

# **UNIVERSITY OF NAIROBI**

INSTITUTE FOR DEVELOPMENT STUDIES

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### Introduction

The Institute for Development Studies (IDS) is a premier development research institute in the Eastern and Southern Africa region. Established in 1965, the Institute has been carrying out research on development in the region and has increasingly influenced policy thinking and policy making in the region and Africa in general. In addition, IDS has collaboration and linkages with many research institutions and universities across the world. IDS has engaged in a rich variety of research projects relevant to Kenya's development agenda. It uses seminar series, workshops, and publications to disseminate and get feedback on research results. The publications include policy briefs, working papers, discussion papers and finalized research papers.

IDS has a faculty status which enables it to offer postgraduate studies in development studies. The Institute builds capacity for the analysis of development issues through the Master of Arts in Development Studies and PhD programmes. The Institute also encourages intellectual exchange between researchers and scholars on one hand and institutions on the other by undertaking collaborative research and welcoming research associates.

The Vision of the Institute is to be the leading centre of excellence for development research, teaching, training and advisory services on issues of practical and academic concerns in the public and private domains. IDS, therefore, seeks to promote development knowledge and debate and encourages the utilization of research findings in postgraduate teaching and training and also in shaping the growth of development thinking, theory and practice.

### THE MASTER OF ARTS IN DEVELOPMENT STUDIES

The Master of Arts in Development Studies was launched in October 2000. It targets students who desire to join the academic profession as well as policy makers and development practitioners who aspire to improve their project conception, planning and implementation skills. The programme prepares students to deal creatively and effectively with development problems. All courses take a multi-disciplinary approach, combining theory with application. The programme is organised into five course modules:-

- 1. Technology and Natural Resource Management
- 2. Development and Change in African Societies
- 3. Human Resource Development
- 4. International Development
- 5. Planning for Development

### **COURSES OFFERED**

The following fifteen (15) courses were offered during the year:

CDS 501:	Development Management Theory
CDS 502:	Development Management Practice
CDS 503:	Research Foundations
CDS 504:	Research Methods and Computer Applications
CDS 601:	Environment and Natural Resources Management
CDS 602:	Energy Policy Planning and Development
CDS 611:	Rural Societies and Change
CDS 613:	Rural Urban Linkages
CDS 614:	Entrepreneurship & Development
CDS 615:	Economics of African Agriculture
CDS 621:	Issues in Human Resources Development
CDS 623:	Population & Development
CDS 624:	Education and Development
CDS 631:	Issues in International Development

Comparative Industrial Strategies

### **DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY IN DEVELOPMENT STUDIES**

In 2003, the Institute launched the Doctor of Philosophy in Development Studies. The PhD programme is done by thesis. Prospective candidates include persons who are holders of masters' degree from universities recognized by Senate and who seek to research on contemporary development issues.

### STUDENT ENROLLMENT

CDS 654:

During the year 2012/2013, the Institute enrolled twenty six (26) students for studies leading to the award of the degree of Master of Arts in Development Studies. These comprised eleven (11) second years and fifteen (15) students in the first year. Of the eleven second year, one was an international student. Twelve (12) students graduated with M.A in Development Studies during the year.

The PhD programme had six (6) candidates.

### ACADEMIC STAFF LIST

### **Research Professors**

Alila, Patrick O. B.A. (University of East Africa), M.A. PhD (Indiana)

McCormick, Dorothy: B.A. (Trinity), MBA (Pennsylvania), PhD(Johns Hopkins)

### **Associate Research Professors**

Ng'ethe, Njuguna. B.A. (Mackinac), M.A., PhD (Carlton)

**Jama,** Mohamud Abdi. B.A (Nairobi), BCom (Nairobi), M.A., PhD (Washington)

Mitullah, Winnie V. B.A. (Nairobi) M.A, PhD (York)

**Kanyinga**, Karuti H. B.A., M.A (Nairobi) PhD (Roskilde)

Atieno, Rosemary. B.A., M.A. (Nairobi) PhD (Giessen)

### **Senior Research Fellows**

Kinyanjui, Mary Njeri. B.Ed, M.Ed (Kenyatta) PhD (Cambridge)

Munguti, Kaendi B.A. M.A (Nairobi) M.P.H. PhD (California)

Musyoki, Rachel B.A (Makerere) M.A (Nairobi) PhD (Florida)

**Onjala,** Joseph B.A. M.A (Nairobi) PhD (Roskilde)

Kamau, Paul Kuria B.A., (Nairobi), MSc (Zimbabwe), PhD (Nairobi)

### **Research Fellows**

**Njeru,** Geoffrey B.A., M.A (Nairobi)

Njoka, John Murimi B.A., M.A (Nairobi)

**Michuki,** George B.A., M.A., (Nairobi) PhD (Leipzig)

#### **Junior Research Fellow**

**Oluoch** Eric Manga B.Phil (Arbaniana), M.A., (Nairobi)

### **Publications Editor**

Otuma Ongalo B. Ed (Moi), PGD Mass Com (Nairobi)

## RESEARCH ACTIVITIES UNDERTAKEN (PROJECTS WITHIN THE INSTITUTE)

IDs had the following on going projects:

	Lead	Title of Research /	Parties involved	Sponsor
	Researcher	Collaboration		
1	Prof. Mitullah	Non Mororized transport Project	IDS and University of	Volvo
			Cape Town (UCT)	Foundatio
				n
2	Prof. Ng'ethe	Rethinking Social Movements	IDS	FORD
				Foundatio
				n
3	Prof.	Entrepreneurial Leadership and	IDS / University of	SNS
	McCormick	Social Capital on Resource	Lausanne	Foundatio
				n
4	Prof. Ng'ethe	Chronic Poverty Research	IDS	DFID
5	Prof.	Elections and Mngt of diversity	IDS	UNDP
	Kanyinga	in Africa		
6	Prof.	Successful African Firms	IDS / Copenhagen	CBS
	McCormick		Business School	
7	Prof. Mitullah	Gender and decentralization in	IDS / Centre for Basic	IDRC
	/ Kanyinga	East Africa	Research - Uganda	
8	Prof. Mitullah	Media, Empowerment and	IDS/ Roskilde University	DANIDA
		Democracy in East Africa		
		(MEDIeA)		
9	Prof. Mitullah	Afrobarometer Surveys	IDS	CDD -
				Ghana
10	Dr Kamau	Gender Culture and women in	IDS, Makerere and	IUCEA
		the lake Victoria fish trade	Mzumbe universities	
11	Prof. Mitullah	Healthy Futures	IDS/ Trinity College,	EC
			Ireland	
13	Dr. Mary	Women Entrepreneurs In Africa	IDS	IFORD
	Kinyanjui			
14	Prof. Waema	Poverty Information and	IDS/ ICI	IDRC
		Communication Technology		
15	Prof.	Broadcast media, ICT-generated	IDS/UCAM/ University	ESRC
	Mitullah	public opinion and political	of Zambia	
		accountability in Africa		

### RESEARCH ACTIVITIES UNDERTAKEN (PROJECTS UNDERTAKEN BY STAFF)

- 1. **Njeru** Geoffrey: June 2011-June 2012, Co-researcher, Social Movements project at IDS, funded and supported by the Ford Foundation.
- 2. **Njeru** Geoffrey: January 2011-May 2012, Co-researcher, Elections and the Governance of Diversity in Africa, supported by UNDP and UNECA, for Africa Governance Report III.
- 3. **Atieno** Rosemary: February –October 2012, Study on Growth with Equity: Informal Employment in Kenya. Study commissioned by the Internal Institute for Labour Studies (IILS).
- 4. Atieno Rosemary: April–July 2012, Preparation of the African Gender and Development Index report for Kenya. Project Commissioned by the Ministry of Gender, Children and Social Development, Republic of Kenya in collaboration with the Economic Commission for Africa.
- 5. **Atieno** Rosemary: September–October 2012, "Women and Girls: Empowerment and Progress". A chapter in The State of Kenya Population Report 2011. Project for the UNFPA and NCAPD.
- 6. **Atieno** Rosemary: March 2010 September 2010, Survey manager in the project: "Delivering Services Indicators". A research Project by the African Economic Research Consortium (AERC), in Collaboration with the World Bank and the Hewlett Foundation, covering two African countries of Tanzania and Senegal.

### INTERNATIONAL LINKS AND COLLABORATION

- 1. The World Economic Forum and University of Nairobi 'Executive Opinion Survey in Kenya.' Annual Research Project funded by WEF since 2004.
- 2. Socio-Cultural factors Gender, Culture and Women in the Lake Victoria Fish Trade: A Value Chain Analysis, a research project funded by VicRes. A three year research project involving researcher in Kenya, Tanzania and Uganda.
- **3.** In collaboration with Prof. Hazel Johnson of Open University and Prof. D. McCormick (IDS) applied for funding for a project on *'Cooperatives, Supply Chains and Pro-poor Innovation: Tea Producers and Buyers in Kenya*". The proposal was however time barred and was to be re-launched during the subsequent call for proposals by the Economic and Social Research Council, UK.
- **4.** International Links and Collaborations. Establishment of United Nations Fund for Population Activities, Regional Centre for Training on Ageing in Africa in collaboration with National Coordinating Agency for Population and Development (at proposal stage).
- **5.** Negotiated and concluded collaboration arrangements with University of Ghent, Belgium. Memorandum of Understanding concluded
- **6.** Negotiating an agreement with University of Ottawa, Canada.
- 7. Conflict and Human Security Research Project Collaboration University of Nairobi (IDS) and (Faculty of Arts); United Nations Centre for Regional Development (UNCRD) and University of Denver (Graduate School of Social Work 2009 2011.
- 8. African Regional and Local Planning for Sustainable Development Annual MA Seminar Collaboration with Nihon Fukushi University Development School Nagoya, Japan
- **9.** Chief Examiner (Kenya) for Professional Examination Services, New York ISACA sponsored CISA/CISM/CGEIT Biannual Examinations.
- **10.** University of Lausanne, developed project on 'The Influence of Entrepreneurial Leadership and Social Capital on Resource Assembly and Firm Performance in Small-and Medium-Sized Firms in East Africa' in collaboration with Prof. John Antonakis and Dr. Jane Khayesi. The project has been funded for three years by the Swiss National Science Foundation. It includes one scholarship for a PhD student in IDS.
- 11. Worked with a team from the Copenhagen Business School on an unsuccessful proposal for Danida funding to study 'Successful African Firm Strategies in a Changing World'. Collaborators included University of Dar es Salaam, University of Zambia, and Roskilde University.
- **12.** Organised and facilitated an international conference on 'Aid, Governance, and Development' held in Nairobi between 28<sup>th</sup> -30<sup>th</sup> September 2011. This was an IDS international symposium funded by IDRC and involving more than 30 scholars from Africa, Europe and Asia.
- **13.** Afrobarometer Round 5 Survey: Research Project that measures social, political and economic atmosphere in Africa.

### **PUBLICATIONS**

- 1. **McCormick, Dorothy**, Mitullah W, Orero R and Ommeh M (2012) *Paratransit operations in Nairobi: Development of their routes and termini*, 30<sup>th</sup> Southern African Transport Conference: Africa on the Move, Pretoria.
- 2. **Onjala** Joseph "Risk Perception, Choice of Drinking Water and Water Treatment: Evidence from Kenyan towns" under peer review 2012: *Journal of African Economies*.
- **3. Njeru** Geoffrey: "Creating Sustainable Livelihoods through Innovative Resource Use in the Semi-Arid Areas of Kenya: Experiences from Mbeere District" in *Regional Development Dialogue* Vol. 33, No. 2, Autumn 2012, pp.35-51.
- 4. **Mitullah, Winnie**, McCormick D, Orero R and Ommeh M (2012) *Urban transport strategies in Nairobi: A bird's eye view*, 30<sup>th</sup> Southern African Transport Conference: Africa on the Move, Pretoria.
- 5. **Mitullah, Winnie**, McCormick D, Orero R and Ommeh M (2012) *Paratransit operations* and institutions in Nairobi: A concept paper on paratransit strategy, 30<sup>th</sup> Southern African Transport Conference: Africa on the Move, Pretoria.
- 6. McCormick D, Mitullah W, Chitere P, Orero R and Ommeh M, 2012: *Urban transport strategies in Nairobi: A bird's eye view.* (Resubmitted to Journal of Public Transportation, June 2012)
- 7. **Atieno, Rosemary:** contributed a Chapter in the publication "State of Kenya Population 2011" published by the National Coordinating Agency for Population and Development (NCAPD), and supported by the United Nations Population Fund. The report presents the analysis of the opportunities and challenges facing the 41 million Kenyans today using different thematic approaches. Prof. Atieno contributed the chapter on Women and Girls: Empowerment and Progress.
- 8. **Oyuke,** Abel and Michuki, George (2012) "Investigating Linkages Between National and Local Level Governance Reforms" a publication by CLARION.
- 9. **Onjala** Joseph, "The Experience of Chinese Support for Infrastructure: How Relevant is it for Kenya?" In Shikwati James –ed (2012). China-Africa Partnership: The quest for a winwin relationship. Inter Region Economic Network (IREN Kenya), Nairobi Kenya.

- 10. **Onjala** Joseph and Mediatrix Tuju, "Kenya's Implementation of the 5<sup>th</sup> FOCAC Plan of Action: Hollow Commitments and Lack of In-Country Support". In Shikwati James –ed (2012). China-Africa Partnership: The quest for a win-win relationship. Inter Region Economic Network (IREN Kenya), Nairobi Kenya.
- 11. **Michuki** G. , (2012) "State and Society: Structure and Process of Governance" Chapter Two of the UNECA & UNDP Kenya Country Report on "Elections and the Management of Diversity in Africa".
- 12. **Kamau** P., G. Michuki, D. McCormick and C. Gatimu, (2012) "Adjusting to Chinese Ascendancy in the Global Clothing Industry: Kenya's Experience", A Research Report Prepared for a Project Funded by IDRC and Undertaken at IDS, University of Nairobi.
- 13. **McCormick D**, Orero R, Mitullah W, Chitere P and Ommeh M, 2011: *Paratransit operations and institutions in Nairobi: A concept paper on paratransit strategy* (*Submitted to Journal of Professional Practice*, *June 2012*)
- 14. Nyamongo, I. and **Michuki**, G. ,( 2012 ) "Rapid Situation Assessment of Drug and Substance Abuse in Kenya, 2012". Nairobi, NACADA.
- 15. **Ngethe**, N., Michuki, G. and Wanjiru, R. ,(2012) "Police Reforms in Kenya: Perceptions and Expectations from Key Stakeholders", Discussion Paper No. 116/2012, IPAR.
- 16. **McCormick D**, in ACTIF magazine, Cotton Africa (Issue no. 3, January-March 2012) entitled 'Regional clothing project: ACFRN; A study on Chinese ascendancy in the global clothing industry, its impact on African countries.'
- 17. Orero R, **McCormick D**, Mitullah W, Chitere P and Ommeh M, 2012: *Paratransit operations in Nairobi: Development of their routes and termini*, 30<sup>th</sup> Southern African Transport Conference: Africa on the Move, Pretoria
- 18. Ogendi J, Odero W and **Mitullah W**, 2012 :*Road traffic crashes in the city of Nairobi, Kenya: Characteristics and current interventions*, 10<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Urban Health, Belo Horizonte
- 19. Orero R and **McCormick** D, 2012: *Organisation of paratransit in Nairobi: Voluntary vs. mandatory savings and credit co-operatives*, 12<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Competition and Ownership in Land Passenger Transport (Thredbo Series), Durban

- 20. **Mitullah W** and Makajuma G, 2012: *Analysis of non-motorised travel conditions on Jogoo Road corridor in Nairobi, Kenya*, ACET Project 7: Non-motorised travel and infrastructure in Nairobi, Working paper 7-02, University of Nairobi and Jomo Kenyatta University of Agriculture and Technology
- 21. **Mitullah W**, Makajuma G and Opiyo R, 2012: *Overview of non-motorised travel in Nairobi city*, ACET Project 7: Non-motorised travel and infrastructure in Nairobi, University of Nairobi
- 22. **Mitullah** W, Makajuma G, McCormick D, Opiyo R, 2011: *An inventory of non-motorised infrastructure in Nairobi*, ACET Project 7: Non-motorised travel and infrastructure in Nairobi, University of Nairobi
- 23. **Michuki, George** and Abel Oyuke (2012) "Investigating Linkages Between National and Local Level Governance Reforms" a publication by CLARION.
- 24. **Michuki, George** and Rose Wanjiru, 2012. *Police Reforms in Kenya: Perceptions and Expectations from Key Stakeholders*, a Research Report submitted to the Institute of Policy Analysis and Research (IPAR).
- 25. **Kinyanjui, Mary:** Nancy Baraza War against women elite? African Executive, Online Magazine, February, 2012
- 26. **Kinyanjui, Mary:** It is not enough to give children an education: Quality Matters. Daily Nation, September, 2012
- 27. How Did Some Detour to Indigence? Daily Nation, 3-05-2012
- **28. Kinyanjui, Mary:** Urbanization: Detour. African Executive, On line magazine 2012.
- 29. **Mitullah, Winnie**, 'Decentralised Service Delivery in Nairobi and Mombasa: Policies, Politics and Inter-governmental Relations' United Nations UNU-WIDER Working Paper.
- 30. **Mitullah, Winnie**, With Margret Nyambura and Timothy Waema `Factors influencing usage of the new Technologies in Low-Income Households in Kenya: The Case of Nairobi' in Info Issue 14, 4, 2012.
- 31. **Mitullah, Winnie**, Public Lecture `Enabling Counties to Work Through Acts of Parliament: Issues and Challenges', Talk organized by Siaya Stakeholders Forum, Nairobi Chapter, All Saints Cathedral, 25th April, 2012.

- 32. **Mitullah, Winnie**, 'Women's Rights and Gender Equality in Compared Perspectives: Response to Maria Carolina Marques' A public Lecture jointly organized by University of Nairobi and the Brazilian Embassy, 20th April, 2012
- **33. Mitullah, Winnie**, 'Transition Process: Which Way Forward' presented at a public event on 'Enhancing Cohesion and Integration Through Devolution' organized by Commission on National Integration and Cohesion, Silver Springs Hotel, 30th September, 2011.
- 34. **Mitullah, Winnie**, 'Devolution for Kenya: Responsiveness and Public Participation', Public Lecture at Kenya Alliance of Resident Associations (KARA) Bi-Monthly Talk Series. Nairobi, Pan Afric Hotel, 14th November, 2011
- 35. **Mitullah, Winnie**, Public Lecture on 'Constitution Making Process in Kenya', MS Training Centre for Development Cooperation, Arusha, Tanzania, 10th May, 2012
- 36. **Mitullah, Winnie**, Member of Task on 'Policies on Increasing Access and Participation in Science, Technology and Innovation of Youth, Gender Variation and Vulnerable groups in Kenya'. National Council of Science and Technology.
- 37. **Mitullah, Winnie**, RIO+20 virtual Dialogues organized by the Brazilian Government and the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP), 16th April to 19th June, 2012.
- 38. **Atieno, Rosemary:** Contributed a chapter in the publication "Agribusiness for Africa's Prosperity". The publication is the culmination of a research project covering eight countries in Africa of Cameroon, Ethiopia, Kenya, Mali, Nigeria, Senegal, South Africa, and Zambia. Prof. Atieno covered the Kenyan component. The work presents new evidence on the case for agro-industrial development and the promotion of agribusiness in Africa.
- 39. **Atieno, Rosemary:** Presented a paper at the conference on African development at the Centre for the Study of African Economies, Oxford University, in the UK.

### **CONSULTANCIES**

**Michuki** George: Deputy Investigator, National Alcohol and Drug Abuse Survey, a project carried out by NACADAA and targeting 3362 households.

**Michuki** George: National Democratic Institute Nationwide and County Public Opinion Survey in Kenya.

**Njeru** Geoffrey: June 2011-June 2012, Co-researcher, Social Movements project at IDS, funded and supported by the Ford Foundation.

**Michuki** George: Co-Researcher for the Kenyan component of "Adjusting to Chinese Ascendency in the Global Clothing Industry" funded by the IDRC.

**Njeru** Geoffrey: January 2011-May 2012, Co-researcher, Elections and the Governance of Diversity in Africa, supported by UNDP and UNECA, for Africa Governance Report III.

**Atieno** Rosemary: February –October 2012, Study on Growth with Equity: Informal Employment in Kenya. Study commissioned by the Internal Institute for Labour Studies (IILS).

**Atieno** Rosemary: April–July 2012, Preparation of the African Gender and Development Index report for Kenya. Project Commissioned by the Ministry of Gender, Children and Social Development, Republic of Kenya in collaboration with the Economic Commission for Africa.

**Atieno** Rosemary: September–October 2012, "Women and Girls: Empowerment and Progress". A chapter in The State of Kenya Population Report 2011. Project for the UNFPA and NCAPD.

# STAFF

## A Summary of Current Number of Staff

### ACADEMIC

	In	Post
Full Professor	-	2
Associate Professor	-	5
Senior Research Fellow	-	5
Research Fellow	-	3
Junior Research Fellow	-	1
Lecturer		0
<b>Publications Editor</b>	-	1

**Total** - 17

### ADMINISTRATIVE

	In	Post
Senior Admin. Assistant:	_	1
Assistant Senior Secretary	-	1
Assistant Secretary	-	1
Store Keeper	-	1
Publication Sales Clerk	-	1
Survey Research Assistant:	-	1
Technical Typist	-	1
Records Clerk-	-	1
Filling Clerk	-	1
Machine Operator	-	1
Messenger	-	1
Driver	-	1

Total - 12

### Number of Graduates

During the 2011/2012 Academic Year, the following twelve (12) candidates, satisfied the Board of Examiners of the Institute for Development Studies and were therefore awarded of the degree of Master of Arts in Development Studies.

	Name	<b>Registration Number</b>	Gender
1.	Gichuna, Susan Wothaya	T50/61050/2011	Female
2.	Wekesa, Gideon Wafula	T50/64121/2010	Male
3.	Nyamboki, Linzy Atieno	T50/65173/2010	Female
4.	Sang, Philista Jemutai	T50/65393/2010	Female
5.	Magego, Jared Linus	T50/64351/2010	Male
6.	Njeru, Martin Mugambi	T50/63715/2010	Male
7.	Maaka, Hellen Nekesa	T50/77520/2009	Female
8.	Omar, Abdimalik Suleiman	T50/76496/2009	Male
9.	Wambua, Pauline Mbesa	T50/78344/2009	Female
10.	Megan, Macdonald	T50/72267/2008	Female
11.	Esemere, Lilian Kayaro	T50/7658/2006	Female
12.	Kinyota, John Michael Mbai	T50/8077/2005	Male

### WORKSHOPS, SEMINARS & CONFERENCES

- 1. **Kamau,** Paul: SAFIC workshop in Nairobi between 21st and 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2012. The meeting brought together IDS and collaborating partners.
- 2. **Wamalwa**, Herberts: Seminar on Innovation and Development between 21<sup>st</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2012, attended the Tanzania National Workshop and All African Globelics. This was held Kunduchi Beach Hotel & Resort, in Dar es Salaam, Tanzania.
- 3. Onjala Joseph: Celine Nauges, Joseph Onjala and Simon Wagura Ndiritu (2012). Risk Perception, Choice of Drinking Water and Water Treatment: Evidence from Kenyan towns. Paper presented during the 19<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the European Association of Environmental and Resource Economists, Prague, Czech Republic. 30<sup>th</sup> June 2012.
- 4. **Onjala** Joseph: Attended a meeting organised by African Economic Research Consortium (AERC) for a team of Experts to set PhD Examinations in Development Economics in February 2012, Pretoria-South Africa.
- 5. **Njeru** Geoffrey: 2-3 May 2012, Participant at the 3<sup>rd</sup> East African Community Think Tank Network (EAC-TTN) Meeting held at the Imperial Botanical Beach Hotel, Entebbe, Uganda, organized by the African Research and Resource Forum (ARRF) and funded by the African Capacity Building Forum (ACBF).
- 6. **Njeru** Geoffrey: 14-16 May 2012, Resource Person at the Rule of Law Training Workshop for the Military in the Republic of South Sudan held at the International Peace Support Training Centre (IPSTC) of the Kenya Defence Staff College, Nairobi. Presented two papers namely: *State Structures with Reference to South Sudan* and *Governing Cultural Diversity for Rapid Development: The Case of South Sudan*, organized by IPSTC in conjunction with UNDP.
- 7. **Njeru** Geoffrey: 21-22 May 2012, Participant at a Regional Policy Forum with the theme: Towards an East African Monetary Union (EAMU): Challenges and Opportunities for Partner States, Lessons from the EU Experience and Prospects for the EAC, held at the Kibo Palace Hotel, Arusha, Tanzania; organized by the African Research and Resource Forum (ARRF) and funded by the African Capacity Building Forum (ACBF). Chaired a session.
- 8. Njeru Geoffrey: 31 May 2012, Attended a Book Launch Symposium for the book, Kenya:

- A Citizens' Handbook on Key Principles of Devolution under the theme: Advocates for Change: How to Overcome Africa's Challenges, held at the Serena Hotel, Nairobi, organized by Kenya Association of Resident Associations (KARA).
- 9. Njeru Geoffrey: 27 June 02 July 2012, Attended the International Conference on Governance and Democracy: An African Perspective in Kigali, Rwanda, held at the Parliament Buildings, organized by the International Conference on the Great Lakes Region (ICGLR); UN-Rwanda, UNDP, Commonwealth Secretariat and Rwanda Governance Board (RGB). Presented a Paper entitled: Election Management in Africa: Lessons from Election Financing in Kenya.
- 10. **Njeru** Geoffrey: 24-25 July 2012, Training of Trainers Workshop on Migration, Remittances and Development, held at the International Organization for Migration (IOM) offices, Nairobi, Kenya.
- 11. **Njeru** Geoffrey: 16 August 2012, Launch of Africa Economic Outlook (AEO) 2012/2013 by the African Development Bank Group held at the Laico Regency Hotel, Nairobi, Kenya.
- 12. **Njeru** Geoffrey: 3-7 September 2012, Instructor on *State Structures and Governance of Cultural Diversity*, in EU/AU Rule of Law Course for senior multi-country military personnel organized by the International Peace Support Training Centre (IPSTC) in collaboration with Eastern Africa Standby Force (EASF) with the support of the European Union and African Union.
- 13. **Njeru** Geoffrey: 19-20 September 2012, Instructor on *Long-term Development Aid to Fragile States* and *NGO Work in the Field* in an Integrated Crisis Management Course for senior multi-country military personnel organized by the International Peace Support Training Centre (IPSTC) in collaboration with the Finnish Centre of Expertise in Comprehensive Crisis Management.
- 14. **Njeru** Geoffrey: 16-18 October 2012, Resource Person and Discussant at a workshop on *Improved Migration Data Management for Policy Making on South-South Migration and Development* held at the Laico Regency Hotel, Nairobi, Kenya.
- 15. **Njeru** Geoffrey: 22-26 October 2012, Resource Person, Training of Trainers Workshop on Governance and Diplomacy for Peace and Security (GDPS) held at the International Peace Support Training Centre (IPSTC) and House of Waine, Nairobi, Kenya, financially supported by GIZ of Germany.
- 16. **Njeru** Geoffrey: 1 November 2012, Resource Person/Discussant at the International Peace Support Training Centre (IPSTC) Annual Symposium on *Opportunities and Challenges for*

- 17. **Njeru** Geoffrey: 26-28 November 2012: Resource Person and Member of the Technical Committee at the Conference on *Harnessing Policy Research for Sustainable East African Integration* held at the Kibo Palace Hotel, Arusha, Tanzania, organized by the African Research and Resource Forum (ARRF) and financially supported by the African Capacity Building Foundation (ACBF).
- 18. **Njeru** Geoffrey: 30 November -14 December 2012, Resource Person, Trainer and Facilitator on *Governance and Diplomacy for Peace and Security (GDPS)* course held at the International Peace Support Training Centre (IPSTC), Nairobi, Kenya, financially supported by GIZ of Germany.
- 19. **Kamau, Paul:** African Clothing & Footwear Research Network Tanzania stakeholder dissemination workshop to present results of the individual country research to stakeholders from the clothing industry, government, and academia.
- 20. **Kamau, Paul:** African Clothing & Footwear Research Network Madagascar stakeholder dissemination workshop to present results of the individual country research to stakeholders from the clothing industry, government, and academia.
- 21. **Kamau, Paul:** African Clothing & Footwear Research Network Mauritius stakeholder dissemination workshop to present results of the individual country research to stakeholders from the clothing industry, government, and academia.
- 22. **Kamau, Paul:** African Clothing & Footwear Research Network Lesotho stakeholder dissemination workshop to present results of the individual country research to stakeholders from the clothing industry, government, and academia.
- 23. **McCormick, Dorothy:** African Clothing & Footwear Research Network Kenya stakeholder dissemination workshop to present results of the individual country research to stakeholders from the clothing industry, government, and academia.
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- 28. **McCormick, Dorothy:** The African Clothing and Footwear Research Network in collaboration with Forum for Social Studies (FSS) organized a workshop on clothing industry in Ethiopia on November 15/2011 at the Ghion Hotel Addis Ababa.
- 29. **Kamau, Paul:** The African Clothing and Footwear Research Network in collaboration with Forum for Social Studies (FSS) organized a workshop on clothing industry in Ethiopia on November 15/2011 at the Ghion Hotel, Addis Ababa.
- **30. McCormick, Dorothy:** Attended this year's African Development Bank Annual meetings in Arusha, Tanzania, from 28th May to 1st June, 2012.
- 31. **Carol Gatimu:** Attended this year's African Development Bank Annual meetings in Arusha, Tanzania, from 28th May to 1st June, 2012.
- **32. McCormick, Dorothy:** Attended the "Origin Africa" event in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia on 24th 27th April, 2012
- 33. **Kamau, Paul:** Attended an International Conference for East African Cotton, Textile and Apparel (CTA) Value Chain to Develop Competitiveness, from 1st to 4th November, 2011 at North Coast Beach Hotel, Mombasa, Kenya.
- 34. **McCormick, Dorothy:** In the month of July 2011, Southern African Transport Conference in Pretoria South Africa.
- 35. **McCormick, Dorothy:** SAFIC workshop in Nairobi between 21st and 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2012. The meeting brought together IDS and collaborating partners.
- 36. **Wamalwa, Herberts:** SAFIC workshop in Nairobi between 21st and 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2012. The meeting brought together IDS and collaborating partners.

- 37. **McCormick, Dorothy:** December, 2011, the Project 14 research team attended the ACET Partner meeting that was held in Cape Town South Africa. The research team presented the project's progress report as well as the chapter outline for the Paratransit book titled 'Paratransit in African cities: Operations, regulation and reform' (Editors: Behrens R, McCormick D and Mfinanga D)
- 38. **Michuki, George:** Participant at the "Kenya Findings Dissemination Workshop" for the project "Adjusting to Chinese Ascendency in the Post-MFA Global Clothing Industry: The Case of Kenya" held on November 18<sup>th</sup>, 2011 at the Nairobi Safari Club (was part of the research team that wrote the presented paper)
- 39. **Michuki, George:** Research Paper writing 3 day retreat held on February 12<sup>th</sup>, 2012 to Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup>, at Morendat Training and Conference Centre, Naivasha. Working on a paper titled "*The Policy Fit in Kenya's Clothing Industry*"
- 40. **Michuki, George:** Participant in a workshop titled Action Workshop for the research project titled "Rethinking Social Movements in East Africa", Nairobi held on February 29<sup>th</sup>, 2012. Made a presentation titled "Leadership and Composition of Social Movements in Kenya
- 41. **Michuki, George:** Participant in a workshop on a project titled "Police Reforms in Kenya" held at the Merica Hotel, Nakuru on May 10<sup>th</sup>, 2012. Made a presentation titled "Police Reforms in Kenya: Perceptions and Expectations from Key Stakeholders"
- 42. **Kinyanjui, Mary:** Business Exits and Takeovers in Nairobi's Central Business District: Implications for Inclusion of Informal Businesses in Urban Planning. Paper presented at workshop on Changing Socio-Spatial Configurations of Inclusion and Exclusion: Planning and Counter Planning in an African City. 7-9 March, 2012 Uppsala, Sweden
- 43. **Mitullah, Winnie:** `Socio-Economic Aspects of Malaria, Schistosomiasis and Rift Valley Fever. Presented at Healthy Futures Workshop, Arusha, 8 9th May, 2012
- 44. **Mitullah, Winnie:** 'Opportunities presented by the Devolution Provisions'. Presented to People Living with HV Leadership for GIPA in Governance workshop, Enashipai Hotel, Naivasha. 24th April, 2012.
- 45. **Mitullah, Winnie:** 'Implementing Devolved Government' presented in a panel on New Constitution, Good Governance and the Fight Against Corruption' organized by the German supported Programme Go-Africa. Nairobi, Fairview Hotel, 2nd March, 2012.

- 46. **Mitullah, Winnie:** Expert Group Meeting on `Unleashing the Economic Potential of African Cities' organized by UN-HABITAT and Human Sciences Research Council, Cape Town, South Africa. 23/24th February, 2012
- 47. **Mitullah, Winnie:** 'Women's Rights and Gender Equality in Compared Perspectives: Response to Maria Carolina Marques' A public Lecture jointly organized by University of Nairobi and the Brazilian Embassy, 20th April, 2012
- 48. **Mitullah, Winnie:** Public Lecture on 'Constitution Making Process in Kenya', MS Training Centre for Development Cooperation, Arusha, Tanzania, 10th May, 2012
- 49. **Mitullah, Winnie:** Member of Task on `Policies on Increasing Access and Participation in Science, Technology and Innovation of Youth, Gender Variation and Vulnerable groups in Kenya'. National Council of Science and Technology.
  - 50. **Mitullah, Winnie:** Facilitation of RIO+20 virtual Dialogues organized by the Brazilian Government and the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP), 16th April to 19th June, 2012

### **COMMUNITY SERVICE AND OUTREACH**

#### Prof D. McCormick

- Member, Working Committee on Proposed Regional Centre of Excellence (RCE) for Textiles and Apparel, Export Processing Zones Authority and African Cotton Textile Industries Federation.
- ii) Member, Technical Committee on Ready-Made Garments (TC70), Kenya Bureau of Standards.
- iii) Member, Steering Committee for 2012 Micro, Small and Medium-scale Enterprises (MSME) Survey, Kenya National Bureau of Statistics.
- iv) Member, Development Research Uptake in Sub-Saharan Africa (DRUSSA) Network for University of Nairobi.
- v) Member, International Editorial Advisory Board, *Regional Development Studies*, published by United Nations Centre for Regional Development, Nagoya, Japan.
- vi) Board Member and Treasurer, Sychar Centre, Nairobi, 2008-2009
- vii) Member, Management Committee. Development Research Centre for the Future State. Institute of Development Studies, Brighton, UK, 2008-2010.
- viii) Member, Steering Committee on Development of a National Statistical System, Ministry of Planning and National Development, 2005 – 2007
- ix) Member, International Academic Board, Tropical Institute of Community Health and Development (TICH), Kisumu, Kenya, 2003-2006.
- x) Member, Joint Working Committee, African Institute for Capacity Development (AICAD), 2001-2007
- xi) Member, Board of Centre for International Programmes and Links, University of Nairobi, 2002 2007
- xii) Member, Board, African Centre for Economic Growth, Nairobi, 2000-2009.
- xiii) Former external examiner, University of Dar es Salaam (Tanzania) Institute of Development Studies, Catholic University of Eastern Africa Marist International Centre and St. Paul's University, Limuru.
- xiv) Visiting Fellow, Institute of Development Studies at the University of Sussex, March August 2007.
- xv) Member, Finance Committee, St. Mary's Catholic Parish, Old Racecourse Estate, Nairobi.
- xvi) Treasurer, Sisters of Notre Dame de Namur, Kenya Province

#### Prof Winnie V. Mitullah

i) Regional Director for AFROBAROMETER Governance Surveys in Eastern Africa, a project based at the University of Nairobi, IDS

- ii) Member, Board of the Foundation for International Training (FIT) based in Markham Canada
- iii) Chair, Kenya National Commission for UNESCO Social and Human Science Programme Committee
- iv) Chair, Board of the Center for Law and Research International (CLARION) based in Kenya
- v) Member, National Council for Science and Technology Task Force on Policies on Increasing Access and Participation in Science Technology and Innovation (STI) of Youth, Gender Variation and Vulnerable Groups in Kenya
  - vi) Member, Devolution Working Group. A group of experts on decentralisation committed to informing the devolution process in Kenya
  - vii) Member, Board Governors, Pamoja Trust (PT),
  - viii) Member, Board of Governors, Kenya Land alliance (KLA), a net network organisation addressing land issues, including policy, lobbying and advocacy
  - ix) Member, Board of Governors, Nyangoma Technical School for the deaf
  - x) Member, Women in Informal Employment Globalising and Organising [WIEGO] based at the Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University, USA. WIEGO is a global initiative promoting Women working within the informal sector:
  - xi) Member, StreetNet International, based in Durban South Africa. The organisation is composed of researchers, and other people and institutions which focus on increasing the visibility, voice and bargaining power of street vendors and informal traders throughout the world.
  - xii)Patron, Kenya National Alliance of Street Vendors and Informal Traders (KENASVIT), an association established after IDS work on small scale enterprises focusing on street and informal traders.
  - xiii) Reviewer, Third African Governance Report, Economic Commission for Africa (ECA), Addis Ababa
  - xiv) Out going Chair of the UN-HABITAT Advisory Board of the Global Research Network on Human Settlements (HS-Net)
  - xv) Former member Task Force on Devolved Government, led the urban Areas and Cities and inter-governmental relations sub themes
  - xvi) Former Vice Chairperson, Governing Council of the Kenya African Peer Review Mechanism (APRM)
  - xvii) Former Commissioner, Kenya National Commission on Gender and Development.
  - xviii) Member, editorial team Journal of Regional Development Studies. A collaboration of University of Nairobi and United Centre for Regional Development.
  - xix) External examiner, University of Leiden and University of Wagemngen, Netherlands.
  - xx) Former External Examiner, University of Botswana, University of Dar-Es-Salaam and Catholic University of Eastern Africa.

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xxii) Mitullah has been a member and coordinator of various local and international task forces, committees and working groups, including Task Force on the Review and Harmonization of the Legal Framework on Education, Training and Research; Housing Policy Review; Appraisal of the Implementation of the HABITAT Agenda and Social Sustainability Promotion; member of European Network for Housing Research; Ministry of Labour and Human Resource Development Task Force on Micro and Small Enterprises.

### Prof. Karuti Kanyinga

- National Leader–Monitoring progress of implementation of reforms under the Kenya National Dialogue and Reconciliation agreement for and on behalf of the African Union Panel of Eminent African Personalities Chaired by Kofi Annan.
- ii) Board Member and Director the Kenya National Commission on Human Rights (KNCHR).
- iii) Member Kenyans for Peace, Truth and Justice (KPTJ), a civil society group advocating for justice and accountability on Kenya's Post-Election Violence.
- iv) Associate Member of civil society groups including Kenya Section of International Commission of Jurists, and the Open Society Initiative of Eastern African.
- v) Former Member Kenya National Governing Council of the African Peer Review Mechanism.
- vi) Former Board Member and Founder of the Meru University College of Science and Technology, a constituent College of Jomo Kenyatta University College of Science and Technology.
- vii)Reviewer Third African Governance Report by United Nations Economic Commission for Africa.
- viii) Deputy Review Leader Governance, Justice, Law and Order Sector Reform Programme of the Ministry of Justice, National Cohesion and Constitutional Affairs.
- ix) Lead expert Designing civic and voter education programmes for Kenya, Tanzania, Zanzibar, Rwanda, Uganda and South Sudan.
- x) Former board member VSO Jitolee.
- xi) Former Board Member MS Kenya.
- xii) Former Board Member the Kenya Anti-Corruption Steering Campaign Committee.
- xiii) Founder Member/former steering committee member National Council of NGOs.
- xiv) Political Development Specialist Analyst for various international development partners: making briefings to DfID Kenya, Norway, Netherlands, Sweden, EU, USAID, UNDP, GIZ, the World Bank, Open Society Foundation; and briefings to local partners including civil society groups, the Kenya Judiciary and Parliament.

### **Prof. Rosemary Atieno**

### **International engagements:**

- i) Member, team of African Scholars identified to conduct country studies to provide background country information for the preparation of the Economic Report for Africa (ERA) 2013 by the Economic Commission for Africa (ECA). The theme of the ERA2013 is "Reaping the benefits of value addition for industrialization and structural transformation for Africa".
- ii) Participated in the preparation of the Kenya African Gender and Development Index for the Ministry of Gender Children and Social Development. The preparation of the AGDI is an initiative of the Economic Commission for Africa (ECA) deriving from its mandate to coordinate, support, monitor, evaluate and report on the implementation of international and regional human rights agreements on the rights of women at country level.

### Participation in academic activities:

- iii) Participated in the conference on Economic Development in Africa at the Centre for the Study of African Economies, University of Oxford, UK.
- iv) Participated in the Annual Conference of the International Association for Feminist Economics, in Barcelona Spain from 27-29 June 2012. The conference theme was "Human wellbeing for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century: Weaving Alliances for Feminist Economics". During the conference, presented a paper on "Occupational Distribution of Women in the Labour market: Opportunities and Constraints for Poverty Reduction in Kenya"
- v) Member of a team of peer reviewers for the Economic Report for Africa 2013 on "Reaping the Benefits of Value Addition". The external Peer Review Meeting was in held in Cape Town, South Africa from 28-29 November 2012.
- vi) Panellist at the launch of the book "Agribusiness for Africa's Prosperity" on 19<sup>th</sup> September 2012 at the Hilton Hotel in Nairobi. The book is a publication of the United Nations Industrial Organisation (UNIDO) and looks at how to move from an agriculture led strategy in Africa to an agribusiness development strategy with market demand as the driving force. The book is a culmination of a series of research carried out in eight African countries. Prof. Atieno contributed the background study on Kenya, which has since been published separately under the title "Agribusiness for Africa's Prosperity: Country Case Studies" as a working paper.
- vii)Participated in the Workshop on Studies on Growth with Equity organised by United Nations International Labour Office (ILO) and the United Nations Department for Economic and Social Affairs (UNDESA), on 28<sup>th</sup> September at the Crowne Plaza Hotel, Nairobi. The workshop was aimed at disseminating the results of the study on growth with equity in Kenya and receiving views from the stakeholders. Prof. Atieno

presented results on the Kenyan study on "Informal Employment: Evolution Causes and Consequences". The book published from this study is due out soon.

- viii) Coordinated the preparation of the second and third Kenya Human Development Reports.
- ix) Coordinated the African Peer Review Mechanism study on the social and economic Development pillar.
- x) Coordinated the conceptualisation and implementation of faculty research and thesis dissemination programmes for the Collaborative Masters in Agricultural and Applied Economics (CMAAE) programme of the African Economic Research Consortium (AERC).
- xi) Formally member of the Academic Board of the African Economic Research Consortium (AERC), whose main responsibility was to oversee the development and running of the Regional Collaborative M.A. Programme in Economics.

### **Academic Reviews:**

- xii) Reviewer for the following academic journals:
  - a. Regional Development Studies journal, a journal of the University of Nairobi and the United Nations Centre for Regional Development (UNCRD) Nagoya Japan.
  - **b.** Feminist Economics, a journal of the International Association for Feminists Economists, University of Nebraska Lincoln Lincoln, Nebraska.
  - c. An external reviewer for the Austrian Partnership Programme in Higher Education & Research, an organisation that funds collaborative research between Austrian and African institutions of higher learning.
  - d. Former external evaluator of project proposals for the NUFU programme of the Norwegian Centre for International Cooperation in Higher Education. This is a collaborative programme between institutions of higher education and research (mainly universities) in Norway and similar institutions in the south.

### ` Community Services:

- xiii) Member of board of governors of schools.
- xiv) Mentoring of students in local schools.

### Dr. M Kinyanjui

- i) Member, Gatundu North District Education Board.
- ii) Coordinator, Outreach Programme for Parental Involvement in Education of Children in Meru, Chogoria, Thika, Nairobi and Kikuyu. She is engaged in sensitizing parents engaged in small scale farming and Informal Sector on the need to participate in their children's education.
- iii) Coordinator, Outreach Programme for Parental Involvement in Education of Children in Meru, Chogoria, Thika, Nairobi and Kikuyu. She is engaged in sensitizing parents

- engaged in small scale farming and Informal Sector on the need to participate in their children's education.
- iv) Patron Igamba Primary School.
- v) Board Member Ndekei Secondary, School Ngethu Secondary School and Juvenalis Gitau Secondary School.

### Dr. Joseph Onjala

- i) External Examiner Faculty of Economics, Kenyatta University. From 2010 to date.
- ii) Technical Committee Member For the 7th Kenya Human Development Report -"Climate Change and Human Development: Emerging Opportunities". Ministry of State for Planning, National Development and Vision 2030.
- iii) Technical Committee Member National Climate Change Action Plan. Thematic Working Group 1.

### Dr. G Michuki

- i) Board Member, Nyambene Secondary School
- ii) Member, Think-Tanks Network Eastern Africa (TTN EA)
- iii) Member, American Political Science Association

### Mr. John Njoka

- i) Chair, Board of Directors of the African Network for the Prevention and Protection against Child Abuse and Neglect (ANPPCAN), Kenya Chapter.
- ii) Chair, Board of Governors, Thiba Mixed Secondary School.
- iii) Member, Board of Directors for Bekar College of Professional Studies in Thika.
- iv) Member, Advisory Committee for the African Report on Violence Against Children (Africa Child Policy Forum, Addis Ababa Ethiopia).
- v) Member, Advisory Board for Kirinyaga South Development Caucus (KISODEC).
- vi) Associate Trainer, Training Center for Development Cooperation (MS-TCDC) in Arusha, Tanzania.

### Mr. Geoffrey Ngeru

- i) Member, African Research and Resource Forum (ARRF) Technical Committee.
- ii) Member, ARRF-East African Community Think Tank Network.
- iii) Member of Steering Committee, Mwienderi Community Water Supply Project, Tharaka-Nithi County.

- iv) Article reviewer, University of Nairobi Press.
- v) Trainer and publications reviewer, International Peace Support Training Centre (IPSTC), a division of the Defence Staff College, Nairobi.

### Dr. Paul Kamau

- i) Country Coordinator for African Clothing and Footwear Research Network (ACFRN), a project based at the IDS University of Nairobi
- ii) Lead Scientist in the project entitled Culture and Women in the Lake Victoria Fish Trade: A Value Chain Analysis, a research project funded by VicRes and being conducted in Kenya, Uganda and Tanzania
- iii) Deputy Regional Director for AFROBAROMETER Governance Surveys in Eastern Africa, a project based at the University of Nairobi, IDS
- iv) Country coordinator of the Kenya Executive opinion survey a joint project between the World Economic Forum and the University of Nairobi for Global Competitiveness Report
- v) Member Research Board, Kenya Institute of Education (KIE)
- vi) Member, Kenya Competiveness Committee constituted by the National Economic and Social Council and the Ministry of Planning, National Development and Vision 2030
- vii) Member, Lake Victoria Research Network (VicRes) based at the Inter University Council of East Africa, Kampala Uganda
- viii) Member, Kenya National Committee on WTO, based at the Ministry of Trade
- ix) Member, Organization for Social Science Research in Eastern and Southern Africa (OSSREA)
- x) Member, African Economic Research Consortium AERC Research Network
- xi) Member, Kenya DAAD Scholars Association
- xii) Member, Board of Governors, Bagaria Secondary School, Nakuru County
- xiii) Deputy Country Coordinator, SAFIC Research Project, Collaboration between University of Nairobi and Copenhagen Business school, University of Dare-Es-Salaam and university Zambia

### Dr. Rachel N. Musyoki

Musyoki has been actively involved in both local and international networks and taskforces on policy and programme initiatives especially in the areas of population and poverty eradication. The most recent of such initiatives include:

 Resource Person: Poverty Eradication Commission - (Training Workshop and National Conference).

- ii) Former Member/Advisor National Taskforce. ENGAGE Kenya. National Council for Population and Development/Population Reference Bureau.
- iii) Member: The African Forum ECafrique has links to networks covering 126 countries around the world. The ECafrique is an initiative of the Population Council and is a part of a Global News network through which items with international significance are shared (including research). Currently, the focus is on Emergency Contraception. The ECafrique community has almost 900 members from 42 countries.