

CURRICULUM VITAE

PROF. EPHRAIM W. WAHOME (Ph.D.)

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| NATIONALITY | KENYA |
| MARITAL STATUS: | MARRIED |
| AMINISTRATIVE POSITION: | DEAN (FACULTY OF ARTS) |
| ACADEMIC POSITION: | ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR, |
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| HOBBIES: | Traveling, game viewing, swimming, |
| ACADEMIC RECORD: | |
| | B.A. (UNIVERSITY OF NAIROBI, KENYA) - 1985 |
| | M.A. (UNIVERSITY OF CALGARY, CANADA) - 1989 |
| | Ph.D. (AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL UNIVERSITY, AUSTRALIA) – 1999 |

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

1984-1985:

- Research on the oral traditions of the peoples of Central Kenya- sponsored by the
- British Institute in Eastern Africa and supervised by Dr. Robert Soper (currently Lecturer, University of Harare, Zimbabwe).
- Assistant in Excavations in the Central Kenya, Mweiga, under Prof. Simiyu
- Wandibba (Institute of African Studies, University of Nairobi).

1985-1986:

- Assistant in the exploration of the Iron Age prehistory and oral history of the Kenya Coast sponsored by the Institute of African Studies and directed by Dr. Charles Cable (a former member of the Department of History, University of Nairobi).
- Assistant in the exploration and excavation of Neolithic sites in the Rift Valley of Kenya – sponsored by Swedish Government under Prof. Siireanen.
- Exploration of Iron Age sites and Bantu history in Kenya with Dr. Robert Soper.
- Research on Early Stone Age sites in Isinya, Kenya, under Dr. Ellen Roach (currently attached to The National Museums of Kenya).
- Participation in the Koobi Fora Field School of Early Man Research organised by Harry Merrick of Harvard University.

August 1986 – August 1987:

- Research Assistant on the Mandara Archaeological Project, North Cameroon. under Prof. Nicholas David.

1995-1997:

- Research on Lukenya Hills: Late Neolithic and Iron Age materials.

2004-2005:

- Survey of cultural materials loss and conservation in Eastern Africa with emphasis on pastoral communities.
- Condition assessment of National Museums of Kenya ethnographic heritage materials
- Investigation of the contribution of tourism in heritage loss

2005-2006

- Sustainable cultural tourism and heritage conservation research

2007-2008

- A Survey on conservation of heritage of nationalism: A case of Mau Mau Trenches

2009-2010

- Study of cultural sites around Mt. Kenya to establish their tourism potential
- Culture and Human Rights research

2011-2012

- Research on the conservation of Nairobi architectural heritage
- Evolution of destination Image in the colonial Period

2012-2014

- Chair: Human Rights and Heritage Conservation Multidisciplinary Research Group involving conservation- Membership, UON, JKAT, TUM, TUK
- Professional Attitudes towards Built Environment as a form of Heritage
- Documentation of Mau Mau records (Joint Research)

2015-2018 Ongoing

- Impact of development on heritage along the East African coast
- Labour and Leisure in the colonial heritage
- Participating in the Developing a paper on labour and leisure in between UON and Humboldt Univ.
- Conservation of Mau Mau trenches –joint with Karatina University
- Old Town Mombasa – perception of heritage by residents

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- **August 1987- August 1988:**
Teaching Assistant under Prof. Scott Raymond, Department of Archaeology, University of Calgary, Canada.
- **August 1988 – May 1989:**
Teaching Assistant under Prof. Bernie Reeves, Department of Archaeology, University of Calgary, Canada.
- **May 1989**
Tutorial Fellow in the Department of History, University of Nairobi
- **September 1995**
Promoted to the post of **Lecturer**, University of Nairobi
- **September 2007**
Promoted to **Senior Lecturer**
- **29th July 2011 to Feb. 2015**
Chairman, of the Department of History and Archaeology
- **October, 2015**
Promoted to **Associate Professor**
- **February 2015-Feb 2021**
- **October, 2015**
Promoted to **Associate Professor**
- **Appointment as External Examiner 2016-2018**
- **February 2015-Feb 2019** Appointed **Associate Dean, Faculty of Arts**
- **February 2019 –Appointed Dean, Faculty of Arts**

COURSE UNITS TAUGHT

Diploma in Cultural Tourism -University of Nairobi (UON)

- CRT 064: Research Design & Proposal Writing
- CRT 018: Environmental change through time

Undergraduate Degree Programme (UON)

- CAP 404: Methods of Armed conflict and peace research
- CTO 410: Museums and Tourism
- CAC 402: National Antiquities and the Law
- CTO 301: Research Methods in Tourism
- CAC 302: Archaeological Research Design
- CTO 216: Tourism and African Cultural Heritage

CTO 226 History of the peoples of Eastern Africa
CAC 203: Environmental Change through time
CAC 204: Cultural Resource Management
CAC 210: Origins of Modern Humans and Culture
CAC 215: Oceania and Australia
CAC 209: Urban Origins and development
CAC 207: African cultural heritage
CHS 219: Ancient African Civilizations
CHS 103: Technological change through time (Joint)
CHS 104: Topics in World Civilizations
CTO 103: Tourist attractions and facilities (Joint)
CTM 105: Cultural Heritage Tourism

Post Graduate Diploma In Cultural Conservation (PMDA, Mombasa)

-Principles of Conservation (Teaching)
-Supervision of Project Papers

Masters Students in Archaeology and Conflict and Peace Studies (UON)

-Research Methods
- Project Supervision
-Heritage conservation units
- Ceramic Assemblage Analysis
- Urban Origins

PhD – Project Supervision

SUPERVISION OF POSTGRADUATE STUDENTS

MA SUPERVISION TO COMPLETION

- **Waweru, Veronica** (1994), Activity areas at GVJM 47, Lukenya Hill: A site structure and assemblage composition analysis. MA Dissertation. University of Nairobi
- **Kimaru, Caesar** (1996), Il Lokeridede: A pastoral Neolithic Mortuary site East of lake Turkana, Kenya. MA Dissertation. University of Nairobi.
- **Mulu, Muyia** (1998), The Lukenya Industry: A definition. MA Dissertation. University of Nairobi
- **Odede, Z.F.** (1998), An investigation of stone structures and earthworks in Bondo Division, Lake Victoria. MA Dissertation. University of Nairobi.
- **Nyanchoga, B.** (2001), The problem of archaeological site protection and management in the Lake Nakuru Basin. MA Dissertation. University of Nairobi.
- **Namunaba, Busolo** (20002), The impact of Development Projection on Archaeological Heritage: A case study of selected coastal sites and monuments in Kenya. MA Dissertation. University of Nairobi.
- **Amollo, M.O.** (2001), Understanding the M.S.A. adaptive strategies in East Africa: An experimental approach.
- **Ndiema, K. Emanuel** (2002), Human Adaptive Strategies in Eastern Lake Turkana During the Holocene Period: A micro-wear analysis. MA Dissertation. University of Nairobi

- **Digna FausinTillya** (2003), The role of environmental conditions in the deterioration of immovable objects on the coast of Tanga (PMDA). PGD Dissertation. University of Nairobi
- **Chowe, Gideon L.A.** (2003), Deterioration levels of excavated metal objects: A case study of the Fort Jesus Museum (PMDA). PGD Dissertation. University of Nairobi
- **Bitu, Caesar** (2003), Archaeology storage organization and management (PMDA). PGD Dissertation. University of Nairobi
- **Binga, L.**, (2009) Ceramic production and use on the colonial Swahili Coast. MA Dissertation. University of Nairobi.
- **Makunyi, Esther** (2010) Survey of Methods used by Kenya Tourist Board in Marketing Adventure Tourism in the Mount Kenya Region
- **Stephen Guyo Gumi** (2014) Impact of human rights practices in male prisons in Kenya: A case of Kiambu County.
- **Joan Umanzi** (2014). A study of morphological variability in Acheulian bifaces: The case of Kariandusi and Lewa Downs archaeological sites in Kenya.
- **Sitati Namasa** (2016). Early sexual exposure and the rights of children in Kibera slums, Nairobi County
- **Roland Rong'wenyi Ebole** (2017) An analysis of universal periodic review mechanism on human rights: A study of Ethiopia and Kenya

PH.D. SUPERVISED TO COMPLETION

- **Ibrahim Busolo** (Completed 2019) (Archaeological Study of Early Settlements at Siyu Old Town of North Coast of Kenya Up to the 15th Century AD” -(Joint Supervision with Prof. S. Wandibba))
- **Nyanchoga, Ben** (Completed in 2012), Ph.D. Prehistoric settlement behaviour: A study of pastoral Neolithic Sites in Naivasha-Nakuru Basin. (Joint Supervision with Prof. Simiyu Wandibba)
- **Mugwima Bernard** (Completed in 2011), Continuity and Change in Historic Planning: A framework for the conservation of urban areas. (Joint Supervision with Dr. Francis Mburu)

ONGOING PH.D. SUPERVISION

- **Odede, F.Z.A.**- The Prehistoric Ceramic Sequence in Western Kenya- Ongoing (Joint Supervision with Prof. Simiyu Wandibba)
- **Tabitha W. Ndogoto**– Towards an Understanding of Public Archaeology in Kenya – Proposal successfully defended (Joint Supervision with Prof. Simiyu Wandibba)
- **Wafula, G. Kituyi** – Cultural Heritage and the Public: relevance of human past to local communities in the coastal region (Joint Supervision with Prof. Henry W. Mutoro)
- **Kyule D. M** – Subsistence ecology and resource exploitation in the Middle and Later Stone Age in East Africa (Joint Supervision with Prof. Simiyu Wandibba)
- **Mulu Muia** – Changes in Lithic Technology in Ntuka South West Kenya: Implications for the evolution of modern human behavior (Joint Supervision with Prof. Simiyu Wandibba)

PUBLICATIONS

Published Journal Articles(Peer-Reviewed)

- Mugwima B. Njuguna, Ephraim W. Wahome & Anne Marie Deisser (2018)**
Saving the Industry from Itself: A Case of the Railway Industrial Heritage in Kenya Vol 9(1):21-38
- Wahome E.W. (2016) Book Review – *Heritage, making peace, history, identity and memory in contemporary Kenya* by Annie E. Coombes, Lotte Hughes and Karega-Munene – *Awaaz*, 46(1):46-49**
- Wahome, E.W. (2015) ‘Benchmarking heritage conservation practices in Kenya and Korea’.** *The Nairobi Journal of Literature*, 8:23-36
- Wahome E.W. Mugwima, B.N. and Nyachwaya W.N. (2013) ‘Reflections on Conservation of Urban Heritage Attractions; The case of Nairobi 1898 to 1948’.** *Global Built Environment Review*, 8(3) 1-34.
- Wahome, E.W. and Mugwima, B.N. (2013) ‘Perceptions in the commons: A case of old town Mombasa’.** *Journal of Inquiry in Design Pedagogy*, 1(1):44-69
- Wahome, E.W. and Gathungu, J. J. (2013) ‘Brand Personality and the evolution of evolution of destination Kenya during the colonial period’.** *Thought and Practice: Journal of Philosophical Association of Kenya: Journal of the Philosophical Association of Kenya*, Vol. 5 (1):91-119
- Anne-Marie, D. and Wahome, E.W. (2009). ‘Designing preventive conservation Training for Museums: A case of the National Museums of Kenya’.** *Hekima Journal*, 4(1) 23-38.
- Wahome, E.W. and Anne-Marie Deisser (2006).** “The Karen Blixen House: The Challenges associated with the conservation of historic buildings”. *Africa Habitat Review*, 1(1):15-26.
- Wahome, E.W. (2003).** “Xeroradiography, Exchange and Ceramic Characterization in the Admiralty Islands, Papua New Guinea”. *Hekima Journal*, 2(1) 91-101.
- Wahome, E.W. (1997).** “Continuity and Change in Lapita and post-Lapita ceramics: a review of the evidence from the Admiralty Islands and New Ireland, Papua New Guinea”. *Archaeology of Oceania* 32(1997):118-122.
- Wahome, E.W. (1989).** ‘The Mandara Archaeological Project: Abstract’. *Nyame Akume* 32(1):8

Published Peer-reviewed Book Chapters

- Wahome, E.W., Kiruthu F.& Owino, S. (2016) ‘Tracing the Forgotten Heritage: The Place of Mau Mau Memory and Culture in the History of Kenya’.** In (eds.) N. Mugwima and D. Anne-Marie, *Cultural and Natural Heritage Conservation in Kenya*. London: University College London Press (UCL), pp. 216-226
- Anne-Marie D. & Wahome E.W. (2016) Access to heritage as a human right in Kenya**
In (eds.) N. Mugwima and D. Anne-Marie, *Cultural and Natural Heritage Conservation in Kenya*. London: University College London Press (UCL Press), pp. 17-29.
- Wahome, E.W. (2013) ‘Ceramic Style and History: An Inter-regional Assessment’.** In (eds.) Kyule, M. D. and Gona, G.M. *Mizizi: A Collection of Essays on Kenya’s History*. Nairobi: University of Nairobi Press (UONPS), pp.81-96

Published Conference Proceedings

- **E.W. Wahome, Kiruthu F, and Qwino S. (2017).** ‘The forgotten Heritage: the place of Mau Mau material culture in Kenya’. In *Mau Mau and other liberation movements: Fifty years after independence*. Published by Karatina University. Pp. 66-72.
- Mugwima, B. N., Wahome, E. W., Anne-Marie, D. (2016)** ‘Saving the Industry from itself: A case of the Railway industrial heritage’ in *Kenya Proceedings of the 2016 Annual Conference on Sustainable Research and Innovation, 4 - 6 May 2016*
- Wahome E. W. (2014).** ‘Cultural adaptation and change as a traditional mechanism for conflict resolution: A case of internal displacement and assimilation in the Tana River County’. Tana River County: *Proceedings of the National Scientific Conference on Tana River County*, February 25th-27th, 2014.
- Wahome, E. W. (2011).** ‘Human Rights and Heritage Conservation’. Submitted to Centre for Human Rights and Peace (CHRP). In (eds.) Iribemwangi, P.I., J.B. Ndohvu, Njeri Muhoro and Mumia Osaji, *Poverty as a rights violation*. Report of the Symposium held at Lake Naivasha Country Club on Sept 28th-30th, 2011.

Accepted for publication

- E.W. Wahome.** ‘Dark tourism and Liberation struggle in Kenya: ensuring sustainability in the conservation of Mau Mau heritage’. In the ‘State and Nation building process in Kenya since independence: the marginalized and the forgotten’.
- Gathungu, J.J. and Wahome, E.W.** ‘Managing the aftermath of big game hunting in Kenya 1977-2013: Opportunities and threats’. In *East African Journal of Historical Studies*.
- Wahome, E.W. and Anne-Marie Deisser** “Issues in Condition Assessment: A case study of ethnographic collections at the National Museums of Kenya”. *The Colonial Legacy of Colonialism in Kenya*– Historical Association of Kenya
- Wahome, E.W.** ‘Conserving the National Identity in Museums’. *Jahazi Journal*
- Deisser, A. and Wahome, E.W.** ‘Practical Issues in the conservation of ethnographic collections in Museums: A case of Nairobi National Museum’. *Nairobi Journal of Historical Studies*.
- Wahome, E.W. and Mugwima, B.N.** *Conserving for Whom? Sociological impediments in heritage conservation in Kenya*. University of London Press

UNPUBLISHED WORKS

- Wahome, E.W. (1985).** B.A. Dissertation – *Later Iron Age in Nyeri District, Kenya*, University of Nairobi, KENYA

Wahome, E.W. (1989). M.A. Thesis - *The Later Iron Age and History of North Cameroon*, University of Calgary, CANADA

Wahome E.W. (1999). Ph.D. Thesis - *Ceramics and Prehistoric Exchange in the Admiralties, Papua New Guinea*, Australian National University, AUSTRALIA

TEACHING MODULES COMPLETED

Wahome E. W. (2008) *Environmental change through time* - Distance Learning Module Published by the University of Nairobi

Wahome, E. W. (2007) *Technological Change Through Time* – Distance Learning Module Published by the University of Nairobi.

Wahome, E. W. (2007) *Research Methods in Tourism* – Distance Learning Module Published by the University of Nairobi.

Wahome, E. W. (2007) *Museums and Tourism* – Distance Learning Module Published by the University of Nairobi.

Irandu E. and Wahome, E.W. (2007) *Tourist Attractions and Facilities*. Distance Learning Module Published by the University of Nairobi.

ONGOING MODULES

Wahome E. W. (2014) *Method of Conflict and Peace Research* – Distance learning module

CONFERENCES/WORKSHOPS ATTENDED & PAPERS

PRESENTED

- **Workshop: ‘Science meets business’ Logistics and retail of fresh fruits and vegetables in Kenya and Tanzania. 11th -12th October, 2018**
Opened the Workshop. Venue: Nairobi Safari Club
- **Workshop: Kenya School of Government** on “Validation of Youth Leadership, development, and Professional Standards and Values in Public Service Programs’ Venue: **KSG**, 19th Sept, 2018. **Participated** in the following sessions:
 - Professional standards and values in public service
 - public Governance for the Public sector
- **Public Lecture.** Labour and Leisure in Global History. By Prof. Edward Kirumira, Principle College of humanities and Social Sciences, Makerere University, Uganda. Venue: RM 405 - **University Towers** (UON), 14th Sept, 2018.
- **Workshop: Joint University of Nairobi and Humboldt University**
Research Workshop Venue: **Chromo Campus, UON.** 4-6th Sept. 2018

- **Lamu: ‘Workshop threats to coastal heritage and a survey of Lamu historical sites’** 4th to 7th October, 2016
- **Summer School: Labour and Leisure in Global History.** Venue: **Leisure Lodge, Mombasa**, 9th-13th August, 2018
- **Congress: The 5th World Congress of Geoversal Civilization.** Venue: **KICC Amphitheatre 16th -21st July, 2018**
- **Workshop.** Labour and Leisure in Artistic production and performance (LLAP&P). **Schloss Marbach, Konstanz**, Germany, 9th to 11th Oct, 2017
- **Paper presentation on ‘Ubuntu’** – Discussant. Target: Gender and Development Students at Koblenz-Landau University, Germany,. Venue: **Institute of Psychology, Koblenz**, July 12, 2017
- **Workshop.** Joint workshop on Labour and Leisure between Univ. of Nairobi and Humboldt University. Venue, **Nairobi Safari Club** 15th to 17th Nov. 2016
 - **Paper Presented:** Labour and leisure in the heritage of colonial Kenya
- National Construction Authority Annual Conference. **KICC**, 2nd -3rd Nov. 2016.
 - **Paper Presented:** The role of the National Construction Authority in the Conservation of Vernacular Architectural Heritage
- **Workshop:** National cohesion, national values and principles of governance course content development (NCVPG). **Chiromo conference Centre**, 22nd-24th June, 2016
- **Workshop:** Dean’s Committee workshop. **Central Catering Unit (CCU)**, 14th June, 2016
- **Conference: British Institute in East Africa - The Language of Clay.** Venue : **BIEA Boardroom**, 5-7th May, 2016
 - **Paper Presented:** People in Ceramics: A sociological approach to the study of ceramics
- **Talk: Democracy and human Rights** - By US Assistant Secretary of State for Human Rights, Democracy and Labour. Venue: **CHSS Boardroom**. 5th April, 2016
- **Seminar: Mwongozo induction workshop** for boards of state corporations. Venue: **Mombasa Continental Resort**. 12th-14th Nov. 2015
- **Botho University International Research Conference (BUIRC).** Venue: **Botho Education Park, Gaborone**. 5th to 6th Nov. 2015
 - **Paper Presented:** *Increasing student numbers and digital technology: A case of the University of Nairobi.*

- **Inaugural Lecture by Clement M. P. Oniang’go** entitled: *The role of philosophy at the university*. Venue: University of Nairobi **8-4-4 Lecture Theatre**. 20th Nov. 2015
- **Hydro-politics of the River Nile. Water and Society (WASO-Africa) Seminars**. Venue: **ED 213**. Date :7th October, 2015
- **Confucius institute workshop and tour of Chinese academic institutions– Hanban and Tianjin Normal University** – 18th to 30th Sept, 2015
- **Consortium for Advanced Research (CARTA) Faculty and Administrators Workshop**. Venue: **UON CCU**. 27th-29th July, 2015
- **Human Rights Workshop: ‘The role of multi-stakeholder in improving working conditions in global and local supply chains’**. Venue: **Nairobi, Hilton Hotel**. 17th June, 2015
- **Public Lecture** by Prof. Ngugi wa Thiong’o on 50 years since the publication of *Weep Not, Child*. Venue: University of Nairobi, **UON Taifa Hall**. 11th June, 2015
- **CARTA Workshop**. Venue: **Maasai Lodge, Rongai** 28th-29th May, 2015
- **Writers Mop-up Workshop**. Venue: **Multimedia University, Karen** 25-28th may, 2015
- **Symposium on Counter-terrorism: In search of a grand African strategy**. Venue: **UON Taifa Hall** 7th May, 2015
- **Anti –Plagiarism Training Workshop**. **UON -Education Building** – 5th May, 2015
- **UNBESCO/UNTWIN Sensitization Forum**. Venue: **UON Multipurpose Hall** 22nd April, 2015
- **Faculty of Arts Management Retreat**. Venue: **Outspan Hotel, Nyeri**, 9th to 12th April, 2015
- **Public Lecture on Sociology of Aging**. Venue: **UON Multipurpose Hall**. 31st March 2015
- **University of Cambridge conference on African Heritage challenges**. Venue: **Alison Richard Building Conference Hall**. 13th -18th May 2015.
 - **Paper Presented:** *Sustainable conservation of Mau Mau heritage: A comparative perspective*
- **British Institute in East Africa (BIEA) conference** on Legacies of struggle in southern and eastern Africa **18th-20th march 2015 BIEA Seminar Room**
 - **Paper presented:** *Practical challenges in the conservation of tangible Mau Mau Legacy in Kenya*
- **Land/ Belonging Workshop**. Discussant. British Institute in Eastern Africa. Jan. 5th, 2015. **BIEA Seminar Room**

- **Seminar- Sirikwa: Heritage destruction** in Kenya's Western Highlands and the Urgency of an Archeological Salvage. 29th January, 2015. **National Museums of Kenya. Old Boardroom.**
- **Conference on Korean Studies. Nairobi Safari Club.** 12th – 13th Dec. 2015
 - **Paper Presented:** *Benchmarking Heritage conservation practices in Kenya and Korea.*
- **National Museums of Kenya 5th Science Expo.** Kenya's Heritage-Diversifying tourism. October 24th-25th, 2014. **Louis Leakey Auditorium.**
- Kenya and UNESCO at 50 years: Perspectives on sustainable development for the 21st century UNESCO Roundtable. October 21st, 2014. **Taifa Hall**
- **Writers workshop** September 28th – Oct. 2nd, 2014 **KWS Training Institute, Naivasha**
- **IFRA Symposium on Tourism** titled 'Understanding oneself and others: New Domestic and International Tourism practices and the Promotion of Heritage and Tourism in East Africa 16th to 17th July, 2014. **Louis Leakey Auditorium.**
 - **Paper Presented:** *Thenatourism: A case for sustainable Mau Mau Heritage Conservation in Central Kenya*
- **Kenyatta University Conference on Refugees and IDPs** in a historical Perspective. June 19th-21st, 2014- **KU conference Centre**
 - **Paper presented:** *Cultural adaptation and change as a traditional mechanism for conflict resolution: A case of internal displacement and assimilation in the Tana River County*
- **Department of History and Archaeology Seminar:** 'Ethnic Identity and State: The dynamics of ethnic identities in the Mara River Basin 1900-2010' by Iddy Ramadhani Magoti. **Departmental Library**, 18th June, 2014
- IFRA Conference on Nation Building 12th-13th June, 2014. **BIEA-IFRA**, Nairobi, Kenya.
 - **Paper presented:** *Kenya to 1920: A contested landscape and lessons for Nationalism*
- **University College London Conference**, on The impact of cross-disciplinary conservation on Social Development – 17th-19th May 2014, **UCL, London, UK**
 - **Paper presented:** *Conserving for Whom? Sociological impediments in heritage conservation in Kenya*
- Department of History and Archaeology Seminar. 'Leisure, Recreation, Politics and the Struggle for Urban Nairobi, 1900-2008' by Caleb Owen. **Departmental Library**, 16th April, 2014
- National Scientific Conference on Tana River County: The impact of climate change on natural resources and human activities in Tana River County, Kenya February 25-27th, 2014, **Northcoast Beach Hotel**, Mombasa, Kenya.
 - **Paper Presented:** *Cultural adaptability and change in Tana River County'*
- IFRA Workshop: The Conservation of Cultural and Natural Heritage in Kenya: Cross-Disciplinary Approaches in Theory and Practices. Author's Seminar, 31st January 2014, **BIEA-IFRA**, Nairobi, Kenya.

- **Paper Presented:** *'Tracing the Forgotten Heritage: The Place of Mau Mau Memory and Culture in the History of Kenya'*
- Sensitization Workshop on Post-graduate Students – **UON (CCU)** -10th Dec. 2013
- International Conference on liberation Movements- **Karatina University Conference Hall**, 5th to 7th December, 2013
 - **Paper Presented:** *The Forgotten heritage: The place of Mau Mau material and immaterial culture in Kenya*
- Odera Oruka Symposium. 19th to 21st Nov. 2013. Nairobi, **Goethe-Institut Auditorium**
- Sensitization workshop for senior management 20th November, 2013, **University of Nairobi, CCU Hall**
- UNESCO Conference on Conceptualization of African History and Archaeology - 21st October 2013 **Coconut Grove Regency Hotel, Accra - Ghana**
- UNESCO Conference on Pedagogy, 22-25th October 2013, **Coconut Beach Resort, Elmina -Ghana**
- School of Architecture SABS Conference. Venue: **JOMO Kenyatta University (JKUAT)** – 10th-13th Oct 2013 at JKUAT:

Papers to be presented:

 1. **B.N. Mugwima and E.W. Wahome**–*'Perceptions in a Commons: A case of Old Town Mombasa'*
 2. **Wahome, E.W., Mugwima, B.N. and Nyanchwaya W.N.**–*'Reflections on Conservation of Urban Heritage Attractions; The case of Nairobi 1898 to 1948'*.
- **French Institute for Research in Africa Seminar** – 23rd to 24th September 2013:
Paper presented: *'The Abandoned Heritage: the Case of the Mau Mau Legacy around Mount Kenya'*. **IFRA /British Institute in Eastern Africa**
- **East African Association for Paleoanthropology and Paleontology (EAAPP) Conference** July 28th-August 1, 2013, **Leisure Lodge, Mombasa, Kenya.**
 - **Discussant:** 'The challenges of Teaching Archaeology in a Department of History'
- **Adopting a Human Rights-based Approach to Kenya's Development Plan Seminar** held at **Centre for Human Rights, University of Nairobi**, on 28/06/2013
- **Tourism Standardization Workshop** 14th Dec. 2012. **Boma Hotel, Nairobi**
- Workshop on 'Formation of Tourism, Travel and Hospitality Association of Kenya' **Moi University's Nairobi Campus Boardroom, THE Bazaar Building** -9th Oct. 2012.
- **Training and Proposal Writing workshop,-** at **Chiromo Conference Centre** – 20th-24th February 2012
- **Roundtable conference on human rights and global poverty** –at **CHRP Centre, University of Nairobi**- 13-14th February 2012
- Third Biannual Scientific Conference at the **Leakey Auditorium, National Museums of Kenya** 7th-10th Nov. 2011.
- Seminar: Afro-script Seminar – **BIEA Seminar Room**- Laikipia Road- 28th Oct- 2011
- Conference on Human Rights and Poverty – **Naivasha Country Lodge**- 28th to 30th Sept, 2011.
 - **Paper Presented:** *'Human Rights and the Conservation of Material Culture'*
- Seminar: 'Different Seas, Different Histories', **BIEA Seminar Room**- 6th Sept, 2011

- Strategic leadership and change management workshop for directors of state corporations. Venue: **Kenya Institute of Administration (KIA)**. 14th to 15th January, 2011.
- RISSEA International Conference on 'The Swahili Heritage and Language' – **Mombasa**-18th to 20th Nov. 2010.
- Tourism Workshop in **Arusha – Tanzania** – 22nd June to 27th June, 2010.
-**Paper Presented:** '*Challenges in the Management of Tourism Programmes at UON*'
- ACP/EU Tourism Workshop in **Heidelberg – Germany** – 2nd-11th May, 2010
- AHTSA Conference on Tourism and Hospitality- **Utalii College**- 9th-11th Nov. 2010.
 - **Paper Presented:** '*Threats to cultural Heritage in East Africa: A Case of Lamu*'.
- IPR conference at **KIE Main Auditorium** -6th to 8th July -2010
- Writer's Workshop: - **KWSTI Naivasha**- June 2009
- Seminar: 20/8/08 Armed Conflict and Education –**Seminar Room A- JKML**
- Seminar: 14/08/08 Climate Change and its impact on Peace and Security in Africa – **Taifa Hall, UON**
- Conference: East African Association for Paleoanthropology and Paleontology (EAAPP) conference – **Louis Leakey Auditorium (NMK)**(18th -20th June, 2007)
-**Paper presented:** "*Managing Tangible Ethnographic materials: A Case of Worst and best conservation practice in East African Museums*":
- Writers Workshop: 24th– 29th /11/07 Writers Workshop —at **KWSTI, Naivasha**
- Seminar: 23/11/07 Religion and Traditional Practices – **JKML, Room A**
- Workshop: 5/10/07 Religious multiplicity in Kenya – **JKML, Rom A**
- Workshop: 26th-09-07 Kenya Economists Workshop -**Taifa Hall, UON**
- Seminar: 21/9/07 - Chewing the Salad: A history of Kenya's Miraa trade **JKML, Seminar Room A, UON**
- Jahazi Conference: 4th April, 2007. Venue: **Lenana House Conference Centre**.:
-**Paper Presented** "*Shaping the future of Museums: A case of preventive conservation at the national Museums of Kenya*"
- BIEA Seminar on Coastal Landscapes, **BIEA Seminar Room** 23rd Feb. 2007.
- Pedagogical Training: Programme for training lecturers in Pedagogy. Venue: **Kenya Utalii College (KUC)** January, 2007,
- Historical Association of Kenya Conference – **Held at USIU in 2006**
-**Paper presented:** '*Condition Assessment of ethnographic materials at NMK*' (joint paper with Dr. Anne-Marie)
- Departmental Seminar series 2006, **Department of History Library, UON**
Paper Presented: "*Conservation of ethnographic heritage in the face of global warming*"
- Reviewers and revision workshop March 2006, **KWS Training Institute Naivasha**
- Writers workshop January 2006, **KWS Training Institute, Naivasha**
- Workshop: Methodological Training in Research in Social Sciences and Humanities in East Africa, **University of Nairobi(Ed. 1 Theatre)**-2005
- Conference: Historical Association of Kenya Conference, 2004 at **Lake Baringo Club**.
-**Paper Presented:** '*Challenges of Material Culture Loss in Kenya*'.
- Writers Workshop: Arts Orientation for Writers. Nov. 2005, **Egerton University**
- Conference on regional security issues in the age of globalization 6th -8th March 2004 – **Mt Kenya safari Club, Nairobi**

- Workshop on Tropical Cultural Conservation workshop 15th Jan. 2002 – Mombasa
- Post-Lapita Conference in New Caledonia. **Neumea, New Caledonia** – 1994.
-**Paper Presented:** ‘*New Findings on the Post-Lapita Pottery*’
- Post-Lapita Conference in New Caledonia, **Neumea, New Caledonia** – 1993.
- World Archaeological Conference, Mombasa, Kenya 1992 – **Mombasa**
- Departmental Seminar –In the **Department of History Library, UON-**
Paper presented: Attrition and Diet: A sociological perspective, 1989

CONSULTANCIES

COMPLETED RESEARCH CONSULTANCIES

- **2005:** Heritage conservation Project and Training of Museum Staff – Sponsored by the European Union with Anne-Marie Deisser – Worth USD 10,000 - Completed 2005
- **2012:** Member of UNDP sponsored Project (JOINT) on the state of human Rights in Kenya –Worth 1,500,000 -Completed 2013

SUBMITTED RESEARCH PROPOSALS

- UNESCO International Assistance from the Intangible Cultural Heritage Fund – USD 25,000 –Approval Date 2015
- NACOSTI - Women’s Rights in Cultural and Natural Heritage Conservation – Ksh. 3,000,000 – Approval Date 2014

RESPONSIBILITIES:

Board Membership

- Board Member –National Museums of Kenya** – 2009 -2012 and 2014 - 2017
- Board member – Center for Pedagogy and Andragogy (CEPA)** - 2015-2018
- Board Member –College Management Board** 2015 - 2018
- Board Member –College Academic Board** 2015- 2018
- Member of the Editorial Board, Kenya Historical Review** - 2004-2006
- Chairman: Hekima Editorial Board** - 2013-2012

Administrative Responsibilities

- Associate Dean (renewal) –Faculty of Arts – 2018-2021**
- External Examiner, Kenyatta University 2016-2018**
- Associate Dean –Faculty of Arts - 2015 to 2018**
- Member of College appeals committee 2018**
- Chairman: College Management Board on Grading Exams and Module payment - 2015**
- Chairman – Department of History and Archaeology, UON** from 29th July 2011 to 2014
- Chairman - Human Rights and Heritage Conservation Research Group** 2012-2015
- Member–Faculty Committee on BA Programmes in Mombasa and Kisumu Campuses** 2012-1013

- Chairman - Hekima Publications Committee** (2003 to 2012)
- Acting Associate Dean** – 13th to 14 December, 2012
- Acting Dean** – April 20th to July 23, 2012
- Editor: *Hekima: Journal of the Humanities and Social Sciences*** 2003 to 2011
- Chairman - Committee on the development of Utalii undergraduate programmes** 2009-2010
- Technical Committee Member** – Kenya Bureau of Standards - 2010 to date
- Patron –University of Nairobi Tourism Students Association** - 2008 - 2010
- Member – College Management Sub-Committee on Teaching** - 2009.
- Editor: Faculty of Arts Prospectus** - 2002 - 2007
- Chairman: Faculty of Arts Seminars and Publications** – 2000-2005
- Chairman - Faculty of Arts Show Committee** (2000-2005)
- Acting Departmental Chairman** – (Nov-Dec 2002, Nov. 2004-Feb. 2005)
- Departmental Module II Coordinator** – 2002 -2004

MEMBERSHIP OF ASSOCIATIONS

- KATHE – Kenya Association of Tourism and Hospitality Education
- The Historical Association of Kenya
- The British Institute in Eastern Africa (BIEA)
- East African Association for Paleontology and Paleontology (EAPP)
- Association of Tropical Heritage Conservation
- Historical Association of Kenya
- UNESCO - Herity
- Centre For Human Rights and Peace(CHRP)
- International Council on Monuments and Sites (ICOMOS)

AWARDS

- The Canadian Research and Teaching Assistantship 1985
- Australian Merit Scholarship 1991

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