya, Uganda, Ethiopia, and Sudan, 2005
6. Served as Chairman of the Department of Range Management, University of Nairobi, 2000-2005. As Chairman, I spearheaded the negotiation for and implementation of the following research projects:
 - a. The Regional Climate Prediction and Application for the Greater Horn of Africa Project (USAID-funded)
 - b. Livestock Production Systems in the Greater Kibwezi (Sida-funded)
 - c. Tenure Systems and Food Security in Pastoral Areas (Sida-funded)
 - d. ROSELT—dealing with dryland development including water development in collaboration with the Ministry of Water Development (Germany (GTZ)-funded)
 - e. POPS—dealing with many aspects of desert combat and poverty alleviation through livelihood improvement (EU-funded)
 - f. Execution of the Pastoral Information Network Programme (PINEP). PINEP was involved in training range management specialists for IGAD countries—Kenya, Uganda, Ethiopia, Sudan, Eritrea and Djibouti, and Tanzania—at both M.Sc. and Ph.D. levels. It has also been involved in disseminating pastoral information through publications of research outcomes (Sida-funded)
 - g. Execution of the Dryland Husbandry Project (DHP) which was coordinated by the Organisation for Social Science Research in Eastern and Southern Africa (OSSREA) whose headquarters is Addis Ababa, Ethiopia. The project involved Kenya, Uganda, Ethiopia

and Sudan. It had an action-research orientation at the community level (Sida-funded)

7. Served as Chairman of the Thematic Working Group (TWG) for Food Security of the Agricultural Sector Coordination Unit (ASCU), Government of Kenya
8. Served as a member of the research team (research taskforce consisting of members from KARI, NEMA, NMK, KEFRI, and University of Nairobi) in the Desert Margins Project, a GEF-funded project involving countries in East Africa, Southern Africa, and West Africa. The project overall objective is to look into ways that will stop the advance of deserts, 2003 to 2008
9. Serving as a member of the Scientific and Technical Committee (now Conservation Committee) of the East African Wildlife Society (EAWLS), involved in research related to wildlife and other natural resource conservation, 1997 to date
10. Served as Patron for Nairobi University Range Management Students' Society from 1988-2005
11. Involved in the preparation of a model ranch proposal and subsequent development of the ranch for Kibwezi Field Station, 1991/92 and 2002-2003
12. Edited DHP Publications Series at national level, 2000-2004
13. Serving as External Examiner for Egerton University at B.Sc. and M.Sc. levels, 1999 to date
14. Referee for several journals including the *East African Agricultural and Forestry Journal*, *Discovery and Innovation* and *Journal of Developing Areas*
15. Serving in the Editorial Board of *Tribes and Tribals*, an international journal
16. Participated in the Capacity Building in the Regional Climate Prediction and Application for the Greater Horn of Africa Project, a departmental project, in organising field research in Machakos, Kenya, 200-2002
17. Edited PINEP's tri-annual Working Paper Series - *The African Pastoral Forum* - and other project publications, 1998-2001
18. Headed a team in the Germany and Israel Agricultural Research Agreement (GIARA) Project, involving household surveys, participatory rural appraisal (PRA), analysis of data and report writing in a semi-arid area—Kibwezi, 1991-1993
19. Involved in the preparation of a proposal and subsequent development of the Kibwezi Irrigation Project (in the current IDRDU), 1991/92
20. Working in civil service as District Range Planning Officer, Isiolo District, 1986-1987. Duties were to plan for grazing and development/provision of water, conservation of the rangelands, and also to oversee proper participation of a team of Range Officers in the district, among other things

21. Teaching at Kenyoro and Kioge High Schools, Kisii District, 1982-1983

Research Activities, Consultancy and Funding:

1. Impact Evaluation of the Food Security and Ecosystems Management for Sustainable Livelihoods in Arid and Semi-Arid Lands of Kenya (FOSEMS) Project. Funded by Africa Harvest Biotechnology Foundation Internal (AHBFI), November 2012.
2. The Development of a national synthesis of the National Monitoring Devise in Kenya. Funded by the Sahel-Sahara Observatory (OSS), October 2012.
3. The Development of a study on the integration of the National Monitoring Devise (DNSE) results in the implementation of Multi-lateral Environmental Agreements (MEAs) in Kenya. Funded by the Sahel-Sahara Observatory (OSS), October 2012.
4. Study on dryland research and training networking in the IGAD countries. Sponsored by IGAD and GOPA with funding from EC, August 2011.
5. Coordination and participation in a study on climate change monitoring of the Kiboko-Kibwezi Observatory. Funded by the Sahel-Sahara Observatory (OSS), 2010-Present.
6. Study on the contribution of copyright and related rights-based industries to the national economy of Tanzania (Serving as a Lead Consultant alongside the Tanzanian National Consultants). Funded by World Intellectual Property Organisation (WIPO), July 2010.
7. Study on the contribution of copyright and related rights-based industries to the national economy of Malawi (Serving as an International Consultant to support National Consultants). Funded by World Intellectual Property Organisation (WIPO), April 2010.
8. Coordination of FAO Initiative on Soaring Food Prices (ISFP) involving six countries—Kenya, Ethiopia, Sudan, Djibouti, Burundi, and Rwanda—to assess the impact of country projects aimed at addressing the problem of soaring food prices by improving the availability of farm inputs to enhance food security through increased grain production; and drafting a report including policies to be adopted to address the problem; Funded by FAO, 6th April 2009—6th January 2010.
9. A study of Kenya's local food markets with respect to rising prices and drafting a situation analysis of smallholder production and marketing report, and preparing a proposal and an implementation plan for the Purchase for Progress (P4P) Program. Funded by WFP, July 2008.
10. Agriculture stock-taking (livestock component) of Kenya's initiatives to achieve Millennium Development Goals (MDGs). Funded by Common Market for Eastern and Southern Africa (COMESA) through CAADP, April 2008.
11. Coordination and participation in a study on climate change monitoring of the Kiboko-Kibwezi Observatory. Funded by the Sahel-Sahara Observatory (OSS), 2008-2009.

12. Drafting and editing several chapters/sections of the final Kenya's National Food Security and Nutrition Strategy (NFSNS). Funded by FAO, March 2008.
13. A study of the contribution of creative industries to Kenya's gross domestic product (GDP) . Funded by World Intellectual Property Organisation (WIPO), 2007-2008.
14. Facilitating a consultative workshop and editing workshop report for the Sahara Sahel Observatory (OSS) at KARI Headquarters, Nairobi. Funded by OSS, December 2007.
15. Drafting an Implementation Plan for the African Union Commission (AUC) on the Sahel-Sahara Green Wall Initiative, Facilitated by AUC in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, September 2007.
16. Drafting a Position Paper for the Government of Kenya on the Horn Africa Initiative (HOAI) on Tackling Food Insecurity, and Facilitating the Government during a UN Meeting at Gigiri, Nairobi to discuss the Initiative. Funded by FAO, June 2007.
17. Facilitating a consultative workshop and a symposium for the preparation of Kenya's National Food Security and Nutrition Strategy (NFSNS) and drafting of the strategy. Funded by FAO, April 2007.
18. Participating in/facilitating the writing of Kenya's new National Food and Nutrition Policy (NFNP), and editing and preparing an executive summary of the Policy (NFNP). Funded by FAO, January 2007.
19. Water Harvesting Pilot Project in the IGAD Region. Funded by the African Development Bank (ADB) through the Intergovernmental Authority on Development (IGAD), 2005-2006.
20. Socio-economic baseline study for the Lembus Forest Project. Funded by European Union (EU) through The World Conservation Union (IUCN), October 2006.
21. Investigation of indigenous knowledge—Lembus Forests Integrated Conservation and Development Project. Funded by European Union (EU) through The World Conservation Union (IUCN), October 2006.
22. Drafting Kenya's National Food and Nutrition Policy (NFNP), which involves organizing meetings, workshops/retreats, literature review and preparing briefs for the Permanent Secretary of the Ministry of Agriculture, July 2006.
23. A comparative study of commercial consumptive and non-consumptive utilization options for wildlife conservation strategies in Kenya. The information gathered was used in the policy debates to enrich the review of Kenya's wildlife and tourism policy. Funded by the International Fund for Animal Welfare (IFAW), July 2006.
24. Comprehensive and integrated elaboration of CETRAD's four thrusts—strategies for sustainable development; land use planning for sustained livelihoods and optimal resource use; promotion of sustainable resource use and management for improved productivity; and non-farm economic development, infrastructure and services—to facilitate the formulation

- of a detailed research activity schedule for CETRAD (established through a bilateral agreement between the governments of Kenya and Switzerland). Funded by CETRAD, 2004.
25. Study on “preparation of emergency livestock off-take handbook for ASALs (in Kenya)”. Funded by World Bank through the Arid Lands Resource Management (ALRMP), Office of the President, 2004-2005.
 26. Study on “ASAL natural resource management, information and awareness (in Kenya)”. Funded by World Bank through the Arid Lands Resource Management (ALRMP), Office of the President, 2004-2005.
 27. Analysis of the economics of pastoralism in East Africa. Funded by the Resource Conflict Institute and International Institute for Environment and Development (RECONCILE/IIED), 2004-2005.
 28. Study on “indigenous range resource assessment and monitoring techniques in Kenya, Tanzania and Uganda”. Funded by RELMA/Sida, 2002-2003.
 29. Management study and proposal for the former Eastern Statelands of Mwingi and Kitui—water development, livestock and crop production, and range and wildlife management. Funded by the Belgian Technical Co-operation (BTC), 2001.
 30. Analysis of the “dairy sector liberalisation in Kenya: Its effects on food security, utilisation of the sector’s capital stock and milk value chain/marketing structure”. Funded by USAID through TechnoServe (TNS), 2001.
 31. Evaluation of the Wildlife Cropping Project in Kenya; Economic analysis of wildlife-related benefits and costs. Funded by USAID through KWS, 2001.
 32. Mara ecosystem natural resource management planning: Livestock and cultivation land-use potential/production study. Funded by the African Conservation Centre (ACC), 1999/2000.
 33. Desert Margins Project (capacity building), in collaboration with KARI, NEMA, NMK, KEFRI, etc. Funded by GEF, 2003.
 34. Pastoral Information Network Program (PINEP) (editor of a tri-annual Working Paper Series—*The African Pastoral Forum*. Funded by Sida-SAREC (IGAD), 1998-2000.
 35. Dryland Husbandry Project (DHP) (socio-economic research in dryland husbandry). Funded by Sida-SAREC, 1999-2004.
 36. Case study of household resource allocation in Makueni District, Kenya. Funded by the Germany and Israel Agricultural Research Agreement (GIARA), 1991-1993.

M.Sc. and Ph.D. Research Supervision:

Ph.D. Research Supervision:

1. Yazan A.M. Elhad (2011). PhD research titled: Value Chain in Camel Production in Northern Kenya. Department of Land Resource Management and Agricultural Technology, University of Nairobi.
2. Obudho, E.O (2009). PhD research titled, 'Modelling climate related index-based risk transfer products to enhance pastoralists' resilience in the drylands.' Department of Land Resource Management and Agricultural Technology, University of Nairobi.
3. Kakota, T.V.M. (2009). PhD research titled, 'The impact of climate variability and extreme weather events on gender: Investigating gender in adaptation and mitigation strategies.' Department of Land Resource Management and Agricultural Technology, University of Nairobi.
4. Amwata, D.A. (2008). Ph.D. research titled, 'Climate variability, land-use and livelihoods in Kenya's southern rangelands.' Department of Land Resource Management and Agricultural Technology, University of Nairobi.
5. Odweso, F.A. (2004). Ph.D. research entitled, 'Effects of herbivory and human activities on the status of some increasingly threatened forage species within the southern rangelands of Kenya.' Department of Range Management, University of Nairobi.
6. Wasonga, V.O. (2003). Ph.D. research entitled, 'Linkages between land-use, land degradation and poverty in the semi-arid rangelands of Kenya: the case of Baringo District.' Department of Range Management, University of Nairobi.
7. Lewa, A.K. (2003). Ph.D. research entitled, 'An evaluation of the efficiency of primary animal healthcare service delivery systems in pastoral lands of Kenya.' Department of Clinical Studies, University of Nairobi.
8. Nyangito, M.M. (2002). Ph.D. research entitled, 'Grazing patterns, energy flow and livestock productivity in agropastoral systems in Makueni District, Kenya.' Department of Range Management, University of Nairobi.

M.Sc. Research Supervision:

9. Mbole, A.M. (2012). M.Sc. research titled: "The impact of market intelligence systems on sales revenue among French bean producers: Case study of Oldonyo Sabuku, Kenya.' Department of Dryland Agriculture, South Eastern University College (SEUCO).
10. Yazan A.M. Elhad (2009). M.Sc. research titled: 'Links between seasonal climatic variability and poverty: A case study of pastoral and agropastoral communities in Baringo District, Kenya.' Department of Land

Resource Management and Agricultural Technology, University of Nairobi.

11. Muriuki, J. (2009). M.Sc. research titled: 'The productivity of and factors influencing the adoption of beekeeping technologies: The case of Kibwezi District, Kenya.' Department of Land Resource Management and Agricultural Technology, University of Nairobi.
12. Ogillo, B.P. (2009). M.Sc. research titled: 'Evaluating the viability and competitive interactions of grass seeds for improved range reseeding and productivity in the southern rangelands of Kenya.' Department of Land Resource Management and Agricultural Technology, University of Nairobi.
13. Mogotsi, K. (2009). M.Sc. research entitled, 'Vulnerability to drought, adaptation and coping strategies among agro-pastoral communities in Botswana.' Department of Land Resource Management and Agricultural Technology, University of Nairobi.
14. Mwanthi, I.K. (2009). M.Sc. research entitled, 'The Impact of Rangeland Resource Management Technology Adoption on Factor Productivity and Poverty Alleviation in South-East Kenya.' Department of Land Resource Management and Agricultural Technology, University of Nairobi.
15. Kirwa, E.C. (2009). M.Sc. research entitled, 'Impact of Land-use Change on the Ecology and Adaptive Strategies of Smallholder Agro-Pastoralists in Machakos Districts, Kenya.' Department of Land Resource Management and Agricultural Technology, University of Nairobi.
16. Mganga, K.Z. (2009). M.Sc. research entitled, 'The Effect of Reseeding on the Recovery of Degraded Areas in the Southern Rangelands of Kenya.' Department of Land Resource Management and Agricultural Technology, University of Nairobi.
17. Ouma, D. (2006). M.Sc. research entitled, 'Socio-economic and ecological factors influencing livelihoods and natural resource use in Turkana District, Kenya.' Department of Land Resource Management and Agricultural Technology, University of Nairobi.
18. Maingi, T. (2004). M.Sc. research entitled, 'Household food security on the fringes of Marsabit Forest, Northern Kenya.' Department of Range Management.
19. Mohamed, J. (2004). M.Sc. research entitled, 'Cattle marketing in Kajiado District, Kenya.' Department of Plant Science and Crop Protection, University of Nairobi.
20. Kipkoech, B. K. (2003). M.Sc. research entitled, 'Effects of housing, helminth control and supplementary feeding on performance of weaner kids in the South-eastern rangelands of Kenya.' Department of Range Management, University of Nairobi.
21. Omondi, F.E.O. (2001/2002). M.Sc. research entitled, 'Rangeland Rehabilitation: Ecological and socio-economic effects of land preparation methods on *Cenhrus ciliaris* (L), *Eragrostis superba* (Pyer) and *Enteropogon macrostachyus* (Hochst and A Rich) Munro Ex Benth in Kitui

- District, Kenya.' Department of Range Management, University of Nairobi.
22. Amwata, D.A. (2001/2002). M.Sc. research entitled, 'Effects of land tenure system on land use and food security in Kajiado District.' Department of Range Management.
 23. Muriuki, G.W. (1999/00). M.Sc. research entitled, 'Tsetse control, land-cover and land-use change in Lambwe valley, south-western Kenya.' Department of Range Management, University of Nairobi.
 24. Ndirima, Z.K. (1999/00). M.Sc. research entitled, 'Eco-tourism and its effects on the livelihoods of host community and natural resource management: A case study of Amboseli, Kenya.' Department of Range Management, University of Nairobi.
 25. Orre, S. (1999/00). M.Sc. research entitled, 'Marketing of sheep and goats and its role in household food security among the pastoral communities in Marsabit District, Kenya.' Department of Range Management, University of Nairobi.
 26. Mugarura, S. (1997/98). M.Sc. research entitled, 'Pastoral livestock marketing: Structure, performance and constraints among the Bahima of Luwero, Uganda.' Department of Range Management, University of Nairobi.

Selected Research Papers in Refereed Journals:

Agricultural/Livestock/Natural Resource Economics:

1. Nyariki, D.M., Mwanthi, I.K., Musimba, N.K.R., & Mwang'ombe, A.W. (2013). Productivity and scale gains of adopting natural resource management technologies by smallholder farmers in dryland Kenya. *African Journal of Agricultural Research* (Accepted for Publication).
2. Mogotsi, K., Nyangito, M.M. & Nyariki, D.M. (2013). The role of drought among agro-pastoral communities in semi-arid environment: The case of Botswana. *Journal of Arid Environments*, 91, 38-44.
3. Kirwa, E.C., Nyangito, M.M. Nyariki, D.M. & Kimiti, R.K. (2012). Effect of land use on the adaptive strategies for smallholder agro-pastoralists in Kenya. *Livestock Research for Rural Development*, 24(8). <http://www.lrrd.org>.
4. Mogotsi, K., Nyangito, M.M. & Nyariki, D.M. (2012). Vulnerability of rural agro-pastoral households to drought in semi-arid Botswana. *Livestock Research for Rural Development*, 24(10). <http://www.lrrd.org>.
5. Elhadi, Y.A.M., Nyariki, D., Wasonga, V.O., & Ekaya, W.N. (2012). Factors influencing transient poverty among agro-pastoral household in semi-arid areas of Kenya. *African Crop Science Journal* 20, 113-122.
6. Elhadi, Y.A.M., Nyariki, D., Wasonga, V.O., & Ekaya, W.N. (2012). Transient poverty among pastoral household in the semi-arid lowlands of Baringo District, Kenya. *Ocean Journal of Social Sciences* 5(1), 9-19.

7. Tasokwa, K., Nyariki, D., Mkwambisi, D. & Kogi-Makau, W. (2011). Gender vulnerability to climate variability and household food insecurity. *Climate and Development*, DOI:10.1080/17565529.2011.627419.
8. Nyariki, D.M. (2011). Farm size, modern technology adoption, and efficiency of small holdings in developing countries. Evidence from Kenya. *The Journal of Developing Areas*, 45, 35-52.
9. Mogotsi, K., Nyangito M.M. & Nyariki, D.M. (2011). Drought management strategies among agro-pastoral communities in non-equilibrium Kalahari ecosystem. *Environmental Research Journal*, 5(4), 156-162.
10. Mogotsi, K., Nyangito M.M. & Nyariki, D.M. (2011). The perfect drought? Constraints limiting Kalahari agro-pastoral communities from coping and adapting. *African Journal of Environmental Science and Technology*, 5(3), 168-177.
11. Wasonga, V.O., Nyariki, D.M. & Ngugi, R.K. (2011). Assessing socio-ecological change dynamics using local knowledge in the semi-arid lowlands of Baringo, Kenya. *Environmental Research Journal*, 5(1), 11-17.
12. Ogillo, B.P., Nyangito M.M., Nyariki, D.M. & Kubasu, D.O. (2010). Influence of micro-catchment technology on above ground biomass production and financial returns of range grasses in southern Kenya. *East African Agricultural and Forestry Journal*, 77(1), 39-44.
13. Nyariki, D.M. (2009). Impacts of policy reforms on the livestock industry in Kenya: The case of the dairy sector. *Livestock Research for Rural Development*, 21(10), Article #165. <http://www.lrrd.org>.
14. Nyariki, D.M., Wasonga, V.O. & Mworja, J.K. (2009). Ecological, socio-economic and livelihood differentiation of Kenya's Lembus forest proximate communities: The case of the Tugen and Lembus. *Anthropologist (Special Vol. No. 5)*: 147-156.
15. Nyariki, D.M., Mwang'ombe, A.W. & Thompson, D.M. (2009). Land-use change and livestock production challenges in an integrated system: The Masai-Mara ecosystem, Kenya. *Journal of Human Ecology*, 26(3): 163-173.
16. Nyariki, D.M. (2009). Household data collection for socio-economic research in agriculture: Approaches and challenges in developing countries. *Journal of Social Sciences*, 19(2): 91-99.
17. Nyariki, D.M. (2008). Price response of herd off-take under market liberalization in a developing cattle sector: Panel analysis applied to Kenya's ranching. *Environment and Development Economics*, 14(2): 263-280.
18. Ngugi, K.R. & D.M. Nyariki (2005). Rural livelihoods in the arid and semi-arid environments of Kenya: Sustainable alternatives and challenges. *Agriculture and Human Values*, 22, 65-71.

19. Muriuki, G.W., Njoka, T.J., Reid, R.S. & Nyariki, D.M. (2005). Tsetse control and land-use change in Lambwe Valley, south-western Kenya. *Agriculture, Ecosystems & Environment*, 106 (1), 99-107.
20. Farah, K.O., Nyariki, D.M., Ngugi, R.K., Noor, I.M. & Guliye, A.Y. (2004). The Somali and the camel: Ecology, management and economics. *Anthropologist*, 6(1), 45-55.
21. Nyariki, D.M. & Van den Abeele, J. (2004). Common range, different tribes: Explaining resource use conflicts and productivity among the Akamba, Orma and Somali in the former Eastern State lands of Kenya. *Studies of Tribes and Tribals*, 2(1), 55-63.
22. Farah, K.O., Nyariki, D.M., Noor, A.A., Ngugi, R.K. & Musimba, N.K. (2003). The socio-economic and ecological impacts of small-scale irrigation schemes on pastoralists and drylands in northern Kenya. *Journal of Social Sciences*, 7(4), 267-274.
23. Ndirima, Z.K., Nyariki, D.M. & Njoka, T.J. (2003). Tenure, livelihood and sustainable development: Rangelands as systems for multiple land use and livelihood support. *African Journal of Range and Forage Science*, 20(2), 2002-2009(8).
24. Musimba, N.K.R. & Nyariki, D.M. (2003). Development of and policy on the range and pastoral industry: with special reference to Kenya. *Anthropologist*, 5(4), 261-267.
25. Njoka, T.J., Muriuki, G.W., Reid, R.S. & Nyariki, D.M. (2003). The use of sociological methods to assess land-use change: A case study of Lambwe Valley, Kenya. *Journal of Social Sciences*, 7(3), 181-185.
26. Nyariki, D.M. & Ngugi, R.K. (2002). A review of African pastoral production systems: Approaches to their understanding and development. *Journal of Human Ecology*, 13(6), 237-250.
27. Nyariki, D.M., Wiggins, S.L. & Imungi, J.K. (2002). Levels and causes of household food and nutrition insecurity in dryland Kenya. *Ecology of Food and Nutrition*, 41(2), 155-176.
28. Nyariki, D.M. (2001). Writing as a tool for social science research and for marketing knowledge. *Journal of Social Sciences*, 5(4), 267-272.
29. Musimba, N.K.R., Nyariki, D.M. & Mutungi, E.M. (2001). The socio-economics, culture and ecology of bee keeping among the Akamba community of southern Kenya. *Journal of Human Ecology*, 12(4), 207-216.
30. Alemu, D.T., Nyariki, D.M. & Farah, K.O. (2000). Changing land-use systems and socio-economic roles of vegetation in semi-arid Africa: The case of the Afar and Tigray of Ethiopia. *Journal of Social Sciences*, 4(2-3), 199-206.
31. Nyariki, D.M. & Thirtle, C. (2000). Technical innovation and farm productivity growth in dryland Africa: The effects of structural adjustment on smallholders in Kenya. *Agrekon*, 39(4), 597-606.

32. Nyariki, D.M. & Wiggins, S. (1999). Livestock as capital and a tool for *ex-ante* and *ex-post* management of food insecurity in semi-traditional agropastoral societies: An example from southeast Kenya. *Journal of Social Sciences*, 3(3), 117-126.
33. Alemu, D.T., Farah, K.O. & Nyariki, D.M. (1999). Influence of settlements on land-use and vegetation in the rangelands of north-eastern Ethiopia: Application of aerial photographic technique. *Journal of Human Ecology*, 10(5-6), 349-356.
34. Nyariki, D.M. & Wiggins, S. (1997). Household food insecurity in sub-Saharan Africa: Lessons from Kenya. *British Food Journal*, 99(7), 249-262.
35. Nyariki, D.M. & Munei, K. (1993). Economic factors affecting the level of beef production from ranching: An example of Kenya's cattle sector. *East African Agricultural and Forestry Journal*, 59(2), 163-170.

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