

CURRICULUM VITAE

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EDUCATION

-2012-2016: Ph.D. degree course in Linguistics (University of Nairobi)

-2006-2008: M.A. degree course in Linguistics (University of Nairobi)

-1993-1997: B. Ed. (Arts) degree course in Linguistics and Literature (University of Nairobi)

PUBLICATIONS

Year	Title	Where it was published
2015	Gender Construction in Ekegusii	International journal of Education and Research, <i>Vol.3 No.12, Dec. 2015 pp429-440</i>
2016	Examining the Indigenous Wisdom in Ekegusii Proverbs	The University of Nairobi Journal of Language and Linguistics, special volume on Mother-Tongue issues, <i>Vol 5 Feb 2016, pp.116-129</i>

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

-2014 (7 Aug.): Gender construction in Ekegusii. A paper presented at the International Conference on African Languages and Literatures organized by Kenyatta University. (6-8th Aug. 2014)

- 2014 (13 Dec.) 'Language and humour: An analysis of narration in Churchill show' A paper on presented at the international conference on Researching African Literatures organized by Pwani University. (11-13th December 2014)

-2015 (Feb.): Examining the Indigenous Wisdom in Ekegusii Proverbs: A paper presented during the International Mother-Tongue Celebrations Day organized by the University of Nairobi.

-2016 (Feb.): Gender identity through the Ekegusii naming System: A paper presented during the International Mother-Tongue Celebrations Day organized by the University of Nairobi.

RESEARCH PAPERS AND THESES WRITTEN FOR UNIVERSITY DEGREES

-2016: Ph.D. thesis written for the University of Nairobi: Gender Construction, Representation, Contestation and Maintenance: A case study of Ekegusii Discourse.

-2008: M.A project written for the University of Nairobi: The Morpho-syntactic Analysis of Ekegusii Verb derivations in the minimalist program.

CONTINUING RESEARCH

I have research interests in Discourse Analysis, Sociolinguistics, Pragmatics and Applied Linguistics.

TEACHING AND POSTGRADUATE RESEARCH SUPERVISION

1. From January 2009 to the present: Part-time lecturer and lecturer in the Department of Linguistics and Languages at the University of Nairobi

Courses taught

Introduction to Linguistics (TLE 101), Listening and speaking skills in English (TLE 104), Writing Skills in English (TLE 204), English Vocabulary and Sound System (TLE202), Reading Skills in English (TLE 203), Error Analysis (TLE 305), Psycholinguistics (TLE 403), Pragmatics (TLE 406), Nature and Functions of Language (CLL 101), Fundamentals of Writing CLC 211), Interview Principles and Practice (CLC 419), Study of English 1 (BLL 103), Semantics (BLL 308)

Supervision of Master's Degree Theses/Projects

	Supervisee	Title of thesis	Year
1.	NYACHWAYA, Robert G.	Code-mixing in ' Devil on the Cross' , A translation by the author (Ngugi Wa Thiong'o: SFL Approach	2013
2.	YAMO, Jimmy Oluoch	Loanword adaptation in Boro-Ukwala Dialect of Dholuo: A case of Borrowing from Lumarachi, Lunyala and Kisawhili	2014
3.	NGINA, Everyne Mutheu	Code mixing verbal humour in stand-up comedy: a study of selected Chipkezy's Performances in Churchill show	2015
4	MUSYOKA, Monicah Mutio	A Pragmatic Analysis of Verbal Humour : A case study of Athiani FM Radio presenter, Sammy Mulinge.	2016
6	ARUNGO, Eunice Kemunto	A Semantic analysis of Ekegusii kinship terminologies	2016

2.From June 2009 to July 2014: Part-time lecturer in the department of Communication and Journalism at the Kenya Methodist University

Courses taught: College writing and rhetoric (BUSS 102), Communication Skills (COMM 111)

3.In 2013: Part time lecturer in the department of Education at Garissa University college

Courses taught: Introduction to the study of Language (EDK 100), The Art of writing (EDE 111)

4. In 2011: Part- time lecturer in the school of Education at South Eastern University College

Course taught: Introduction to Linguistics (TLE 101)

5. In 2008-2009: Part time Lecturer in the Education department at African Nazarene University

Courses taught: Discourse Analysis (ENG 301), Fiction writing (ELT 201) and English II (UCC 102)

6. 2008 – 2016: A tutor at St. John's Kilimambogo Teachers' Training College (Kiambu County)

Tutor in English Language, Teaching Methodology and Literature in English

7. 2000 May- 2006: Teacher at Tyaa-Kamuthale Secondary school (Kitui County)

Taught English Language and Literature in English

8. 1998 – 2000 April: Teacher at Sochoi Secondary School (Nandi County)

Taught English Language and Literature in English

DEPARTMENTAL DUTIES

2017: "Course coordinator" for the Communication courses (CLC) for the Department of Linguistics and Languages, University of Nairobi.

EXPERT CONSULTANCY

-February and March 2017: I worked with the Kenya Institute for Curriculum Development (KICD) in the review of the curriculum towards developing a competence based curriculum

-From 2016 to date: A language skills proficiency examiner

-2017 Second language learning curriculum evaluation and advisory consultant