

CURRICULUM VITAE

PERSONAL INFORMATION

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CAREER OBJECTIVE

Looking forward to finding a position that is commensurate to my qualifications; in an environment that is conducive for my career development and for the benefit of the human race.

EDUCATION BACKGROUND

<u>PERIOD</u>	<u>INSTITUTION</u>	<u>QUALIFICATION</u>
ONGOING	University of Nairobi	MMed General Surgery
2002 – 2007	University of Nairobi	MBchB Degree
2000 – 2002	Oshwal Academy	A-LEVELS: 3As, B (Chemistry – A, Biology – A, Physics – A, Pure Maths – B)
1997 – 2000	Aga Khan High School	KCSE: mean grade A (Pronounced best Overall candidate for the year)
1989 – 1997	Aga Khan Primary School	KCPE

WORKING EXPERIENCE

DEC 2010 – AUG 2011: Senior Demonstrator in Anatomy for first year medical students.

JAN 2009 – SEPT 2010: Medical Officer in Surgery Department at Coast Province General Hospital, Mombasa, Kenya.

Appointed as senior medical officer in charge of other medical officers; coordinator of departmental CMEs; responsible for training of medical interns and examined clinical officers rotating in surgery.
Presented with the best Medical Officer award in the year 2009.

JAN 2008 – JAN 2009: Medical Officer Intern at Coast Province General Hospital

FEB 2006 – OCT 2007: Mentor and counselor to first, second and third year medical students, University of Nairobi.

SEMINARS/WORKSHOPS ATTENDED:

- 2012 Advanced Trauma Care Provider Course (ATLS): 16-19 November Christian Medical Foundation, Nairobi.
- 2011 “Writing and Publishing a scientific article” Workshop: Chiromo Campus, University of Nairobi, Kenya
- 2010 Basic surgical skills workshop: March 20 Mombasa, Kenya.
- 2010 Hospital emergency incident command system training (HEICS 1 & 2): Coast Province General Hospital, Mombasa
- 2010 10th annual scientific conference-SSK(Surgical Society of Kenya) March 13-19 Mombasa, Kenya.
- 2009 Cleft Lip and Palate Project, Operation Smile : Mombasa, Kenya.
- 2009 Burns Provider Course - Operation Smile: Coast Province General Hospital, Mombasa.
- 2009 Diabetic foot training: Nyali Beach Hotel, Mombasa.
- 2008 Hernia Repair Workshop: CPGH, Mombasa.
- 2007 Basic Life Support Provider Course: Kenyatta National Hospital, Nairobi.
- 2006 HIV/AIDS And Reproductive Health Seminar : Kenyatta National Hospital, Nairobi.
- 2006 Peer Guidance And Counseling - Mentorship Programme, University of Nairobi

RESEARCH

My science research interests lie in anatomy and its application to surgery as well as clinical practice in surgery. I am currently working on an anatomical study on variations of the splenic artery as well as another one on effect on morbidity and mortality of different methods of bowel preparation in elective colorectal surgeries. My long term plan is to build on these foundations

and develop better and efficient care pathways for patients through integration of both basic science concepts and clinical practice.

MY ACHIEVEMENTS IN BRIEF

1. Best Medical Officer- 2009, Coast Provincial General Hospital
2. Best Overall Candidate- Coast Province, KCSE 2000
3. Debating team captain 1998-2000 / Best Speaker Inter Schools Competition-2000
4. School Headgirl, Aga Khan High
5. Deputy Headgirl, Oshwal Academy
6. School Prefect, Aga Khan Primary

PERSONAL INTERESTS/SKILLS

Writing/ Computer skills

Hobbies: Reading, Dancing, Art work, Music, Meditation.

Sports: Swimming.

LICENSURE

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