

PERSONAL DETAILS

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EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

2006-2009: University of Nairobi

Masters of Science degree in Agricultural Economic.

Thesis title: Factors Influencing the Adoption of Conservation Tillage Practices and Implication on Profitability in Maize Cowpea Cropping System -Case of Makueni District, Kenya

1999-2003: University of Nairobi

Bachelor of Science degree in Agriculture; Second Class Honours, Upper division.

Major: Agricultural Economics

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

I have actively participated in research work with other scientist and organisations:

2011: Consortium for Improved Agricultural Livelihood in the Central Africa (CIALCA)

Position: Data Manager

2011: University of Nairobi

Project: Electronic in Agricultural Research Network (eARN)

Position: Research Assistant

2011: Grassroots Organisation Working Together in Sisterhood Kenya (GROOTS)

Position: Research Assistant

2009: International Livestock Research Institute (ILRI) & University of Nairobi (UoN).

Position: Research Assistant

2009: Ministry of Environment and Natural Resources and Resource Management and Policy Analysis Institute (REMPAI).

Position: Research Assistant

2008: African Network for Animal Welfare (ANAW) & University of Nairobi (UoN).

Position: Research Assistant

PUBLISHED SCIENTIFIC PAPERS:

Mutune, J.M., Okello, J.J and Gitonga, Z. M., Okello, R. M and Rich, K.M (2010). Value chain analysis of the Kenyan poultry industry: The case of Kiambu, Kilifi, Vihiga, and Nakuru Districts. African/Indonesia Team Working Paper no 24. International Food Policy Research Institute.

Mutune, J.M., Nyikal, R.A., Mburu, J.I and Kironchi, G (2010). Determinants of adoption of conservation tillage practices in maize-cowpea cropping systems: The case of Makueni District, Kenya. Journal of Soil Science and Environmental Management Vol 3(10). University of Nairobi, Kenya.

WORK EXPERIENCE

2006 to 2009: Ministry of Agriculture at Koibatek District

Designation: Senior Agricultural Officer, Position of District Crops Development Officer

2011-2012: PART TIME LECTURER

Part time lecturer for Kenyatta University and Jomo Kenyatta University of Agriculture and Technology

Units taught:

- ✓ Macro-Economics, 40 students instructed
- ✓ Financial accounting in Agribusiness, I instructed 60 students
- ✓ Rural Sociology, I instructed 43 students
- ✓ Rural Sociology, I instructed 130 students

Workshops attended:

Electronics in Agricultural Research Network (eARN) in Ghana, Accra

CIALCA workshop in Rwanda, Kigali

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