

Mr. Palime

NATIONALITY: Lesotho and South African Permanent Resident

SUMMARY

I am a Manager and Policy Analyst with more than 10 years of skills and knowledge on national agricultural research and technology, development system, policy development processes, research analysis and monitoring. I managed to retain and expand U.S. animal by-products and horticultural market to South Africa to an estimated value of US\$ 101 million annually.

I have excellent communication, managerial, planning project and organising skills. I have been involved in the integration of HACCP and Commodity Based Trade, concepts and principles of terrestrial animal (livestock and wildlife) health surveillance; including the design; implementation and evaluation of surveillance system; the data sources; tools and methods available to perform effective surveillance; and the evaluation and analysis of surveillance data. I also developed training material and facilitated Sustainable Land Utilisation for 89 rural community members in Magaliesburg, Gauteng. Moreover, excellent presentation and mentoring skills, good problem solving, planning, organising, execution, conflict management and team leadership skills are overflowing.

EDUCATION

Year	Institution	Qualification
2013	Univ. of Pretoria	MSc (Animal/ Human/ Ecosystem Health)
2007	Univ. of North-West	BSc (Animal Health)
2002	National Univ. of Lesotho	3-Year Certificate in Agriculture
1999	Sechaba High School	Cambridge Overseas School Certificate

EMPLOYMENT RECORD

1. Peakford Management Consultants / Facilitator / January 2014/ South Africa
2. United States Department of Agriculture - Animal & Plant Health Inspection Services / Agriculture Specialist / 2011 August – Present / U.S. Embassy, South Africa.

3. Department of Agriculture and Environmental Affairs / Animal Health Technician / 2011
April – July 2011/ Kwa-Zulu Natal, South Africa
4. St Boniface High School / Teacher / 2007 February – 2007 September / Lesotho
5. Ralehlatsa Secondary School / Teacher/ 2002 May – 2007 January / Lesotho

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Sectors:

- Agriculture, Fishing and Forestry
- Education
- Health and Other Social Services
- Science and Technology

Areas of Expertise:

- Agriculture
- Capacity Development (manpower and institutions)
- Project Management
- Other (Specify Animal Health)

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

South Africa Veterinary Council

PUBLICATIONS

n/a

LANGUAGES

English, Sesotho, Setswana, Sepedi, IsiZulu