

CURRICULUM VITAE

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EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND/ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS.

School/Institution	Qualifications.
University of London (2004)	(London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine) PhD Reproductive Epidemiology: Investigating Risk factors for severe maternal morbidity and progression to mortality.
ECSAOGS College 2020 Makerere University:	Fellow of Obs/Gyn (College of East, Central Africa)
1989 – 1992:	Attained Master of Medicine (Obstetrics and Gynaecology).
1978 – 1983:	Attained Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery
Nabumali High School	
1972 – 1977:	Advanced and Ordinary certificate of Education (UACE/UOCE).
Buyemba Primary School	
1965 – 1971:	Primary leaving certificate grade 1

A. Personal Statement

I am a professor of Obstetrics and Gynaecology, former chair of Department Obstetrics and Gynaecology at Makerere and Busitema University. I am former Dean Faculty of Health sciences Busitema University. I chaired the higher degree committee at Walter Sisulu and Busitema University. I have also been site principal investigator on the novel device for management of hypertension in pregnancy in low resource set up and Bay Gel study. I am co PI in Wellcome Leap grant. I have trained in systematic reviews and been involved in the Cochrane reviews with Liverpool University (Women's Hospital) and reviewing mechanical and surgical management of Postpartum Haemorrhage. In addition, we have together in implementing research on maternal health in Eastern Uganda. Am a trainer on ETOO course in Uganda supported by ACOG. I have the expertise, systematic reviews, the leadership, training, expertise and motivation necessary to successfully carry out scientific research and lead institutions. I was involved in research of Baby Gel: A cluster randomised trial to evaluate the effectiveness of household alcohol-based hand rub for the prevention of sepsis,



diarrhoea and pneumonia in Ugandan infants as co-investigator. I am participating as an investigator acute kidney injury in Preeclampsia in Mulago and Mbale Hospitals as co-principal investigator. I am involved in piloting Moyo, a device of intrapartum foetal heart monitoring in Mbale: an intervention to improve on perinatal foetal outcomes(pilot). We have just got a grant on heavy menstrual bleeding assessing for predictors of heavy menses for three years and I am a co PI.

I have supervised PhD and Masters students. I am an external examiner for PhD, Masters and Undergraduate for Makerere, Gulu and Walter Sisulu University.

B. Membership to professional bodies

Member: 1) Association of Obstetricians and Gynaecologist of Uganda and this therefore qualifies me to be a member of East, Central and Southern African Obstetrical and Gynaecological Societies (ECSAOGS) and FIGO
2) Uganda Medical Association.

C. Academic and professional experience

Year	Work experience
2025	Coordinator of postgraduates in Obstetrics /Gynaecology Dept.
2021 to date	Board member of SEED Global Health Uganda
2019 -2023	Dean of Faculty of Health Sciences.
2016	Deputy Dean in charge of academic affairs Faculty of Health Sciences Mbale Campus.
2014	Professor and Head of Department Obstetrics and Gynaecology Busitema Faculty of Health Sciences.
2014	Senior consultant Obstetrician/ Gynaecologist in Uganda cancer institute. Involved in establishing gynae oncology services, teaching and managing gynae oncology patients. Participated in establishment of Gyn Oncology Fellowship.
2007-2013	Senior lecturer/Principal specialist Walter Sisulu University and Nelson Mandela Academic Hospital South Africa. Was involved in teaching postgraduates and undergraduates' medical students. Teaching research methods to Bachelor of Science (physiology) students, registrars/postgraduate in Department of

obstetrics and gynaecology and masters students in Public health. Supervision of intern doctors, community doctors and post graduate students carrying out day to day clinical work, updates and research. Teaching and evaluation of medical students, doctors and registrars.

2005-2007 Senior Specialist/consultant King Faisal Hospital. Involved in clinical work in obstetrics and gynaecology, teaching and supervision of intern doctors and post graduate master of medicine (Ob/GY) students of Butare University Rwanda.

2004-2005 Senior Lecturer/Consultant and Acting Head of Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecology, Makerere University and Mulago National Referral Hospital, Uganda.



Involved in day to day running of department, organising, teaching and examination programmes for PhD students, post graduates and undergraduates.

Planning and implementing Mulago hospital programmes, supervision and monitoring of clinical performance of the Department, participating in board management meetings of Mulago Hospital and faculty. Developed protocols for managing obstetric emergencies in Uganda.

Teaching and supervising postgraduates and undergraduates at Makerere University in Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecology and in the Epidemiology unit and Institute of Public Health.

1999: Trained in cancer of cervix screening using colposcopy, acetic acid and Pap smears for six weeks at Nsambya

Hospital facilitated by Canadian Association of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists.

1999 – 2004: Senior lecturer Makerere University Medical School and honorary consultant obstetrician/gynaecologist, Mulago Hospital.

1996 – 1999: Lecturer Makerere University Medical School and specialist obstetrician/gynaecologist, Mulago Hospital.

D.EXTERNAL EXAMINATIONS

2025 PhD examiner at Makerere University

2017-2020 I was an external examiner at Makerere College of Health Sciences Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecology. I examined undergraduates and postgraduates’ medical students.

2018 I was an external examiner at in Zimbabwe University, College of Health Sciences Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecology where I examined undergraduates and postgraduates medical

2014 -2019 I was an external examiner Gulu University college of Health Sciences. I examined third and fifth year medical students.

2005 I was an external examiner at Nairobi University Kenya. I examined undergraduates and postgraduates for their Master of Medicine (Obstetrics and Gynaecology).



2004&2005 I was an external examiner at Mbarara University of Science and Technology, Uganda. I examined the undergraduates.

2015-2019 I was an external examiner Gulu University

2017-2021 I was an external examiner Makerere University

E. Supervision of higher degrees

Supervision at PhD Level

1. Dr Namugowa Ambrose: Does endothelial dysfunction in pre eclampsia patients persist after delivery. Completed
2. Dr Milton Musaba: PhD in obstetrics Sodium bicarbonate in obstructed labour at Mbale regional Referral Hospital. Completed
3. Dr Kenneth Mugabe PhD in maternal sepsis on going.

Makerere College of Health Sciences (Sample)

Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecology

1. Quality of care provided to women who at antenatal clinic at Mulago hospital by Dr Murokora D.
2. Amniotic fluid index as a predictor of perinatal outcome in pregnancy induced hypertension in Mulago hospital in the year 2002 by Dr Ondoo D.
3. Clinical Presentation and management of alleged sexual assaulted females in Mulago Hospital Kampala in year 2001 by Dr Ononge S.

Epidemiology Unit Makerere university.

1. Post operative caesarean section infection and types of bacteria, culture and sensitivity pattern among women who deliver in Mulago hospital in the year 2005 Oketcho M.
2. Prevalence of and factors associated with adherence to PMTC programme by pregnant women in Katikamu North Health Sub District Luwero Uganda year 2005 Dr Nakiwogga Alice.

Supervision at Walter Sisulu University

1. Does endothelial dysfunction in pre-eclampsia patients persist after delivery? Namugowa Ambrose for PhD at Walter Sisulu University.
2. The Incidence and Risk Factors Associated with Stillbirths at Nelson Mandela academic Hospital Mthatha for Fellowship of Obstetrics and Gynaecology of South Africa. Dr Mpongonzi. X
3. The incidence and outcomes of women admitted with Placental Abruption in Nelson Mandela Academic Hospital. Dr Gubu. N
4. Ophthalmic complications in Eclampsia patients at Nelson Mandela Academic Hospital. Dr Mpumulwana.H



Master students at Busitema University (Sample)

1. Dr Mutaki Winnie Practice and acceptability of delayed cord clamping at birth among skilled birth attendants in Mbale district, mixed methods (2002)
2. Dr Nekaka R; Effectiveness of Intrapartum Malaria prevention and pregnancy outcome at MRRH.
3. Sr Chemutai V. Factors associated factors for teenage pregnancy at MRRH.

F. Grant Awards

1. AfreHealth grant on Promoting Utilization of Simulation Among Undergraduate Students in Busitema and Lira University.
2. MAKRIF: Investigating a cute kidney injury in Preeclampsia in Mulago and Mbale Hospitals as principal investigator 2022/2023
3. Baby Gel supported by EDCTPA: A cluster randomized trial to evaluate the effectiveness of household alcohol based hand rub for the prevention of sepsis, diarrhoea and pneumonia in Ugandan infants.
4. PMTCT mHealth Systems (PMS): Linking HIV Mother-Baby Pair to Health Workers for Quality Health Care in Eastern Uganda from UNCST is due to start 2018
5. Grant from Walter Sisulu University to study outcomes of peripartum hysterectomies at Nelson Mandela University in year 2010

G. Academic wards

2015: Awarded FIGO scholarship to study Cochrane reviews at Liverpool University in Women Hospital.

1999-2004: Awarded Common Wealth Scholarship to pursue PhD at London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine in Reproductive Epidemiology.

I. Training in research and ethics

1. Attended a Cochrane training in evidence analysis and development in Nottingham UK in June 2016.
2. Attended a research meeting of Medical Research Council, DFID and Indian Research Council in New Delphi India evaluating low cost research in developing countries from 16 th -18th October 2016.
3. Attended a training workshop in Foundations of Research ethics facilitated by UNCST from 29th -30th April 2014 and another on 13th -14th Aug 2014 on IRB Operations and Management."


J. Research out put

[Julius Wandabwa - Google Scholar](#)

K. Referees

1. Professor Iputo Jehu Head of Department Physiology. Busitema University Faculty of Health Science. g E mail iputo@worldonline.co.za

2. Professor Waako Paul. Vice Chancellor Busitema University P.O.Box 236 Tororo. E mail Waako Paul <paulwaako@yahoo.com>
3. Prof Buga GAB Head of Department Obstetrics and Gynaecology. Walter Sisulu University Private Bag X1 Mthatha 5117. South Africa. E mail geoffreybuga@msn.com

Signed 
Professor of Obstetrics and Gynaecology
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