**CURRICULUM VITAE**

**PERSONAL BACKGROUND**

**Name : James Odhiambo Ouma**

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**OBJECTIVE**

Seeking a challenging job in institutional teaching, industrial processing or analysis opportunity

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND**

University of Nairobi

**Nairobi County**

***Achievement***

* Bachelor of arts
* Double major in sociology and public administration Second class honors (upper division)
* Msc in Applied Human Nutrition-ongoing, already completed course work

Egerton University (Department of Dairy and Food science technology)

**Njoro, Nakuru County**

***Achievement***

* Diploma in Dairy Technology
* Obtained a credit of 63%

Mbita High school

**Suba**, **Homabay County**

***Achievement***

* Kenya certificate of secondary Education-C+ (59points)

Okota primary school

**Homabay County**

***Achievement***

* Kenya certificate of primary Education-74 points

WORK EXPERIENCE

* Worked on attachment at Kenya cooperative creameries, dandora plant for a period of two months.
* Worked with Dairy land company, Nairobi ice cream manufacturers as lab analyst.
* 2005-worked with GlaxoSmithKline as plant operator and in process analyst in drinks manufacturing that is Ribena and Lucozade products.
* Sept 2005-oct2011 worked with agro chemical and Food Company as process plant operator dealing with the manufacturing of baker’s yeast and spirits right from molasses preparation, cream separation, filtration, distillation and packaging.
* Dec2011 to date- working with University of Nairobi, department of food science and nutrition as a technologist in the Food chemistry laboratory.

- aiding and teaching both undergraduate and post graduate students in analyzing both chemical and microbiological food analysis in their practical’s and research work. -undertaking chemical food analysis to food samples from customers and even food processing industries.

-Involved in research work and laboratory Income generation to the University

**EXTRA-MURAL ACTIVITIES AND ACHIEVEMENT**

* Class prefect
* Participated in athletics at district level in Suba district.
* Undertaken a computer literacy course in Egerton University, at the African virtual university centre in the following packages;
* **Windows95 A**
* **Ms word A**
* **Ms excel B**
* **Ms success 97 B**
* **Internet explorer B**
* **Power point B**

* Undertaken a course in HIV/AIDS at work place at Agro chemical and Food Company with ALPHA 2 NYANZA in cooperation with ministry of health.
* Trained on ISO 14000 Standards, Environmental Management Systems (EMS)

**CONFERENCE PAPER PRESENTATION**

* George O. Abong’ Jackson N Kabira Michael W Okoth jackline A Ogolla and **James Ouma** (2013) Potential of processing potato flakes from popular Kenyan potato varieties. Ninth Triennial Africa Potato Association conference held on 30th june-5th july, great valley lodge, Naivasha, Kenya.

**REFERENCES**

1. Dr. Sophia Ngala Lecturer UON

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