ROSEMARY WAMBUI MAINA

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PROFESSIONAL OBJECTIVE

Motivated Environmental Conservation graduate with hands-on experience in community engagement, communication, and data management. Eager to support environmental programs by applying my knowledge in natural resource management, research, and stakeholder engagement to advance sustainable initiatives and promote environmental stewardship. Committed to working collaboratively with diverse communities for impactful conservation outcomes.

EDUCATION

University of Nairobi – Chiromo Campus BSc. Environmental Conservation & Natural Resources Management 2020 – 2024 | Second Class Upper Division

- Awarded Best 4th Year Student for Academic Excellence and Environmental Leadership
- Research Project: Effects of Water Pollution on Soil Chemical Properties along River Kirichwa Analyzed soil samples near the river to assess how pollutants affect key chemical parameters such as pH, nutrient content, and heavy metal concentrations. Presented findings using Excel and data charts to support environmental monitoring.

Senior Chief Koinange Girls High School – Kiambu Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education (KCSE) 2016 – 2019 | Grade B (Plain)

LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

Vice Chair – Eco Advocacy Society, University of Nairobi 2023 – Present

- Led resource mobilization and coordinated tree planting, campus clean-ups, SDG campaigns, and sensitization forums.
- Organized environmental awareness events in collaboration with university administration.
- Built partnerships with stakeholders and increased student engagement in conservation.

Youth Coordinator - Malizingira Movement

2022 - Present

- Mobilized youth for climate action and environmental campaigns.
- Supported the design and implementation of sustainability projects.
- Facilitated capacity-building sessions for young people.

Literature & Theatre Coordinator – Chiromo Campus Christian Union 2022 – 2023

- Promoted creative expression and spiritual growth through storytelling and the arts.
- Mentored peers within a faith-based framework.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Attaché – Ministry of Environment, Climate Change & Forestry (State Department for Forestry)

June – September 2023

- Drafted and reviewed Monitoring & Evaluation (M&E) reports for various counties.
- Assisted with communication tasks, and front office operations.
- Handled documentation and visitor coordination.

Polling Clerk – Independent Electoral and Boundaries Commission (IEBC) *August 2022*

- Verified voter information and maintained order during elections.
- Supported public communication and transparency throughout the voting process.

CONFERENCES & TRAININGS

- AGNES Training (African Group of Negotiators Experts Support) | Jan Feb 2025
- Kenya Landscape Actors' Platform Conference, Ole Sereni | Nov 2024
- CGIAR Science Week, UN Campus | April 2025
- Global Leadership Summit, CITAM Karen | Nov 2022

KEY SKILLS

• Data Management: Microsoft Word, Excel, PowerPoint

- **Communication Skills** Fluent in English with clear verbal and written communication abilities.
- **Basic GIS knowledge** Familiar with GIS and other environmental mapping tools.
- Event Planning & Project Coordination Skilled in organizing environmental events and managing project activities efficiently.
- Adaptability: Quick to adjust to new tasks, tools, and environments

HOBBIES & INTERESTS

- Environmental volunteering
- Tree planting
- Public speaking & youth mentorship
- Outdoor exploration & travel

REFEREES

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