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# SUMMARY OF SKILLS AND QUALIFICATIONS

- A development Practitioner with over three years of progressive experience in development work in areas of: Livelihoods, Sexual Reproductive Health & Rights, Contemporary Menstrual Health Hygiene and Management, Gender and Women Empowerment, Youth Mentorship, Research & policy Advocacy etc.
- Analytical research experience: qualitative research, survey design, and simple statistical analysis
- Significant project cycle management: design, planning, implementation, monitoring, evaluation, reporting.
- Knowledge of Sexual Reproductive Health & Rights and Menstrual Health Management.
- Knowledge of M&E System design: Theory of Change, Logical Framework, and others
- Basic financial, procurement, human resources, &administration management; significant experience in resource mobilization &fundraising; Facilitation, Training, Capacity building and mentoring.
- Microsoft Office skills, good proficiency in Internet browsing and public speaking skills.

#### **TRAININGS**

- Sexual Reproductive health and menstrual hygiene training by WoMena
- Football for WASH training by Viva con aqua and Welthungerhilfe in 2018
- Voices of youth: Youth advocacy for GCED in 2019
- Gender Responsive Governance training at the Hague academy of Local Governance in 2021
- Youth for policy migration fellow by Konrad Adenauer Stiftung 2022

#### **EDUCATION**

# MA. Public Policy and International Affairs (2019-2022)

Beirut, Lebanon

American University of Beirut, Lebanon

**Publication**: Examining the agenda setting processes of the Ugandan Parliament: A case study of the

Uganda Parliamentary Youth Forum in its efforts to end youth unemployment and underemployment.

**Concentration**; Qualitative Research Methods; Statistical research Methods.

## **Bachelor – Development Studies** (2013-2016)

Kampala, Uganda

School of humanities and social sciences, Makerere University

<u>Concentrations:</u> Economics, Gender culture and society, IT and computer applications, Poverty and equity, development philosophy and ethics, Research methodology, political economy and development, Development theories, Urbanization and development, rural development, civil society and development, Decentralization and development, state and development, energy, environment and development, Comparative development processes and ideologies, social services and development,

Human rights and development, Hunger and food security, development policy science, Human development. Leadership and community development, population and development, globalization and development, science technology and development, regional integration and development, project planning and management etc.

#### CONSULTANCIES

## **Project evaluation consultancy with Mercy corps (June and August 2023)**

Conducted land rights and ownership awareness campaigns and impact analysis of the ekisil project in the tepeth and rupa communities and came up with reports.

Conducted project impact evaluation of the beneficiaries to understand the extent of the impact and way forward post the project.

### **American University of Beirut**

Beirut, Lebanon

Research Consultant, MasterCard Foundation Scholars' program (February to May 2022)

- Provided technical support to the program director in conducting extensive research on refugees, graduate unemployment, existing policies to counter graduate unemployment in Africa, gaps, challenges, causes and possible solutions.
- Provided technical support in the documentation of the MasterCard refugee scholars program targeting Palestinian and Syrian refugees in Lebanon, detailing numbers, impact, challenges, solutions and the current state of the program, including researching on the background of the Syrian and Palestinian refugee crisis.
- Providing weekly reports to the Program Director
- I attended various workshops and seminars on the refugees and education on behalf of the Program Director and providing reports.

# Makerere University School of Public Health Kampala, Uganda

Research fellow and team leader, January 2021- June 2021

- I Led a team of research assistants in Conducting qualitative data collection on Tobacco use among youth in Moroto district.
- I participated in data collection through conducting Focus Group Discussions, Key Informant interviews, among others to get respondent's views on the topic.
- I coordinated the translating of questionnaires as well as transcribing of the recorded interviews.
- I coordinated the administrative and financial logistics of the research team including fully accounting for field funds.

## **Africa Leadership Institute**

Kampala, Uganda

# Policy Advocacy-graduate intern (August 2020- December 2021

- Contributed to the development of policy briefs on Leadership and Governance of Higher Education in Uganda, Constitution of University Councils, and Management of Disasters in Uganda.
- Participated in resource mobilization through proposal writing and coordinating other resource mobilization efforts.
  - Participated in program reviews to identify gaps and areas that need improvement in the Parliamentary Performance Scorecard and Civic Engagement Project at AFLI.

• Extensively participated in conducting capacity building sessions with AFLI's partners such as Uganda Management Institute as a way of strengthening coordination and partnership, etc.

# Save the children, Karamoja

# Uganda

Research Assistant 2015 – 2016 (Part time)

Participated in data collection

Collected data collection on the state of female genital mutilation in Karamoja and its impact on child education, role of young fathers in child development.

#### FULL-TIME PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

## Tocau Karamoja Organization

Grants and partnerships Coordinator

- I lobby for organization resources from both local and international funders.
- I source partnerships from both individuals, private, public, and international potential organizations.
- I coordinate stakeholder meetings to maintain good relations with government and other organizations.

## Welthungerhilfe, Moroto office.

Moroto, Uganda

WASH Officer and Team leader for the Menstrual Hygiene and Sexual Reproductive Health Project (January 2017- August 2019)

- I facilitated training of trainers across secondary schools, district official and community peers in South and Central Karamoja
- I spearheaded the promotion of menstrual hygiene management among schoolgirls in all the 9 districts of Karamoja region.
- I championed the introduction of menstrual cups for girls in schools and women in Karamoja as a more sustainable and affordable method of managing menstruation in rural settings.
- Led the Planning and budgeting of project activities.
- Ensured the collaboration and working with stakeholders to as a way of enhancing project ownership for sustainability purposes.
- Participated in activity monitoring and evaluating.
- Conducted community sensitization and training on menstrual hygiene management and menstrual cup use.

#### **ACHIEVEMENTS**

- Awardee of the Mastercard Fellowship program 2019-2022
- Awardee of the government of Uganda scholarship program 2013-2017
- Awardee of Nuffic scholarship scheme 2021
- Youth for policy Migration fellow by Konrad Adenauer Stiftung 2022

**LANGUAGES: English-**Fluent in spoken & written, **Kiswahili** Fair in spoken & written, **Luganda**fair in spoken & written

## **REFEREES**

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