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EDUCATION:

2014 – 2018. PhD-EDUCATIONAL PSYCHOLOGY

Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D) in Educational Psychology, Moi University, Kenya.

(A Thesis on Social Constructs as a Predictor of Boy-Child Educational Aspirations:

A Study of Public Secondary Schools in Nakuru County, Kenya.

Supervisors: Dr. G. Ngeno & Dr. C. Simiyu of Moi University).

2009 - 2012. MED-EDUCATIONAL PSYCHOLOGY.

Master of Philosophy in Educational Psychology, Moi University, Kenya.

(A Thesis on Influence of Socio-Economic Background on Academic Performance of

Public Mixed Day Secondary School Students: A Case of Kuresoi district, Nakuru

County, Kenya: Supervisors: Dr. M. Mulambula and Dr. C. Simiyu of Moi University).

2018 -2021. MBA-STRATEGIC MANAGEMENT

Master of Business Administration (Strategic Management), Kenyatta University

(A Project on Constructs of Quality Management and Organizational Performance of

Nakuru Water & Sanitation Services Company: Supervisors: Dr. Elishiba Murigi of

Kenyatta University.

2002-2008. BED (ARTS)

Bachelor of Education (Arts) **Kiswahili and Mathematics**, Egerton University, Kenya.

2019. SLDP 182

Strategic Leadership Development Programme Certificate 182/2019. Kenya School of Government, Baringo.

1997-2000. KCSE

Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education, Kirobon High School, Nakuru.

1987-1996. KCPE

Kenya Certificate of Primary Education, Teta Primary School, Keringet, Kenya.

Languages: English, Kiswahili and Kalenjin.

Religion: Christian (SDA).

Marital Status: Married.

Date of Birth: 17th November 1979.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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2018 to Date: Lecturer, Kenyatta University in the Department of Educational Psychology.

2016 to 2018: Tutorial Fellow, Kenyatta University in the Department of Educational Psychology.

2012 to 2016: Director. St. Peters' Secondary School – Chesirikwa.

2013 to 2016: Part Time Lecturer, Moi University Department of Educational Psychology

2013 to 2016: Part Time Lecturer, Kisii University-Department of Educational Psychology

2013 to 2016: Part Time Lecturer, Mt. Kenya University Department of Educational Psychology

2015 to 2016: TSC-Tutor, Kericho Teachers Training College in the Department of Mathematics

2014 to 2015: TSC-Graduate Teacher, Chebara Secondary School (Kiswahili and Mathematics)

2009 to 2014: TSC-Graduate Teacher, Silibwet Secondary School (Kiswahili and Mathematics)

2007 to 2009: BOM-Teacher, Rongai Boys Secondary School (Kiswahili and Mathematics)

2006 to 2007: BOM-Teacher, Gilgil Hills Senior School (Kiswahili and Mathematics)

May 2005 -August 2005: T.P. Teacher, Nakuru High School (Kiswahili and Mathematics)

May 2003- Aug 2003: Untrained Teacher, Taita Mauche Sec Sch, (Kiswahili and Mathematics)

May 2001- Aug 2002: Untrained Teacher, Teret Secondary School (Kiswahili and Mathematics)

PROFESSIONAL TRAINING

May-June, 2019: Strategic Leadership Development Programme Certificate SLDP 182 of 2019.
Kenya School of Government, Baringo Campus, Kenya.

27th May, 2014: Certificate for Career Masters: Workshop for High School Teachers Organized by
Egerton University.

September-December, 2003: Certificate in Guidance and Counseling: Kenya Institute of Career &
Professional Counseling.

January-April, 2005: Certificate in Computer Application: Centre for Continuing Education,
Egerton University, Kenya.

February 12-15, 2008: Certificate in Provincial Elocution Seminar for Kiswahili Adjudication
(Mashairi) in St. Mary's Pastoral Centre, Nakuru.

February 16-18, 2011: National Certificate in Handball Refereeing at Menengai High School, Nakuru.

ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE

- 2018 to 2019:** Appointed as the **Chief Officer-Youth & Sports** in the County Government of Nakuru.
- 2017 to 2021:** Elected as **President**, Kenya Handball Federation-Rift Valley Branch
- 2017 to 2021:** Elected as **President**, Kenya Handball Federation -Nakuru County Sub-branch.
- 2011 to 2016:** Elected as **District Sport Secretary** in Kuresoi Secondary School Sports Association.
- 2014 to 2015:** Appointed **Director of Studies** in Chebara Secondary School.
- 2009 to 2014:** Appointed Head of Language Department in Silibwet Secondary School.
- 2009 to 2014:** Appointed **Director of Studies** in Silibwet Secondary School.
- 2010 to 2014:** Appointed **Head of Sports and Games** in Silibwet Secondary School
- 5th August 2010:** **Presiding Officer** during 2010 Referendum- Molo Constituency.
- 30th Dec 2007:** **Presiding Officer** during 2007 General Election- Molo Constituency.
- 20th Sept 2005:** **Presiding Officer** during 2005 Referendum- Molo Constituency.
- 2002-2006:** **Member** in Active Non-Violence (ANV) Society in Egerton University Laikipia Campus.
- 2004-2006:**Elected as the **Chairman-** Egerton University Laikipia Campus Students Association in
- 7TH March 2011:****Facilitator** in Handball Refereeing Organized by Kuresoi District Secondary School
- 4th May 2011:** **Facilitator** during Handball Clinic Organized by Nakuru County Secondary School
- 07th -11th March 2012:** **Organizer DecaHepta** during Term 1 **Provincials** Rift Valley Secondary
- 16th -22th April 2012.** **DecaHepta Official** during Term 1 **Nationals** Kenya Secondary School Sports Association at Maseno School, Kisumu.
- 28th to 30th June 2012:** **Volleyball Organizer** during Nakuru County Term 2B Secondary School Sports at Jomo Kenyatta High School.
- 17th – 21st July 2012:** **Volleyball Referee** during Rift Valley Provincial Term 2B Secondary School Sports at Kapenguria High School, West Pokot.
- 10th – 12th July 2013:** **Volleyball Organizer** during Nakuru County Term 2B Secondary School Sports at Magereza Academy in Naivasha.
- 15th – 19th July 2013:** **Volleyball Referee** during Nakuru Region Term 2B Secondary School Sports at Baringo High School.
- 03rd – 09th August 2014:** **Volleyball Referee** during Kenya National Championship held at Kakamega High School.
- 20thAugust– 02nd Sept 2014:** **Handball Referee** during East and Central Africa Championship held at Dares Salam National Stadium- Tanzania.

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ACHIEVEMENTS

- 20th to 31st August 2016: Handball Boys Coach**-St. Peters' Sec Sch. During East and Central Africa games in Eldoret, Kenya. **Achievement: Became Runners Up.**
- 8th to 14th June 2016: Handball Boys Coach**- St. Peters' Sec Sch. During Kenya National Secondary School Sports Association in Kangaru, Embu. **Achievement: Became 2nd Runners Up.**
- 15th January 2016: Handball Boys Coach Soya Award**-St. Peters' Sec Sch handball boys team nominated for soya awards. **Achievement: Became 2nd Runners Up.**
- 3rd April 2016: Handball Men Coach**-Kericho Teachers Training College during National T.T.Colleges games in Machakos T. T. C. **Achievement: Became 2nd Runners Up.**
- 12th – 24th August 2015: Handball Boys Coach**-St. Peters' Sec Sch. During East and Central Africa games in Huye Rwanda. **Achievement: Became Runners Up.**
- 8th – 14th June 2015. Handball Boys Coach** -St. Peters' Sec Sch. During Kenya National Secondary School Sports Association in Nyeri, Nakuru. **Achievement: Became Runners Up.**
- 23rd – 25th May 2014. Handball Boys Coach**-St. Peters' Sec Sch. During R/valley Sec Sch Sports Association at Tambach High School, Nakuru. **Achievement: Became Runners Up.**
- 20th August– 03 September 2012: Handball Boys Coach** -Silibwet Sec Sch. During East and Central Africa Sec Sch Sports Assoc in Bujumbura Burundi. **Achievement: Became Runners up.**
- 27th May– 03 June 2012. Handball Boys Coach**-Silibwet Sec Sch. During Kenya Secondary School Sports Association at Hill School. **Achievement: Became National Champions.**
- 13th – 17th May 2012. Handball Boys Coach**-Silibwet Sec Sch. During Rift Valley Provincials Sec Sch Sports Association at Hill School, Eldoret. **Achievement: Became Provincials Champions.**

MUSIC & DRAMA

- 17th -18th June 2010:** Adjudicated Kiswahili Elocution during 2010 Kenya Music Festival in Nyandarua District, Kolau.
- 26th -27th May 2011:** Adjudicated Kiswahili Elocution during 2011 Kenya Music Festival in Nandi North District, Mosoriot.

AWARDS.

- 14th March 2009: Certificate in Recognition** of Leadership Qualities from Rongai Boys for Excellent Performance of a Mean: 9.44.
- 15th June 2012: Certificate in Recognition** for improved and Excellent Performance from Silibwet Sec Sch. of a Mean: 5.23.
- 03th June 2012: Gold medal** for winning National Handball Boys Title 2012 during Kenya Secondary School Sport Association at Hill School in Eldoret.

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14th June 2015: Silver medal for becoming second in the National Handball Boys Title 2015 during Kenya Secondary School Sport Association at Nyeri Complex Primary School in Nyeri.

24th August 2015: Silver medal for becoming second in the National Handball Boys Title 2015 during East and Central Africa Secondary School Sport Association in Huye-Rwanda.

14th June 2016: Bronze medal for becoming Third in the National Handball Boys Title 2016 during Kenya Secondary School Sport Association at Kangaru School in Embu.

3rd September 2016: Silver medal for becoming second in the National Handball Boys Title 2016 during East and Central Africa Secondary School Sport Association in Eldoret-Kenya.

KENYAN HIGH SCHOOLS INVITED TALKS

16th June 2007: Isimu Jamii na Uchambuzi wa Hadithi Fupi, Riwaya na Tamthilia at St. Xavious High School, Nakuru, Kenya.

23rd March 2008: The Benefits of Kiswahili as a Subject and the Benefits of Learning Kiswahili na Uchambuzi wa Hadithi Fupi at Rongai Boys High Schools' Kiswahili Day, Nakuru.

PUBLICATIONS:

Published Works.

Koskei, K. B. & Murigi E. (2021). Constructs Of Quality Management And Organizational Performance of Nakuru Water Sanitation and Services Company in Nakuru County, Kenya. *International Journal of Innovative Research and Advanced Studies (IJIRAS)*, 8 (4), 147-153.

Koskei, K. B. (2020). Social Constructs as a Predictor of Boy-Child Educational Aspiration: A study of public secondary schools in Nakuru County, Kenya. *The International Journal of Humanities and Social Studies*, 8 (12), 11-19.

Koskei, K. B., & Chepchumba E. (2020). Teachers' Competency as a Cornerstone on the Implementation of Competency Based Curriculum in Kenya. A Case of Lower Primary Schools in Nakuru County. *International Journal of Education and Research*, 8 (2), 1-10.

Koskei, K. B. (2019). Home Atmosphere as a predictor for students' academic performance: a survey of public mixed day secondary Schools in Kuresoi North Sub-County, Nakuru County, Kenya. *Journal of Emerging Trends in Educational Research and Policy Studies*, 8 (4), 100-112.

Koskei, K. B., Ngeno G. K., & Simiyu C. (2019). School Type and Boy-Child Educational Aspirations: A Study of Secondary Schools in Nakuru County, Kenya. *Journal of Emerging Trends in Educational Research and Policy Studies*, 8 (4), 100-112.

Koskei, K. B., Kilel J. (2017). Tutors' Factors Influencing Quality in Public Primary Teachers Training College in Rift Valley, Kenya. *European Journal of Education Studies*, 3 (2), 347-362 .

Koskei, K. B., Ngeno G., & Simiyu C. (2016). Gender Roles and Boy-Child Educational Aspirations in Secondary Schools in Nakuru County, Kenya. *European Journal of Education Studies*, 2 (11), 221-233.

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- Koskei, K. B., Ngeno G., & Simiyu C. (2016). Teachers' Gender Influencing Boy-Child Educational Aspirations: A Study of Secondary Schools in Nakuru County, Kenya. *European Journal of Education Studies*, 2 (12), 173-188.
- Koskei, K. B., & Ngeno G. (2015). Parental Educational Attainment and Students' Academic Performance in Public Mixed Day Secondary School in Kuresoi Sub- County, Kenya. *International Journal of Innovative Research & Development*, 4 (1), 303-307.
- Koskei, K. B. (2015). Influence of Parental Occupation and Family Income on Students' Academic Performance in Public Mixed Day Secondary School in Kuresoi Sub- County, Kenya. *International Journal of Education and Research*, 3 (1), 179-190.
- Koskei, K. B., & Tonui K. R. (2015). Home Based Factors as Determinants of Secondary School Students Dropouts in Nakuru County, Kenya. *Journal of Educational Policy and Entrepreneurial Research*, 2 (2), 103-113.
- Koskei, K. B., & Simiyu, C. (2015). Role of Interviews, Observation, Pitfalls and Ethical Issues in Qualitative Research Methods. *Journal of Educational Policy and Entrepreneurial Research*, 2 (2), 108-117.
- Koskei, K. B., Tonui K. R., & Simiyu, C. (2015). School Based Factors as Determinants of Secondary School Students Dropouts in Nakuru County, Kenya. *International Journal of Education and Research*, 3 (3), 535-548.
- Simiyu C., & Koskei, K. B. (2014). Influence of Selected Home Characteristics on Students' Academic Performance in Public Mixed Day Secondary School in Kuresoi Sub- County, Kenya. *Kenyan Journal of Guidance, Counseling and Psychology* 4(1), 93-101.
- Koskei, K. B. (2014). Influence of Parental Involvement in Education on Students' Academic Performance in Public Mixed Day Secondary School in Kuresoi Sub- County, Kenya. *International Journal of Education and Research*, 2 (12), 505-516.

SUPERVISIONS

Supervised Works

1. Influence of Football Fanatism on Secondary School Students' Academic Achievement in Kuresoi ward Nakuru County. Student: Ambrose K. Ngeno Reg. no Med/2013/55811.
2. Influence of preschool education on learners' academic performance at lower public primary school in Mauche Division, Nakuru County. Student: Benson Kipkoech Tonui Reg. no Med/2013/45900.
3. Influence of parental involvement on academic performance of public preschool learners in Nakuru Town East Sub-County, Nakuru County. Student: Ann W. Gikonyo Reg. no Med/2014/64481.
4. Effects of class attendance on academic performance in public primary schools in Lake Zone Turkana North Sub-County. Student: Cecilia W. Mwangi Reg.no Med/2014/71320.

Ongoing Supervision

1. Parental Influences on pupils' academic performance in primary schools in Kuresoi North Sub-County, Nakuru County, Kenya: David Bett E55/CE/NKU/34265/2017.

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PROFESSIONAL BODIES

1. Registered member - National Council for Persons with Disabilities (PWD)
2. Registered member - Kenya Guidance, Counseling and Psychological Association of Kenya.
3. Registered member - Athletics Kenya
4. Registered member - Kenya Handball Federation

REFEREES:

Dr. Godfrey Ngeno

Senior Lecturer, Educational Psychology,
Moi University, P.O.Box 3900,
Eldoret, Kenya.

Dr. Joshua Langat

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Egerton University, P.O.Box 536,
Nakuru, Kenya.