

CURRICULUM VITAE

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CONTACT INFORMATION

Name:

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(A) PERSONAL INFORMATION

Citizenship:

Kenyan

Gender:

Female

Marital status:

Married with children

Languages:

Fluent in English and Kiswahili

(B) QUALIFICATIONS

Academic and Professional Qualifications

| Area of Learning | Year | Institution | Award |
|---|-------------|---------------------------|---|
| Doctor of Philosophy (Educational Communication and Technology) | 2009 | Moi University | D. PHIL Attitudes of secondary school students towards pre-marital sex: effects on schooling and management of HIV/AIDS scourge in the larger Bungoma District. Doctor of Philosophy Thesis, Moi University |
| Master of Philosophy (Educational Communication and Technology) | 2001 | Moi University | M. PHIL Attitudes of the Christian Church and teachers towards Social Education and Ethics as a discipline in secondary schools in Bungoma District, Kenya. Master of Philosophy Thesis, Moi University |
| Bachelor of Education (Arts) | 1993 | Moi University | B. ED (Arts) |
| Kenya Advanced Certificate of Education | 1988 | Misikhu girls High School | K.A.C.E. |
| Kenya Certificate of Education | 1986 | Bunyore Girls High School | K.C.E |
| Certificate of Primary Education | 1982 | Kibabii boarding primary | C.P.E |

(C) PROFESSIONAL RESEARCH INTERESTS

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| i) | Emerging Gender and Ethical issues |
| ii) | Trends in Education and Management |

(D) EMPLOYMENT HISTORY/WORK EXPERIENCE

| Date | Position | Organization |
|---|--|---|
| March, 2021 to date | Senior Lecturer and Director, Institute of Gender and Development Studies (DIGDS) | Kibabii University |
| May, 2014 – January, 2021 | Senior Lecturer and Dean, Faculty of Education and Social Sciences (FESS) | Kibabii University |
| March, 2012 -May, 2014 | Lecturer and Chair of 13 Departments | Kibabii University College |
| 1 st March, 2010 – March, 2012 | Lecturer and Warden of Female Hostel | Masinde Muliro University of Science and Technology |
| May 2008 – February, 2010 | Senior Principal Graduate Teacher and Deputy Principal | Teachers Service Commission (TSC) –Bilibili Secondary School |
| January 2007 –April, 2008 | Principal Graduate Teacher Head of department (Humanities) | Teachers Service Commission (TSC) – Kamukuywa Secondary School |
| January 1993 – December, 2006 | Graduate Teacher and Head of department (Humanities) | Teachers Service Commission (TSC) –St Mary's Sosio Secondary School |

(E) APPOINTMENTS AND ADMINISTRATIVE RESPONSIBILITIES

| Date | Organisation | Role |
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| 10th March 2023 to date | Kenya Literature Bureau (KLB) | Chairperson , Board of Directors |
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| 25 th March, 2022 | Kibabii University | Mace Bearer, 6 th KIBU Graduation |
| March, 2021 to date | Kibabii University | Director, Institute of Gender and Development Studies |
| August, 2020 | Kibabii University | Member of Sub Committee for Rewards and Recognition Nomination and Selection |

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| August, 2020 | Kibabii University | Member of Ad-Hoc Committee to plan the Book Launch and Public Lecturer |
| June, 2020 | Kibabii University | Member of Performance management Committee |
| 2019 -May, 2020 | Kibabii University | Chairperson, Board of Trustees Kibabii Staff Pension Scheme |
| 21 st September, 2018 | Commission for University Education | Peer Reviewer |
| 17 th April, 2018 | Kibabii University | Member of Board PSSP and IGU directorate |
| 31 st January, 2018 to 2021 | Kibabii University | Dean , Faculty of Education and Social Sciences (Second Term). In charge of curriculum development, review and supervision of 110 staff and over 6000 students in 19 academic programmes |
| 12 th January, 2018 | Kibabii University | 2 nd Extension of period as Dean Faculty of Education and Social Sciences |
| 20 th June, 2017 | Kibabii University | Chairperson of tender Evaluation Committee |
| 8 th June, 2017 | Kibabii University | Give Vote of Thanks during official closing of 2 nd International Conference |
| 2 nd June, 2017 | Kibabii University | Returning officer for elections of the Interim Kibabii University students leadership |
| 20 th April, 2017 | Kibabii University | Acting DVC (ASA) |
| 16 th May 2017 | | Member of Committee preparing the handing over of Turkana Learning Centre to Turkana University College |
| 9 th May, 2017 | Kibabii University | Acting DVC (ASA) |
| 9 th May, 2017 | Kibabii University | Extension of period as Dean Faculty of Education and Social Sciences |
| 5 th April 2017 | Kibabii University | Member of Kibabii University Statutes review Committee |
| 5 th April, 2017 | Kibabii University | Job analyst Team Member with SRC and Price WaterHouse Coopers |
| 20 th March, 2017 | Kibabii University | Acting DVC (ASA) |
| 22 nd February, 2017 | Kibabii University | Chairperson of the Ad Hoc committee to discuss the initiation of the centre of International Studies and Global Order at |

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| | | Kibabii University |
| 9 th September 2016 | Kibabii University | Member AD HOC Committee of Senate considering nominees for award of Honorary Degree |
| 24 th August, 2016 | Kibabii University | Member , of technical Subcommittee for the 2 nd Kibabii University international Conference |
| 28 th July, 2016 | Kibabii University | Member of Steering Committee 2 nd Kibabii University international Conference |
| 8 th April, 2016 | Kibabii University | Member of Procurement planning committee. |
| 6 th – 8 th April, 2016 | Kibabii University | Acting DVC (PAF) |
| 9 th November, 2015 | Kibabii University | Chairperson , AD HOC Committee on establishment of Turkana University college of science and technology |
| 19 th August, 2015 | Kibabii University | Chairperson , Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP) Implementation Committee |
| 6 th July, 2015 | Kibabii University College | Chairperson , Joint Steering committee for KIBUCO and County Government of Turkana MOU |
| 29 th May, 2015 | Kibabii University College | Member of 38 th , 39 th , 40 th , 41 st and 42 nd Appointment and Promotions Committees |
| 15 th May, 2015 | Kibabii University College | Member , AD HOC Committee to investigate cases of examination irregularities. |
| 6 th May, 2015 | Kibabii University College | Chairperson , institutional Risk management committee |
| 9 th December, 2014 | Kibabii University College | Chairperson , on causes of postponement of examinations |
| 28 th November, 2014 | Kibabii University College | Member, AD HOC Committee on school practice malpractice |
| 17 th October, 2014 | Kibabii University College | Member , AD HOC Committee for drafting proposal for Loan from Industrial and Commercial Development Corporation (ICDC) |
| 9 th September, 2014 | Kibabii University College | ISO Implementer |
| 3 rd June 2014 | Kibabii University College | Representation of Principal KIBUCO at Fundraising function |
| 22 nd May, 2014 – May 2017 | Kibabii University College | Dean , Faculty of Education and Social Sciences |

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| March, 2014 | Kibabii University College | Representative , Kibabii University College to the MMUST Senate Ad hoc committee for investigating Students Governing Council (SGC) Election Malpractices |
| March, 2014 | Kibabii University College | Kibabii University College Show and Exhibition committee |
| 31 st January, 2014 | Kibabii University College | Chairperson , Kibabii University College Electoral Board |
| 23 rd January, 2014 | Kibabii University College | Member , Board of trustees of Kibabii University pension scheme |
| 1 st December, 2013 | Kibabii University College | Senior Lecturer : Teaching, Research, Consultancy and Mentoring in the Department of CIT . |
| October, 2013 | Kibabii University College | Chairperson , Department of Social Sciences. |
| June 2013 | Kibabii University College | Chairperson Institutional risk management committee |
| May 2013 to date | Masinde Muliro University of Science and Technology | Part time Lecturer |
| May 2013 –October 2013 | Kibabii University College | Chairperson , Department in the Faculty of Education and Social Sciences. |
| 2013 | Kibabii University College | Member of the University Charter Drafting committee |
| 2013 | Kibabii University College | Member of the short-listing committees |
| 2012 | Kibabii University College | Member of Academic board Kibabii University College |
| 2012 | Kibabii University College | Member of the KIBUCOSO Election Commission |
| 2012 | Kibabii University College | Member of the text books procurement committee |
| 2012 | Kibabii University College | Member of students' disciplinary committee |
| 2012 | Kibabii University College | Member of quality assurance committee |
| 2012 | Kibabii University College | Chairperson of Privately Sponsored Students programme (PSSP) |
| 2012 to 2013 | Kibabii University College | Chair of the tender committee |
| 2012 | Kibabii University College | Warden female students' hostel (Hall 2) |
| March 2012 to May 2013 | Masinde Muliro University of Science and technology | Chairperson of Department in the Faculty of Education and Social Science |
| 2011 – 2012 | Masinde Muliro University | Warden of Female students' hostel (Hall 1) |

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| 2010 – Feb 2013 | Masinde Muliro University of Science and technology | Lecturer , Teaching, Research, Consultancy and Mentoring |
| August 2009 | National bureau of statistics | Senior Supervisor |
| October 2009- November 2009 | Kenya National Examinations Council | Supervisor |
| May 2008 – February 2010 | Deputy Principal | Teachers Service Commission (TSC) – Bilibili Secondary School |
| January 2007 –April 2008 | Head of department (Humanities) | Teachers Service Commission (TSC) – Kamukuywa Secondary School |
| January 1993 – December 2006 | Head of department (Humanities) | Teachers Service Commission (TSC) –St Mary’s Sosio Secondary School |

(F) PROFESSIONAL COURSES AND TRAINING

| DATE | TYPE OF TRAINING | FACILITATOR |
|---|--|--|
| 21st -26th September, 2022 | Mediation/ Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR) | Serein Mediation Centre(SMC) |
| 8th November- 13th November 2020 | Management Challenge Course | Outward Bound Trust of Kenya |
| 14th September- 20th November 2020 | Strategic Leadership Development Program | Kenya School of Government-Mombasa Campus |
| 17th November- 13th December 2019 | Senior Management Course | Kenya School of Governance -Baringo Campus |
| 22nd – 26th April 2019 | Digital Teaching Material Development | Captiva International Limited |
| April 2019 | Strategic training Pension resource Management | Enwealth |
| 14th – 15th February 2019 | In-house training on effective and progressive industrial Relations for Kibabii University | Federation of Kenya Employers (FKE) |
| 28th September 2018 | Requirements for Teachers | Teachers’ Service Commission (TSC) |

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| 20th – 21st September 2018 | Peer Reviewers' Training | Commission for University Education (CUE), Masada Hotel Naivasha, Kenya |
| 26th – 30th March 2018 | Gender Mainstreaming in Higher Education and Forensic Victimology | Covenant University, Nigeria and Ahmadu Bello University with support of Association of Commonwealth Universities (ACU) |
| 23rd 24th May 2017 | Enterprise Risk Management | Kibabii University |
| 4th – 5th April 2017 | Job Analysis | PriceWaterhouse Coopers and Kibabii University |
| 6th – 8th March 2017 | Grant Proposal Writing | African Population and Research Centre |
| 5th – 9th December 2016 | Cabinet Memos and Board paper Writing Course | Kenya School of Government |
| 22nd – 25th September 2016 | Curriculum Review, Joventure Hotel Kisumu | Kibabii University |
| 13th May 2016 | Pre-CBA negotiations skills for Kibabii University at Kibabii University | Federation of Kenya Employers |
| 19th February 2016 | Pensions and risk management training at Intercontinental Hotel, Nairobi | Liberty pension Services |
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| 10th – 14th February 2016 | Module Development to enhance E-Learning, Eldoret | Kibabii University |
| 21st – 22nd October 2015 | Corruption Prevention, Kibabii University | Ethics and Anti-Corruption Commission |
| 27th -28th July 2015 | Pedagogical Skills Training 2015, Kibabii University College at Kibabii University | Kibabii University |
| 14th November 2014 | Trustee Development Program Kenya (TDPK) at College of Insurance Nairobi, Kenya | College of Insurance, Nairobi in collaboration with Humber Centre for employee benefit, , Toronto, Canada |
| 15th -16th May 2014 | Corporate Governance at Kibabii University College | Centre for corporate Governance, Nairobi, Kenya |

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| 8th – 10th April 2014 | Implementers Training on Quality Management System based on ISO 9001:2008 for Staff at Kibabii University | Apex Consulting Africa Limited |
| 21st March 2014 | Staff Induction Workshop (Management Culture, Integration and Internalisation) | Kibabii University College |
| 23rd – 24th January 2014 | Curriculum Development and Review for Public Universities in Kenya: Implementation and Accreditation | Masinde Muliro University of Science and Technology, Kakamega |
| 21st June 2013 | Risk Management Workshop at Kabula Pastoral Centre, Bungoma | Kibabii University College |
| 4th June 2012 | Information for Quality Service and Customer Satisfaction | Kibabii University College |
| 2009 | Computer Studies at Samita Printers and Computers, Kimilili, Kenya | Ministry of Education Science and Technology |
| 4th – 10th 2005 | Induction course in Education Management for HODs at Iregi Teachers Training College | Kenya Education Staff Institute –KESI |
| 1989 | Pre-University National Youth Service Programme | National Youth Service Training College, Naivasha |

(G) CONFERENCES, SEMINARS AND WORKSHOPS

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| May 2023 | Post Graduate Supervision | Kibabii University |
| April 2023 | Mwongozo Induction programme for Boards of State Corporations | Lake Naivasha Resort |
| October 2022 | GDDC Training and sensitization of Gender Mainstreaming | GDDC Kenya, Nakuru |
| 22nd -23rd November 2021 | 4 th Annual Forensic Victimology and Victim Support Conference | Online Co-hosted by University of Nairobi, Ahmadu Bello University, Nigeria and Kibabii University |
| July- October 2020 | Quality Assurance in Higher and Tertiary Education Workshops | Association of African Universities (AAU) |
| 28th – 30th October | The 3 rd International Conference on Future of Education 2020: Virtual Conference 29 th - 30 th October 2020 | The International Institute of Knowledge Management (TIKM), Sri-Lanka |

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| August 2019 | First Consultative Forum for the deans of Schools of Education in Universities in Kenya. University of Embu, Kenya | University of Embu |
| 2019 | Kibabii University 4 th International Conference. “ <i>Enhancing Food Security and Universal Health Care for Sustainable Development</i> ” 12 – 14 June 2019. Kibabii University Main Campus, Bungoma Kenya | Kibabii University |
| 2018 | Teacher Registration Requirements by the Teachers Service Commission. Staff Induction Workshop. <i>Enhancing learning outcomes through application of 21st century pedagogies in the provision of University Education and embracing the new competence based curriculum in Kenya</i> | Kibabii University |
| 2014 to Date | Facilitator in training of teachers in Bungoma County | Bungoma county department of Education and Vocational Training |
| 2018 | 3 rd Interdisciplinary International Scientific Conference | Kibabii University |
| 2017 | 2 nd Interdisciplinary International Scientific Conference | Kibabii University |
| 2016 | 1 st Interdisciplinary International Scientific Conference | Kibabii University |
| 2012 | Information for quality service and customer satisfaction | Kibabii University College |
| 2012 | Implementation and Documentation of ISO 9000 Course, Kenya Bureau of Standards (KEBS), MMUST, Kenya s | MMUST |
| 2012 | Training in alternative content delivery (Module), Kenyatta University, Kenya | Hotel Cicada, Eldoret |
| 2012 | Regional sensitization on Science and technology and innovation (NCST) | MMUST |
| 2010 | The role of Ethics in nation building: The balance between Unity and Cultural diversity | Strathmore University, Nairobi |

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| 2009 | Senior supervisor | Happy Moments, Bungoma |
| 2002 | Professional counselling by KAPC, Kenya | Safari Park hotel, Nairobi |
| 2002 | Sensitization on revised 8.4.4 curriculum, MoE, Kenya | Moi Girls High School Kamusinga, Kimilili |

(H) STUDENT MENTORSHIP

i) Postgraduate Student Supervision

| Student | Degree and University | Year of Graduation |
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| <i>Doctor of Philosophy</i> | | |
| Margaret Matisi | PhD (Religion) of Kibabii University | 2019 |
| George Okumu Achar | PhD (Religion) of Masinde Muliro University of Science and Technology. | 2018 |
| Tom Ngeiywo | PhD (Religion) of Masinde Muliro University of Science and Technology). | 2018 |
| Angeline Savala | PhD (Religion) of Masinde Muliro University of Science and Technology). | 2014 |
| Gladys K Ragira | PhD (Religion) of Masinde Muliro University of Science and Technology. | In progress |
| Chritabel Wanyama | PhD (Religion) of Masinde Muliro University of Science and Technology. | In progress |
| Edward Wekesa Wanyonyi | PhD (Religion) of Kibabii University | In progress |
| Oroni Nicolas Barasa | PhD (EPM) of Kibabii University | In progress |
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| <i>Masters</i> | | |
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| Samuel Wafula Mukanda | <i>MA (History)</i> of Kibabii University | 2020 |
| Maasi Kennedy Wakhungu | <i>MA (History)</i> of Kibabii University | 2020 |
| Diperus Wafula Wanyonyi | <i>MA (History)</i> of Kibabii University | 2019 |
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| Phyllis Wanyimbi | MA (<i>Religion</i>) of Kibabii University | 2019 |
| Ann Wepukhulu | MA (<i>Religion</i>) of Kibabii University | 2019 |
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| Winnifred Wambui Mwikali | <i>MA (History)</i> of Kibabii University | 2018 |
| Wayong'o Maurice Wamalwa | M.ED of Kibabii University | 2017 |
| Christine Wanjala | M.ED of Kibabii University | 2017 |
| Sylvester Wakoli Bifwoli | MA of Kibabii University | 2017 |
| Wilbrodah Chiliswa | MA of Mount Kenya University | 2017 |
| Sera Madiiga Kitsiri | MA of Masinde Muliro University of Science and Technology) | 2014 |
| Margret Matisi: | MA of Masinde Muliro University of Science and Technology) | 2014 |

ii) External Examiner

a. Long term

- **2016 to date** External Examiner, Bomet University College
- 2015 to date External Examiner, Department of Curriculum Instruction and Educational Media, Moi University.

b. Short term

Student Thesis Examination for Moi University, Masinde Muliro University of Science and Technology and Kibabii University, currently as follows:

- Kutto Naomi Jebungei
- Nyongesa John Wenje
- Rael Jeruto Chepkwony

- Mudoga Khakhole Paul
- Grace Jepkemei Nyango
- Nasong'o Susan Kusembeli
- Jennifer Chepkirui Chirchir
- Beatrice Busolo Ingaso
- John Mwangi Kariuki
- Barasa W. Diana
- Ngeno Judylynn Chepkirui
- Tobias Owiti
- Mary Molenje
- Caroline Chepkirui Mandae
- Keter Philemon Kibet
- Jane Bunei
- Judith Nangekhe Wafula
- Jane Wasike

(I) PUBLICATIONS

a. Books

Published three books listed below.

- 1 Sebastian okello Wang'ombe and **Rispah Wepukhulu**, 2023 *International Trends of Terrorism and counter Terrorism*. ZEED & CEE
- 2 Rop Naaman and **Rispah Wepukhulu**. 2015. *African Traditional Religion: An Introduction*. EANSO Publishers. ISBN – 13: 9781515213475
- 3 Rop Naaman and **Rispah Wepukhulu**. 2019. *Introduction to Philosophy of Religion*. EANSO Publishers. ISBN 10: 151521347-1

b. Modules

Developed thirteen (13) modules including one listed below.

- i. **Rispah Wepukhulu**, Margaret Matisi and Edith Simiyu. 2019. *Introduction to the study of Religion*. Kibabii University. ISBN 978-9966-59-015-2

c. Articles in Refereed journals

Published over 30 papers in refereed journals as listed below.

1. Maua, A. C., Wepukhulu, R., & Matisi, M. N. (2023). The Practices and Roles of the Nandi Traditional Religious Practitioners. *Iconic Research and Engineering Journals*.
2. Maua, A. C., Wepukhulu, R., & Matisi, M. N. (2023). The Significance of the Nandi Traditional Religious Practices on Traditional Medicine among the Nandi. *Iconic Research and Engineering Journals*
3. Wakoli, S. B., Wepukhulu, R. N., & Mutsotso, S. N. (2023). Intervening Strategies for Addressing Conflict and Disintegration in Legio Maria Church in Kisumu County. *Iconic Resaerch and Engineering Journals*.
4. Wakoli, S. B., Wepukhulu, R. N., & Ngome, S. (2023). The Origin and Development of Legio Maria Church in Kenya. *Iconic Research and Engineering Journal*.
5. Wepukhulu, R., & Likoko, S. (2023). Employee Satisfaction and Retention in Kenyan Public Universities. *European Journal of Theoretical and Applied Sciences*, 875-880 ISSN 2786-7447.
6. Wepukhulu, R., & Likoko, S. (2023). Public Schools in Northern Kenya: Perceived Security and Teacher Turnover. *European Journal of Theoretical and Applied Sciences*, 867-874 ISSN 2786-7447.
7. Milenja, A. L., Wepukhulu, R., & Matisi, M. (2022). Influence of Financial Demands by the Clergy on the Attitude of the Congregants among the Protestant Churches in Nairobi County, Kenya. *Iconic Research and Engineering Journals*.
8. Wanyonyi, M. W., Wepukhulu, R., & Opondo, P. A. (2022). An Insight into Unprecedented Performance of Coffee Sector in Bungoma County, Kenya, 1967-1988. *The International Journal of Humanities & Social Studies*.
9. Echwa, J., Kipkenei, S., & Wepukhulu Rispah. (2021). Influence of Teacher Delocalization Policy on Pupils' Academic Performance in Public Primary Schools in Loima Sub-County, Turkana County, Kenya. *International Journal of Research and Innovation in Social Science (IJRISS)*.
10. Roselyne, O., Barasa, D. J., & Wepukhulu, R. (2021). The extent to which teachers workload influence sustainability of hundred percent transition policy in secondary schools in Bungoma County. *Journal of Education* 3(1).
11. Matisi Margaret Nanjala, Wepukhulu Rispah Mutsotso Stanley Ngome 2019 .Influence of Theological structure on the Unity and Conflicts in PEFA Church. *Journal of Religion* 1(4)

12. Matisi Margaret Nanjala ,Wepukhulu Rispah, Mutsotso Stanley Ngome 2019 .Social structure of PEFA and its influence on unity. *Journal of Religion* 1(4)
13. Wepukhulu Anne Nekesa, Ochieng Ahaya, Wepukhulu Rispah 2019. The Meaning of Modernization as a Concept. *Journal of Religion* 1 (4)
14. Wanyembi Phyllis Nekesa, Ahaya Ochieng' , Wepukhulu Rispah 2019.Bukusu Traditional Funeral Rites in Bungoma County, Kenya. *Journal of Religion* 1(4)
15. Rispah Wepukhulu, Leunita Makila, Irene Simiyu 2019. Moral Education and Societal Development: Is the Reintroduction of Social Education Ethics the Panacea for Society's Mora Challenges? **African Journal of Education and Social Sciences (AJESS)**. 4: 1-12. ISSN: 2415-0770
16. Aroni Nicholas Barasa, Rispah Wepukhulu Florence Wanjala. 2019. The HIV/AIDS Pandemic among Technical College Trainees, Its Implication on Their Sexual Behaviour. A case of The Selected Technical Institutes in Kimilili-Bungoma Sub County, Kenya. **African Journal of Education and Social Sciences (AJESS)**. 4: 13 - 25. ISSN: 2415-0770
17. Aroni Nicholas Barasa, Rispah Wepukhulu, Irene Simiyu 2019. Influence of the free primary Education policy on pupils arithmetic competence, in public primary schools. A case study of kimilili-Bungoma sub county, kenya. **African Journal of Education and Social Sciences (AJESS)**. 4: 82 - 98. ISSN: 2415-0770
18. Samuel Wafula Makanda, Yokan Ogola, **Rispah Wepukhulu**. (2019). A History of Dini Ya Musambwa in Bungoma County, Kenya: 1940-2017. **African Journal of Education and Social Sciences (AJESS)**. 4: 99 – 113. ISSN: 2415-0770
19. Nasaba Christabel Wanyama, Ezekiel Musembe Kasiera, **Rispah Wepukhulu**. (2018). Strategies used by Victory Outreach Church in Alleviation of Poverty among the People of Bungoma County, Kenya. *International Organization of Scientific Research (IOSR) Journal of Humanities and Social Sciences*. **23 (5) ver.1. 35 – 42.**
20. Nasaba Christabel Wanyama, **Rispah Wepukhulu**, Ezekiel Musembe Kasiera. (2018). Causes and Manifestations of Poverty among the people of Bungoma Cunt, Kenya. **International Journal of Innovative Research and Advanced Studies**. **5 (3).**
21. Gladys Kerubo Ragira, **Rispah Wepukhulu**, Savala Angeline (2017). Role of Youth in the Church. **Journal of Humanities and Social Science (IOSR-JHSS) Volume 22, Issue 12, Ver. 2 (December. 2017) PP 49-52. E-ISSN: 2279-0837, p-ISSN: 2279-0845.**

22. Gladys Kerubo Ragira, Rispah Wepukhulu, Savala Angeline (2017). A Review on Youth Ministry in the Church. *Journal of Humanities and Social Science (IOSR-JHSS)* **Volume 22, Issue 12, Ver. 6 (December. 2017) PP 65-68 e-ISSN: 2279-0837, p-ISSN: 2279-0845.**

23. George Okumu Achar, **Rispah Wepukhulu**, Angeline Savala (2017). The Causes and Effects of Conflict between Luo-Maasai Communities of Ogwedhi-Sigawa, Kenya. **The International Journal of Humanities & Social Studies** Vol 5 Issue 10. Pg. 340 -344. (ISSN 2321 – 9203).

24. George Okumu Achar, **Rispah Wepukhulu**, Angeline Savala. (2017). The Traditional Integrated Ways of Conflict Resolution between the Luo-Maasai Communities, Kenya. **The International Journal of Humanities & Social Studies. Vol 5 Issue 10. Pg. 186 - 189** (ISSN 2321 – 9203)

25. Ngeiywo T.K and **Wepukhulu, R** (2017): The Pokot world view as an impediment to the spread of Christianity among the Pokot People. **Journal of Philosophy Culture and Religion. Vol.5, No.7, pp.59-76.**

26. Ngeiywo T.K and **Wepukhulu, R** (2017). Missionary work in Kenya: An evaluation of the spread of Christianity in West Pokot County. *Journal of Philosophy Culture and Religion. Vol.30, 2017*

27. Ochieng Ahaya and **Rispah Wepukhulu** (2017). Taboo and Secular Education: The Engagement towards Environmental Conservation in Africa. **African Journal of Education and Social Sciences (AJESS). 2 : 163- 178**

28. **Rispah Wepukhulu** and Purity N. Namasaka (2017). Ethical Leadership: A Theoretical Analysis of Kenyan Ethical Climate. **African Journal of Education and Social Sciences (AJESS). 2 : 163- 178**

29. **Rispah Wepukhulu** and Irene Simiyu (2016). Teaching Practice as internship. **African Journal of Education and Social Sciences (AJESS). 1 : 163- 178**

30. **Rispah Wepukhulu**, Joseph otunga and Sarah Likoko. (2016). Forgotten leaders? The leadership role ad workload of directors of studies (DOS) in Secondary Schools in Teso north Sub County, Kenya. *International Journal of science and research, 5: (10) 1204-1209*

31. Lilian Amutabi and **Rispah Wepukhulu. (2016).** Reading research among Children. *International Journal of Science and Research*, 5: (10) 1210-1214
32. Christine Julie Nabwire, Micah Chepchieng, Aggrey Sindabi, **Rispah Wepukhulu (2015).**Types of Conflicts that Require Management by Pastoral Counseling in the Mainstream and Pentecostal Churches in Nakuru County of Kenya. **International Journal of Science and Research (IJSR) 4 (5), 2885-2890**
33. Arnett N. Makokha Michael O Onjunju and Rispah Wepukhulu **(2013)** Effects of business process engineering on implementation of financial management systems: A case of Masinde Muliro University of Science and Technology. **Research Journal of Finance and Accounting. 4 (12): 90 – 95**
34. Otiso K.N., Simiyu C.N. and **Wepukhulu, R. (2013).** Effects of cost reduction by use of mobile phone money transfer system on the profitability of micro and small enterprises in Bungoma County. **European Journal of Business and Management. 5 (26) 125-131**
35. Rop Naaman¹, **Wepukhulu Rispah**, Leunita, Makila and Injendi, Juma. An Inquiry towards a Definition of Ethics. **(2013). Comprehensive Academic Journal of Social Sciences Vol. 2 Issue No. 45 pp.112– 124. ISSN 000-273-874-32**
36. Rop Naaman, **Wepukhulu Rispah**, Leunita, Makila and Injendi, Juma. **2013. Phenomenological Approach in Religious Studies: Concept and Methodology. Comprehensive Academic Journal of Social Sciences Vol. 2 Issue No. 45, pp.240– 272. 2013 Academic Journals,ISSN 000-273-874-32**
37. Rop. N., **Wepukhulu, R.**, Makila L., Injendi J. and Muindu G. **2013.** An analysis of Concomitant cum indispensable interdependence of Religion, Culture and Communication. **Comprehensive Academic Journal of Social Sciences, 2 (45) 71-84.**
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5. PAPERS PRESENTED AT CONFERENCES

Attended and presented 14 papers at various learned conferences as listed below.

1. Rispath Wepukhulu and Leunita M Makila. **2018** The Cultural View and **Complexities** of Gender Mainstreaming in Newly Established Universities In Kenya. . Paper presented at the Kibabii University 3rd International Conference on 12th – 14th June 2018, Kibabii University, Bungoma, Kenya.
2. Oroni Nicolas Barasa and Rispath Wepukhulu. 2018. **Influence of the Free Primary Education Policy on Pupils Arithmetic Competence, in Public Primary Schools: A Case Study of Kimilili Sub-County, Kenya.** Paper presented at the Kibabii University 3rd International Conference on 12th – 14th June 2018, Kibabii University, Bungoma, Kenya.
3. Leunita Makutsa, Patrick Wanjala & Rispath Wepukhulu. 2018. **Prevention of Depression in Adolescence: the use of Skill Facilitation Approaches.** Paper presented at the Kibabii University 3rd International Conference on 12th – 14th June 2018, Kibabii University, Bungoma, Kenya.
4. Oroni Nicholas Barasa **and** Rispath Wepukhulu. **2018**. The HIV/AIDS Pandemic among Technical Institute Trainees, its Implication on their Sexual Behavior: A Case of the Selected Technical Institute in Kimilili Bungoma Sub-County, Kenya. Paper presented at the Kibabii University 3rd International Conference on 12th – 14th June 2018, Kibabii University, Bungoma, Kenya.
5. Rispath Wepukhulu, Leunita Makila and Irene Simiyu (2017). Moral Education and Societal Development: Is the Reintroduction of Social Education Ethics the Panacea for Society's Moral Challenges? Paper presented at the 2nd Interdisciplinary International Scientific Conference held at Kibabii University, 14th – 15th June 2017, Kibabii University Main Campus, Bungoma, Kenya
6. University Multiplication training workshop on curriculum development and review for

public Universities in Kenya: Implementation and Accreditation. 23rd -24th January 2014, MMUST, Kakamega, Kenya

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9. Syallow C.M. and **Wepukhulu R. 2012** Parenting of highly gifted and talented children. . Paper presented at the 4th Annual International Conference, 28th -30th June **2012**, MMUST, Kakamega, Kenya
10. Syallow C. M, **Wepukhulu R.,** Tychus O. N. and M. Otieno. **2012.** Educational Curriculum for Highly Gifted and Talented Undergraduate Youths in Both Public and Private Universities. Paper presented at 4th Annual International Conference, 28th -30th June 2012, MMUST, Kakamega, Kenya
11. **Wepukhulu. R.,** Kafu P., Walaba A.A. and Mutsotso N.S. **2010.** Influence of Socio Economic status on the attitudes of the youth towards pre-marital sex. . Paper presented at the Annual International Conference, 6th -10th September 2011, Moi University, Kenya
12. **Wepukhulu. R. 2009.**Attitudes of secondary school students towards pre-marital sex: effects on schooling and management of HIV/AIDS scourge in the larger Bungoma District. Doctor of Philosophy Thesis, Moi University.
13. **Wepukhulu Rispah** 2002.Future trends in social education and ethics in Kenya. Paper presented at the annual conference, School of education and social studies, Makerere University, 22nd – 24th August 2002
14. **Wepukhulu. R. 2001.** Attitudes of the Christian Church and teachers towards Social Education and Ethics as a discipline in secondary schools in Bungoma District, Kenya. Master of Philosophy Thesis, Moi University.

6. NETWORKING AND COLLABORATION WITH EXTERNAL ORGANIZATIONS

a. Initiated and facilitated the development and signing of:

- i. Kibabii University and ACSGRE Memorandum of Understanding
- ii. Kibabii University and KNUT Memorandum of Understanding for waiver of 15% of tuition for KNUT members and their dependant studying at Kibabii University
- iii. Kibabii University and KUPPET Memorandum of Understanding for waiver of 15% of tuition for KNUT members and their dependants studying at Kibabii University

7. ACHIEVEMENTS AND RECOGNITION

- i. Recognised and appreciated for 10 years dedicated service to Kibabii University
- ii. A successful class teacher and supervisor
- iii. Held a successful international Women's Day at KIBU on 8th March 2023
- iv. Initiated the establishment of KIBU Radio Station
- v. Served as Pioneer trustee to KIBU Pension Scheme whose member contributions have grown steadily from approximately Ksh 58 million to approximately Ksh 400 million
- vi. Initiated the establishment of the School of Business in 2014
- vii. Mentored many young scholars who have now attained PhD and some promoted and appointed to senior positions within and without Kibabii University.
- viii. Marketed the Kibabii University programs which have attracted many students to the University
- ix. Reviewed and developed market driven program for Kibabii University
- x. Initiated the establishment of Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences (FASS)
- xi. Initiated the African Journal of Education and Social Sciences in 2015 and serves on the Editorial Advisory Board
- xii. Chairperson of the committee for the establishment of Turkana Learning Centre which had a smooth transition to Turkana College in 2018

8. RESEARCH GRANTS AND DEVELOPMENT FUNDS

| YEAR | SOURCE | AMOUNT |
|------|---|----------------|
| 2023 | Training on GBV by NIRAS at Kibabii University for 5 months @175,000 | Ksh 875,000 |
| 2023 | Resource Mobilization for the 6 th KIBU international Conference | Ksh 955,880 |
| 2022 | Analysis of the effect of energy sources on the health and education of school going children in the slum areas of the lake Region Economic Block in Kenya (UN) | Ksh.50 million |

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| 2021 | Enhancing Gender Responsive Procurement for Inclusivity and Women Empowerment | KSh. 180,000 |
| 2019 | Resource Mobilization for the 4 th KIBU international Conference | KSh. 545,200 |
| 2018 | Resource Mobilization for 3 rd KIBU international Conference | KSh. 805,800 |
| 2018 | County Government of Bungoma ECDE Training Unit | KSh. 663,000.00 |
| 2018 | Kibabii University Research Fund URF | KSh. 300,000.00 |

9. PROPOSALS FOR FUNDING

- i. KIX call for proposals: Knowledge and innovation for achieving gender equality and social inclusion at school, 2023.
- ii. Technical and Financial Proposal for Provision of Gender Equality and Diversity in Management, 2023.
- iii. Analysis of the effect of energy sources on the health and education of school going children in the slum areas of the lake Region Economic Block in Kenya, 2022
- iv. Socioeconomic and cultural correlates of social vices among students of Kibabii University and their impact on the neighborhoods. Submitted to office of Deputy Vice Chancellor, Planning, Partnership, Research and Innovations (PPRI), Kibabii University
- v. Academic Mobility for Sustainable Information and Communication Technology, Human Capital Development (AMSTHD). Submitted June 2020 to EU for academic mobility within Africa. Submitted to EU
- vi. Educating about and combating climate change: An integrated framework for university education in Kenya. Submitted to Spenser Foundation
- vii. Analysis of COVID-19 control measures on cultural practices among selected communities in Kenya
- viii. Improving the Post- Graduate supervision capacity and mentor ship of faculty for quality outputs and timely completion rates in the Humanities and Social Sciences. Submitted to CODESRIA

10. CONSULTANCY SERVICES

| EMPLOYER | PERIOD | SUMMARY OF ASSIGNMENTS PERFORMED |
|-----------------|-----------|---|
| UMMA University | 2021-2022 | Assessment of Academic Programmes Sustainability at UMMA University |

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| Bungoma County Assembly | 2022 | Training of staff on Gender Mainstreaming |
| Kisiwa Technical Training College | 2021 | Training of Management on Gender Mainstreaming. |

11. PROGRAM LEADERSHIP

| YEAR | INSTITUTION | PROGRAM NAME |
|----------------------------|--------------------|---------------------------|
| 15 TH July 2020 | Kibabii University | PhD in Religion |
| 15 th July 2020 | Kibabii University | Master of Arts (Religion) |
| 15 th July 2020 | Kibabii University | Master of Arts (History) |

12. CORPORATE SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

1. Founding member and vision bearer of LAKARINAPWA ENTREPRISE
2. Member of County Government of Bungoma task force on Education
3. Member of University Outreach programme
4. Motivational Speaker in Secondary Schools and Educational events
 - i) Annual Sub-County Heads Conference - Kiminini (2021)
 - ii) Annual Sub-County Heads Conference Wareng Chapter (2017)
 - iii) Ndalu Zonal Educational Day (2018)
5. Member of Board of management of several Schools in Bungoma County.
 - i. Chesamisi Boys- Chairperson (BOM)
 - ii. St. Mary's Sosio Girls- Deputy Chairperson and Chairperson of Academic Committee (BOM)
 - iii. Kamusinde Boys- Chairperson (BOM)
 - iv. Maliki Boys- Chairperson (BOM)
 - v. Kabuyefwe Girls- Chair Academic Committee (BOM)
6. Member of the Bungoma County Alcohol and Drug Abuse Life Savers
7. Member and Treasurer of Maeni Monthly Meeting Friends Church
8. Represented the University College during Bungoma Central Education day at Sikusi on 25th May 2013.
9. Parents representative at Phim School, Kimilili
10. Member of the University College Marketing team
11. Member of the school Management Committee Lurare, Premier Academy
12. Member of space and house allocation committee
13. Donated Five copies of Ethics course books to the University Library
14. Member of the appointments and promotions panel, Kibabii University

13. APPRECIATIONS AND COMMENDATIONS

| YEAR | INSTITUTION | APPRECIATION |
|----------------|----------------------|--|
| July 2023 | Kibabii University | Support to Kibabii university 6 th International Conference |
| March 2022 | Kibabii University | Financial and material support accorded to the needy students |
| August 2020 | Kibabii University | Contribution towards voluntary salary cuts for COVID 19 Emergency Fund |
| August 2019 | University of Embu | Participation in 1 st Consultative Forum for Deans of Schools of Education in universities in Kenya |
| March 2019 | Friends Church Kenya | Chief guest at Friends Secondary School Lwanda Girls |
| June 2018 | Kibabii University | Support to Kibabii university 3 rd International Conference |
| January 2018 | Kibabii University | Production and Donation of the African Journal of Education and Social Sciences Volume 2 December, 2017 |
| July 2017 | Kibabii University | Material contribution towards the 2 nd Interdisciplinary International Scientific Conference |
| June 2017 | Kibabii University | Excellence in work during the 2 nd Interdisciplinary International Scientific Conference |
| September 2016 | Kibabii University | Contribution towards ISO certification of Kibabii University |
| July 2016 | Kibabii University | Participation in organizing the 1 st International Conference at Kibabii University |

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| June 2016 | ST. John's catholic church Tongareni | Contribution towards church fund raising |
| 2016 | Friends Church Kenya | Chief Guest Speaker and Guest of Honour |
| October 2014 | ST Mary's Sosio Secondary School | Guest of Honour at St. Marys Sosio Annual General Meeting |
| November 2013 | Kibabii University College | Discharge of Duties of the Principal |

14. AWARDS

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| 2018 | Won a University Research Fund (URF) grant of Ksh 300,000 |
| 2004 – 2006 | Awarded Certificates as a warden of the neatest dormitory in ST Mary's Sosio Secondary School |
| 2003 - 2005 | Awarded certificate for exemplary performance in CRE in the KCSE in the School. |
| 1999 – 2001: | Moi University Scholarship to study for a Master of Philosophy in Educational Communication and Technology |
| 1997 | Voted the best CRE teacher in KIMILILI Division |

15. PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS/ LINKAGES

| ORGANISATION | ROLE |
|--|-----------------------|
| Serein Mediators Association | Member SMC/2022/488 |
| Kenya National Academy of Sciences | Member(KNAS/193/2015) |
| Forum for African Women Educationists (Kenya) | Member |
| Serein Mediators Association | Member SMC/2022/488 |
| Kenya Association of Educational Administration and Management (KAEAM) | Member (No 472012) |

16. INTERESTS

- Conducting Research (Education,Ethics religion and social issues)
- Reading
- Singing

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