

CURRICULUM VITAE

A. PERSONAL DETAILS

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Physical Address: P.O. Box. 732- 30106 Turbo, Eldoret –Webuye Road.
Date of Birth: 4th January, 1954
Marital Status: Married with four children all grown up.

B. EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

Universities: University of Nairobi 1975- 1978 B.Ed. (Arts)
University of Nairobi, 1992, M.A. (Geography.)
Masinde Muliro University of Science and Technology-
2017, Ph.D. (Disaster Management and Sustainable
Development)

C. WORKING EXPERIENCE

1978-1979 Saboti Secondary School- Graduate Teacher
1981 – 1984 Asumbi Teachers College – Graduate Tutor
1984- 1990 Migori Teachers College – Lecturer and Dean of Curriculum
1990- 1993 Jomo Kenyatta University of Agriculture and Technology JKUAT) -
Administrative / Senior Administrative Assistant in the Faculty of
Science
1993-1996 Assistant Registrar in the Faculty of Science
1997- 2003 Senior Assistant Registrar in the Office of Registrar Academic Affairs
2003 to Feb 2007 Western University College of Science and Technology (WUCST)-
Deputy Registrar (Academic Affairs)
Feb.2007- May 2008 Masinde Muliro University of Science and Technology
(MMUST) – Ag Registrar (Academic Affairs)
May 2008 to June 2015 Registrar (Academic Affairs)
July 2015 to December, 2015 on retirement
January, 2016 to Date Lecturer on contract at MMUST

D. PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- Teaching:** Taught both at Secondary and post- Secondary levels
Currently teaching under-graduate and graduate students
- Examining:** Examined “O” level KNEC Examinations from 1981- 1983 and
“A” level KNEC Examinations from 1984- 1989.
- Assessment:** Assessed teachers’ college students on primary school teaching
practice both internally and externally and University students on
school attachment.
- Academic supervision:** Supervising six (6) Masters students; One has
successfully defended and made correction, awaiting graduation
(2022); two have submitted for examination, three are in the
process of analysing data and writing the thesis

E. SEMINARS AND WORKSHOPS

- i) Participated in writing workshops at Kenya Institute of Education (KIE) between 1983 and 1989
- ii) Participated in a seminar for Senior Administrative Officers of JKUAT organized by the Federation of Kenya Employers (FKE) in 1992.
- iii) Participated in a seminar for Western University College of Science and Technology (WUCST) in 2004.
- (v) Participated in KACC- PSIP-Integrity Assurance Officers' Training in 2005.
- vi) Participated in Boston International Conference in Nairobi in 2007
- vii) Participated in Higher Education Loans Board (HELB) workshop on Funding Practicum for students in university programmes in June, 2010
- viii) Presented papers in seminars/workshops as follows among others:
 - a) *University Governance, Structure and Functions*; in 2005.
 - b) *The Legal frame work for fight against corruption*; in 2005.
 - c) *Schedules and procedures and Procedures of handling examinations in the University College*; in 2005.
 - d) *University Examinations-Rules and Regulations*; in 2006.
 - e) *Dealing with Part time Staff*; Workshop for Chairpersons of Academic Departments in 2006.
 - f) *Attachment /Practicum: Challenges and proposed solutions*; Seminar for Deans of Faculties and Chairpersons of teaching Departments in 2011

F. RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- (i) Research for a project in Geography at undergraduate level
- (ii) Research for M. A. thesis in Urban Geography.
- (i) Research for Doctorate thesis in Disaster Management and sustainable Development

Currently undertaking research on mapping urban disasters in Kenya's medium urban centre

G. PUBLICATIONS

1. J.W.S. Mabonga, E.O. Ang'ienda, G.G. Ochieng; *Geography, History and Civics – Nyanza Province*; East Africa Educational Publishers. NAIROBI, 1994.

2. Joash Simiyu Mabonga, *University Establishment and its Role in urban population growth in Kenya*; The International Journal of Humanities & Social Studies. Volume 4. Issue 8, pp123 – 130. August, 2016.

3. Joash Simiyu Mabonga, *University Establishment and its Role in urban Sprawl in Kenya*; International Journal of Innovative Research & Development. Volume 5. Issue 9, pp 134 – 153. August, 2016.

4. Kwemoi J.K, Mabonga W.J.S., Nalyanya W., Analysis of land use change trends in Kimilili peri urban areas from 1990 to 2020 using GIS; Journal of African Interdisciplinary Studies (JIS), pp 4-13, May, 2022 Vol. 5, No. 5.

5. Winnie C., Mulinya C, Mabonga J, Seasonal agricultural drought effects on small scale farmers crop production in Kakamega South Sub- County; International Journal of Research and Innovation in Social Science, Vol. VI Issue V, May 2022, pp 218-2022.

H. BOOK REVIEW

Mabonga, J.W.S. African *Underclass: Crime and Colonial order in Dar – Es-Salaam*; Journal of Science Technology & Education and Management (J-STEM) MMUST Vol. No. 1. 2007 pp194-198.