

CURRICULUM VITAE

PERSONAL INFORMATION

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DATE OF BIRTH: 10th December, 1980
GENDER: Female
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LANGUAGE SPOKEN: English, Swahili, Arabic, Turkish
HOBBIES: Reading, Traveling, Swimming

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ACADEMIC QUALIFICATION

YEAR	QUALIFICATION	INSTITUTION
2009-February 2013	Master Of Medicine, Obstetrics and Gynaecology (MMED Ob/Gyn)	University of Nairobi
2001-2006	Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery (MBChB)	University of Nairobi
2000- 2001	Turkish Language	Gazi University, Turkey
1996-1999	Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education (KCSE)	Sheikh Khalifa Bin Zayed Al-Nahyan Secondary and Technical School
1988-1995	Kenya Certificate of Primary Education (KCPE)	Mbaraki Primary School

PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATION

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PROFESSIONAL TRAININGS

2005 – Prevention of Mother to Child Transmission of HIV (PMTCT)

2008 – Care of Gender-Based Violence victims by Ministry of Health

February 2012 – Simulation and Team training for Obstetric and neonatal emergencies module I and II by PRONTO International

March 2012 – Mirena insertion, Bayer Pharmaceuticals

March 2012 – Implementation Science, University of Nairobi

April 2012 – Programme Management, University of Nairobi

May 2012 – Maternal, Neonatal and Child Health (MNCH), University of Nairobi

March 2014 – Bio-Ethics and Research Ethics, University of Nairobi

April 2014 – Emergency Obstetrics and Neonatal Care (EMONC), Liverpool School of

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE AND RESPONSIBILITIES

Year	Designation	Institution
2013 to date	Tutorial Fellow Examiner	University of Nairobi Medical Practitioners and Dentists Board
2009 – 2013	Postgraduate student	Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecology, University of Nairobi
Feb 2009 – Aug 2009	Medical Officer	Garissa PGH
Jan 2008 – Feb 2009	Medical Officer	Coast PGH
Jan 2007 – Dec 2007	Medical Officer Intern	Coast PGH

RESPONSIBILITIES:

As a Tutorial Fellow

- Coordinating undergraduate program for the Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecology, University of Nairobi including teachings, clinical rotation, seminars, mentorship, exams
- Giving lectures and ward tutorials to both undergraduate students
- Working as an Obstetrician and Gynaecologist at Kenyatta National Hospital – outpatient clinic, wards, theatres
- Secretary to the departmental sub-committee coming up with a curriculum on fellowship program in Reproductive Endocrinology and Infertility (REI)

As a Postgraduate Student

February 2012 to February 2013 – Served as the Chief Resident having been appointed by the Chairman, Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecology.

Responsibilities as a Chief Resident included:

- Making monthly clinical rota for the postgraduate students.
- Organizing weekly CMEs, tutorials and bedside teachings for postgraduate students.
- Organizing monthly maternal and perinatal morbidity and mortality audits.
- Co-ordinating OSCE for the undergraduate students.

February 2013 – successfully completed postgraduate studies in Obstetrics and Gynaecology and emerged the best student.

As a Medical Officer

- January 2008 to September 2008

Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecology, Coast Provincial and General Hospital

- October 2008 to January 2009

Accident and Emergency, Coast Provincial and General Hospital

- February 2009 to August 2009

Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecology at Provincial and General Hospital, Garissa

Activities and duties as a Medical Officer included:

- offering emergency care to patients
- performing minor surgical procedures
- assisting in major surgery
- ward rounds
- running specialized outpatient clinics
- morbidity and mortality audits
- supervising and teaching interns

Internship

- Three-monthly rotations in the departments of Internal Medicine, Surgery, Paediatrics, Obstetrics and Gynaecology.
- Activities and duties as an intern included:
 - admission of new patients
 - daily ward rounds
 - monthly morbidity and mortality audits
 - preparing patients for and assisting in major surgery
 - performing minor surgical procedures
 - attending and presenting in weekly CMEs

CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS ATTENDED

March 2014 – Grant Proposal Writing Workshop organized by University of Nairobi Enterprises and Services Limited Consultancy

February 2014 – The annual scientific conference

August 2013 – Advanced Gynaecological Laparoscopy held at Kenyatta National Hospital

November 2012 – Attended Hysteroscopy Workshop held at International Centre for Minimal Access Surgery, Nairobi.

April 2012 – Attended 7th Nairobi Hospital Annual Reproductive Health Symposium. Theme: “Infections in Obstetrics and Gynaecology”.

October 2011 – Attended the Infertility Symposium held at KMA hall, Pandya Hospital, Mombasa. Organized by Kenya Obstetrical and Gynaecological Society.

April 2011 – Attended 6th Nairobi Hospital Annual Reproductive Health Symposium. Theme: “Controversies in Obstetrics and Gynaecology”

February 2011 – Kenya Obstetrical and Gynaecological Society Annual Scientific Conference held at Merica Hotel, Nakuru.

September 2008 – Islamic Medical Ethics, conducted by Professor Dr. Omar Hassan Kasule at Tudor Water Sports, Mombasa.

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Continuous Activity – Activism against Female Genital Mutilation (FGM) through talks to target groups on the medical complications of the practice, organized by Family Resource Centre (FRC), Jamia Mosque

November 2011 – January 2012: Practiced community obstetrics at the Daadab Refugee camps at the height of refugee influx due to hunger and famine in Somalia. Worked with Kenya Red Cross Society (KRCS) and Alliance of International Doctors (AID)

April 2008 – Participated in Lamu Medical Camp organized by Kenya Red Cross, Riadha Mosque and Islamic Centre and Kenya Association of Muslim Medical Professionals.

2006 – Participated in Mombasa Medical Camp organized by Muslim Students Association University of Nairobi (MSAUN)

2005 – Participated in Malindi Medical Camp organized by Muslim Students Association University of Nairobi (MSAUN)

2004 – Participated in Kwale Medical Camp organized by Muslim Students Association University of Nairobi (MSAUN)

2002 – Participated in Garissa Medical Camp organized by Muslim Students Association University of Nairobi (MSAUN)

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP/AFFILIATIONS

Kenya Medical Association (KMA) – Coast Division; Member

Kenya Association of Muslim Medical Professionals (KAMMP); 2009 – Assistant Treasurer, Garissa Branch

The International Society for Gynaecologic Endoscopy (ISGE); Member

REFEREES

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