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**EDUCATION**

PhD, University of Edinburgh, Scotland, United Kingdom, 1989

Major: Applied Linguistics

Dissertation: Variability in the Interlanguage of Shona Learners of English

BA, cum laude, Faculty of Arts, Accra University of Ghana, Legon, Ghana, 1984

Major: English

Supporting areas of emphasis: Linguistics and History

Dissertation: A Stylistics Analysis of African Novels

**PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS**

**Academic**

Liberal Arts Professor, Applied Linguistics and African Studies, Pennyslvania State University (July 1, 2024)

Professor, African Studies and Applied Linguistics, Pennsylvania State University (July 1, 2021–present)

Developed the African Studies Global Virtual Forum (AFGF) in 2021, a major global initiative in Southern epistemologies and decoloniality. The AFGF embodies my commitment to addressing issues of diversity, equity, and inclusion.

Associate Professor, Department of Applied Linguistics and Program in African Studies, Pennsylvania State University (July 1, 2002–June 30, 2021)

Taught and conducted research on language policy and planning, language and security, language and ageing, language and dementia, and integrational linguistics.

Executive Director, Society, Culture, and Identity Research, Human Sciences Research Council, South Africa (July 1, 2006–December 1, 2006)

Directed research on identity among Black South Africans.

Associate Professor, Communication Sciences and Disorders, Long Island University, Brooklyn, New York (July 1, 2001–June 30, 2002)

Taught and conducted research on language disorders in multilingual contexts.

Dubois-Mandela Rodney Postdoctoral Fellow, Center for Afro-American Studies, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor (August 1999–2001)

Conducted research on bilingualism in dementia.

Associate Professor, Department of English Language and Literature, University of Cape Town, South Africa (March 1, 1995–July 1, 2001)

Taught and conducted research on psycholinguistics in English language applied linguistics.

Deputy Director, University of Cape Town (February 1998–February 1999)

Oversaw the development of projects and academic programs in Applied Linguistics for the faculty of Education.

Head of Department, University of the Western Cape (March 1994–February 1995)

Main responsibilities included setting up the Department of Linguistics.

Lecturer, University of Swaziland (February 1990–February 1994)

Taught undergraduate courses in Semantics, Sociolinguistics, and Syntax in the English Department.

**Administrative Assignments**

Director, African Studies Program (July 1, 2022–present)

Interim Director, African Studies Program (July 1, 2021–June 30, 2022)

Interim Director, Africana Research Center (position is concurrent with Directorship of African Studies (July 1, 2023–present)

**HONORS AND AWARDS**

Mentor to Lara Kruse-Alzaaidi, post-doctoral fellow, Africana Research Center (September 2024–August)

Mentor to Vicky Khasandi-Telewa, recipient of Presidential Postdoctoral Award (August 2023–present)

Advanced Humanities Fellowship, Council for the Development of Social Science Research in Africa (CODESRIA) (January 2021–present)

Extraordinary Professor, University of the Western Cape, South Africa (April 2022–February 2025)

Visiting Professor, Nelson Mandela University, South Africa (October 2021–October 2025)

Research Fellow, University of Zululand, South Africa (January 2023–December 2026)

Extraordinary Professor, North-West University, South Africa (January 2019–January 2025)

Recipient of the Andrew Carnegie African Diaspora Fellowship Award (March 2020–December 2020)

Andrew Carnegie African Diaspora Fellowship Award, Carnegie Foundation, New York (November 2019–August 2020)

Visionkeeper’s Program (a mentorship fellowship), University of South Africa, Pretoria (November 2018–October 2020)

Research Fellowship, Department of English Studies, University of South Africa, Pretoria (August 2016–August 2020)

Andrew Carnegie African Diaspora Fellowship Supplementary Award, Carnegie Foundation, New York (August 2019–September 2019)

Visiting Professor, Faculty of Health Sciences, University of Cape Town (May 2018–August 2018)

Visiting Professor, University of South Africa, Pretoria (May 2017–July 2017)

Top 10 Paper Award, *Journal of Cross-Cultural Gerontology* (June 2011)

Nominated for Second Best Book, *Language and Aging in Multicultural Contexts*, by the British Association of Applied Linguistics (2006)

Top Paper Award in the Communication and Aging Division, United States Association of Communication Research (2006)

Shortlisted Best Book in Applied Linguistics, *Innovations and Challenges in Applied Linguistics from the Global South*, by the British Association of Applied Linguistics (2006)

Nominated for one of the Top 10 Books, *Decolonial Voices, Language and Race*, by the British Association of Applied Linguistics (2023)

Nominated for one of the Best Books, *From Southern Theory to Decolonizing Sociolinguistics: Voices, Questions and* *Alternatives*, by Multilingual Matters (2023)

**RESEARCH**

**Research Interests**

Language policy and planning; colonial linguistics, critical discourse analysis, sociolinguistics of protests in higher education and policing, language and health, and ageing and dementia

**Scholarly Publications**

**Articles in Refereed Journals**

Makoni, S. B. (coauthor, 50%), Idem, U. A., & Rudwick, S. (2023). Decolonizing applied linguistics in Africa and its diasporas: Disrupting the centre. *Critical Inquiry in Language Studies*. https://doi.org/10.1080/15427587.2023.2255324

Makoni, S. B., Abdelhay, A., & Severo, C. (2023). Postcolonial language policy and planning and the limits of the notion of the modern state. *Annual Review of Linguistics*, *9*, 483–496.

Makoni, S. B., Severo, C., & Abdelhay A. (2023). The politics of Southern research in language studies. *Journal of Multicultural Discourses*, *17*(4), 371–379.

Makoni, S. B. (coauthor, 55%), & Severo, C. (2022). Southern perspectives of language and the construction of the common. *Language and Communication*, *87*, 1–15.

Makoni, S. (co-author 55%) Decolonial integrational linguistics: A critical discussion. *Journal of Postcolonial Linguistics*, *8*, 1–24.

Severo, C., Makoni, S. B. (coauthor, 40%), & Abdelhay, A. (2022). Translanguaging in the Global South. *Scrutiny*, *25*(1), 104–109.

Makoni, S. B. (coauthor, 55%), & Severo, C. (2023). Language and race in colonial Brazil. *The International Journal of the Sociology of Language*, *282*, 15–53.

Khasandi, V., Makoni, S. B. (coauthor, 35%), & Bade, D. (2022). Proverbial futures: Proverbs and political discourse in Africa. *Linguistic Forum*, *19,* 7206–7225.

Lee, E., & Makoni, S. B. (coauthor, 45%). (2022). Sociolinguistic protests for decolonial future making: Toward decentering languaging in the streets. *Bandung*, *22*(1 & 2), 300–324.

Severo, C. G., Pable, A., & Makoni, S. B. (coauthor, 30%), & Jones, P. (2022). Integrationism and language ideologies. *Linguistic Form*, *19*, 7151–7159.

France, K., & Makoni, S. B. (coauthor, 45%). (2021). A partnership of unequals: Global South-North research collaboration in higher education institutions. *Modern Africa*, *8*(2), 9–24.

Agole, D, Baggett, C., Bremman, M., Yader, E., & Makoni, S. (coauthor, 15%). (2021). Determinants of participation of young famers with and without disability in agricultural capacity-building programs designed for the public in Uganda. *Sustainable Agriculture Research Archives*, *10*(2), 74–85.

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Masters, K., & Makoni, S. B. (coauthor, 45%). (2019). Introduction: Gazing at language crossing in the Global North but doing crossing in the Global South. *Journal of Multicultural Discourses*, *3–4*, 295–301.

Mafofo, L., & Makoni, S. B. (coauthor, 50%). (2019). A local discursive dimension in a specific historical context: Students’ narratives of police experiences during South Africa’s #FeesMustFall. *Multilingua—Journal of Cross-Cultural and* *Interlanguage Communication*, *39*(4), 431–450.

Makoni, S. B. (2019). Da linguistica humana ao sistema “d” as espontaneous uma abordagem para a emergencia das linguas indigenas africans. *The Brazilian Journal of Applied Linguistics*, *17*(2), 376–419. (A. Cohn, Trans.)

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**Books**

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Makoni, S. B., & Pennycook, A. (April 2024). “A Waterscape Epistemology, Waves of Knowing, and Translanguaging as Wet Ontology”; McElhinny, B. “Water Teaching while the World Burns.” African Studies Global Virtual Forum.

Makoni, S. B. (June 2020). “Southern Multilingualisms toward Decolonizing: The Sociolinguistics of Africa.” Brazilian Association of Linguistics. (Virtual meeting)

Makoni, S. B. (April 2018). “The Precarity of Applied Linguistics: The Emergence of Alternative Epistemological Repertoires in the Global South.” Anthropology Colloquium, Department of Anthropology and Program in Linguistics, University of Virginia, Charlottesville.

Makoni, S. B. (November 2017). “Applied Linguistics: A Global South Perspective.” Graduate School of Education, University of Pennsylvania, State College.

Makoni, S. B. (January 2016). “Multilingualism, Language Planning, Security, Terrorism, and Police Communication.” African Studies Lunch Hour Papers, University of Wisconsin at Madison.

Makoni, S. B. (January 2016). “Sociolinguistics, Colonial and Postcolonial: An Integrationist Perspective.” Second Language Acquisition Research Papers, University of Wisconsin at Madison.

Makoni, S. B. (August 2013). “The Notion of Indigeneity in Critical Applied Linguistics.” Program in Sociolinguistics, Federal University of Santa Catarina, Brazil, Florianopolis.

**Panels**

Makoni, S. B. (July 2024). “Anti-Disciplinary Nationalists.” Second July Global Virtual Forum.

Makoni, S. B. (March 2024). Colloquim Convenor, “Toward Southernizing Applied Linguistics: An Un-booking Approach.” American Association of Applied Linguistics. Houston, Texas, United States.

Makoni, S. B. (August 2022). “Multiple Perspectives on COVID-19 Language Research: Leaning to the Future.” North-West University and Namibia University of Science and Technology, Namibia.

Makoni, S. B. (July 2022). “Wet Ontology as a Way of Framing Language.” Sociolinguistics Symposium 24, University of Ghent, Belgium.

Makoni, S. B. (April 2022). “Language Imperfect: A Roundtable on Ontological Linguistic Difference.” SLA, American Association of Anthropology. (Virtual meeting)

Makoni, S. B. (September 2019). “Towards a Development of Decolonial Analytical Approaches of Language to Describe Communicative Relations between Humans and non-Humans.

” Globalizations et Circulations des Idees, National Center for Scientific Research, National Centre for Scientific Research at the Se Dyl Research Centre, Paris, France.

**Papers and Oral Presentations**

Makoni, S. B. (September 2015). “Subaltern and Subversive Economy: Keeping it in My Hard Drive.” British Academy on African Multilingualism, Pennsylvania State University, University Park; London School of Oriental Studies, University of London, United Kingdom.

Makoni, S. B. (September 2014). “An Integrationist Perspective to Colonial Linguistics.” Colonial Linguistics, Pennsylvania State University, University Park; University of Cape Town, South Africa.

Makoni, S. B. (June 2014). “Subaltern and Subversive Economy: Keeping it in My Hard Drive.” Language and Economics, University of Chicago, Centre in Paris.

Makoni, S. B. (September 2006). “The Idea of Social Science as a Fiction.” Social Sciences in Africa, Human Sciences Research Council, Pretoria, South Africa.

Makoni, S. B. (May 2004). “Applied Linguistics in the Real World.” American Association of Applied Linguistics, Journal of Applied Linguistics, Portland, Oregon.

Makoni, S. B. (May 2004). “Non-Western Perspectives in Applied Linguistics.” American Association of Applied Linguistics, Journal of Language Learning, Portland, Oregon.

Makoni, S. B. (February 2004). “Bilingual Impairment in Older African Americans Bilingual Aging.” Louisiana University, Baton Rouge.

Makoni, S. B. (July 2002). “The Linguistics of Dementia.” International Conference on Alzheimer’s Disease, Stroud Center for Quality of Life, Columbia University, New York City.

Makoni, S. B. (June 2002). “A Social Approach to Bilingual Aging.” Summer Institute in Applied Linguistics, Department of Applied Linguistics, Pennsylvania State University, State College.

Makoni, S. B. (March 2002). “The Linguistics of Dementia.” Dementia and Aging, School of Nursing University of Michigan, Ann Arbor.

Makoni, S. B. (December 1999). “The Politics of the Discourses of the Representation of African Languages.” Center for African Studies, Michigan State University, East Lansing.

Makoni, S. B. (December 1999). “Towards Multiple Constructions of Dementia in Black South Africans.” Center for African American and African Studies, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor.

Makoni, S. B. (November 1999). “Alzheimer’s Disease in Africa.” American Gerontological Association; Pennsylvania State University, San Francisco, California.

Makoni, S. B. (November 1999). “Through Different Lenses: An Analysis of the Language of Psychiatric Records.” Department of Linguistics and Languages, Michigan State University, East Lansing.

Makoni, S. B. (August 1999). “African Languages and Dementia.” 12th World Congress of Applied Linguistics, International Association of Applied Linguistics (AILA), Waseda University, Tokyo, Japan.

Makoni, S. B. (July 1998). “Comparative Gerontolinguistics.” 12th International Conference in Sociolinguistics, University of London, United Kingdom.

Makoni, S. B. (July 1998). “To be Demented or Not, that’s the African Language Question.” Southern African Association of Applied Linguistics. University of the North, Polokwane, Limpopo Province, South Africa.

**Seminars**

Makoni, S. B. (June 2021). “Conflicts within the Global South and Southern Epistemologies in African Sociolinguistics.” Sociolinguistics Symposium 23, Hong Kong.

Makoni, S. B. (September 2019). “Decolonizing Language in Education.” National Centre for Scientific Research at the Se Dyl Research Centre, National Centre for Scientific Research, Paris, France.

Makoni, S. B. (November 2010). “How is Linguistics Finding its Language?” Graduate Center, City University of New York.

Makoni, S. B. (November 1999). “Through Different Lenses: An Analysis of the Language of Psychiatric Records.” School of African Studies, Michigan State University, East Lansing.

**Workshops**

Makoni, S. B. (September 2013). “How Critical is Critical Language Planning in African Contexts?” Critical Applied Linguistics, São Paulo, Brazil.

Makoni, S. B. (March 2003). “The Emotional Effects of Framed Messages among Black and White Women: Utilizing Cultural Characteristics to Advantage in Health Intervention.” First Annual MI/CCP Funded Investigations Workshops, Cancer Institution, Bethesda, Maryland.

**EDITORIAL AND ADVISORY WORK**

**Editorial Positions**

Member, Editorial Board, *Ruwaza* *Journal*, Pwani University, Kenya (April 2024–present)

Series Editor, *Global Forum on Southern Epistemologies*, Multilingual Matters (May 2021–present)

Associate Editor, *Ampersand: An Interdisciplinary Journal of Language Sciences and Bilingualism* (February 2022–present)

Associate Editor, *Applied Linguistics* (April 2021–present)

Subject Matter Editor, *Text and Talk: An Interdisciplinary Journal of Language, Discourse and Communication Studies* (August 2020–present)

External Reviewer, *Journal of Asian and African Studies* (April 2019–present)

Editorial Board, *Social Inclusion* (August 2017–present)

Editorial Board, *Journal of Postcolonial Linguistics* (open-access journal) (June 2017–present)

*Multilingualisms and Diversities* (August 2016–present)

Editorial Board, *Per Linguam* (March 2015–present)

Editorial Board, *International Multilingual Research Journal* (January 2013–present)

Editorial Board, *Journal of Southern African Languages and Linguistics* (January 2008–present)

Editorial Board, *South African Journal of African Languages* (January 2007–present)

Subject Matter Editor, *eScholarship, University of California, L2 Journal* (July 2020)

Editorial Board, *Multilingua—A Journal of Cross-Cultural and Interlanguage Communication* (March 2013–2018)

Subject Matter Editor, *Journal of Ethnicities* (March 2015–April 2016)

Editorial Board, *Journal of Multilingual and Multicultural Development* (March 2015–April 2016)

Editorial Board, *Journal of Politeness Research* (March 2015–April 2016)

Editorial Board, *Language Policy* (March 2015–April 2016)

Editorial Board, *Journal of Language and Identity in Education* (June 2005–May 2013)

Editorial Board, *Bilingualism and Bilingual Education* (August 2004–May 2012)

Editorial Board, *Applied Linguistics* (June 2005–June 2011)

Editorial Board, *Journal of Southern African Applied Language Studies* (February: 1994–June 1999)

**Invited Peer Reviewer of Manuscripts Submitted to Journals**

*Nations and Nationalism* (August 2023)

*Text and Talk: An Interdisciplinary Journal of Language, Discourse and Communication Studies* (July 2020)

*Literator* (June 2020–July 2020)

*African Identities* (June 2020)

*Africa Sun Media Publishers* (June 2020)

*Multilingual Matters* (May 2020–June 2020)

*Transmodernity* (February 2020–present)

*Routledge Press* (October 2019–present)

*Applied Linguistics* (March 2019–present)

*Language in Society* (March 2019–present)

*Bentham Publishers Sciences* (August 2017–present)

*Linguistics Vanguard* (October 2019)

*The Nordic Journal of African Studies* (January 2019–February 2019)

*eScholarship* (electronic refereed journal for foreign and second language education), Marsden Fund (August 2014–September 2014)

**Consulting/Advising**

Critical review of a compilation of research material in indigenous languages on quality of life. Stroud Center for Quality of Life, Columbia University, New York City (compensated) (December 2015–March 2017).

**RESEARCH CONTRACTS, GRANTS, AND SPONSORED RESEARCH**

Makoni, S. B., & Bayeck, R. (Co-principal investigators). “Advancing Learning and Literacies in Board Games in the 21st Century.” Spencer Foundation (nonprofit foundation). Total requested: $49,956.00 (submitted May 2020). Proposal not funded (as of December 2021).

Makoni, S. B. (Principal investigator). 100% credit. “Education of Learners with Special Needs in Kenya During COVID-19 School Closures.” Spencer Foundation (nonprofit foundation). Total requested: $455,551.00 (submitted July 2020). Proposal not funded (as of December 2020).

Makoni, S. B. (Principal investigator). 100% credit. “Perceptions and Strategies of Addressing the COVID-19 Educational Challenges among the San Communities in Botswana.” Spencer Foundation (nonprofit foundation). Total requested: $49,126.00 (submitted June 2020). Proposal not funded (as of January 2021).

**Contracts**

Makoni, S. B., & Bayeck, R. (Co-principal investigators). “Cultivating Cross-Cultural Communication through Board Games: Interrogating Songo Board Game Play as a Means to Develop Social Cohesion and Community Identity in Cameroon.” Game In Lab (nonprofit foundation). Total requested: $15,775.00 (submitted February 2020). Funded from December 2020 to December 2022.

**Grants**

Makoni, S. B. (Principal investigator). 100% credit. “Humor as a Semiotic Resource: Coping with COVID-19 Stress in Africa.” The Social Science Research Council (nonprofit foundation). Total requested: $5,000 (submitted October 2020). Funded from November 2020 to June 2021.

Makoni, S. B. (Principal investigator). 100% credit. “Policing the Ivory Tower: Student Perceptions of the Legitimacy and Integrity of Campus Policing.” The Africana Research Center, Pennsylvania State University (universities and colleges). Total requested: $2,000 (submitted February 2017). Funded from March 2017 to April 2018.

Makoni, S. B. (Principal investigator). 100% credit. “Language Rights as Human Rights.” Pan South African Language Board, Commission for the Promotion and Protection of Cultural, Religious and Linguistic Communities (nonprofit foundation). Total requested: $5,000 (submitted June 2006). Funded from August 2006 to December 2007.

Makoni, S. B. (Principal investigator). 100% credit. “Language Rights as Human Rights: Issues about Implementation.” Commission for the Promotion and Protection of the Rights of Cultural, Religious and Linguistic Communities (CRL Rights Commission; quasi-governmental and independent agency). Total requested: $8,000 (submitted January 2006). Funded from May 2006 to December 2006.

Makoni, S. B. (Principal investigator). 100% credit. “New Diaspora: An Analysis of African Migration to the United States.” Africana Research Center, Pennsylvania State University (universities and colleges). Total requested: $10,000 (submitted May 2004). Funded from August 2004 to August 2005.

**Sponsored Research**

Makoni, S. B. (Principal investigator). 100% credit. “Complexities in Police and Citizen Communication in South African Multilingual Contexts.” Africana Research Center, Pennsylvania State University. Total requested: $4,500 (submitted May 2015). Funding of $4,000 awarded in October 2015. Funded from January 2016 to July 2018.

Makoni, S. B. (Co-principal investigator, 70% credit), Moyo, T. (Co-principal investigator). “Aging and HIV/AIDS.” Africana Research Center, Pennsylvania State University. Total requested: $3,000 (submitted September 2007). Funded from January 2007 to December 2008.

Makoni, S. B. (Co-principal investigator, 55% credit), Consedine, N. (Co-principal investigator), Kakafka, R. (Co-principal investigator). “Message Framing Intervention and Outcomes in Terms of Cancer Knowledge Retention and Screening Compliance.” Long Island and Columbia University Partnership (universities and colleges). Total requested: $50,000 (submitted January 2001). Funded in March 2002, for June 2002 to April 2003.

Makoni, S. B. (Principal investigator). 100% credit. “Community Aging of Older African Americans in Detroit.” Center for Urban Aging Research, Detroit, Michigan (private foundation). Total requested: $30,000 (submitted August 1998). Funded $25,000 in January 1999, for June 1999 to August 2001.

**TEACHING**

**Pennsylvania State University**

AAS 110: Introduction to Contemporary Africa

AAS 403: South Africa Today

AAS 150: Film in Africa

AFR 110: Introduction to Contemporary Africa

AFR 150: Africa in Cinema

AFR 297A: Health and Illness in African Worlds

AFR 496: Independent Studies

AFR 505: African Studies Methodology

AFR 596: Individual Studies

APLNG 200: Language Culture and Society

APLNG 210: The Ecology of Global English

APLNG 482: Introduction to Applied Linguistics

APLNG 491: Theory of Second Language Acquisition

APLNG 496: Independent Studies

APLNG 575: Language Ideology

APLNG 580: Proseminar in Applied Linguistics

APLNG 583: Language Testing

APLNG 591: Seminar in Second Language Acquisition

APLNG 596: Individual Studies

APLNG 597: Special Topics

APLNG 600: Thesis Research

APLNG 601: PhD Dissertation

APLNG 602: Supervision and College Teaching

AAH 402: African Health & Development

CIED 597: Special Topics

ESL 4: ESL/Composition for American Academic Communication

INTST 493: International Studies

LING 496: Independent Studies

LING 548: Sociolinguistics

AFR 501: Topics in African Studies

AFR 496: Independent Studies

**Directed Student Learning**

**Postdoctoral Supervision**

Vicky Khasandi-Telewa, Postdoctoral mentorship (August 2023–June 2025)

Lara Kruse-Alzaidi, Postdoctoral fellow (September 2024–August 2025), Africana Research Center.

Kleber da Silva, Postdoctoral mentorship (September 2019–December 2019)

Lorato Mokwena (University of the Western Cape, Bellville, South Africa), Postdoctoral mentorship (October 2018–November 2022)

Emmanuel Sithole Postdoctoral mentorship (May 2019–May 2022)

Desmond Odugu (Lake Forest University, Chicago, IL), Postdoctoral mentorship (January 2019–June 2019)

Sibusiso Ndlangamandhla (University of South Africa, Pretoria, South Africa), Postdoctoral mentorship (August 2018–November 2021)

Aditi Maliki, Postdoctoral mentorship (September 2015–May 2016)

Christine Severo, Postdoctoral supervisor (January 2014–July 2014)

**PhD Committee Chair (Completed), College of Liberal Arts, Pennsylvania State University**

Marika Criss (August 2015–August 2020)

Kathleen Masters (August 2015–December 2019)

Kaushalya Perera (July 2011–March 2015)

Amber Navarre (August 2004–May 2008)

Xren Xu, Chair (August 2002–May 2008)

**PhD Committee Chair (Current), College of Liberal Arts, Pennsylvania State University**

Deniz Mehmetoglu Ozge (August 2024–present)

Patience Okyere (August 2024–present)

Mehmetoglu Deniz Ozge (August 2023–present)

Edwin Dartey (August 2022–present)

Mfundo Msimangu (August 2022–present)

Byron Po (July 2022–present)

**PhD Committee Member, College of Liberal Arts, Pennsylvania State University**

Kim Hansen (August 2021–present)

Sarah Jackson (August 2019–May 2024)

Lyana Suana Hang Chan (August 2019–present)

Valeriya Minakova (August 2018–July 2023)

Rincon Guadalupe (August 2018–June 2022)

Brett Diaz (August 2017–June 2021)

Madhav Kaffle (August 2011–July 2019)

Yunjeong Chum (August 2008–May 2013)

Charles, Brua (August 2004–May 2009)

Nathan Schrefler (August 2005–May 2008)

**PhD Committee Member (Current), College of Education, Pennsylvania State University**

Afua Aninwa Yeboah (March 2024–present)

 Attamah Samtochukwu (April 2024–present)

Abaka-Cann Nana-Anna (April 2024–present)

Manuel Ostos (August 2023–present)

Susan Mahachi (August 2022–May 2025)

**PhD Supervision (Completed), College of Education, Pennsylvania State University**

Phoebe Quaynor (August 202-April 2024)

Duk-In-Choi (January 2023–July 2023)

Magda Madany-Saa (August 2019–June 2023)

Marc Djamounu (August 1997–May 2022)

Rebecca Bayeck (September 2016–February 2019)

David Agoli (July 2014–March 2018)

Sylvia Owiny (March 2014–February 2017)

Abdulaziz Althewini (August 2012–May 2016)

Tutalani Asino (July 2011–July 2015)

Robert Freer (July 2011–January 2015)

Kristen Lee (August 2006–August 2008)

**Other Supervision (Completed), College of Education, Pennsylvania State University**

Bajalan Ahmed, Master’s paper (August 2018–April 2019)

Aigerim Amirkham, Master’s paper (August 2019–May 2020)

Pauli Badenhorst, Graduate research/teaching/internship (August 2015–May 2016)

**PhD Supervision (Discontinued), College of Liberal Arts, Pennsylvania State University**

Abigail Kahn (August 2014–May 2017)

Tracy Beckett, Chair, dissertation committee (March 2003–March 2017)

**Master’s Supervision (Completed), College of Liberal Arts, Pennsylvania State University**

Qi Bu (August 2018–May 2019)

Chelsea Benton-Monahan (August 2017–April 2019)

Yujie Ji (Augst 2012–May 2014)

Mark Carpency (September 2010–May 2011)

**External PhD or MA Supervision**

Chanel van der Merwe, Member, PhD committee, University of Cape Town, South Africa (March 2021–present)

Sera Mbatia, Member, PhD committee, Laikipia University, Kenya (June 2019–present)

Andiswa Bulukwa, PhD supervisor, North-West University, South Africa (March 2019–present)

Frederick Meeme, PhD supervisor, Laikipia University, Kenya (June 2019–November 2022)

Job Maoncha, Member, PhD committee, Laikipia University, Kenya (June 2019–present)

Jane Njuguna, Member, PhD committee, Laikipia University, Kenya (June 2019–present)

Ana Eltermann, Member, PhD committee, Univeridade Federal de Santa Catarina, Brazil (March 2018–March 2021)

Cassie Leymarie, Member, PhD committee, Georgia State University (August 2010–February 2015)

Pinky Makoe, MA supervisor, University of Cape Town, South Africa (March 1996–November 1997)

Dennis Forster, Member, PhD committee, University of the Western Cape, Bellville, South Africa (March 1990–August 1992)

**SERVICE**

**Professional Memberships**

Literacy and Applied Linguistics Research Network in Africa (June 2018–present)

Co-president, International Association for the Study of Colonial and Postcolonial Linguistics (June 2018–December 2020)

Global Special Issues of Aging Network (Europe, Latin America, and Sub-Saharan Africa) (June 2017–present).

Southern Multilingualisms and Diversities (August 2015–present)

International Association for the Study of Colonial and Postcolonial Linguistics (November 2014–present)

International Association for the Integrational Study of Language and Communication (February 2013–present)

Literacy and Applied Linguistics in Africa (November 2005–present)

African Research on Ageing Network (AFRAN) (March 1999–present)

Southern African Association of Applied Language Studies (SAALA) (March 1999–present).

International Association of Applied Linguistics (AILA) (August 1997–present)

Applied Linguistics in Africa (August 1997–June 2005)

British Association of Applied Linguistics (September 1985–present)

**Service to the University**

**Department**

***Administrative Support Work***

Director of African Studies (July 2022–present)

Led joint searches with Women, Gender, and Sexuality Studies; French and Francophone Studies; and Art History. Shepherded two tenure reviews with Geography and History as well as one senior review and two second-year reviews with Health and Human Development. Developed dual PhD between Applied Linguistics and African Studies. Revised African Studies by-laws and revised committees in African Studies. Expanded the outreach of African Studies through the introduction of Yoruba.

Member of the Interviewing Panel for the Associate Dean for Undergraduate Studies, College of Liberal Arts (Spring 2024)

Representative of the Heads of the Humanities in the College of Liberal Arts (August 2022–June 2023)

Interim Director of African Studies (June 2021–June 2022)

Director, Graduate Studies, African Studies Program (January 2021–July 2021)

Recruitment and overseeing of graduate students in dual PhD degrees between African Studies and Comparative Literature, French, English, Geography and Political Science.

Recruiter, African Studies Program. (July 2014–March 2015)

Identified and approached faculty who may have an interest in African Studies and encouraged them to shift parts of their budget lines.

***Participation in Committees***

Member, PhD Admissions Committee for Department of Applied Linguistics (August 2023–present)

Member/Head of Applied Linguistics Search Committee (November 2021–June 2022)

Member, Search Committee, African Studies and French and Francophone Studies (August 2021–December 2021)

Member, Graduate Curriculum Committee, Program in African Studies (January 2020–July 2021)

Co-advisor, Project on Migration Studies, Advisory Committee (January 2017–present)

Chair, Ad Hoc Promotion Committee for Teaching Professors, African Studies Program (February 2020–April 16, 2020)

Member, Promotion Committee for Teaching Professors (October 2019–November 2019)

Member, PhD Admissions Committee (August 2018–May 2019)

Chair, Ad Hoc African Studies Revision of By-Laws Committee, African Studies Program (February 2019–March 2019)

Member, African Studies Research Grant Committee (February 2019–March 2019)

Member, Search Committee for Director of African Studies (January 2017–May 2017)

Chair, African Studies Roundtable (January 2015–May 2017)

Member, Task Force for Extractive Industries for African Development (January 2015–July 2015)

Member/Chair, Search Committee for Visiting Assistant Professor in Political Science (February 2015–April 2015)

Coordinator, Ad Hoc Advisory Committee, African Studies Program (August 2014–April 2015)

Member, PhD Selection Committee (January 2015–March 2015)

Chair, Search Committee, Geography and African Studies (December 2014–March 2015).

Chair, Search Committee for Visiting Assistant Professor in Political Science (December 2014–March 2015)

Chair, Search Committee for Visiting Assistant Professor in Environmental Studies (December 2014–February 2015)

Member, African Studies and Diaspora Certificate Program Committee (March 2014–February 2015

Co-chair, African Studies Strategic Planning (August 2013–February 2015)

Member, Committee for the Design of a Curriculum for a Special Minor between African Studies and African American Studies (September 2012–February 2015)

Member, Graduate Curriculum Committee (August 2012–February 2015)

Member, Admission Committee for the PhD Program in the Department of Applied Linguistics (January 1, 2012–December 2014)

Co-chair, Roundtable Presentations in African Studies (September 2013–June 2014)

Co-chair, Applied Linguistics Roundtable (August 2013–April 2014)

Member, MA Program Admissions Committee for Department of Applied Linguistics (October 2010–August 2012)

Member, African Studies and Political Science Search Committee (January 2012–March 2012).

Member, Committee for Dual PhD degrees in the African Studies Program (June 2011–February 1, 2012)

Member, Search Committee for Head of Department of African and African American Studies (January 2011–April 2011)

Chair, Promotion & Tenure Committee (August 2008–February 2009)

***Participation in Governance Bodies and Related Activities***

Member, Sabbatical Leave Committee (September 2010–July 2012)

***Participation in Recruitment and Retention Activities***

Member, Graduate Admissions in African Studies Committee (January 2020–present)

***Other Service Type***

Member, PhD Admissions Committee, Program in African Studies (January 2020–present).

Member, Search Committee for the Director of African Studies (January 2017–May 2017).

**University Committee Work**

Member, Presidential Vision and Goals on Research Excellence (June 2023–August 2023)

Member, Remote Synchronous Guidelines Committee (September 2022–November 2022)

Vice-chair, Senate Student Life (August 2018–May 2019)

Supported the chair in her multiple duties; wrote a report on the integration of international students at Pennsylvania State University across its different campuses.

Member, Selection Committee and Interviewing Panel, John White Graduate Fellowship Committee (March 2019–April 2019)

Responsible for short-listing and subsequently interviewing seniors who had the potential to graduate summa cum laude and had been admitted to graduate school or were applying to a graduate program in Fall 2019.

**Participation in Governance Bodies and Related Activities**

Member (elected) of Senate (August 2015–May 2019)

**Service to the Disciplines and to the Profession**

External Reviewer, University of Ghana (November 2019–January 2020). Evaluated a candidate who specialized in sociolinguistics and second language acquisition in the English Department at the University of Botswana.

Invited to evaluate the international standing of the scholarship of Prof. L. Hibbert by the National Research Foundation, South Africa in the fields of English Education, Language in Education, and Discourse Studies (November 2019)

Advisor, University of Botswana (November 2019). Evaluated a candidate for promotion to full professor.

External Evaluator, University of Pretoria (August 2017–September 2017). Evaluated the research quality of publications submitted by candidates for their promotion from associate professor to full professor.

Evaluator, National Research Foundation (July 2017–September 2017). Determined

whether publications in the areas of language and technology met the minimum requirements for funding for the candidate’s early career advancement.

External Reviewer, National Research Foundation (August 2017). Determined whether an early career candidate’s application for a renewal of funding for research in applied linguistics met the requirements.

External Evaluator, National Research Foundation (August 2017). Evaluated research submissions to determine whether publications met the requirements for candidates’ advanced research funding for five years in the areas of African politics and foreign affairs.

External Reviewer, National Research Foundation (July 2017). Determined whether publications in the areas of language and technology met the minimum requirements for funding for the candidate’s early career development.

**External Examiner**

External Reviewer, Rhodes University, South Africa (June 2021–August 2021). Evaluated a PhD thesis, “Journeying Home, Exile and Transnationalism: Noni Jabavu and Sisonke Msimang”; recommended that a PhD be rewarded.

External Examiner, University of Zululand, South Africa (January 2020–March 2020). Evaluated a PhD thesis, “A Grounded Theory Study of English as a Second Language: Experiences with Literary Texts”; recommended that a PhD be awarded, subject to minor revisions.

External Reviewer, University of Zululand (November 2019–December 2019).

Evaluated a PhD thesis, “A Critical Discourse Analysis of the Transitional Stabilization Program (TSP) with Specific Reference to Potential Dynamics”; recommended that a PhD be rewarded, subject to minor revisions.

External Reviewer, Department of Linguistics, University of the Western Cape, South Africa (November 2018–December 2018). Evaluated a PhD thesis, “Exploring Semiotic Remediation in Performances of Stand-Up Comedians in Post-Apartheid, South Africa and Post-Colonial Nigeria”; recommended that a PhD be awarded, subject to a simplification of the structure of the thesis.

External Reviewer, Department of Linguistics, University of New England, Australia (December 2016–January 2017). Evaluated a PhD thesis, “Discourse and Survival Strategies: The Case of Cross-Border Traders in Southern Africa”; recommended major revisions to meet university requirements.

External Reviewer (appointed), University of Kwa Zulu-Natal, South Africa (March 2016–April 2016).Evaluated a PhD thesis on grounded theory and submitted a report to the university.

Evaluator, University of Zululand, South Africa (March 2016). Evaluated a PhD thesis, “A Comparative Study of Variation in Stress and Intonation Patterns in Spoken English of Some Yoruba and Zulu Undergraduate Students”; recommended substantial revisions to successfully meet university requirements.

Evaluator, University of Hong Kong (February 2013–April 2013). Evaluated a PhD thesis, “Linguistic Practices in Institutions in Hong Kong”; determined that the thesis met the quality requirements of major international research institutions.

Evaluator, University of Witwatersrand, Johannesburg, South Africa (March 2007–May 2007). Evaluated a PhD thesis, “Language Rights in South Africa”; recommended substantial revisions.

External Examiner, University of Zimbabwe, Harare, Zimbabwe (March 2005–April 2005). Evaluated a PhD thesis, “Urban Language Practices in Zimbabwe”; determined that the thesis met university requirements.

External Examiner, Aligah Muslim University, India (2004). Evaluated a PhD thesis, “The Oriental Element in the Elizabethan Drama with Special Reference to Marlowe, Shakespeare and Ben Johnson”; determined that the thesis met university requirements.

**Conference and Conference Committee Service**

Co-organizer, Annual Conference of the International Association for the Integrational Study of Language and Communication (IAISLC), Federal University of Santa Catarina, Brazil (September 2020).

Reviewer of Abstracts, AILA Conference on Language Policy and Planning. (September 2019–October 2019).

Chair, Conference Convener, and Organizer, Annual Conference of Integrationism (aka Integrational Linguistics) and Communication at Pennsylvania State University (August 2019–September 2019).

Member (elected), International Association of Applied Linguistics, Africa Research Network, Committee on Language Planning in Africa (1999–2005).

Chair (elected), Southern African Association of Applied Linguistics (SAALA) (August 1997–August 1999).

Vice-chair (elected), Southern African Association of Applied Linguistics (SAALA) (August 1995–August 1997).

**Participation in or Service to Professional and Learned Societies**

Chair, International Association of the Research Network in Applied Linguistics and Literacy (February 2019–present).

Chair/Coordinator of African Studies Global Virtual Forum webinar series, Pennsylvania State University (May 2018–present).

Co-chair (elected), Co-founder, Applied Linguistics and Literacy Research Network in Africa (June 2005–present).

Co-chair (elected), International Association of Colonial and Postcolonial Linguistics (June 2018–December 2020).

**Voluntary Consultation or Advising**

Consultant (May 2019–present), based on my experience as an Honorary Extraordinary Professor in the Faculty of Humanities, North-West University, South Africa. I provide consultation for junior faculty, senior graduate students, and mentor postdoctoral students.

**Other Service Type**

Evaluator for endowed chair (October 2021–December 2021), University of Liverpool, United Kingdom.