

# **EUNICE NTWALA SAMWINGA IMASIKU**

## **1. Personal Details**

Date of Birth: 5 February 1968

Citizenship: Zambian

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Present Position: Lecturer/ PhD student

## **2. Qualifications**

2000: Master of Science in Geography, University of Zambia (UNZA), Lusaka.

1996: Bachelor of Arts with Education (Single Subject Major in Geography), UNZA, Lusaka

1989: Primary Teachers Certificate, David Livingstone Teachers' college, Livingstone.

1984: School Certificate, Petauke Secondary School, Petauke.

## **3. Appointments**

2006 to date: Lecturer II, University of Zambia

2002-2005: Lecturer III, University of Zambia

2000-2001: Part time tutor, University of Zambia

1996-2002: Secondary school teacher

1990-1995: Primary school teacher

## **4. Award**

University of the Witwatersrand Postgraduate Merit Award: 2011-2013

Labour Day Award: Most improved teacher (academically) at Jacaranda Basic School (2000).

## **5. Research**

1999: *The status of women in relation to fertility in Zambia: the case of Lusaka urban*. Thesis submitted in partial fulfillment for the degree of Master of Science (Geography) at the University of Zambia.

1995: *Problems of sanitation in high density areas: The case of Malota Compound in Livingstone*. A research project submitted in partial fulfillment for the degree of Bachelor of Arts with Education (Single subject major in geography) at the University of Zambia.

1995: *The supply and accessibility of water in rural Zambia: the case of Chongwe*. A research project submitted in partial fulfillment for the course- An introduction to educational research (ED 408) at the University of Zambia.

## **6. Undergraduate Geography Courses Taught**

Introduction to Human Geography: GEO 111 (1<sup>st</sup> year)

Geography of Zambia: GEO 212 (2<sup>nd</sup> year)

Population Geography: GEO 911 (3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> year)

Geography of Migration and Refugees: GEO (3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> year)

Geography project: GEO 474 (4<sup>th</sup> year)

## **7. Geography Project Supervision**

Banda Jackson: An Investigation of safe water supply in Solwezi District: The Case of Kyawama Residential Area.

Ilitongo Kaywala – The potential of the Fishing Industry in the reduction of poverty in Zambia: a Case study of Chanyanya in Kafue.

Kalonge Beatrice: The impact of voluntary repatriation of Refugees on the Host country: The Case of Angolan Refugees from Meheba Settlement, Zambia.

Kanyamuna Beatrice: Women's Participation in HIV/AIDS Issues: The case of Misisi Compound, Lusaka.

Mangisha Gabriel: The Enviro-economic impact of Refugee Settlements on the Host Community.

Mwaanga Benny: An evaluation of the role of rural women in the agricultural sector: A Case study of CLUSA women groups in Monze District.

Sikaona Christopher: An investigation on the effects of waste disposal on the environment: The case of Chibolya, Lusaka.

## **8. Conference Paper**

2005: The Status of Women in Relation to Fertility in Zambia, 6<sup>th</sup> Joint Population Conference, University of the Free State, Bloemfontein, South Africa, 28<sup>th</sup> – 30<sup>th</sup> September.

## **9. Publication (chapter in a scholarly book)**

2008: The Status of Women in Zambia in Sakar, S. and Kiriti-Nganga, T.W. (eds.), *Gender Inequality in Developing Countries*, Arise Publishers, New Delhi.

## **10. Short Course**

2006: Successfully completed a course in Gender Mainstreaming organized by the Organisation of Social Research in Eastern and Southern Africa (OSSREA) in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, 23<sup>rd</sup> - 27<sup>th</sup> October.

2011: Participated in the PhD Scientific Writing Retreat organized by the School of Public Health University of the Witwatersrand in Johannesburg, 1<sup>st</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> September.

2012: Participated in the PhD Scientific Writing Retreat organized by the Department of Demography and Population Studies and funded by the Strategic Planning and Resource Allocation Committee (SPARC), University of the Witwatersrand in Johannesburg, 11<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> October.

2012: Participated in the CSCLeaders for Students delivered in partnership by Commonpurpose and The Duke of Edinburgh's Leadership Development Conferences and sponsored by INTO the global education partners in Johannesburg, 19<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup> November.

## **11. Current Research Area**

Unmet need for Contraception: Working on PhD Thesis entitled The Concept, Correlates and Consequences of Unmet need for Contraception in Zambia.

## **11. Community Involvement**

1995: Vice Chairperson of the University of Zambia Seventh Day Adventist (SDA) Youth.

2005: Participated in the Child Abuse Awareness Campaign organized by the Zambia Union of the SDA Church.

2008-2009: Children Ministries Coordinator at Jacaranda SDA Church.

2008-2009: Women Ministries Leader at Jacaranda SDA Church.

2010 to 2012: Member of Emmanuel Adventist Secondary School Board.

2012: House Committee Member of West Campus Village Student Residence at the University of the Witwatersrand.

## **12. Professional Involvement**

Organisation of Social Research in Eastern and Southern Africa (OSSREA)

International Union for the Scientific Study of Population (IUSSP)

Population Association of America (PAA)

Union for African Population Studies (UAPS)

## **13. Referees**

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