



KENYATTA UNIVERSITY

ACADEMIC STAFF PROFESSION PROFILE FORM



1. PERSONAL DATA

NAME: Daniel Namusonge Sifuna
TITLE/QUALIFICATION: Doctor of Philosophy
DEPARTMENT: Educational Foundations
SCHOOL: Education
CONTACT ADDRESS: P. O. Box 64991 0620 Mobil Plaza, Nairobi, Kenya
POSITION: Professor
AREA OF SPECIALISATION: History of Education & Comparative Education
RESEARCH INTEREST: Education

2. CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

S/No.	Presenter	Title of Paper Presented	City/Country	Date of Conference	Funding (US\$)
i.	D. N. Sifuna	Partnership in Educational Assistance to African Countries: Rhetoric or Reality. Seminar Paper, Centre for the Study of International Cooperation in Education (CICE). 21 st	Hiroshima, Japan	December, 2000	
ii.	D. N. Sifuna	African Education in the Twenty-First Century: The Challenge for Change. Seminar Paper, Centre for the Study of International Cooperation in Education (CICE).	Hiroshima, Japan	March, 2001.	
iii.	D. N. Sifuna	Indigenous Knowledge and	Nairobi, Kenya	September,	

		Education: The Challenge for Curriculum Relevance in Primary Education in Africa. Workshop on Local and Indigenous Knowledge, Nairobi Kenya, 1-4		2003	
iv.	D. N. Sifuna, N. Sawamura and J. Kaime	Impact of the School-based Teacher Development (SbTD) and Strengthening Mathematics and Science in Secondary Education (SMASSE) In-Service Education and Training Programmes on Classroom Interaction in Primary and Secondary Schools in Kenya. International Workshop on SMASSE.	Nairobi, Kenya	December, 2005	
v.	D. N. Sifuna and N. Sawamura	Universal Primary Education (UPE): The Experience of Free Primary Education. Workshop on A Comparative Analysis of Universal Primary Education Policy and Administrative and Financial Systems in Sub-Saharan Africa. Graduate School of International Cooperation Studies	Kobe University, Japan	March, 2008	2000
vi.	D. N. Sifuna	Concept and Function of Quality Education, Japan Education Forum	Tokyo, Japan	February, 2009	2000
vii.	D. N. Sifuna	The Challenge of Education for Nationhood, Patriotism and Development in Kenya, National Conference on the "Kenya We Want."	Nairobi, Kenya	February, 2009	
viii.	D. N. Sifuna & N. Sawamura	Challenge of Quality Education in Sub-Saharan Africa, Africa-Asia Dialogue	Accra, Ghana	January, 2010	1000
ix.	D. N. Sifuna & N. Sawamura	UPE and Quality of Education in Sub-Saharan	Paris, France	February, 2010	2000

3. RESEARCH & FUNDED PROJECTS

S/No.	Researcher	Year	Title	Donor	Funding (US\$)
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4. FUNDED PROJECTS & RESEARCH

S/No.	Researcher	Year	Title	Donor	Funding (US\$)
i.	D. N Sifuna	2008	Violence Against Girls in School	Action Aid Kenya	5000
ii.	D. N. Sifuna & N. Butcher	2011	Evaluation Commission for VLR-Moi University Programme	VLIR OUS Brussels	5000
iii.	D. N. Sifuna	2011	Scoping Study on Quality Education	CIDA Canada	5000
iv.	D. N. Sifuna & I. Oanda	2012-1213	Kenyan Universities and Employability	British Council	6000

5. PUBLICATIONS

S/No.	Author	Year	Title	Journal	ISBN/ISSN Reference No.
i.	D. N. Sifuna	2000	Education for Democracy and Human Rights in African Schools: The Kenyan Experience	African Development Vol. XXV Nos. 1 & 2,	ISSBN 0850-3907
ii.	D. N. Sifuna	2000	Partnership in Educational Assistance to African Countries: Rhetoric or Reality?	Journal of International Cooperation in Education Vol. 3 No. 2,	
iii.	D. N. Sifuna	2001	African Education in the Twenty-first Century: The Challenge for Change,	Journal of International Cooperation in Education, Vol. 4 No. 1	
iv.	D. N. Sifuna	2005	Increasing Access and Participation of Pastoralist Communities in Primary Education in Kenya	International Review of Education, Vol. 51 Nos. 5-6	
v.	D. N. Sifuna	2006	A Review of Major Obstacles to Women's Participation in Higher Education in Kenya,	Research in Post-Compulsory Education, Vol. 11, No. 1,	ISSN 1359-6748/ISSN 1747-5112
vi.	D. N. Sifuna J. G. Kaime and N. Sawamura,	2007	The Effect of In-service Education and Training (INSET) Programmes in Mathematics and Science on Classroom Interaction: A Case Study of Primary and Secondary Schools in Kenya,	Africa Education Review Vol. 4 No. 1,	ISSN 1814-6627
vii.	D. N. Sifuna	2007	The Challenge of Increasing Access and Improving Quality: An Analysis of Universal Primary Education (UPE) Interventions in Kenya and Tanzania since the	International Review of Education, Vol. 53, Nos. 5-6.	

			1970s,		
iii.	Sawamura, N. and Sifuna, D. N	2008	Universalizing Primary Education in Kenya: Is it Beneficial and Sustainable	Journal of International Cooperation in Education , Vol. 11 No. 3.	
ix.	Nishimura, M; Keiichi, O.; Sifuna, D.; Chimombo, J.; Kunje, D.; Ampiah, J; Byamugisha, A.; Sawamura, N.; and Yamada, S.	2009	A Comparative Analysis of Universal Primary Education in Ghana, Kenya, Malawi and Uganda,	Journal of International Cooperation in Education , Vol. 12 No. 1,	
x.					
xi.	Fatuma N. Chege & D. N. Sifuna	2006	Girls' Women's Education in Kenya; Gender Perspectives and Trends	UNESCO, Nairobi,	
xii.	D. N. Sifuna, Fatuma N. Chege and Ibrahim O. Oanda (eds.)	2006	Themes in the Study of the Foundations of Education,	The Jomo Kenyatta Foundation, Nairobi,	ISBN 9966-22-504-8
xiii.	D. N. Sifuna & Oanda, I. O.	2008	Education: Anglophone Eastern and Central Africa. In J. Middleton and J. C. Miller (eds.) New Encyclopedia of Africa,	Detroit, Gale, Cengage Learning.	ISBN 13:978-0-684-31557-7/ISBN 10: 0-684-31557-2
xiv.	D. N. Sifuna	2008	Achieving Universal Primary Education: A Review of Free Primary Education Interventions in Kenya. In Jasmine E. Larkey and Viola Maynard, (eds.) Innovation in Education,	New York, Nova Science Publishers, Inc.	ISBN 978-1-60456-275-0
xv.	D. N. Sifuna	2009	The African-Centered Curriculum: Challenges and Strategies for Change. In Rebuilding Education in Africa	Publication of Proceedings: Conference held in Dar es Salaam, Tanzania, African Union 24-27 March	
xvi.	D. N. Sifuna	2010	Challenges of Quality	New York,	ISBN 978-1-

	Nobuhide Sawamura,		Education in Sub-Saharan African Countries,	Nova Science Publishers, Inc.	60741-509-1
xvii	D. N. Sifuna	2011	The Role of Teacher Education in Increasing the Supply the Supply of Primary School Teachers in Sub-Saharan Africa,	Journal of International Cooperation in Education, Vol. 14 No. 2	
xviii	D. N. Sifuna	2012	Early Childhood Care and Education in Sub-Saharan Africa: A Critical, but Neglected Sector of Education	Papers in Education and Development No. 31	ISSN 0856-4027

6. CONSULTANCY & COMMUNITY SERVICE

S/No.	Consultant (s)	Consulting Person/Body/Organization	Year	Title of Consultancy Service	Payment (US\$)
ii.	Neil Butcher & Daniel N. Sifuna	VLIR OUS-Brussels	2010-2011	Evaluation Commission VLIR-Moi University Programme	10,000
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COMMUNITY SERVICE					
	Position/Activity	Organisation		Status	Nature
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7. AFFILIATIONS TO PROFESSIONAL BODIES & INSTITUTIONAL LINKAGES

S/no.	Professional Body	Nature	
i.	International Review of Education	Board Member-Review of Articles	
ii.	International Journal of Educational Development	Board Member-Review of Articles	
iii.	Vlaamse Interuniversitaire Raad (VLIR) and Universitaire Ontwikkelingssamenwerking (UOS), Consortium of Belgian Universities, Brussels, Belgium, March-September,	Evaluation of Science and Technology Proposals for Funding	

	2008 to Date		
Institutional Linkages			
	Department/Organization/ School/Centre/Directorate	Linkage (University/Institution)	Status/Remarks
i.	Department of Educational Foundations	Centre for International Cooperation in Education (CICE), Hiroshima University	Initiated Link
ii.			
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8. NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL RECOGNITION AND AWARDS

S/no.	Name of Award	Awarding organisation	Year
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9. EXTERNAL EXAMINER & EXTERNAL UNIVERSITY EVALUATOR

S/no	Institution –External Examiner	Degree/ programme	Year
i.	University of Dar es Saalam	M. A Education and B. Ed	2007-2012
ii.	University of Pretoria	PhD Theses	2006-2009
iii.			
iv.			
Programme Evaluation (University)			
i.	University of California, School of Education	Evaluation of Dr Edith Mukudi's Papers	2007
ii.	University of Cape Coast, Ghana	Evaluation of Papers for Promotion, Positions of Senior Lecturer to Associate Professor to	1999 to Date

		Professor (4 Applicants)	
iii.	Brooklyn College, New York,	Evaluation of Papers for Promotion, Positions of Associate Professor to Professor (Florence Namulundah)	2012
iv.	University of Dar es Salaam	Evaluation of Papers for Promotion, Positions of Senior Lecturer to Professor (Dr William Anangisye)	2012
v.	Catholic University of Eastern Africa	Evaluation of Papers for Promotion, Positions of Associate Professor to Professor (Maurice N. Amutabi)	

10. SUPERVISION OF POSTGRADUATE STUDENTS

S/No	Name of Student	Institution	Degree	Thesis Title	Status
					Graduated
i.	F. N. Chege	University of Cambridge	PhD	Gender Value and Transition to Adulthood: A Study of Two Urban Schools in Kenya	2001
ii.	C. K. Ngome	Kenyatta University	PhD	The Impact of the School Feeding Programme on the Participation Rates of Primary Pupils in Kajiado District, Kenya	2002
iii.	E. A. Omolo	Kenyatta University	M. Ed	The Development of Christian Industrial Education: A Case Study of Christian Industrial Training Centre (CITC) Nairobi 1958-1995	2002
iv.	L. N. Wanjama	Kenyatta University	PhD	Factors Influencing Gender Mobility to the Top Levels of Educational Management	2002
v.	I. O. Oanda	Kenyatta University	PhD	Community Financing of Primary Schooling in Kenya and its Implications on Quality: Case Studies from Kajiado and South Kisii Districts	2003
vi.	V. K. Wawire	Kenyatta University	PhD	Factors that Influence the Quality and Relevance of Early Childhood Education in Kenya: Multiple Case Studies of Nairobi and Machakos Districts	2006

vii.	E. Opit	Kenyatta University	PhD	The relationship Between Government's Science-Based University Sponsorship Policy and Girls' Participation i Science at A-Level in Wakiso and Mukono Districts in Uganda	In Progress
iii.	M. M. Obonyo	Kenyatta University	PhD	Exploring Institutional Intervention to Widen Equitable Access to Universities in Kenya for Students fro ASAL Region	Graduated
ix.	J. N. Kisaka	Kenyatta University	PhD	Causes, Types and Effects of Drug Abuse in Secondary Schools: The Case of Garissa and Ijara Districts, Kenya	Graduated

11. PATENTS (IF ANY)

12. ADMINISTRATION POSITIONS HELD TO DATE

S/No	Positions	Year
i.	Chairman, University Research Review and Advisory Board (URRAB)	2009 to date
ii.	Chairman, Departmental Postgraduate Studies Committee	2003 to date
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