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FIELDS OF INTEREST Economic Development, Natural Resource Governance, Applied Econometrics

EDUCATION

University of Alicante, Spain

PhD Economics

Advisors: Prof. Fidel Pérez Sebastián and Prof. Pedro Albarran Pérez

MSc Quantitative Economics

2016-2018

Ongoing

Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology(KNUST), Kumasi, Ghana

MSc Economics 2014-2015

B.Sc. Agriculture (First Class Honors)

2009-2013

Publications

Ackah, I., & Lartey, A., Acheampong, T., Kyem, E & Ketemepi, G (2020). Between altruism and self-aggrandisement: Transparency, accountability and politics in Ghana's oil and gas sector. Energy Research & Social Science

Alabi, O., Ackah, I., & Lartey, A. (2017). Re-visiting the renewable energy-economic growth nexus: Empirical evidence from African OPEC countries. *International Journal of Energy Sector Management*, 11(3), 387-403.

Ackah, I., Alabi, O., & Lartey, A. (2016). Analysing the efficiency of renewable energy consumption among oil–producing African countries. *OPEC Energy Review*, 40(3), 316-334.

TECHNICAL REPORT Ingram, V. J., Yago-Quattara, E. L., **Lartey, A.**, Mogre, D., Wijnands, J., & van den Berg, J. (2015). *Gender dynamics in cashew and shea value chains from Ghana and Burkina Faso.*, LEI Wageningen UR (University & Research centre), LEI Report 2015-039. 60 pp.; 5 fig.; 16 tab.; 178 ref.

Working Papers

Chinese Development Finance and Agricultural Productivity: Evidence from Tanzania

Do Natural Resources make Countries Poor at Taxation?

Oil Price Dynamics and Business Cycles in Nigeria: A Bayesian Time Varying Analysis

Dynamics in Economic Diversification in Oil Producing African Countries-Implications for Policy Formulation

HONORS/AWARDS/ GRANTS SAIS-CARI Spring 2020 Fellowship (Finalist)

DRAC Mobility Scholarship, University of Alicante, February 2020

Santiago Grisolia Predoctoral Fellowship, Generalitat Valencia , October 2018 to date

Department of Economics Scholarship, University of Alicante, Spain

(2016 - 2018)

Award of Excellence (Best performing student of the 2015 Msc Economics class), KNUST, Ghana.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

University of Alicante, Spain

Macroeconomics III, Graduate course in English (TA), Spring 2019 & Spring 2020

Mathematics I , Undergraduate course in English (TA), Fall 2018 & Fall 2019

Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology (KNUST), Kumasi, Ghana

Production Economics, Undergraduate course in English (TA) 2013-2014

Agricultural Policy, Undergraduate course in English (TA) 2013-2014

Agricultural & Trade Policies in Developing Countries, Undergraduate course in English (TA) 2013-2014

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE International Monetary Fund, Washington, DC.

June 2020 – September 2020

PhD Intern

Africa Centre for Energy Policy(ACEP), Accra, Ghana.

March 2016 – September 2016

Research Assistant

Norwegian University of Science and Technology (NTNU) and Kumasi Institute of Technology (KITE), The Hague Netherlands.

June 2016 – July 2016

 $Research\ Associate$

Energy Media Group(EMG), Accra, Ghana.

November 2015 – February 2016

Research Associate (Intern)

Wageningen University and Research Centre, The Hague Netherlands. January 2014 –

December 2014

Student Researcher (Intern)

SEMINARS / CONFERENCES / WORKSHOPS 2020: 8th Bordeaux Conference in Development Economics(postponed), CSAE Conference 2020(cancelled), Applied Seminar, University of Alicante, 8th PhD Student Workshop on Industrial and Public Economics (WIPE), PhD Students Workshop, University of Alicante

2019: 44th Annual Meeting of the Spanish Economic Association (SAEe), PhD Students Workshop, University of Alicante, 41st Annual Meeting of the Association of Southern European Economic Theorists, Applied Seminar, University of Alicante

REVIEW ASSIGNMENT International Journal of Energy Sector Management(2x), African Development Review(1x)

Professional Membership Urban Economics Association, December 2019 to date

The Econometric Society, February 2019 to date

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT / SHORT COURSES 1st Spanish Economic Association PhD School, Alicante, 11/12/2019 Globalization and the Energy Transition, Alicante, 13/02/2018 -20/03/2018

International Monetary Fund on edX (IMFx)

MDSx: Macroeconomic Diagnostics 16/10/2017 - 30/11/2017 ESRx: Energy Subsidy Reform 02/03/2016 - 23/03/2016 MFx: Macroeconomic Forecasting 16/10/2015 - 15/12/2015

The SDG Academy

 $\begin{array}{ll} \text{Macroeconomics for a Sustainable Planet} & 09/20/2017\text{-}03/01/2018 \\ \text{Natural Resources for Sustainable Development} & 01/02/2016\text{-}30/04/2016 \\ \end{array}$

SKILLS Languages: English(Fluent), Spanish(Beginner), French(Beginner)

Computer Skills: MATLAB, STATA, LaTex, R, Python, SPSS, Eviews, Oxmetrics, Microsoft Suite

REFERENCES Prof. Fidel Pérez Sebastián

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