The School of Economics is pleased to announce the promotion of Jane K. Mariara to full Professor of Economics. The School is proud of Prof. Jane Mariara's accomplishments and congratulates her on this achievement. Her research interests include poverty and labor markets, environmental and natural resources economics. Prof. Mariara is currently the Director, School of Economics.

To learn more about Prof. Jane Mariara and her research, please visit her staff profile.

Staff Promotion

Prof. Jane Mariara

From Associate Professor to Professor of Economics

Date 16th December 2014

Prof. Jane Mariara holds a B.A, M.A. and PhD in Economics from the University of Nairobi. She is currently the Director of the School of Economics, University of Nairobi. She is currently a member of the Intergovernmental Platform on Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services (IPBES); a member of the German Institute of Global and Area Studies (GIGA) Advisory Board. 2014-2018; a member of the International Scientific Advisory Board of African Growth and Development Policy (AGRODEP) Modeling Consortium and the Centre for Economics, Environment and Society (CEES); a chair of the research committee of the Center for Environmental Economics and Policy in Africa (CEEPA); a vice-chair of the AERC's Collaborative PhD Programme Academic board, a member of the Collaborative Masters Programme Academic Board, a resource person with AERC; and a Scientific Programme Committee Member of the Partnership for Economic Policy (PEP). Prof Mariara is also a member of the African Journal of Agricultural and Resource Economics (AFJARE); and, an associate editor of the African Journal of Social Sciences.

Prof. Mariara is a first in many respects: first associate director, School of Economics, first female Director School of Economics, first female Associate Professor, School of Economics and now, first female Professor of Economics, University of Nairobi and in Kenya.