

**CURRICULUM VITAE**  
**FOR**  
**AGNES WANJA KIBUI (D.Ed.)**  
**SENIOR LECTURER**  
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## **CURRICULUM VITAE**

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**UNIVERSITY OF NAIROBI**

**KENYA**

### **Status**

Senior Lecturer: Department of Educational Communication and Technology, University of Nairobi.

Areas of Interest : English Language and Literature Education; Early Childhood Education; Indigenous Languages; Conflict Management in Education; Curriculum Development and Literacy Development; Educational Materials Development; Research in Education.

### **Work Contact**

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### **ACADEMIC BACKGROUND**

**2014:** PhD – Conflict Management. Thesis Title: The Role of Conflict Management in Maintenance of Discipline: The Case of Kenya’s Public Secondary Schools – Faculty of Social Sciences, Nelson Mandela Metropolitan University, Port Elizabeth, South Africa.

**2007:** PhD. – Language Education. Thesis Title: The Relationship Between Proficiency in the English Language Comprehension and Vocabulary Among Learners in Selected Kenya Secondary Schools – Faculty of Education, Nelson Mandela Metropolitan University, Port Elizabeth, S.A.

**1988:** M.Sc.: In Teaching English for Specific Purposes. Project title: Aspects of Hedging in The Discussion of Medical Research Discourse. Aston University, Birmingham, U.K.

**1975:** B.A. – Subjects: English, Literature, Religion and Sociology. Makerere University, Uganda.

**1975:** DIP/ED.: Post Graduate Diploma in Education. Subjects: Education, English, Literature, religious Studies. Makerere University, Uganda.

**1969:** EACE: Ngandu Girls High School, Nyeri, Kenya.

**1971:** EAACE: Highlands, Eldoret, Kenya.

## **EMPLOYMENT**

**2013 to date :** Senior Lecturer: English Language and Literature Education, Instructional methods, Conflict management, Early Childhood Education, Materials development, Curriculum Development, supervise undergraduate and postgraduate students, conduct research.

**1991:** Lecturer: Language Education, Literature Education, Supervision of undergraduate students, curriculum and materials Development.

**1980-1990:** Lecturer: Language Education, Kenya Science Teachers' college.

**1975-1979:** Graduate High School Teacher: English Language and Literature in English – Technical High School, Nairobi, Kenya.

**1972:** Untrained Teacher: Arya Girls Primary School, Nairobi.

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

**2009 – 2012:** Conflict Management – Department of Distance and Open Learning, University of Nairobi.

**1991:** Teach and supervise undergraduate and postgraduate students, conduct research, develop curriculum and materials.

**1999 to date:** In-charge of writing materials and assessment in Early Childhood Education

Lecturer in general Methods of Teaching

Lecturer in Instructional Methods: English

Lecturer in Instructional Methods; Literature

Lecturer: Diploma, B.Ed. M.A. in Early childhood Education

**1991 to date:** In-charge of setting examinations, marking and presentation of marks to the college Faculty Board of Examiners , In-charge of writing syllabuses and materials for B.Ed. and M.A. in English, and Early Childhood Education (Undergraduate and Post Graduate students).

**1992 - 2011:** Lecturer, Faculty of External studies- English and Literature

**1980 – 1990:** Kenya Science teachers College

Lecturer in English: Deputy Head of English Department

### **Responsibilities**

**2014 –** Acting Chairman, Department of Educational Communication. & Technology from September 11 to 17, 2014

**2012 -** to date: Zone Coordinator of Nyeri Zone

**2011 -** Zone Coordinator of Eldoret zone

**2005 – 2009:** Facilitator in training of trainers, University of Nairobi

**2008-2010:** Coordinator of BED in early childhood education, Kikuyu Campus

**1991 – 2004:** Member of Teaching Practice Committee: in-charge of budgeting for teaching practice

**2002 – 2004:** Zone coordinator for Teaching Practice in Nyeri zone

**1994 – 1997:** Examinations Officer for the Department of Educational Communication and Technology

**1994 – 1996:** Zone Coordinator of Kirinyaga–Embu–Meru–Zone

**1993:** Zone Coordinator for Teaching Practice in Nairobi zone

**1990:** Deputy zone Coordinator for Teaching Practice in Nairobi (1990), in-charge of posting and supervision of students

**1989 - 1990:** Assistant Treasurer for Teaching Staff Association (1989-1990)

**1975 – 1979:** Technical High School: Head of English Department; In charge of School Library; Head of Maths and Arts Departments.

## **UNIVERSITY SERVICE AND FIELD DEVELOPMENT**

### **Postgraduate Theses Supervision**

#### **Doctor of Philosophy (PhD)**

**2012-2014:** John Irungu Maina: Influence of Head Teachers' Professional Leadership Development on Implementation of Inclusive Education in Public Primary Schools in Kiambu County, Kenya.

**2012-2014:** Lorna B. Mwangi: Effects of Dramatization on Learning of the English Language in Public Secondary Schools in Meru County, Kenya

**2012 to date** Zipporah Kiende Mutea: Relationship between Selected International Practices and Standard Four Pupils' achievement of English Language Benchmarks in Primary Schools in Nairobi County

**2012 to date:** Mwangi J. Thiong'o: The Effects of Practical Work on Students' Performance in Chemistry in Kenyan Secondary Schools

**2012 to date:** Fredrick B. N. Mutiso: Differential Issues Hindering the Success of Early Childhood Development in Makueni County.

**2012: to date:** Nobert Were Isanya: Factors Influencing Students' Performance in History and Government in selected secondary schools in Nairobi County.

#### **Master of Education (Med.)**

**2014 to date:** Mwilu J. Musili: Influence of school feeding programme on pre-school children's enrolment in Mumoni sub County, Kitui County.

**2014:** Maureen M. Abincha: Influence of Parental Involvement on Performance of ECDE Children: A Case of Many Division, Nyamira County.

- 2014:** Catherine W. Ndungu: Influence of Teacher Characteristics on Motivation of Preschool Children in Learning the English Language in Starehe District, Nairobi County.
- 2014:** Catherine N. Kanya: Effects of Teachers' efficacy in Handling individual Differences on Language Achievement of Pre-scholars in Kajiado County, Kenya.
- 2014 to date:** Edward K. Njogu: The Influence of Mother Tongue in learning English in Early Childhood Development Centers in Kiritiri Division, Embu County.
- 2013:** Gicharu P. Wangui: The Effects of HIV/AIDS on Academic Performance of Preschool Children in Kijabe Mission Centre, Kijabe Location, Kiambu County, Kenya
- 2012:** Kiilu T. Mutinda: The Influence of Teacher Characteristics in children's Participation in Number work Activities in Selected Preschools in Kathiani District.
- 2012:** Simon B. Nyangwansa: The Effect of Managerial Leadership on the Performance in ECDE Centres in Gucha South District, Kisii count, Kenya
- 2012:** Joel Ngui: The Role of First Language in Learning of English in Early childhood Development centres in Ndithini Division, Machakos County
- 2012:** Margaret M. Mbogo: Management of Occupational Stress Among Secondary School Teachers of Kyeni Division, Embu East District.
- 2011:** Ng'ang'a C. Kanyi: The Impact of Educational Policies on Access to Preschool Education in Kikuyu District
- 2011:** Charles R. Mutugi: The Influence of Mother tongue Instruction on the Performance of Language Activities in Early Childhood Centres in Mwerua zone, Kirinyaga West District
- 2011:** Vincent Mugambi: The Impact of the Preschool Feeding Programme on the Performance of Preschool Children in Kangeta Division, Meru County, Eastern Province
- 2011:** Ngige Charles Nyoro: The Effects of Language Skills on Academic Performance of Preschoolers in Kikuyu District, Kenya
- 2011:** Monica w. Mwangi: The Impact of Parenting Styles on Preschool Children's Attendance in Starehe District, Nairobi County, Kenya
- 2011:** Kariuki M. Wangui: The Influence of Learning Environment on Reading Comprehension Among Pre-unit Children in Kikuyu Division Kiambu County

- 2011:** Determinants of the quality of Early Childhood Development Education in Mandera Central District, Kenya
- 2010:** Monica M. Kagwima: The Parents' Influence on the Performance of Preschool Children in Miriga Mieru West Division of Imenti North District
- 2010:** Migwi M. Seline: The Impact of Community Support Grant on Access to ECDE in Tharaka District
- 2010:** Lucy M. Munyiri: The Impact of School Feeding Programme on Performance of Preschoolers of Kabete Zone in Kikuyu District
- 2010:** Maina L. Nyaguthii: Factors That Contribute to the Performance in Language Activities in Preschools in Ndeiya division, Kiambu County
- 2010:** Zilpa B. A. Muga: An Evaluation of the Care Given to Children at Charitable Institutions in Westlands District, Nairobi Province, Kenya
- 2010:** Samson E. Munini: The Influence of Single Parenthood on Preschool Children's Academic Performance in Kirinyanga District: A Case Study of Mwea division
- 2009:** Mutai M. Cherotich: A Study of The Impact of Phonemic Awareness and Phonics Intervention on Children's Reading Achievement: A Case Study of Shadrack Kimalel Primary School, Nairobi
- 2009:** Hussein A. Hassan: Determinants of The Girl Child Participation in Secondary School Education in Central Division of Mandera East District, Kenya
- 2000:** Chege M. Wangui: Effectiveness of Decentralized Recruitment of Secondary School Teachers in Kiambu East and West Districts, Kenya

### **SEMINARS, WORKSHOPS AND PAPERS PRESENTED**

- 2014:** First Annual International Interdisciplinary Conference, July 30<sup>th</sup> – August 2<sup>nd</sup> 2014 at Kisii University, Kenya. Paper Presented-Globalization, Education and Development in Africa: Best Practices in teaching and evaluation: Challenges and opportunities at the primary school level in Kenya. (Co Authored)
- 2014:** Annual International Writers' Conference on 12<sup>th</sup> – 14<sup>th</sup> February, 2014 at the Catholic University of Eastern Africa, Gaba Publications. Paper presented – The Role of the Church in Enhancing Multicultural Education for Positive Social Development in Kenya.
- 2014:** On the Teaching of Secondary School English on 24<sup>th</sup> February 2014 at Kenya Institute of Curriculum Development, Nairobi.



- 2013:** National Pastoralist Education Conference on 19<sup>th</sup> – 21<sup>st</sup> February, 2013 at KIE, Nairobi, Kenya.
- 2013:** Three-step Activity to envision higher education for all locally on 24<sup>th</sup> – 25<sup>th</sup> January 2013, at Silver Springs Hotel, Nairobi, Kenya.
- 2012:** Multicultural Education as a Tool for Social Change: A Case Study of Kenyan Universities. Presented on 3<sup>rd</sup> August 2012, at NMMU, Port Elizabeth, South Africa.
- 2012:** Workshop on e-Learning on 2<sup>nd</sup> – 4<sup>th</sup> March at ODeL Centre, School of Education, University of Nairobi.
- 2011:** Education as a Tool for Socio-economic Change in Kenya, presented on 9<sup>th</sup> to 11<sup>th</sup> November 2011: Catholic University of East Africa - Gaba Campus, Eldoret.
- 2011:** International Conference: Early Grade Reading Assessment (EGRA) at KIE on 7<sup>th</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup> June, 2011.
- 2010:** ESAR- Training Workshop on Education in Emergencies on 16<sup>th</sup> to 19<sup>th</sup> March, 2010, Kasarani Sportsview Hotel, Nairobi, Kenya.
- 2010:** Kenya Education Staff Institute (KESI): Innovations in Education Management conference at KICC on May 27<sup>th</sup> – 28<sup>th</sup> 2010.
- 2004:** Gender, Education and Development: Beyond Access Seminar 2. Teachers' Workshop: Pedagogic Strategies for Gender Equality and Quality Basic Education in Schools. African Conference held on 3<sup>rd</sup> February 2004, at Jacaranda Hotel, Nairobi, Kenya.
- 2002:** Report on Institutions – Gender Issues: The Status of Women Leadership in The Universities: A Case of University of Nairobi, presented at the International conference of Women and Management in Higher Education: Regional of Trainer Workshop -16<sup>th</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup> June, 2002 at Catholic University of East Africa.

## **CHAPTERS IN PEDAGOGY MANUAL**

2012 – English as a Medium of Instruction

2012 – Teaching as Communication

### **Publications: Articles in Journals**

**2014:** Language Policy in Kenya and the New Constitution for Vision 2030: International Journal of Educational Science and Research- ISSN: 2249-8052, Vol.4 October, 2014.

**2014:** Conflict Management as a Tool for Restoring Discipline in Kenyan Public Secondary Schools: International Journal of Scientific Research and Innovative Technology- ISSN: 2313-3759, Vol. 1 No. 3, October, 2014 (Co-authored).

**2014:** The Role of the Church in Enhancing Multicultural Education for Positive Social Development in Kenya: AMECEA- Gaba Publications- AFER, Vol 56. October, 2014.

**2014:** Gender Equity in Education Development in Kenya and the New Constitution for Vision 2030: International Journal of Scientific Research and Innovative Technology, ISSN: 2313-3759-Vol. 1 No. 2; September 2014 (co-authored).

**2014:** Conflict Mitigation in Enhancing Discipline in Kenya's Secondary Schools: DBA Africa Management Review, August 2014, Vol 4 No 2. pp 1-13.

**2012:** An Analysis of Kenyan Learners' proficiency in English Based on Reading Comprehension and Vocabulary: Journal of NELTA, Vol 17 No. 1-2, December 2012 (Co-authored).

**2012:** Determinants of the girl child participation in secondary school education in Central Division of Mandera East District Kenya. The Fountain Journal of Educational Research, University of Nairobi (Co – Authored).

**2010 :** The Proficiency in English Vocabulary and Reading Comprehension in Kenyan Secondary School Learners: The Fountain Journal of Educational Research, University of Nairobi.

**2010 :** Education as a Vehicle for Socio-Economic Change in Kenya. AMECEA Gaba Publications – CUEA Press, Church and Development. Vol. 54, Nos. 1 & 2 March/June 2012

### **Books**

**2012:** Reading and Comprehension in the African Context: A cognitive enquiry: Zapf Chancery Publishers African Ltd.

**2012:** Module on Distance and Open Learning: TEC 108 – Health and Safety for Preschools (Co – Authored).

## **OTHER NATIONAL DUTIES**

**2010:** External Examiner of B.Ed. English and Literature at Tangaza College – Constituent College of Catholic University of East Africa

**1994 – 1997:** Member of Association of African Women of Research and Development

**1987 – 1988:** Examiner – EAACE Literature in English paper 311

**1984 – 1987:** Setter and Moderator of English Literature paper 205/2

**1976 – 1987:** Examiner of paper 205/2 – English Literature

**1979 – 1987:** Team Leader of Literature in English paper 205/2

**1985 – 1987:** Examiner – Primary Teacher Training Colleges English Examinations

**1979 – 1984:** Member of Secondary English Panel in charge of writing curriculum and syllabus for English and selecting English textbooks for schools

## **MEMBERSHIP TO ASSOCIATIONS**

- Member of Non Fiction and Academic Authors' Association
- Member of Mukurweini District Education Board
- Member of Catholic Women's Association, Don Bosco Church
- Member of Small Christian Community of St. Francis De Sales
- Member of Sore Drive Women's Group, South B

## **HOBBIES**

- Reading Academic Materials and Assorted Literature
- Travelling and Interacting with Diverse Cultural Environments
- Socializing and Charitable Work
- Agricultural and Domestic Activities