

CURRICULUM VITAE JUDITH O. OYOO 2022

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ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS

2020- 2023 PhD student at University of Nairobi, PhD Food science and nutrition

2012-2018 Jomo Kenyatta University of Agriculture and Technology, Juja MSc (Horticulture)

1995 to 2000 Egerton University, Njoro. BSc (Horticulture)

1990 to 1993 St Francis Girls High School, Mang'u

PROFESSIONAL TRAINING

1. Building Agribusiness relations for sustainable profit: linking key skills for inclusive business brokering in November 2017, Ibadan, Nigeria
2. Integrated Pest Management and Safety in June 2017, Hof van Wageningen, Netherlands
3. Linking Research to local rural innovations in March 2014, Hof van Wageningen, Netherlands
4. Science skills course by African Women in Agricultural Research and development (AWARD) held in February 2014, in International Botanical Beach hotel, Entebbe, Uganda
5. Leadership skills course by African Women in Agricultural Research and development (AWARD) held in July 2013, Alisa hotel in Ghana

EXPERIENCE

A well rounded professional who has solid background and experience in the field of potato research and development pertaining to crop growth and the factors that affect their development rate such as climatic conditions and other agro-ecological factors. I am a member of the team of the master trainers selected in the 'Promotion of Nutrition sensitive Potato Partnership Project (NuSePPP) in East Africa' funded by GIZ from 2017 to 2019 to train County extension officers from Nyandarua, Bungoma, Trans-nzoia and Elgeyo Marakwet on capacity building potato farmers through farmer field and business schools (FFBS). In addition, I coordinated activities of Projects such as USAID FtF Integrated Agricultural Research for Rural Development Project- FAA #AID-615-F-16-00001 (Potato Research for development value chain continuum) implemented in Bungoma, Meru and Elgeyo Marakwet Counties. Currently, am coordinating activities in KALRO Tigonj under Kenya Climate Smart Agriculture Project (KCSAP) under '*Building competitive and sustainable crop seed system- 'Support breeding programs and promote private sector and community involvement in commercial seed production and distribution'*' and '*Validating and scaling up seed potato production, storage and distribution models for improved access and incomes*' where I am involved in up-scaling of technologies, innovation and management practices (TIMPS), development of KCSAP TOT Training manual on Potato production in Kenya and training of county agricultural officers on climate smart potato

production technologies in Nyeri, Taita Taveta, Bomet, Uasin Gishu, Elgeyo Marakwet and Nyandarua.

JOB DESCRIPTION

1. Formulation of research project proposals, implementation of projects; design, establish, , collect, compile and analyze data from experiments/Trials
2. Prepare and present research findings in conferences and workshops and publish articles in refereed journals
3. Prepare scientific and technical reports such as annual reports and quarterly reports and any other such report upon request.
4. Preparation of annual work plans and budgets
5. Development and validation of diagnostic tools/technologies
6. Identify, coordinate and strengthen capacity for dissemination of KALRO products and services, clients' feedback capture and integration into KALRO's research process
7. Promote KALRO's internal and external clients' access to knowledge, information and technologies
8. Development and Production of brochures, visual aids and other comprehensive and quality knowledge transfer literature for improved technology dissemination and client's access to KALRO Technology, knowledge and information

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