

# CURRICULUM VITAE

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## **Profile**

A person of simple life style, reasonable interpersonal skill, highly adaptive to a diversity of service delivery environment, a result oriented fellow principled with values of professionalism, honesty, team spirit and commitment.

## **Competencies**

- Technical documentation (proposals, business plans, policy documents and reports)
- Conducting research work (surveys, needs assessment, impact assessment, and feasibility studies)
- Consultancy in agriculture, forestry, renewable energy, natural resources management, real estate management, project planning & management

## **Previous engagements under institutional employment**

- To date: Energy Poverty Consultant for Solar Health Uganda responsible for consultancy in promoting access to clean, renewable energy by disadvantaged categories of people in energy poor communities.
- 2016 – 2019: Aquaponics Entrepreneurship Consultant for Africa Aquaponics Community Fish Farmers Cooperative Society, responsible for promoting the adoption of Commercial AfriCAN Aquaponics (CACANA) technology of fish farming.
- 2018 – 2019: Grants and Projects Officer for Kampala University, responsible for attending to grant opportunities, securing grants and supervising community service projects for the University.
- 2016 – 2019: Technical Officer for Kyosiga Community Christian Association for Development (KACCAD) responsible for planning and conducting trainings, technical documentation, conducting solar needs assessments, and impact assessments.
- 2013 – 2018: Grants and Training Consultant for Cosma Sustainable Rural Development, responsible for writing proposals, and conducting trainings of farmers in aspects of farming, environment conservation and protection, sustainable land use and agribusiness.
- 2017 – 2018: Real Estate Business Consultant for Afrod Xtadyl Uganda Limited, responsible for sourcing and promoting the business of real estate management including maintaining a data base of properties for sale and rentals.

- 2014 – 2016: Field Manager for Tree Trends Limited responsible for plantation establishment, supervising contractors for plantation maintenance, and forest product harvesting plus related documentation.
- 2010 – 2013: Research Coordinator for countrywide research on Homosexuality and Human Rights in Uganda. Research was undertaken by independent researchers from Makerere University, College of Humanities, School of Liberal and Performing Arts.
- 2009 – 2010: Agriculture Columnist for the ‘Eddoboozi’ newspaper, responsible for news regarding agricultural issues.
- 2006 – 2009: Consulting Manager for Sky Consult Limited responsible for sourcing consultancy assignments and coordinating their proper implementation and carrying out related documentation.
- 2004 – 2006: Field Extension Officer for Buganda Cultural And Development Foundation (BUCADEF) responsible for coordinating activities of the Food Security, Nutrition and Poverty Alleviation Project (FOSENPAP) in Luwero district.
- 1997 – 2002: Operations Officer for Green boat Uganda Limited, responsible for supervising Branch Officers in the work of managing street parking in Kampala City.
- 1995 – 1996: Farm Manager for Fair Farm Limited, responsible for all farm management activities including production, storage, marketing and record keeping among other responsibilities.
- 1991 – 1994: Farm Manager for Agrophon Limited, responsible for proper operation of the farm business inclusive of staff administration, production aspects, proper storage of farm products, marketing the products, and record keeping among other things.
- 1989 – 1991: Project Coordinator for Islamic African Relief Agency in-charge of Uganda and the then Zaire (now Democratic Republic of Congo), responsible for promoting sustainable agriculture, agro-forestry and project documentation.

### **Previous engagements at personal level**

#### **Trainings**

- Trained fish farmers in commercial aquaponics skills under the Skills Development Facility grant provided by the World Bank and supervised by the Private Sector Foundation Uganda (PSFU).
- Trained women guardians of Children With Mental Disabilities in business skills under the women economic empowerment project by an NGO, Mukisa Foundation.
- Trained members of the Street Kids NGO Network in programme and institutional sustainability.
- Trained Lwabenge farmers in sustainable agriculture under the Integrated Rural Development Project
- Trained communities of Lwabenge Sub county in aspects of environment conservation and protection, afforestation and reforestation

## Documentation

- Wrote a Loan Manual for Mukisa Foundation
- Wrote policy documents for Afrod Xtadyl Uganda Limited
- Wrote Constitution for Bulenga Youth Development Association
- Wrote Constitution and policy documents for Kasangati Youth Association
- Wrote a business expansion plan for Afro Establishments Limited
- Wrote a needs assessment proposal for Rotary Club of Buloba
- Wrote Memorandum and Articles of Association for Slyna Investments Limited
- Wrote Memorandum and Articles of Association for Afrod Xtadyl Uganda Limited

## Research work

- Conducted a community needs assessment for Community Development Action (CDA) in Busimbi Sub county, Mityana district
- Conducted a feasibility study for Afrod Xtadyl Uganda Limited regarding rental collection business in areas of Kampala and Wakiso district
- Conducted a water needs assessment for an NGO Pathways To Hope Africa, in regard to access to clean water by the community in Nakivale Refugee Settlement

## References

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