

CURRICULUM VITAE

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6. Education:

Institution	Date from – Date to	Degree(s) or Diploma(s) obtained
KENYATTA UNIVERSITY	1999-2004	MASTER OF ARTS (SOCIOLOGY)
KENYATTA UNIVERSITY	1994-1998	BACHELOR OF ARTS (SOCIOLOGY & GEOGRAPHY)
KANYAWANGA HIGH SCHOOL	1989-1992	KCSE
KOGONDA PRIMARY SCHOOL	1982-1988	KCPE

7. Language skills: Competence on a scale of 1 to 5 (1 - excellent; 5 - basic)

Language	Reading	Speaking	Writing
ENGLISH	1	1	1
KISWAHILI	1	1	1
DHOLUO	1	1	1

8. Other skills (e.g. Computer literacy): PROFICIENT IN MICROSOFT OFFICE, SPSS, EPI INFO, FOOD METER UK,
 9. Present position: LECTURER
 10. Years within the firm: 6 YEARS

11. Work Experiences

Country	Date from – Date to	Position	Organization/Company
KENYA	2010 TO DATE	LECTURER	PWANI UNIVERSITY
KENYA	JUNE, 2005 TO MAY, 2009	LECTURER	MASENO UNIVERSITY
KENYA	JANUARY, 2005 TO JUNE, 2005	ASSITANT SOCIAL SCIENTIST	EAST AND SOUTHERN AFRICA CENTRE FOR PARASITE CONTROL- KEMRI
KENYA	DECEMBER, 200 TO SEPTEMBER, 2001	TECHNICAL ASSISTANT- MONITORING & EVALUATION	INTERNATIONAL CENTRE FOR INSECT PHYSIOLOGY AND ECOLOGY (ICIPE)

12. Courses Taught at University

- Social Statistics, Criminology, Medical Sociology, Sociology of Development, Social Dynamics, Research Methods, Rural Sociology, Urban Sociology, Law and Society, Sociological Theories, Social Planning and Evaluation, and Sociology of Science and Technology.

13. Consultancies and Technical Support Experiences

Date from – to		Company and Reference	Position	Description
DECEMBER, 2016	FEBRUARY, 2017	BOMA PROJECT	CONSULTANT	“Longevity of REAP Induced Membership Based Organization of the Poor (MBOP): A Qualitative Study of Boma Project Suported Women Empowerment Groups in Marsabit County, Kenya” For Boma Project, Nanyuki, Kenya
SEPTEMBER, 2016	OCTOBER, 2016	BOMA PROJECT	CONSULTANT	“The Impact of Rural Entrepreneurs Access Project (REAP) on Children’s Wellbeing: Experiences from Marsabit and Samburu Counties, Kenya” For The Boma Project, Nanyuki Kenya
APRIL, 2016	Ongoing	MINISTRY OF LANDS AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT/WORLD BANK	CONSULTANT	“Planning and Surveying of Selected Informal Settlements in Nyeri” for Ministry of Lands and Urban Development/World Bank
SEPTEMBER 2015	DECEMBER 2015	COUNTY GOVERNMENT OF VIHIGA/UNDP/CSD	CONSULTANT	“Review and Development of the Popular Version of the Vihiga County Integrated Development Plan” for County Government of Vihiga/UNDP/CSD
SEPTEMBER 2015	DECEMBER 2015	COUNTY GOVERNMENT OF VIHIGA/UNDP/CSD	CONSULTANT	“Development of a Civic Education Framework and Mannual for Vihiga County” for County Government of Vihiga/UNDP/CSD
SEPTEMBER, 2014	JUNE, 2015	ECOVISION CONSULTANTS/COUNTY GOVERNMENT OF ELGEYO MARAKWET	CONSULTANT	“Mapping and Spatial Planning of Iten Town, Elgeyo Marakwet County, Kenya”for Ecovision and County Government of Elgeyo Marakwet
SEPTEMBER, 2014	JUNE, 2015	KENYA MARINE FISHERIES RESEARCH INSTITUTE/WORLD BANK	CONSULTANT	“Social and Impact Assesment and Development of Vulnerable and Marginalised Groups Plans and Process Framework for Working With Communities in The Kenya Coastal Development Project”for Kenya Marine Fisheries Research Institute/World Bank
NOVEMBER, 2013	JANUARY, 2015	SONYSUGAR COMPANY LTD.	CONSULTANT	“Environmental Impact Assessment of Ethanol Plant Project for South Nyanza Sugar Company Limited (SONY)” for SonySugar Company Limited
JUNE 2013	AUGUST 2013	UNHCR/CDTD	CONSULTANT	“Assessment of the Outcome of Vocational Skills Training for Refugees and Kenyans” for Center for Domestic Training (CDTD) and Development and United Nations High Commission for Refugees (UNHCR)
MARCH, 2013	APRIL, 2013	BIO-INNOVATE PROGRAMME	CONSULTANT	“Market Survey for Mushrooms in Mombasa and Coastal Region” for Bio-Innovate Program
FEBRUARY,	MARCH,	WORLD	CONSULTANT	Associate Consultant on: “Citizens Voices: Citizens Participation in Devolved

2013	2013	BANK/STRATEGIC CONNECTIONS		<i>Government</i> ” for World Bank/Strategic Connections
JUNE,2012	AUGUST,2012	NEPAD, KENYAN SECRETARIAT	CONSULTANT	“ <i>Evaluation of the NEPAD AFRM Funded Program and NAPOA</i> ” for NEPAD Kenya Secretariat
JANUARY, 2012	JULY, 2012	MINISTRY OF NORTHERN KENYA AND OTHER ARID LANDS/MANDERA TOWN COUNCIL	CONSULTANT	“ <i>Preparation of Spatial Planning and Cadastral Surveying for Mandera Town</i> ” For the Ministry of Northern Kenya and other Arid Lands and Mandera Town Council
DECEMBER, 2011	APRIL, 2012	PLAN INTERNATIONAL REGIONAL OFFICE FOR EAST AND SOUTHERN AFRICA	CONSULTANT	“ <i>End Term Evaluation of the RESA Human Rights Based Approach to Development Learning Initiative</i> ” For Plan International Regional Office for East and Southern Africa
JULY, 2010	DECEMBER, 2011	FINANCIAL SERVICES DEEPENING (FSD)	CONSULTANT	“ <i>Data analysis and Research tool development on financial access survey in Kenya</i> ” for Financial Services Deepening Trust (FSD)
NOVEMBER, 2009	DECEMBER, 2009	KENYA COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT FOUNDATION (KCDF)	CONSULTANT	“ <i>Documentation of Early Childhood Development and Education (ECDE) Best Practices for Garissa, Daadab, Mwingi and Malindi, Kenya</i> ” For Kenya Community Development Foundation (KCDF)
SEPTEMBER, 2009	OCTOBER, 2009	CARE-INTERNATIONAL IN KENYA	CONSULTANT	Lead Consultant on “ <i>End Term Evaluation for Bondo/Siaya Household Livelihood Security Project</i> ” For Care International in Kenya Available:
SEPTEMBER, 2009	OCTOBER, 2009	JOHN SNOW Inc.	SENIOR RESEARCH CONSULTANT	Senior Research Consultant on “ <i>Preliminary Evaluation of the Food by Prescription (FBP) program of the AIDSTAR-ONE project</i> ” For John Snow Inc. with financial support from USAID
JANUARY, 2009	JUNE, 2009	KENYA RED CROSS SOCIETY	CONSULTANT	Lead Consultant on “ <i>Baseline Survey on Community Based Disaster Management for Road Traffic Accidents along Mombasa Road, Fire accidents in informal settlements in Nairobi and Floods in Nyando District, Kenya</i> ”. for Kenya Red Cross Society
FEBRUARY, 2009	MAY, 2009	GENCO UNIVERSITY	CONSULTANT	Consultant (With Speranza Ndege, and Absalom Munyasi) on “ <i>Development of Bachelor of Arts Sociology (BA-Sociology) for the Proposed Genco University</i> ” for the Management Council of the Proposed Genco University, Nairobi, Kenya
JUNE, 2008	AUGUST, 2008	CARE INTERNATIONAL IN KENYA	CONSULTANT	Lead Consultant for Women Voices Project on “ <i>Assessment of barriers of access to ART and capacity of service providers to address barriers to ART access in Siaya District, Kenya</i> ” for Care International in Kenya

AUGUST, 2007	OCTOBER, 2007	AKADO WOMEN AND HEALTH CENTRE	CONSULTANT	Lead Consultant for formative study on “ <i>Gender Based Violence in Suba District and its Implications on Care and Prevention of HIV AIDS</i> ” for Akado Women and Health Center
MAY, 2007	MAY, 2008	MINISTRY OF EDUCATION/CHURCH WORLD SERVICES	CONSULTANT	Assistant Consultant for the writing of “ <i>School Safety Manual</i> ” for the Ministry of Education and Church World Services (CWS)
JULY, 2006	OCTOBER, 2006	KENGEN/NIPPON KOEI	CONSULTANT	Consultant (with R.A. Kapiyo, Omondi-Ahawo, M. O. Oloko) Basic Study for a water Supply System for the Depleted Area of the Sondu/Miriu Hydropower Project:- A Study conducted for KenGen and Nippon Koei
AUGUST, 2006	NOVEMBER, 2006	JOHN SNOW Inc.	CONSULTANT	Statistics Consultant on <i>Baseline Study for the Expansion of Safer Injections and Proper Waste Management Project in Health Facilities in Western and Nyanza Provinces in Kenya</i> : A Study for the Making Medical Injection Safer Program of the John Snow Institute
FEBRUARY, 2005	AUGUST, 2006	FRENCH INSTITUTE FOR RESEARCH IN AFRICA	CONSULTANT	Lead Consultant Researcher (with Beatrice Egulu and H. Charton, D. Depomier and Bertrand Mathieu) “ <i>Strengthening Franco-Kenyan Cooperation in Agricultural Research, Higher Education and Social Sciences for Sustainable Development</i> ” A Technical Report Submitted to the French Embassy and French Institute for Research in Africa, Nairobi Kenya.,
JULY, 2005	OCTOBER, 2005	JOHN SNOW Inc.	CONSULTANT	Statistics Consultant on <i>Evaluation of the Injection and Waste Management Practices of Health Facilities in Bondo and Kiambu Districts in Kenya</i> :- A Study for Making Medical Injection Safer of the John Snow Institute
JUNE, 2004	SEPTEMBER, 2004	JOHN SNOW Inc.	CONSULTANT	Statistics Consultant on <i>Baseline Survey of Injection and Waste Management Practices in Health Facilities in Bondo and Kiambu Districts</i> :- A Study for the Making Medical Injection Safer Project of John Snow Institute

14. Publications and Technical Reports

- **Robert Omondi Oswago, H. Katcher and C. Edger (2017)** “*Longevity of REAP Induced Membership Based Organization of the Poor (MBOP): A Qualitative Study of Boma Project Supported Women Empowerment Groups in Marsabit County, Kenya*” For Boma Project, Nanyuki, Kenya
- **Robert O. Oswago, H. Katcher and A. Souza (2016)** “*The Impact of Rural Entrepreneurs Access Project (REAP) on Children’s Wellbeing: Experiences from Marsabit and Samburu Counties, Kenya*” For The Boma Project, Nanyuki Kenya
- **County Government of Vihiga (2016)** “*Popular Version of the Vihiga County Integrated Development Plan (CIDP)*” for **County Government of Vihiga/UNDP/CSD**
- **County Government of Vihiga (2015)** *Civic Education and Participation Framework and Manual for Vihiga County*” for **County Government of Vihiga/UNDP/CSD**
- **County Government of Elgeyo Marakwet (2015)** *Mapping and Spatial Planning of Iten Town, Elgeyo Marakwet County, Kenya*”for **Ecovision and County Government of Elgeyo Marakwet**
- **National Social Services Fund (2014)** “*Training and Learning Needs Assessment and Strategy 2014-2019*” A Supervised Report for **National Social Security Fund (NSSF) with Kenya School of Government (KSG)**
- **Robert O. Oswago and Halimu S. Shauri (2013)** “*Assessment of the Outcome of Vocational Skills Training for Refugees and Kenyans*” A Technical Report Prepared for **United Nations High Commission for Refugees (UNHCR) and Centre for Domestic Training and Development (CDTD)**
- **Robert O. Oswago and Halimu Shauri (2013)** “*Market Survey for Mushrooms in Mombasa and coastal Region*” for **Bio-Innovate Program.**
- Lucy Ogola, Martin Ogola and **Robert Oswago (2012)** “*Evaluation of NEPAD APRM Funded Program and NPO*” for **NEPAD Kenya Secretariat**
- Ler Consultants (2012) “*Consultancy Services for Spatial and Cadastral Surveying of Mandera Town, Kenya*” for **Ministry of North Eastern and other Arid Lands and Mandera Town Council**
- Essence International (2012) “*Evaluation of the RESA Human Rights Based Approach to Development (HRBAD) Learning Initiative*” A Technical Report Prepared for **Plan International, Region of East and Southern Africa**
- **Robert Omondi Oswago (2011)** *Spaces of Fragility: A trajectory of Ethnic and Sectarian Violence in the post Structural Adjustment Program in Kenya*” A paper presented at Pwani University College “*Research and Publication Week for the School of Humanities and Social Sciences on 21st April, 2011*”
- H. S. Shauri, **R. O. Oswago**, W. Githinji, and S. Ngaruiya (2009) “*Documentation of Early Childhood Development and Education (ECDE) Best Practices for Garissa, Mwingi and Malindi, Kenya*” A Technical Report Presented to **Kenya Community Development Foundation, Nairobi, Kenya.**

- **Robert Omondi Oswago**, H. S. Shauri and W. Okul (2009) “*End Term Evaluation for Bondo/Siaya Household Livelihood Security Project*” A Technical Report Presented to **Care International in Kenya, Nairobi.**
- J. Stansbury, **R. O. Oswago**, J. Kaime (2009) “*Preliminary Evaluation of the Food by Prescription (FBP) program of the AIDSTAR-ONE project*” A Technical Report Presented to **John Snow Inc., Washington**, with financial support from USAID
- **Robert Omondi Oswago (2009)** “*Baseline Survey on Community Based Disaster Management for Road Traffic Accidents along Mombasa Road, Fire accidents in Slum settlements in Nairobi and Floods in Nyando District, Kenya*”. A Technical Report Presented to **Kenya Red Cross Society, Nairobi**
- R. A. Kapiyo, N. Omondi-Ahawo, M. Oloko and **Robert O. Oswago** (2009) “*Capacity Strengthening for Sustainable Management of Rural Water System: A Progress Report on Training Program and Community Participation in Design Work*” A Technical Report Presented to **Nippon Koei and KenGen, Kisumu, Kenya.**
- **Robert O. Oswago** and H. Shauri (2008) *Assessment of Barriers of Access to ART and Capacity of Service Providers to Address these Barriers in Siaya District, Kenya*” a Technical Report submitted to **Care International in Kenya, Nairobi, Kenya.**
- **Ministry of Education** (2008) “*School Safety Project*” A technical Report submitted to the **Ministry of Education and Church World Service, Nairobi, Kenya.**
- **Robert O. Oswago** (2007) “*Gender Based Violence in Suba District and its Implications on Prevention of HIV/AIDS and Care of PLWH*” A Technical Report Submitted to **Akado Women and Health Centre, Mbita, Kenya**
- **Robert O. Oswago**, and Beatrice Egulu with Helen Charton-Bigot, Denis Depommier and Bertrand Mathieu (2006) “*Strengthening Franco-Kenyan Cooperation in Agricultural Research, Higher Education and Social Sciences for Sustainable Development*” A Technical Report Submitted to the **French Embassy**
- R. A. Kapiyo, N. Omondi-Ahawo, Michael Oloko and **R. O. Oswago** (2006) “*Basic Study for SMHPP Supported Water Supply Projects in the Depleted Area of Sondu Miriu River*” A Technical Report Submitted to **Nippon Koei and KenGen, Kisumu, Kenya.**
- **Robert Omondi Oswago** (2004) “*Factors Influencing Household Food Security Among Small Scale Farmers: The Case of West Kanyaluo Location, Rachuonyo District, Kenya.*” A Thesis Submitted in Partial Fulfillment of the Degree of Bachelor of Arts (Sociology) of **Kenyatta University.**
- P. P. W. Achola and **R. O. Oswago** (2003) “*Government Policy, Enforcement Capacity and Child Labour Syndrome in Kenya*” in Proceedings of **Child Watch International (CWI)** Symposium on Children and Youth at Jacaranda Hotel, Westlands, Nairobi, Kenya. 17th – 19th November, 2003.
- **Robert Omondi Oswago** (2002) “*Transforming the Kenyan Constitution: In Search of Tools for social Engineering*” in *DAAD Institutionalizing Democracy in Kenya (2002)* Edited Proceedings of a Seminar Organised by the **Public Universities and DAAD on Institutionalising Democracy in Kenya on 23rd to 24th May 2002.**
- **Robert Omondi Oswago** (2002) “*SDA Chaplaincy Ministry in Public Institutions in Kenya: Issues, Challenges and Opportunities*” A Paper Presented to a fact Finding Mission of the

General Conference of the Seventh Day Adventist Church on Chaplaincy Ministry in public Institutions in Kenya on January 23, 2002

REFEREES

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