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PERSONAL INFORMATION

Nationality : Kenyan
Date of Birth : 9th April 1981
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Languages : English

ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS

Ph.D Candidate : University of Pretoria
Private-sector standards under WTO law 0002 Pretoria
January 2011 – South Africa

LLM. International Trade, Investment and Business Law (Cum Laude) : University of the Western Cape
Bellville, Cape Town
July 2006 - May 2007 South Africa
(**LLM. Thesis:** Legal and Institutional Frameworks as Determinants of Access to Capital by Developing Countries)

Dip. In Law (Postgraduate) : Kenya School of Law
June 2007 – December 2007 Nairobi, Kenya

Bachelor of Laws (Honours) LL.B : University of Nairobi
October 2001 - August 2005 Nairobi, Kenya

High School (KCSE) : Kangaru School
January 1996 – November 1999 Embu, Kenya

PUBLICATIONS

Ogola J.J. & Gitau R.G. *Company Law* Focus Books 2010
Ogola J.J. & Gitau R.G. *Business Law* Focus Books 2010

PROFESSIONAL BODY MEMBERSHIP

Law Society of Kenya (LSK) – Advocate of the High Court of Kenya

WORK EXPERIENCE

Lecturer : University of Nairobi (Mombasa Campus) – School of Law
June 2011 -
• Teaching and examining Constitutional Law, Jurisprudence, Intellectual Property,

Lecturer : Strathmore University – Faculty of Commerce
November 2008 -
• Teaching and examining Company law and Business Law I & II

- Lecturer** : Inoorero University – Faculty of Law
 October 08 – June 2010 •Teaching/ tutoring Land Law; Elements of the Law of Contract and Commercial Law under the University of London distance learning program
 •Teaching and examining Company law under the Jomo Kenyatta University for Technology programmes
- Programme Officer** : Centre for International Trade and Investment Law (CITIL)
 Feb 2008- Sep 2008 • Advocacy and Dissemination Programme
- Pupillage** : Government of Kenya – State Law Office
 Dec 2005 – June 2006 Department of Treaties and Agreements
 June 2007- Feb 2008 Nairobi
- Editor** : University of Nairobi Law Journal (UNLJ)
 Jul 2002 – Jun 2005 University of Nairobi School of Law

CONSULTANCIES

- October /November 2007 – Oxfam GB and the Kenya Civil Society Alliance on the preparation of a Dossier on EU's Bullying Tactics in the EPA negotiations
- April 2009 – September 2009 – study on the Possible Human Rights Impact of the Framework Economic Partnership Agreement between the East African Community and The European Union for Kenya Human Rights Commission (KHRC)

INTERNSHIPS

- Dec 2006 – March 2007 : United States of America Embassy (Cape Town Consulate) Foreign Commercial Section (FCS) – Cape Town, South Africa
- Sept 2005 – Nov 2005 : Oxfam GB, Pan Africa Programme - Nairobi
- Aug 2002 – Nov 2002 : Constitution of Kenya Review Commission (*Dissolved*) Research and Drafting Department - Nairobi

HOBBIES & INTERESTS

- Travelling and Making New Friends • Research • Debates and Discussions • Playing Chess

REFEREES

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