

EfD Kenya held a writing workshop from 23rd to 25th June 2014. The purpose of the workshop was to bring together participants of two ongoing EfD-K projects:

(1) Increasing block tariffs and the relationship between income and water use in Nairobi, Kenya project and (2) Water sourcing and sanitation in rural Kenya. The specific objectives of the workshop were to among other things: (i) discuss outcome of fieldwork; (ii) finalise data cleaning; (iii) start data analysis; (iv) discuss the papers to be produced from the projects; and, (v) to identify and plan next steps for the projects.

In the Increasing block tariffs project, the researchers are David Fuente (Kenan Fellow and PhD student, University of North Carolina), Prof. Jane Mariara (Director, School of Economics, University of Nairobi, and EfD-K Coordinator), Mbutu Mwaura (Monitoring and Evaluation Manager at Nairobi City Water and Sewerage Company (NCWSC)), Dr. Moses Ikiara (Managing Director, KenInvest) and Prof. Dale Whittington (University of North Carolina). The Water Sourcing and Sanitation team consists of Prof. Joe Cook (University of Washington), Prof. Peter Kimuyu (University of Nairobi, and Chair of EfD-K Executive Committee) and Prof. Dale Whittington (University of North Carolina. Josephine Gatua and John Wainaina are supporting both teams.