PERSONAL INFORMATION:

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Date of Birth: July 25<sup>th</sup> 1978

Place of Birth: Moyo
Nationality: Ugandan
Residence: Kampala
Gender Male

Marital Status: Married with two children

CAREER OBJECTIVE To secure a rewarding assignment to advance technically feasible,

economically viable and environmentally friendly innovations and technologies in animal health, nutrition and genetics, through skillful research management and by motivating, training and supporting the

team to achieve higher standards of performance.

**KEY SKILLS** Agricultural research and extension background, motivation,

organization and leadership. Skilled in Microsoft and statistical

packages

EDUCATION PROFILE

1999-2004 Bachelor of Veterinary Medicine (BVM) degree at Makerere

University-Uganda

1997-1998: Uganda Advanced Certificate of Education

1992-1996 Uganda Certificate of Education

OTHER RELEVANT TRAININGS

27<sup>th</sup> July 2010 to 2<sup>nd</sup>

August 2010:

Seven days training in STATA

1<sup>st</sup> to 5<sup>th</sup> July 2010: Five days training in SAS

AWARD RECIEVED Winner of the "Best Business Proposal-West Nile Region 2010".

This is an annual business proposal competition organised by Private Sector Foundation Uganda (PSFU). It is aimed at helping emerging entrepreneurs with innovative business ideas to start their businesses. I emerged amongst the 17 successful candidates out of 3290 competitors.

# RELEVANT WORK EXPERIENCE

July 2010 to December 2010

Teaching Assistant
Department of Animal Science
Faculty of Agriculture,
Makerere University

Conducted lectures and practical sessions in "Introduction to Animal Agriculture" and "Introduction to Dairy Management" course units for Bachelor of Science in Agriculture, Bachelor of Science in Food Science and Technology and Bachelor of Agriculture in Rural Innovations students

September 2007 to October 2010.

## Research Assistant/Animal Production Scientist Abi Zonal Agricultural Research and Development Institute

An institute of National Agricultural Research Organization, which carries agricultural adaptive and applied research and technology dissemination in the eight districts of northwest agro-ecological zone. During my time here we achieved steep increase in research farmer groups from 10 to 45

Planned and supervised baseline surveys data collection and management for Farming System and Livelihood Analysis of the People in West Nile; Cattle Productivity Improvement Project; Goat Productivity Improvement Project; Goat Health improvement project and Dairy Productivity Improvement Project

Designed experiments to evaluate the efficacy and safety of 'medicinal plants' used by livestock farmers in northwest agro-ecological zone and successfully managed the data.

Did participatory adaptive trials in ten pasture species and disseminated well adapted cultivars to technology uptake pathways.

Evaluated the performance of various goat breeds in the region and established one on-station and three on-farm open nuclear goat breeding centres.

## August 2006-August 2007

## **Veterinary Officer**

## Arua District Local Government, P.O Box 1 Arua Uganda.

Mobilised farmers and carried vaccination of cattle against, CBPP and black quarter.

Carried out disease surveillance and monitoring in the sub-county to prevent disease out breaks.

Provided veterinary extension services to livestock farmers for improvement of livestock health and productivity.

Carried public awareness campaign about zoonotic diseases.

Supervised the Animal Husbandry officers working within my area of jurisdiction.

## 2004 to July 2006:

## Ranch Manager

#### **Ziwa Ranchers Limited**

This livestock and game ranch consists of 67 square mile of land and contained 5000 heads of cattle, six white rhinos and other game animals. The workforce consisted of a total of 111 staffs. During my time in this ranch we did situation analysis, planning and laying of control strategies for cattle productivity improvement, human resource management, management of administrative expenditure, procurements, administrative and logistic support.

Reduced disease prevalence on the ranch from 15% to 7% by training of talented herdsmen in basic animal health care.

Improved breeding data management by introduction of computerised beef cattle breeding record management software called StudMaster.

## EXTRA-RESPONSIBILITIES

September 2007 October 2010

# Section Leader of Livestock Section and member of Report Writing Committee

## Abi Zonal Agricultural Research and Development Institute

Coordinated all institute and collaborative livestock research projects in northwest agro-ecological zone.

## August 2006-2007

## Production Officer/Sub-county NAADS Coordinator Rigbo Sub-county Local Government

## Arua District Local Government

Coordinated all government and non governmental organizations' agricultural activities in Rigbo Sub-county.

#### REFEREES

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I, Idibu Joachine, declare that all the information provided in this curriculum vitae truly reflect my academic credentials and work experiences.
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