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### **EDUCATION**

2015 – 2024: Ph.D. in History, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan

2002 – 2008: Master of Arts in History, Makerere University, Uganda

1997 – 2001: Bachelor of Arts in Education, Makerere University, Uganda

### **ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT HISTORY**

2015 – Present: Graduate Student Instructor, Department of History, University of Michigan

2013 – 2015: Lecturer, Kyambogo University

2009 – 2013: Assistant Lecturer, Kyambogo University

2009 – 2010: Part-time Lecturer, Makerere University

2001 – 2008: Teaching Assistant, Kyambogo University

2000 – 2004: Teaching Assistant and In-Service Program Coordinator, Kampala International University

### **SCHOLARLY PUBLICATIONS**

"Epistemological Limits of Government Archives: Recovering the Voices of Ordinary Litigants in Local Legal Archives and Writing a New Legal History" In *Adventure, Inquiry, Discovery: CLIR-Mellon Fellows and the Archives*, CLIR Symposium (2023)

"Why Constitutions in Africa Do Not Stand the Test of Time: Lessons and Perspectives from Uganda's 1995 Constitution" In Constitution-Building in Africa, University of the Western Cape Community Law Centre (2015)

Politics of Constitution Making in Africa: The Power Dynamics of Constitution Making Processes: Lessons and Perspectives from Uganda (Germany: Lambert Academic Publishing, 2013)

### **COURSES TAUGHT**

HIS 246: Africa to 1850

HIS 1510: Africa and the Modern World

HIS 3510: The Modern World

HIS 245: Islam in Africa

HIS 318: Europe in the Era of War

HIS 386: The Holocaust

HIS 282: History of the Economy

HIS 262: The American South: A History of Race and Culture Since Reconstruction

HIS 214: Imperialism in the Third World Since the Mercantilist Era

### **PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATIONS**

Multi-Method and Policy-Oriented Research The Partnership for African Social and Governance Research (PASGR), Kenya, 2014

Constitution Building in Africa Central European University, Budapest, Hungary, 2016

### **PROFESSIONAL PAPERS PRESENTED**

2022: "The Role of Everyday People and Local Evidentiary Practices in Community Policing and Criminal Justice in Buganda, 1900-1962," presented at the University of Michigan AHAW Workshops.

2021: "In Pursuit of Right, Justice, and Peace. Ordinary Litigants and the Making of Uganda's Legal Culture, ca. 1900-1980." Makerere University History Seminar.

2021: "Struggles and Strategies of the Landless: Contesting Possession and the Framing of Legal Regimes in Buganda," presented at the University of Michigan AHAW Workshop.

2017: "Ethnic Balancing, Racial Bargaining, Political Exclusions, and Constitutional Development in Uganda, 1950-1967," presented at the 'Race, Law, and History' Conference, University of Michigan.

2016: "Strange Bed Fellows: The Politics of Pre-Independence Political Party Alliance Between UPC and KY Through the Lens of Munno," presented at the University of Michigan.

2016: "Multiple Identities: Civic vs. Ethnic Nationalism in Uganda (1958-1962)," presented at the 'Singular Voices, Multiple Identities' Conference, University of Toronto, Canada.

2013: "Colonialism and Its Legacies on Constitutional Development in Africa: A Case of Uganda," presented at the 'Research for Social and Economic Transformation Conference, Kyambogo University.

### **SCHOLARSHIPS, FELLOWSHIPS, AND AWARDS**

2024: The Harvey G. and Joyce H. Behner Graduate Fellowship, University of Michigan.

2022: ACLS/Mellon Dissertation Completion Fellowship

2021: IRWG/Rackham Community of Scholars Fellowship, University of Michigan

2019: Rackham International Research Award, University of Michigan

2019: CLIR Mellon Dissertation Research Fellowship

2019: South African Initiatives Fellowship, Department of Afroamerican & African Studies, University of Michigan

2018: International Institute Individual Fellowship, University of Michigan

2018: Passed with Distinction in Doctoral Qualifying Exams

2017: Centre for Education of Women (CEW) Fellowship

2016: African Studies Research Fellowship

2016 SIAO Fellowship, Department of Afroamerican and African Studies (DAAS)

2016: Summer School Scholarship for Constitution Building in Africa, Central European University, Budapest, Hungary

2016: Race, Law & History Fellowship, University of Michigan

2015 South African Initiatives Fellowship, Department of Afroamerican & African Studies, University of Michigan

2015: African Studies Center Funding for Research Support, University of Michigan

2015: Weiser Emerging Democracies Fellowship

2015: Fulbright Scholarship, U.S. Department of State

2014: Multi-Method Research Course Scholarship, Partnership for African Social and Governance Research (PASGR), Kenya

1997-2001: Undergraduate Scholarship, Government of Uganda

## **EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES AND SERVICE**

### **2024: Intern, Michigan Collaborative to End Mass Incarceration**

Led a research project that evaluated the effectiveness and fairness of the Michigan Department of Corrections' security classification system, focusing on racial and gender disparities and access to rehabilitation programs.

### **2023: Co-Coordinator, African History and Anthropology Workshop (Rackham Interdisciplinary Workshop), University of Michigan**

Organized and facilitated interdisciplinary workshops, attracting over 50 participants, to foster collaboration and knowledge-sharing among scholars of African history and anthropology.

### **2023: Trainer, Capacity-Building Workshop for Effective Archival Management, Uganda National Archives Staff**

Delivered training to 25 archive staff on modern archival management techniques, to improve archival practices and preservation methods in Uganda.

**2019: Coordinator, Archival Preservation, Organization, and Cataloging Initiative for Buganda Native Courts Records**

Spearheaded and managed an archival project to preserve and catalog over 77,000 native court endangered records, ensuring the long-term preservation and accessibility of these historical documents.

**2018: Trainer, Archival Cataloguing Workshop for Judicial Staff and Makerere University Students**

Conducted a series of hands-on workshops for 30 judicial staff and students, to enhance their skills in archival cataloging and record management.

**2018: Coordinator, Archival Preservation, Organization, and Cataloguing Project for High Court of Uganda Records**

Spearheaded and managed an archival project that organized, preserved and cataloged 70,000+ historical records of the High Court of Uganda, contributing to the preservation and accessibility of the country's legal heritage.

**FIELD(S) OF STUDY**

- Africa, particularly 19/20th Century East Africa
- Legal and Constitutional History
- Gender History
- Intellectual History
- Social and Cultural History
- Property and Labor History
- Archival Studies

**LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY**

English: Fluent (Primary, Secondary, and Higher Education in English)

Luganda: Native Speaker

Lugishu: Native Speaker

Swahili: Intermediate Reading and Writing, Basic Speaking