


Academic Staff Profile Template

1.1 Personal Profile

1.1.1 Personal Details

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1.1.2 Academic & Professional Qualifications

2019 - Date	PhD. Agribusiness Management - Department of Resource Economics, JKUAT Graduate Assistantship Training (GAT) Program - RUFORUM
2014- 2017:	M.Sc. Agribusiness Management and Trade - Department of Agricultural Economics, Kenyatta University.
2009- 2013:	Bachelor of Agribusiness Management (BAM). Department of Agricultural Economics and Agribusiness Management, Egerton University.
2003-2007:	Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education, St. Charles Lwanga Secondary School, Kandara.

1.1.2 Employment History

<u>May, 2019 – Date</u> - Tutorial Fellow - <i>Department of Agricultural Economics, School of Agriculture and Enterprise Development, Kenyatta University</i>	
	<p>Units allocated</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Agricultural Marketing - Introduction to Agribusiness - Farm Business Management - Principles of Agricultural Macroeconomics <p>Duties and Responsibilities In-charge;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Research Training and Consultancy Coordination and Promotion - Assistant ISO Coordinator - Departmental Chief Registration Officer - Academic Advisor, First Year Class.
<u>4th June, 2018 – 14th October, 2018</u> - Data Consultant; <i>Kenya Forestry Research Institute (KEFRI) on promotion of Terminalia brownii propagation for Agroforestry, livelihood improvement and resilience to climate change in the Dryland of Kenya</i>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Participated in the CRACS meetings scheduled in the institutional work plan - Assisted in the design and development of the Terminalia brownii data instrumentation tools for producers and marketers. - Participated in reconnaissance survey and determine the concentration and population of Terminalia brownii in the project sites (Embu, Machakos, Makueni and Kitui counties) - Analysed and document a detailed report on the data checks for reliability and validity of the data instrumentation.

16th Sep, 2014 – 30th April, 2015: **Researcher** : *Kenya Agricultural Productivity & Agribusiness Projects (KAPAP): World's Bank competitive grant on "Promotion of Indigenous Chicken Value Chain (ICVC) in Makueni County in Collaboration with Kenyatta University"*

- Carried out subcomponent funded research by implementing the below titled proposal;
- Adoption & Impact of Improved Poultry production technologies on productivity among smallholder farmers in Kakamega & Makueni Counties.

1.2 Publications

1.2.1 Referred Journals

1. **Njuguna, C. K.**, Kabuage, L.W. & Bett, E. K. (2017). Determinants of Adoption and Intensity of use of Brooding Technology in Kenya: The case of indigenous chicken farmers in Makueni and Kakamega Counties, Kenya. *African Journal of Agricultural Economics and Rural Development*; ISSN: 2375-0693. Available online: <http://internationalscholarsjournals.org/journal/ijaerd/articles>
2. **Njuguna, C. K.**, Kabuage, L.W. & Bett, E. K. (2017). Economic Analysis of indigenous chicken production. The case of smallholder farmers in Makueni and Kakamega counties, Kenya. *International journal of Agricultural Extension and Rural Development*; ISSN 2375-0693. Available online: <http://internationalscholarsjournals.org/journal/ijaerdoa/articles>
3. **Njuguna, C.K.**, Kabuage, L.W. & Bett, E. K. (2018). Impact of improved indigenous chicken breeds on productivity in Kenya. The case of smallholder farmers in Makueni and Kakamega Counties. Available online: *Cogent Food & Agriculture (Cogentoa)*; 4: 1477231. Available online: <https://doi.org/10.1080/23311932.2018.1477231>
4. **Njuguna, C.K.**, Kabuage, L.W. & Bett, E. K. (2019). Analysis of Improved Indigenous Chicken Adoption among Smallholder Farmers: Case of Makueni and Kakamega Counties, Kenya. *International Journal of Agricultural Extension*. ISSN: 2311-6110 (Online). 2311-8547 (Print). Available online: <https://escijournals.net/index.php/IJAE/author/submission/2809#metadata>
5. Albert, M. Luvanda, **Christopher, N. Kamau**, Sylvia, M. Uchi, Pauline Bala and Michael M. Okeyo (2019). Domestication of Terminalia brownii among Smallholder Farmers in Eastern Kenya. A Double Hurdle Approach. *Journal of Economics and Sustainable Development*. ISSN (Online) 2222-2855. DOI: 10.7176/JESD/10-16-07. Available online: <https://iiste.org/Journals/index.php/JEDS/article/view/49298>
6. **Njuguna, C.K.**, Luvanda, A.M., Uchi, S.M., Okeyo, M.M & Bala, P. Utilization of Terminalia brownii among the smallholder farmers in Eastern Kenya. Does it have value? (Under Review): ISSN 2331 1843. Submitted to *Cogent Environmental Science*. <https://www.cogentoa.com/journal/environmental-science>

1.2.3 Conference/Workshops/Seminar Papers

1.2.3.1 Conference Papers

1. Book of Abstract; Published by Kenyatta University Printing Press: **AB 093. Participatory Technology Transfer and Impact in Poultry Production and Marketing: The case of Farmers in Makueni**. Presented in 2nd Biennial Conference in BSSC, Kenyatta University.

Kabuage, L.W., **Kamau, C.**, Kuria, J., Okitoi, L., Oyoko, G., Njuguna, K. & Waithaka, K.