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***CURRICULUM
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PERSONAL DETAILS

Nationality: Kenyan

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KEY QUALIFICATIONS AND AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION

I hold a grant from PASGR & Carnegie Corporation of New York for my Doctoral studies in Public Policy at the University of Nairobi, Kenya. I bring 8 years of experience in research and policy analysis. I have a strong interest in public policy and its ability to improve the lives of people in Africa. I am well-versed in statistical software such as SPSS, STATA, and R, which I have used extensively in my research undertakings. My expertise in public policy, economics, and statistics allows me to work effectively across diverse teams in both public and private sectors. I am committed to delivering practical solutions to Africa's challenges through research and collaboration.

EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

YEAR	INSTITUTION	CERTIFICATE/DEGREE
2022 to date	University of Nairobi	Ph.D. Public Policy
2017	University of Nairobi	Master of Research and

-2019		Public Policy
2012 -	Maseno University	BA. Business Studies with I.T
2016		

WORK EXPERIENCE

November 2022- To Date| Cogent Economics and Finance Journal Peer Reviewer

Accomplishments:

- Contributed to the improvement of papers through providing insightful and constructive feedback.
- Promoted the journal's reputation by adhering to deadlines and maintaining confidentiality.
- Helped to ensure the journal's publication of high-quality research by offering suggestions for revision.

June 2021 - T o D a t e |University of Eldoret Part-Time Lecturer, School of Economics

Roles and Accomplishments:

- Developed and delivered lectures on Introduction to Macroeconomics, Intermediate Macroeconomics, and Economic Statistics, enabling students to acquire knowledge in international trade, economics, and statistical analysis.
- Skillfully harnessed multiple data sources, such as World Bank Development Indicators, Heritage Foundation of Economic Freedom and COMSTAT to extract, review, and analyze economic data, ensuring the provision of timely and accurate information for lectures and class discussions that fostered informed discourse among students.
- Expertly prepared and delivered in-depth policy reports and briefs, effectively enhancing students' comprehension of regional, national, and international trade policies by employing advanced research techniques, robust analytical capabilities, and clear, concise reporting and drafting skills.

Researcher and Public Policy Analyst

Accomplishments:

- Engaging in extensive policy analysis and research in order to develop well-informed recommendations for clients.
- Successfully navigating complex policy landscapes and political environments to get client objectives met.
- Continuously expanding knowledge of international trade, economics, and public policy by reading relevant publications, attending conferences, and networking with experts in the field.
- Managing multiple projects at any given time and providing high quality work despite tight deadlines.
- Curating, conducting, and analyzing trade data from sources such as World Bank Development Indicators, Heritage Foundation of Economic Freedom, Afrobarometer, and Kenya National Bureau of Statistics, utilizing surveys and focus groups to inform client decisions.
- Building and sustaining excellent relationships with clients by being responsive to their needs and requests, and demonstrating expertise in diverse cultural, educational, socio-economic backgrounds.
- Maintaining a high level of accuracy and attention to detail when conducting research, analyzing data, and writing policy reports and briefs.
- Demonstrating initiative by often going above and beyond what is expected or requested.

September 2025 | KICTANNET

Role: Lead Researcher / Curriculum Consultant - Kictannet

- Led a comprehensive study to assess the integration of Technology-Facilitated Gender-Based Violence (TFGBV) concepts into academic curricula.

- Developed a skills-training framework for educators to effectively teach digital safety and legal responses to online violence
- Proposed actionable policy recommendations for updating university syllabi to meet current digital rights challenges.

May 2021 | Kenya National Examination Council

Research Assistant

Accomplishments:

- Successfully carried out ELP Class 5 Data Collection exercise at Jina Primary, Siaya County, to assess Class 5 pupils' competency levels in English, Kiswahili and Mathematics, and their level of acquisition of life skills.

January 2019 | Kenya National Examination Council

Research Assistant

Accomplishments:

- Successfully carried out a data collection exercise at Ndungulu Primary, Uasin Gishu County to facilitate the National Assessments/Monitoring Learner Achievement (MLA) studies under the NASMLA Framework.

June 2012 to 2018 | Focus Business & Research Associates

Co-Consultant

Accomplishments:

- Successfully completed over 100 research projects in international trade, economics, and public policy for clients across government,

NGO, and private sectors, utilizing a variety of research methods, such as surveys, interviews, focus groups, secondary data analysis, and literature reviews.

- Demonstrated expertise in extracting and analyzing trade data from various sources, showcasing the ability to prepare high-quality policy reports and briefs using econometric software packages, including SPSS, STATA, and R.
- Developed and delivered customized training modules on research methods, statistical software packages, and trade policy analysis, catering to the specific needs of clients and institutions, enhancing their understanding and expertise in international trade, economics, and public policy.
- Collaborated effectively with diverse teams, displayed strong research and analytical skills, and efficiently managed multiple tasks and deadlines to achieve high productivity and impactful results.

August 2015 | West Pokot County

Research Associate

Accomplishments:

- Contributed to the development and presentation of sustainable and practical frameworks for the analysis of chicken processing in West Pokot County with the view of increasing its effectiveness and viability as an economic activity.

May 2012 | Family Impact - Africa

Volunteer

Accomplishments:

- Lead a team of 4 in the preparation of well conceptualized funds proposals for several donor requests for proposals which resulted in the organization being awarded the grant.
- Assisted in the preparation of the organization's financial documents and payment schedules resulting to punctual payments to suppliers and closing of its books.
- Carried out successful leadership training sessions organized for prefects from various high schools across the North-rift region.

CONFERENCES ATTENDED

June 2023 | 6th International Conference on Public Policy –
Toronto, Canada

Presented a paper titled, “Exploring the Potential of AI-Based Digital Learning Platforms in Countering Political Disinformation”

May 2022 | 2nd International Conference on Peace, Security and
Social Enterprise – Nairobi, Kenya

Presented a paper titled, “Leveraging Youth Social Media Literacy to Counter Political Disinformation in an Electioneering Period.”

October 2019 | Annual Conference on China- Africa Relations –
Nairobi, Kenya

Presented a paper titled, “Agricultural trade liberalization in Kenya and its implications on Kenya-China trade relations.”

August 2018 | Partnership for Pedagogical Leadership in Africa
– Nairobi, Kenya

Delegate at the Pedal Conference on Catalyzing systemic change in teaching and learning in African Universities.

August 2015 | World Science Conference - Israel
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Delegate at the World Science Conference, Israel on celebrating scientific achievement and fostering interdisciplinary dialogue and cross-national cooperation.

PUBLICATIONS

Kemboi, M.K., Mazenda, A. and Katiyatiya, C.L.F. (2024), "Coping strategies and food insecurity experiences: the case of female-headed agricultural households in Liberia", *British Food Journal*, Vol. 126 No. 7, pp. 2825-2840. <https://doi.org/10.1108/BFJ-10-2023-0884>

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Mazenda, A., **Kipkorir, K. M.**, Asilla, R., & Katiyatiya, C. L. F. (2026). Food Choice and Diet Quality of Women Fishing Households in Tanzania. *Ecology of Food and Nutrition*, 65(3-4), 84-108. <https://doi.org/10.1080/03670244.2026.2663760>

Kemboi, M. (2020). Agricultural Trade Liberalization in Kenya and Implications for Kenya China Trade Relations. *Developing Country Studies*. doi: 10.7176/dcs/10-1-07

Kemboi, M. K., & Oleche, M. O. (2020). Short and Long-Run Impact of Trade Liberalization on Agricultural Growth in Kenya. *International Journal of Finance, Insurance and Risk Management*, 16(3), 117-131. doi:10.35808/ijfirm/226

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Kemboi, M.K, Rop, K.N, & Kering, V. (2021). A case study to establish the economic viability of local chicken production and processing in West Pokot County, Kenya. *Journal of Economics, Management Sciences & Procurement*, 1(1), 1-73

Kemboi, M.K. (2019). The Contribution of Trade Liberalization to Agricultural Growth in Kenya (Masters dissertation, University of Nairobi).

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATION

Member, International Public Policy Association

AWARDS

PASGR & Carnegie Corporation of New York Doctoral Scholarship

R E F E R E E S

Available upon request.