# AGEYO COLLINS ODHIAMBO

Currently: Learning C++ and looking for a research associate/ Monitoring, Evaluation, Accountability and Learning (MEAL) position

More than 5 years' working experience in agricultural consultancy, economics, nutrition, climate change, data analytics and gender empowerment. Enthusiastic about evidence-based interventions that revolutionize and improve people's lives. Working with communities and researchers in collaborative environment and multicultural setting. A selftaught developer (Python, PHP, Javascript, SQL) experienced in predictive analysis, data collection automation, data-augmented designs and analysis, database set-up and visualization.



## **EDUCATION**

May 2013 Dec 2018 University of Pretoria/Egerton University Msc. Agricultural and Applied Economics

Pretoria, SA

Thesis: Business models for linking farmers to markets: the case of smallholder banana farmers in Meru, Kenya

Sept 2009 Dec 2013 **Egerton University** Bsc. Agribusiness management

Nakuru, Kenya



# PROFESSIONAL AND RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Apr 2019 Date

Consultant: Climate change, gender and seed systems International Centre for Tropical Agriculture Nairobi, Kenya

- Led research on gender issues in Tanzania and planned and managed fieldwork budgets.
- Lead contributor to book chapter: Seed systems for hybrid and nonhybrid crops: opportunities and challenges for gender equality and co-author: Gender yield gaps in Tanzania.
- Reviewed literature and generated algorithms for climate change projections and scenarios for Zambia up to 2021.

Feb 2019 May 2019

#### Senior Agricultural-Nutrition Policy Consultant

International Centre for Tropical Agriculture • Malawi, Nigeria, TZ

- Engaged and influenced senior government officials and stakeholders in nutrition policy landscape mapping exercise.
- Developed process methodology for nutrition policy landscape mapping in Tanzania, Malawi and Nigeria.
- Formed part of task-force of professionals charged with revising Adolescent Health and Nutrition Strategy in Malawi and generated a policy briefs.



### **Contact Info**

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### Skills

Languages: English (Fluent), Swahili (Fluent), French (Basic)

Data Analysis: Python (ML and AI); Stata (.do, Mata, SE Modelling, Matrices); Excel (VBA basics), SPSS syntax

Programming: Python, SQL, PHP, JavaScript (basic)

Mobile/CAPI: CSPro (Expert), ODK/SurveyCTO

Databases: MySQL (Expert), MongoDb (Intermediate)

Visualization: Tableau, MS Power BI, Adobe Illustrator, InDesign, Matplotlib, Seaborn

**Geo-spatial:** GIS (very basic) Google Earth Pro and Engine (Basic)

Dec 2018 Mar 2018

## **Associate CSPRO Programmer and Trainer**

Kantar Public

Nairobi, Kenya

- Developed a syncing control flow app in CSPro; debugged and upgraded deprecated items to run on new release for Feed the Future project.
- Co-designed measurement, learning, and tool optimization algorithms

May 2018 | Dec 2018

### Associate Economist | Impact Evaluation

International Centre for Tropical Agriculture 

Nairobi, Kenya

- Team lead, end of project impact evaluation for women vegetable farmers in four villages in Gambia for the World Bank. Chaired gender-sensitive community meetings and seminars, held household interviews and FGDs considering cultural and religious aspects that led to increased participation and project success
- In-charge of budget and financial management for the project
- Automated data collection in surveyCTO and cleaned data in Python and analyzed in Stata.

Aug 2016 | May

2018

### Research Consultant | Markets | Economics

International Centre for Tropical Agriculture

Nairobi, Kenya

- Developed bean corridors concept to fast-track investments and trade in common beans in 31 African countries.
- Programmed Power BI MEAL Dashboard to implement logical frameworks and project implementation plans (PIP) from SQLdatabase.
- Assisted in formation of innovation platform in Kenya, Cameroon and Rwanda
- Contributed to development of TUKUZE Platform by MasterCard Labs to digitize transactions in rural areas

Jun 2016 | Aug 2016

#### Field Enumerator

International Centre of Insect Physiology and Ecology

Nairobi, Kenya

 Conducted push-pull technology data collection through interviews to understand diffusion and adoption of the innovation/technology; resulting in a peer-reviewed article.

### ■ Selected Work and Publications

Note: all links are active, click to access content

- Peer reviewed article: DOI:10.4314/acsj.v27i2.1
- World Bank ILWAC Evaluation Report
- Published Dataverse repository
- PowerBI Dashboard for MEAL
- Machine Learning Repository. Find more on Github
- CSPro Programming for data collection automation
- · Stata .do file example

### References

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