

Curriculum Vitae

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I. Bio Data

Full name: Jayne Mutiga
Title: Prof.
Employer: University of Nairobi
Position: Associate Professor
Citizenship: Kenyan
Marital Status: Married
Languages: English, Kiswahili, Kikamba, Gikuyu

II. Education

- 2004: PhD in Linguistics
University of Nairobi
- 1988: M.A in Linguistics and African Languages,
University of Nairobi
- 1986: Bachelor of Arts (BA) in Linguistics and African Languages
University of Nairobi
- 1990: Postgraduate Certificate in the Teaching of Communication Skills,
Lancaster University, United Kingdom
- 1981: A- Level
Loreto High School, Limuru
- 1979: O- Level
Loreto High School, Limuru
- 1975: Primary Level: Kivou Primary School, Kitui County

III. Personal Mission Statement

To serve as a leader, live a balanced life, and apply ethical principles to make a significant difference by leveraging the academic, physical, and spiritual amplitudes of my life, and to use my gifts of intelligence, charisma, resilience, serial optimism and all opportunity available to cultivate the self-worth and net-worth of the people in my circle of influence.

IV Current Career Position and Engagement

- Associate Professor of Linguistics of the University of Nairobi
- Director, Centre for Translation and Interpretation, University of Nairobi
- Focal Point for the University of Nairobi to the United Nations Department for General Assembly and Conference Management(UN DGACM)
- Curriculum convener, BPO-ITES training, University of Nairobi Centre of Excellence for BPO-ITES training
- Founder, Centre for Translation and Interpretation
- External Examiner:
 - a. Rhodes University, South Africa,
 - b. University of Dar es Salaam, Tanzania
 - c. Kenyatta University, Kenya
 - d. Laikipia University, Kenya
 - e. University of Zimbabwe
- Consultant Research reviewer:
 - a. National Research Fund, Government of South Africa
 - b. National Research Fund, Government of Kenya

IV. Professional Experience

Date	Employer	Designation	Specialization
Present from 2012	University of Nairobi	Associate Professor	<p style="text-align: center;">Current Focus of Research Interest</p> <p>1. Communication Skills:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Public Speaking b. Voice Training c. Presentation Skills d. Writing Skills e. Listening skills <p>2. Translation and Interpreting:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Theory of Interpreting, b. Theory of translation, c. Research Methods in Translation, d. Research Methods in Interpreting e. The Translation Practice <p>3. Report writing, précis and Editorial works</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Background Capacity</p> <p>1. Descriptive Linguistics:</p> <p>Language Structure and Sound Systems viz:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. phonetics, b. phonology, c. tonology, d. morphology <p>4. Applied Linguistics and sociolinguistics:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Language in Education, b. Language planning and Policy c. Language use in Society <p>5. Communication Skills:</p>

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> f. Public Speaking g. Voice Training h. Presentation Skills i. Writing Skills j. Listening skills <p>6. Translation and Interpreting:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> f. Theory of Interpreting, g. Theory of translation, h. Research Methods in Translation, i. Research Methods in Interpreting j. The Translation Practice <p>7. Report writing, précis and Editorial works</p>
Present from 2014	University of Nairobi	Director, Centre for Translation and Interpretation	Managing 4 postgraduate programmes; PhD in Translation, PhD in Interpretation, MA in Translation, and MA in Interpretation. Running day-to-day administrative and academic affairs of the Centre; in-charge of 21 lecturers and 5 support staff members.
20012-2014	University of Nairobi	Director (Ag), Centre for Translation and Interpretation	Managing 2 postgraduate programmes; MA in Translation, and MA in Interpretation. Running of all administrative and academic affairs of the Centre; in-charge of 21 lecturers and 5 support staff members working at the Centre.
2010-2012	University of Nairobi	Coordinator, Centre for Translation and Interpretation	Developing curricula, sourcing for donors and partners, lobbying for space, sourcing equipment and furniture from donors, setting up the Centre. Managing the day-to-day running of all administrative and academic affairs of the Centre; in-charge of 21 lecturers and 5 support staff members working at the Centre.
1995-2007	University of Nairobi	Lecturer Department of Linguistics & Literature	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Language Structure and Sound systems (Phonetics, Phonology, Morphology) 2. Language types and distribution and Relationships between Languages (Typology, Classification, and distribution) 3. Lexicography 4. Communication Skills

1991-1995	University of Nairobi	Assistant Lecturer Department of Linguistics & Literature	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Introduction to Linguistics, 2. Language policy, and Language planning, 3. Language use in society, 4. Language in Education, 5. Phonetics and Phonology 6. Communication skills
1988-1991	University of Nairobi	Tutorial Fellow Department of Linguistics & Literature	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Introduction to Linguistics 2. Language Typology and Classification.

V. Contribution to the University and Country

Present from 2015	<p>Grants Attracted</p> <p>Training and research grant under PAMCIT from the European Commission through the United Nations office at Nairobi(UNON)</p>
Present from 2010	<p>Founded and established the Centre for Translation & Interpretation: Initiated and developed collaboration between the University of Nairobi and the United Nations (UN), and the European Commission for the training of translators and interpreters for the regional and UN markets. This initiative culminated in the signing of an MoU between the two institutions, providing material: equipment and furniture , funding and personnel support, and the establishing of a Centre of Excellence: the Centre for Translation and Interpretation</p>
2010-2012	<p>United Nations and European Commission Collaborations and Memoranda of Understanding(MoUs)</p> <p>Initiated and spear-headed collaborations that culminated in the signing of memoranda of understanding(MoUs) between the University of Nairobi and three international organizations, namely;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • United Nations: for the Training of translators and interpreters (November, 2010). • University of Geneva (October, 2011): for the Africa Virtual Network (AVN) and, Staff and Student exchange programmes. • Pan-African Masters Consortium in Interpretation and Translation (PAMCIT) an umbrella organization of the African universities training translators and interpreters at postgraduate level. Member universities are: University of Nairobi, University of Ghana, Pedagogical University of Maputo, Buea University, Cameroon and Gaston Berger University, Senegal,
Present from 2011	<p>University of Nairobi Focal Point to the UN Directorate General (DG) for Conference Interpretation. In charge of coordination and quality control of the training at the Centre; reinforcing UN training requirements; and representing the University of Nairobi to the DG forums and reporting on progress.</p>

2011	<p>Won the BPO-ITES contract for the University of Nairobi from the Ministry of ICT, Government of Kenya.</p> <p>-Member of University team of consultants: Wrote winning proposal for the award of BPO- ITES training at the University of Nairobi.</p>
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VI. Major Responsibilities held in the University

Present from 2014	Director, Centre for Translation and Interpretation, University of Nairobi In-charge of administrative and academic day-to-day running of the Centre, offering and two Masters and two Doctorate programmes: MA in Translation and MA in Interpretation, and PhD in Translation and PhD in Interpretation. In charge of academic and administrative functions.
2012-2014	Ag. Director, Centre for Translation and Interpretation, University of Nairobi In charge of administrative and academic day-to-day running of the Centre, offering and two Masters programmes: MA in Translation and MA in Interpretation. One of its kind in the Eastern African region, managing the training of translators and interpreters for the local, regional and international market. This is a collaborative project between the University of Nairobi and the United Nations (UN) having signed collaboration MoU in November, 2010.
Present from 2011	Communication Curriculum Coordinator, University of Nairobi Task Force for the Centre of Excellence for BPO- ITES Training.
2010-2012	Coordinator for initial stages of the conceptualization and founding of the Centre for Translation & Interpretation: Developing the curricula, sourcing for partners, and starting the training programmes. Managing of administrative and academic day-to-day running of the Centre, offering and two Masters programmes: MA in Translation and MA in Interpretation
Present from 2011	University of Nairobi Focal Point to the UN Directorate General (DG) for Conference and Interpretation. In charge of coordination and quality control of the training at the Centre; reinforcing UN requirements; and representing the University of Nairobi to the DG forums and reporting on progress.
2008-2009	Chair, University of Nairobi curriculum team. Developed the curricula for MA in Translation and MA in Interpretation programmes. I personally presented and defended the two programmes through all the stages of University Boards approvals up to Senate level that

	culminated to Senate approval paving way for the commencement of the training programmes.
2005-2010	Departmental representative to the Faculty Postgraduate Studies Committee (FPSC) Faculty of Arts. Coordinator, Postgraduate programmes, Department of Linguistics and Languages

VII. Academic Publications

a) Chapters in Edited Books

1	2018	Mutiga, J.	Creative Economies and Commoditization of Mother Languages: In Mwita, L. C. et al. Isimu na Fasihi ya Kiswahili. Eldoret: Moi University Press ISBN 978-9966-1879-7-0
2	2014	Mutiga, J.	Uwezeshaji Lughaili Kuleta Maendeleo: Sera, Utendaji na Nafasi ya Kiswahili: In Michira J.N. Ukusaji wa Kiswahili: Dhima na Majukumu ya Asasi Mbali Mbalimbali. Nairobi <i>FOCUS Publishers</i> ISBN 9966-01-224-1
3	2013	Mutiga, J.	Value and Attitude Change in Language Revitalization: The Case of Kikamba. Published by Cambridge Scholars Publishers. London, UK.
4	2013	Kioko A. Mutiga, J , Njoroge, M. and Ndungu, R.	Mother Tongue Education in Africa: Publicizing the Reality. In Yolanda Voogd (ed.) Multilingualism and Education: Global Practices and Challenges. Springer SBM, NL.

7	2011	Mutiga, Jayne,	Linguistic Rights Are Human Rights: In <i>Human Rights, African Values and Traditions: An Inter-disciplinary Approach</i> (pp. 181-193) In P. I. Iribemwangi et al (eds) Nairobi. Focus Publishers Ltd. 2011. ISBN 9966-01-162-5.
8	2010	Mutiga, J. , Muthwii, M., Schroedar, L., Inyega, H., Trudell, B. (2010). <i>Sociolinguistics, Literacy and Bible Translation in Africa</i> (pp 97-113) ISBN	Language and Education in Africa: Answering the questions. In D.P. Aroga Bessong (Ed.), 9956-0-9162-6. Younde: Editions CLE

b) Journal Articles

1	2016		Effects of Mother Tongue Loss on Individuals and Communities: The University of Nairobi Journal of Language and Linguistics Vol. 5 (2016) ISSN 2224-1655
2	2013	Mutiga, Jayne	Effects of Language Spread on a Peoplesø Phenomenology: The Case of Shengø in Kenya <i>Journal of Language, Technology & Entrepreneurship in Africa (online Journal) Vol. 4 No. 1</i> 2013
3	2012	Mutiga, J and Chabata, E	Language Leveraging for Development: The case of Kiswahili in Kenya. The Zimbabwe International Journal of Languages and Culture (ZIILC) Vol.2 no.4 ISSN 2220 - 7503
4	2008	Mutiga, Jayne	øTone Marking in K kamba: A Case for Improving its Orthography. In Occasional Papers in Language and Linguistics, Vol. 3. The University of Nairobi Journal of Language and Linguistics Vol. 1 (2016) ISSN 2224-1655
5	2007	Mutiga, Jayne	øKenya Adult Literacy: The place of Kiswahiliø (PP 33-37) In the Kenya Adult Educator: A Journal of the Kenya Adult Education Association (KAEA).
6	2006	Mutiga, J. and Marete G.R	øWriting a First Dictionary and a First

			Storybook.ö In <i>The Nairobi Journal of Literature</i> . A Journal of the Department of Literature, Number 4 March, 2006, University of Nairobi.
7	2005	Mutiga, Jayne	öWriting and Reading Tone for Kikamba Adult Learnersö in <i>The Educator, A Journal of the Kenya Adult Education Association (KAEA)</i> .
8	2005	Mutiga, Jayne	öExploiting Idiomatic Expressions and Proverbs in Oral Communicationö in <i>The Nairobi Journal of Literature, A Journal of the Department of Literature</i> , University of Nairobi, Number 3 March 2005.

c) Books

1	2012	Mutiga, J.	Tone Patterns in the Kikamba Lexicon: An Analysis, published by LAMBERT Academic Publishing GmbH & Co. KG, Heinrich-Böcking-Str. 6-8, 66121, Saarbrücken, Germany. ISBN: 978-3-8465-8460-6
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d) Selected Published Conference Proceedings

1	2012	Kamau Chege, Wagacha Peter W, De Pauw Guy, Muchemi L, Wanjiku Ngangaa, Ngure K and Mutiga Jayne	Developing an Open Source Spell-checker for G k y . In European Language Resources Association (ELRA)(pp. 31-37). ISBN: 2-9517408-6-7.
2	2011	Chege, Kamau, Ng'ang'a Wanjiku, Wagacha Peter W., De Pauw Guy, and Mutiga Jayne	Morphological Analysis of G k y using a Finite StateMachine, Proceedings of Conference on Human Language Technology for Development (p.112-117).Bibliotheca Alexandrina, Alexandria, Egypt. (2011).
3	2007	Mutiga, Jayne	“Re-awakening African Languages Towards the Millennium Development Goals: The Case of

			Kenya, in Conference Proceedings of the German Academic Exchange Services (DAAD) Regional Conference held in December 2006, University of Nairobi.
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VIII. Select Papers Presented at International Conferences and Workshops

1	2009	Mutiga, Jayne	Bilingualism in Education: The Kenyan Experience in Conference Proceedings of <i>Kiswahili and Globalisation</i> . An International Kiswahili conference held at the Institute for Kiswahili Research, University of Dar es Salaam.
2	2006	Mutiga, Jayne	Multilinguality and Bilingualism in Education: The Kenyan Experience in Conference Proceedings of <i>Kiswahili and Globalisation</i> . An International Kiswahili conference held at the Institute for Kiswahili Research, University of Dar es Salaam, June 2005
3	2006	Mutiga, Jayne	<i>Linguistic Identity and the Language of School: National Policy and Classroom Practice</i> . Paper presented at the Regional Conference on Language Policy & Education, Kenyatta University. May, 2006.
4	2006	Mutiga, Jayne	<i>Understanding Language Shift and Culture Change: The Case of a Kenyan Generation</i> . Paper presented at the UNESCO Planning Workshop on <i>Safeguarding Endangered Oral Traditions in East Africa</i> , Nairobi. October, 2006,
5	2006	Mutiga, Jayne	<i>The Tone Systems of Kikamba: A Bantu Language</i> , published in Conference Proceedings of 5 th World Congress on African Linguistics (WOCAL), held in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, August 2006.
6	2006	Mutiga, Jayne	<i>Effects of Mother Tongue Loss: An Insight into the Kenyan Minority Languages' Situation</i> . Paper presented in the Symposium on Endangered

			Languages held at 5 th World Congress on African Linguistics (WOCAL), held in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, August 2006.
7	2005	Mutiga, Jayne	The Impact of a National Language on other Indigenous Languages: The Case of Kenya in Conference Proceedings of the DAAD Conference on <i>Across Borders: Benefiting from Cultural Difference</i> , Nairobi. March 2005.
8	2005	Mutiga, Jayne	<i>Tone in the Kikamba Noun</i> . Paper presented in the Symposium on Linguistics held at the University of Nairobi, September 2005.
9	2003	Mutiga, Jayne	<i>Language in Education in Kenya: The Challenge of Bilingual Discourse Marking (Code Switching and Borrowing) between English and Kiswahili</i> . Paper presented at the Fountain Workshop, Faculty of Education. University of Nairobi, 2003.

IX. Academic Supervision

a) Supervision of PhD Theses:

	Year	Name	Title of Thesis
1	2007-2010	Ngigi, Peter Ngũgũ	An Investigation into the Acquisition of Modal Verbs: The Case of two High Schools in Kajiado District
2	2008-2011	Jerono, Priscah	Vowel Harmony in Kipsigis: An Investigation.
3	2008-2012	Ngure, Kenneth Kamuri	From Rendille to Samburu a Language Shift Involving two Mutually Unintelligible Languages of Northern Kenya
4	2011-2013	Odero, Erick Omondi	Sociolinguistic Change in Elmolo, a Dying Language
5	2016-2019	Musyoka, Eunice Nthenya	Non-equivalence in the English-Kikamba Bible Translation
6	2018-	John, Josephat Gitonga	Meaning Retrieval and Meaning Transfer: Reconfiguring Meaning

			Translation of Hedges in Presidential Political Speeches from English to Kiswahili
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b) Supervision of Masters Dissertations

	Year	Name	Title of Dissertation
1	2018	Achieng, Maureen	The challenges and coping strategies of interpreting into B and/or C-Language: A case of interpretation into Chinese by Kenyan Interpreters
2	2018	Kader Quattara	Investigating effects of syntactic interference in interpretation: A case of sight translation from English to French
3	2018	Kithenge, John Kalu	Unmasking face threatening and face saving acts of politicians: A case study of Mwingi region politicians
4	2018	Mukura, Ivy Micere	Analysis of strategies used in the translation of slang: The case of sheng
5	2018	Mwangi, Grace Mutheru	A syntactic and lexical analysis of two selected German bible translations: Schlachter version 2000 and Hoffnung fur Alle version
6	2017	Njoroge, Norbert Kiria	Influence of source culture knowledge on the quality of interpreting: The case of Chinese interpretation in Kenya
7	2017	Muhindo, Jacques Vyalirendi	The challenge of false friends in interpretation for trainee interpreters working with English and French
8	2017	Mutua, Dorcas Mwende	Error analysis in the translation of telecommunication electronics devices: A case study of a mobile telephone data.
9	2016	Waweru, Peter Babu	Challenges trainee interpreters face when developing intelligible and easy to remember note-taking symbols
10	2016	Njuguna, Samuel Muiruri	The challenges faced by untrained community interpreters: The case of church service interpreters
11	2015	Kabwa, Elliane	The place of interpreting in peacekeepers training A case study of Amisom

12	2015	OSSOGO, Bogoto Anne-Marie	L'interprétation dans les juridictions pénales internationales: Le cas du tpir et de la CPI.
13	2015	Ope, Paul Odhiambo	Coping with embedded structures in simultaneous interpreting: A case study of students interpreting from English to French
14	2014	Kamanzi, Ephrem	Involvement of consumers of Interpretation services in the training of Interpreters in Africa: An Investigation
15	2014	Kinyanjui, Joseph Mwangi	Challenges of competing neologisms. A case of Kiswahili technical terminology
16	2012-2013	Andwati, Nelson Alukaya	Simultaneous Interpretation of Culture-Bound References: A Case Study of a Student Interpreter Working from Kiswahili to English
17	2012-2013	Maore, Josephat Mugambi	Phonological Basis of Misspellings in the Written English of Kimeru Speaking Pupils in Public Primary Schools in Meru
18	2012-2013	Mulatya, Mary Kithia	Comprehension of Kikamba Proverbs: A Study of Standard Eight Pupils of the Kawethei Primary School, Kangundo, Machakos County
19	2012-2013	Koteng, Suzanne Z.	Addressing the Challenge of Translating a Writer's World View: A Case study of the Translation of the Book of Leviticus into Dholuo
20	2011-2012	Ogonda, Trufosa Adhiambo	The Impact of Directioctionality in Simultaneous Interpreting for African Interpreters: A Case Study of an Anglophone French-English Student Interpreter
21	2011-2012	Bakari, Nuhu K.	Terminology Development in the Context of Multilingualism: A Case of Translating Into Kiswahili
22	2011-2012	Kenga, Kadzo Rebbeca.	Translation and Technology: Factors that Influence a Translator's Decision to use or Not to use Modern Technology in the Translation Process
23	2011-2012	Okello, L. Rehema	Implicature and Explicature: Unmasking Hip-Hop Music
24	2011-2012	Njuki, Peter Ngari	The Contrastive Tone Patterns and Their Functions in Kimbeere

25	2009-2011	Ombongi, Evans M	An Exposition of Sense Relations in Sheng
26	2008-2010	Obuya, Beatrice	Language Loss in Adulthood: An Investigation of Aphasic Kiswahili-speaking patients at Kenyatta National Hospital.
27	2008-2009	Omolo, James O	From Olusuba to Dholuo: A Case Study of Olusuba Spoken in Muhuru Division, Nyatike District.
28	2008-2009	Nabangi, Jane	The Study of Noise and Chronemics of Non-verbal Communication in the Classroom: A case Study of a Form Four Class at Jamhuri High School, Nairobi
29	2007-2008	Were, George Ojal	Dholuo Vowel Harmony in an Autosegmental Theory Framework.
30	2007-2008	Gitau, Peter Njenga	English-Kiswahili code switching on Easy FM: The Markedness Model.
31	2005-06	Chebett, C. Koskei	Vowel Harmony in Kipsigis: An Autosegmental Phonology Theory Approach.
32	2005-06	Ogola, C.A	Misunderstandings in Intercultural Communication in an Inferential Process.
33	2004-05	Malanda, S.M	A Synchronic Study of the Major Phonological Processes of the Lunyore and Lutachoni Dialects of Luyia Consonantal Systems
34	2004-05	Kivuko, J. M	The Syntactic Structure of the Kikamba Verb: The Case of Kitui Central Dialect

X. Ph.D. Examination

	<i>Year</i>	<i>Name of Candidate</i>	<i>Name of University</i>
1	2018	Loveluck Phillip	University of Dar es Salaam, Tanzania
2	2016	Keabaka Omphile Precious SESHOKA	Rhodes University, South Africa
3	2015	Fredrick Ezekiel Chiwanga	University of Dar es Salaam, Tanzania
4	2014	Pamela Mila Fobe	Rhodes University, South Africa
5	2013	Erick Omondi	University of Nairobi
6	2012	Kenneth Ngunjiri	University of Nairobi

7	2011	Prisca Jerono	University of Nairobi
8	2010	Peter N. Ngige	University of Nairobi
9	2008	Samuel O. Mosei	University of Nairobi
10	2007	John N. Mwangi	Kenyatta University
11	2005	Lillian Kaviti	University of Nairobi

XI. Consultancies

- a. Present from 2012: **BPO-ITES Trainer** (Business Outsource Processing-Information Technology Enabled Services), a collaborative programme of the University of Nairobi and Kenya Ministry of ICT.
- b. 2011: **Lead, Communication curriculum**, University of Nairobi taskforce. Wrote a winning proposal for the University of Nairobi and the Kenya ICT Board for BPO-ITES training at the University of Nairobi.
- c. 2009 : **National Council Of Churches of Kenya (NCCCK)**. Mutiga Jayne and Michira J.N. (September 2009). Editing and proofreading of a report titled "The Root Causes and Implications of the Post-election Violence in 2007" by Kenya Thabiti Task Force (2008) and the Inter Religious Forum (IRF). A consultancy for NCCCK.
- d. 2009: **Bible Translation and Literacy (BTL), East Africa**, Evaluation of Mother Tongue Education in Kwale, Kilifi, Malindi and Tana River Districts. A consultancy for Bible Translation and Literacy (BTL), East Africa
- e. 2007: **KEPLOTRADE, Ministry of Trade and Industry, Government of Kenya**
- f. Training government ministerial teams on Communication and Writing Skills; and Preparation of Negotiating Briefs and Position Papers: A consultancy for KEPLOTRADE, Ministry of Trade and Industry, Government of Kenya
- g. 2007: **Bible Translation and Literacy (BTL) East Africa**
Evaluation of Mother tongue Education in Tharaka District, a consultancy for Bible Translation and Literacy (BTL) East Africa
- h. 2005: **Bible Translation and Literacy (BTL) East Africa**
Evaluation of Mother tongue Education in Trans Nzoia and Mount Elgon districts. A consultancy for Bible Translation and Literacy (BTL), East Africa
- f. 2004: **Plan International**, Evaluation of Capacity Building Programmes in Kisumu, Embu, Thika, Kilifi and Kwale. A consultancy for Plan International.

XII. Awards

- a. European Commission travel grant to Salamanca University, Spain, to attend the 1st MoU Universities conference, 2011
- b. European Commission travel grant to Mons University to attend the 2nd MoU Universities conference, 2012
- c. European Commission travel grant to Brussels, Belgium to represent the University of Nairobi at the annual Universities conferences held every March (2011, 2012, 2013 and 2014)
- d. PAMCIT travel support to Brussels, Belgium to represent the University of Nairobi at the annual Universities conferences (2015, 2016, 2017, 2018)
- e. Dale Carnegie Highest Achievement Award 2002 and presented with the Gold Plaque from Dale Carnegie International, USA.
- f. Appointed Dale Carnegie Class 15 Ambassador (2002)
- g. German Academic Exchange Programme (DAAD) Scholarship (1998) to carry out research at the Afrikanistik Institut, Bayreuth University, Germany
- h. German Academic Exchange Programme (DAAD) Scholarship (1997) to pursue Ph. D studies in Linguistics at the University of Nairobi.
- i. British Council Scholarship (1990) to pursue a course in the Teaching of Communication Skills, at Lancaster University, UK.

- j. University of Nairobi Scholarship (1986) to pursue M.A. in Linguistics at the University of Nairobi.

XIII. Membership to Professional Organizations

- a. Member, The Language Association of Eastern Africa(LAEA)
- b. Member, Kenya Chapter of the German Academic Exchange Services Scholars Association, an association of German Academic Exchange Services (DAAD) Alumni in Kenya (KDSA).
- c. Member, German -African Network of Alumni and Alumnae (GANAA).
- d. Member, Multilingual Education Network, (MLE Network), a network of linguists, literary persons, educationists and translators researching in Multilingual Education.
- e. Member, HAKI-Africa, a human rights research network of universities in Eastern and Central Africa.
- f. Member, CHAKITA, Chama cha Kiswahili Cha Taifa, an association of Kiswahili scholars in Kenya.
- g. Member, CHAKAMA -Chama cha Kiswahili Afrika Mashariki, an association of Kiswahili scholars in the East African region.

XIV. Key Community Engagement

I hold key leadership positions in the following organizations:

- a. Present from 2013: Deputy Chair, University Council, Pan-African Christian University
- b. Present from 2013: Chair, DORATO Housing Society
- c. 2012-2019: Vice chair, University Council, Scott Christian University
- d. 2012-2018: Vice Chair, FOCUS National Governing Council
- e. Present from 2006: Church Elder, CITAM Church, (Nairobi Pentecostal Church).
- f. Present from 2006: Director, Bible Translation & Literacy (East Africa)

XV. Referees:

Available on request.