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Current Position

- From 2020** *Joint Director of Humanities in Africa Institute (HUMA), and Centre for African Studies (CAS), University of Cape Town, South Africa.*
- 2017** *Senior Programme Officer (Head/Director of) Publications and Dissemination Programme, Council for the Development of Social Science Research in Africa (CODESRIA), Dakar, Senegal.*
- Since March 2012** *[Permanent Position] Lecturer, Department of Social Anthropology, University of Cape Town (School of African and Gender Studies, Anthropology and Linguistics).*

Education

- 2009** *Doctor of Philosophy in Social Anthropology, University of Basel, Switzerland*
Thesis: Competing for attention: Youth Masculinities and Prestige in Bamenda, Cameroon
Advisor: Prof. Dr. Till Förster (University of Basel, Switzerland)
- 2007** *Postgraduate Diploma in Ethnology/Anthropology, Swiss Postgraduate Programme in Ethnology/Anthropology (2005-2007).*
Coordinator: Prof. Heinz Käufeler (University of Zurich).
- 2004** *Masters of Arts in Development Studies [Sociology], University of Botswana, Botswana.*
Thesis: Sexual Expression by University of Botswana Males in an Era of AIDS
Supervisor: Dr. Goodisang Mookodi (University of Botswana)
- 1999** *Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Journalism & Mass Communication, Political Science (Minor), University of Buea, Cameroon.*
Thesis: Media Use and Images of Nations: survey of Buea secondary/high school students' media uses and gratifications.

Supervisor: Dr. George Ngwa (University of Buea, Cameroon)

- 1996** **Cameroon College of Arts Science and Technology (CCAST) Bambili, Cameroon.**
Obtained: GCE Advanced Level in 3 subjects.
- 1994** **Government High School (GHS) Wum Menchum Division, Cameroon.**
Obtained: GCE Ordinary Level in 7 subjects.
- 1989** **Government Primary School, Fundong, Boyo Division, Cameroon.**
Obtained: First School Leaving Certificate (FSLC) and passed the Common Entrance Examination into Secondary School.

Experience

Teaching

- Lecturer in Social Anthropology**, Department of Anthropology; School of African and Gender Studies, Anthropology and Linguistics, University of Cape Town, South Africa (also visiting lecturer in 2010, and hired as contract lecturer in 2011).
Courses Taught: Both undergraduate and postgraduate. AXL1400F Words, Bones, Deeds and Things; AXL1401S Introduction to Anthropology of Development and Difference; AXL2200S Globalisation, Culture and Identity; AXL2402S Anthropology of Power and Wealth; AXL2403S Belief and Symbolism; AXL2400Z Anthropology Fieldtrip; AXL3400F The Challenge of Culture; AXL3401S Anthropology through Ethnography; AXL4403F Anthropology of Gender and Sexuality; AXL4404F Special Topics in Social and Cultural Anthropology; AXL5402 Anthropology of Development; AXL5406 The Anthropology of Youth in Research & Development. Designed, convened & taught courses; accompany students on field trips; supervise honours, masters and PhD student dissertations, as well as students writing special topics.
- Guest Lecturer, Department of History/African Studies/Anthropology, University of Washington, Seattle, USA (April 2016).
- Visiting Lecturer**, Institute of Social Anthropology, University of Basel (Nov. 2014).
Course taught: Masters Seminar: Bodies and Subjectivities in African Cities
- Lecturer and Coordinator**, ASNA Cecil Manona Methodology Workshop, Rhodes University, South Africa.
Course Taught: Theory and Methodology in Social Anthropology; conceptualised, coordinated and lectured on evidence in anthropology.
- Lecturer & Supervisor**, MPhil specializing in Sustainable Mineral Resource Development, UCT.
Module Taught: Ethnographic Research Methodology
- Guest Lecturer**, Department of Anthropology, Princeton University, USA.
Course Taught: Guest-lectured in graduate seminar ANT 522B Topics in Theory and Practice of Anthropology convened by Prof. Carolyn Rouse.

7. **Visiting Lecturer**, Graduate Programme in Sustainability Science, University of Tokyo, Japan. (November-December 2014).
Courses Taught: Masters Level Courses: Global Field Exercise: Rural-Urban Connection in Africa; AY2013-14/Winter: Advanced Concepts and Methodologies of Sustainability Science.
8. **Guest Lecturer**, Danube University Krems - University for Continuing Education
Course Taught: “South African Area Studies” in Cape Town, South Africa.
9. **Visiting Lecturer**, Department of Anthropology, University of Brasilia, Brazil. (January-February 2013).
Courses Taught: Undergraduate and postgraduate. Anthropology of Things; Theory in Anthropology.
10. **Lecturer**, South Africa Social Science Research Methodology Winter School, University of Pretoria, South Africa, organised in collaboration with the Chair for Research and Methodology, Department of Social Sciences, University of Basel with funding from the Swiss-South Africa Exchange (June 2012).
Course Taught: Mainly postgraduate. Ethnographic Research Methods.
11. **“Assistent” (Senior Researcher/Lecturer)**, Institute of Sociology, Department of Social Sciences, University of Basel, Switzerland (2011).
Courses Taught: Both undergraduate and postgraduate. 30158-01 Seminar: Ethnographic Research Methods; Research Methods in Social Sciences; Educational Ethnography; Theories and Concepts in Africa. Designed, convened and taught courses; supervised student thesis. My work also comprised conducting fieldwork, data analysis and writing reports.
12. **Lecturer in Anthropology**, University of Stellenbosch, South Africa (2010).
Courses Taught: mainly undergraduate. ANT242 Public Anthropology. Designed, convened and taught one of the only public anthropology course in the African continent so far.
13. **Lecturer in Anthropology**, University of the Western Cape, South Africa (2010).
Courses Taught: mainly undergraduate. Developed, convened and taught ANT212 The Peopling of Africa.
14. **Lecturer in Social Anthropology**, University of Basel, Switzerland (2006-2008).
Courses Taught: Gender & Identity in Cameroon; Pidgin English & Grassfields Culture. Designed & taught courses; assisted students on fieldwork to Cameroon; provided assistance to students researching term papers & assignments; guided students experiencing difficulties in courses; graded term papers & student participation; coordinated the Institute’s Research Group on Visual Culture and Political Transformation.
15. **Guest Lecturer**, Department of Journalism & Mass Communication, University of Buea, Cameroon (May 2007).
Courses Taught: Social Research Methods; Survey Research; Content Analysis; international communication; Development communication; provided assistance & supervision to students researching term papers & assignments; guided students

experiencing difficulties in courses; organised, supervised & graded exams, term papers.

16. **Teaching Assistant**, Department of Sociology, University of Botswana, Botswana (2003-2005).

Courses Taught: Introduction to social & cultural anthropology; introduction to sociology; research methods in sociology; organised tutorial sessions with students; provided assistance & supervision to students researching term papers & assignments; guided students experiencing difficulties in courses; organised, supervised and graded exams, term papers & student tutorial participation.

17. **Teaching Assistant**, Dept of Journalism & Mass Communication, University of Buea (1996-1999).

Courses Taught: research methods and; mass communication theories. Organised tutorial sessions with students; provided supervision to students researching term papers & assignments; guided students experiencing difficulties in courses; supervised student dissertations; organised, supervised and graded examinations, tutorial participation & term papers.

Grants and Awards

1. NRF-South Africa International Corporation Adhoc Grant for Youth Entrepreneurship workshop 2016 (R280,000).
2. African Development Bank and Japan Trust Funding for Next Generation Researchers Program (USD1,7 Million)
3. United Nations University GLTP, Japan Student Field Exercise Exchange Grant for 2014 (USD2000).
4. Institute for Money, Technology and Financial Inclusion Melinda and Bill Gates Foundation Grant for Research project “Njangi Sociality: Mobility, ICTS, and Mobile Money Usages and Practices amongst Poor Rural Farmers in the Cameroon Grassfields.” (USD15000).
5. United Nations University and Japan Trust Grant to develop an Overview Report on Sustainability Science Research in Africa for 2013-2014 (USD10,000).
6. UCT Block Grant for 2013. (R9 336.26)
7. UCT Mellon Mentoring Fellowship for 2013-2014 to invite Prof. Michael Rowlands who I am currently hosting as my academic mentor.
8. UCT New Academic Practitioner Programme Start-up Teaching Grant 2012 (R5000)
9. UCT URC ERP Research Development Grant 2012 (R 30 000)
10. UCT ERC Start-up Grant (2012) (R20 000).

11. Swiss South African Joint Research and Exchange Programme. Research and Teaching Exchange Grant (University of Basel, University of Cape Town, Stellenbosch University) (2010). (CHF10 000).
12. “Exchanges Universitaires” (University Exchange Programme), Swiss Academy of Sciences/Commission for Research Partnerships with Developing Countries for exchange with University of Cape Town and Stellenbosch University on Fixing the City Project (2010). (CHF20 000).
13. CODESRIA Comparative Research Network, “Information and Communication Technologies (ICTs), mobility and the reconfiguration of marginality in Southern Africa” (2010).
14. Travel Grant, “Travel Grants for Young Academics” at the University of Basel (2009).
15. Travel Grant, Swiss Academy of Humanities and Social Sciences (2008).
16. Dissertation Grant, Office of Scholarship & Education, Basel City Council (2005-2009).
17. Ministry of Education, Cameroon Prize for Best Student in Journalism/Mass Communication (1999).

Fellowships

1. Invited to apply as Fellow for the prestigious Berlin Institute of Advanced Studies for the 2020-2021 Academic Year (currently under consideration).
2. Fellow of the Next Generation Researchers initiative funded by the United Nations University, African Development Bank, Japan Trust Fund, University of Tokyo (Since 2012-2016).
3. Visiting Fellow, Institute of Social Anthropology, University of Basel, Switzerland (Nov.-Dec. 2014).
4. Visiting Fellow, Graduate Programme in Sustainability Science, University of Tokyo, Japan (Nov.-Dec. 2013).
5. Fellow, Institute for Money, Technology and Financial Inclusion, University of California, Irvine (Since 2013-2014). Grant awarded by the Bill Gates Foundation.
6. Visiting Teaching and Research Fellow, Department of Anthropology, University of Brasilia, Brazil. Grant awarded by the Conselho Nacional de Desenvolvimento Científico e Tecnológico (English: National Council for Scientific and Technological Development; CNPq) (January-February 2013).
7. Fellow, Emerging Researcher Programme, University of Cape Town (Since March 2012-2016).
8. Guest, African Studies Centre, University of Leiden, The Netherlands (March 2010).

9. Visiting Research Fellow, Zentrum Moderner Orient, Berlin, Germany (January to March 2009).
10. Fellow, Swiss Postgraduate Programme (Ecole Doctorale) in Ethnology/Anthropology (2005-2007).
11. Laureate, Child and Youth Institute, Dakar, Senegal, Council for the Development of Social Science Research in Africa (CODESRIA) (September to October 2003).

Research Activities

Since January 2019 Cultural Marketing Consultant for HSBC and Ethnographic Insights Specialist for Microsoft, IPSOS MENA, UAE.

Other Research Activities

1. **Research Group “Fixing the City”:** I established the Research Group Fixing the City: African Cities within the Rural-Urban Continuum while at the University of Basel, Switzerland as a European Union FP7 project application involving 10 countries in Europe and Africa. I have now re-established the same group at the University of Cape Town, as I seek funding. The project addresses two central questions for the future of cities in Africa: Why and how cities emerge, evolve and function in Africa? How local actors produce social, cultural and economic stability and order? It aims at a new approach to research and theorize African cities by combining and juxtaposing two discourses – the ‘interventionist’ and ‘spontaneity’ discourses – as well as adopting an approach which analyses the urban and the rural as a continua by de-essentialising cities as bounded geographical spaces.

Research Projects:

Carissa Cupido, Being Beautiful: An ethnography of the beauty practices and expressions among a group of young "black men" in Cape Town.

Claire Denham-Dyson, Aging, Friendship and Sociality in Randjes Retirement Estate.

Fungai Makawa, Taking It Like A Man: Narratives on Corporal Punishment and Masculinity in a Zimbabwean High School

Fotoula Fatouros, Being Real: Methylphenidate use and Construction of Identity by UCT Students.

Murray Stanford, Youth and civic participation in Khayelitsha: an ethnographic study of Sounds of the South youth group.

Alice Nevin, Rogue Urban Connections?: An Ethnography of Trust and Social Relations in Observatory, Cape Town.

Andreas Buhler, Smiling in the face of uncertainty : Eviction and the experience of precarity in Hangberg Cape Town.

Faranaaz Vraagom, Moving on? An ethnography of women's attempts to rebuild lives at the Saartjie Baartman Centre after abuse.

Patrice Carter, Working Title: "Rising Above: Youth and Entrepreneurship in St. Ann, Jamaica".

Benjamin Machanik, 'Ethical non-Monogamy' amongst people with multiple partner relationships in Cape Town.

Tsoarelo Qhobela, Water scarcity and the reconfigurations of social relations in Imizamo Yethu, Western Cape.

Alexis Strimenos, The ladies of long: how a group of non-gender normative youth construct their identity and perform gender.

Adam Burke, Fishing in Troubled Waters: an ethnography of the convergences of global and local notions of sustainability among artisanal fishermen in Santa Cruz Island, Galápagos.

Leah Junck, Dreaming on: An ethnographic study of 'ordinary life' among foreign, male sex workers in Cape Town.

Yuka Shimamura, Beyond the Uniform: an ethnography of cleaning workers at the University of Cape Town.

Andreas Buhler, Cultivating the entrepreneur: The production and reproduction of entrepreneurship in the Cape wine

- 2. Research project "Fixing the city: a comparative study of young people's agency and transformations in Cape Town and Johannesburg" (URC Emerging Researcher Programme grant funded).** How do young people contribute towards transforming urban communities, and how do they make youth an end rather than transitional stage? This comparative research project addresses questions that are key to understanding young people's participation in creating stable futures for both themselves and their communities in the city. This research thus examines the various ways in which young people in Cape Town and Johannesburg take advantage of their agency to fix or transform their city. The basic question relates to how young people develop resilient modes of coping with the many challenges that the weakness of the state, the economy and the many aspects of the on-going processes of globalization provoke. It thus explores how urban young men in Cape Town and Johannesburg develop new modes of agency that allows them to maintain an active attitude despite the permanent difficulties of finding a place in a society that apparently does not have one for them. The focus is thus on re-conceptualising youth as essentially dangerous, towards one which frames youth as accomplished social actors, hence contributing new ideas about how interventions on young people should be carried out in account of their agency. This research project is a preliminary start to a comparative research project with the University of Brasilia, providing key questions for long-term research collaboration.

3. **Researcher & Trainer, Association Camerounaise pour le Marketing Social (ACMS)/ Population Studies International (PSI), Ministry of Public Health, Cameroon (2006-2007).** Research on cross-generational sex, condom use, beliefs and testing for HIV. Training and supervision of peer educators on AIDS, sex education and cross-generational sex in Bamenda, Cameroon.
4. **Intern, Botswana Network on Ethics and Law on HIV/AIDS (BONELA) (2003 – 2004).** Education and campaign; literature review and research on human rights, HIV/AIDS and the law in Botswana, Women and HIV/AIDS, Men and HIV/AIDS, Access to Health care and treatment in Botswana, GLBT and HIV/AIDS, Youth and HIV/AIDS, Confidentiality, HIV/AIDS and Work, HIV/AIDS and Research Ethics.
5. **Researcher & Trainer, Institute of Area & Development Studies (INADES Formation), Bamenda, Cameroon (2002).** Served as data analyst; and carried out training in qualitative and quantitative research design and data analysis.
6. **Junior Researcher, Consultancy for Social Sciences – Cameroon (CSSC) (1998-2000).** Consultants for the German Technical Corporation (GTZ), World Wide Fund for Nature and Cameroon Ministry of Environment and Forestry, headed by Dr. Kai Schmidt-Soltau. Conducted socio-economic and anthropological studies – using mainly ethnographic and also quantitative approaches. These include participant observation (PO), Rapid Rural Appraisal, Participatory Rural Appraisal, and other observational methods including photography, audio interviews and transcriptions. Also involved in project impact monitoring and evaluation. Major completed long-term studies include ‘The Perception of Korup Project Amongst the Inhabitants of the Project Region (An Impact Assessment)’; Culture, History & Perceptions on Resettlement: A Baseline Study of Six Villages in the Korup National Park’; German Prestige in Cameroon; ‘The Socio-economic Impact of the Resettlement of Ekundu Kundu’.
7. **Intern, PCC-CBC-EZE-DED In-Service Training Programme (ISTP), Bamenda, Cameroon (1999).** Organised database; collected data and analysed secondary data on teachers’ evaluation of the In Service Training Programme. Designed project to measure impact and effectiveness of programme; trained advisers and trainees on the use of SPSS and Excel for data analysis, and impact monitoring.

Other Research Experience

1. **PhD field research, Male Identity in Contemporary Cameroon.** 11 months of ethnographic field research on youth expressions of masculinity within a city and social group. Use of photos, video recordings, informal conversations, audio recordings/transcriptions and intense participant observation.
2. **Research assistant for Consultant, International Development Research Centre, Canada (2005).** 3 months ethnographic study of the ‘Eco-Health Situation of Douala Slums’, focusing on hygiene, health, communication, administration and living conditions. Methods – observation, photos, field notes, conversations, literature search.

3. **Masters research on ‘sexual expression by university students in Botswana’ (2004)** 8 months of observations, unstructured audio interviews, transcriptions, field notes and analysis.
4. **Research assistant for Comparative Research Network, Council for Development of Social Science Research in Africa, Senegal (2003)**. 12 months of intensive ethnography on the social lives of Zimbabwean maids and; globalisation, xenophobia and citizenship in Southern Africa. Book produced: ‘Insiders and Outsiders’ by Francis Nyamnjoh.
5. **Research assistant for Researcher, Social Science Research Council, USA & University of Pretoria, South Africa (2001)**. 5 months survey and informal interviews on youth activism and citizenship in some Cameroonian cities.
6. **Research Assistant, Communication Research Centre, University of Buea (1996-2001)**. Conducted mainly survey research and informal interviews, transcriptions and research reporting. Also offered consulting services to the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) Baseline Study of Four Cameroon/Africa 2000 Network and European Union Funded Projects (1999) and Plan International (PLAN) on ‘Children and Women’s Living Conditions in Cameroon’, the national brewery and local non-governmental organisations.

Supervision:

Completed Honours Supervisions:

1. Murray Stanford (2012)
2. Anuschka Richards (2012)
3. Fotoula Fatouros (2013)
4. Fungai Makawa (2013)
5. Leah Junck (2014)
6. Carissa Cupido (2014)
7. Claire Denham-Dyson (2014)
8. Yuka Shimamura (2014)
9. Tafadzwa Tivaringe (2014)
10. Raisa Moola (2015)
11. Benjamin Ahee (2015)
12. Anelia de Waal (2015)

Completed Research Only Dissertation Masters Supervisions:

1. Alexis Strimenos (graduated 2014 with 74%)
2. Murray Stanford (graduated 2014 with distinction)
3. Leah Junck (graduation expected June 2016)

Completed Coursework and Dissertation Masters Supervisions:

1. Deborah Worthington (graduated 2013)
2. Andrew Reid (graduated June 2014 with A+)
3. Andreas Buhler (graduated June 2014 with A+)
4. Tsoarelo Qhobela (graduated December 2014)
5. Alice Nevin (graduated June 2015 A+)
6. Litha Sokuto (graduated June 2016)
7. Ayanda Manqoyi (graduated June 2016 A+)

8. Patrice Carter (graduated June 2016A+)
9. Faranaaz Vraagom (graduated May 2017)

Completed PhD Supervisions:

Adam Burke (graduated December 2016)

Current Supervisions:

PhD

1. Andreas Buhler (expected 2020)
2. Kefiloe Sello (expected 2019)
3. Nikiwe Solomon (expected 2019)
4. Matt Maroon (expected 2023)

Coursework and Dissertation Masters

1. Daniel Ogwang (expected graduation December 2018)

Mentoring

1. Tafadzwa Tivaringe - Mellon Mayes Fellow (2013-2014)
2. Sabelo Mpsi Doctorson - Mellon Mayes Fellow (2014-2015)
3. Qiniso van Damme – Mellon Mayes Fellow (2015-2016)
4. Siyabonga Njica – Mellon Mayes Fellow (2016-2017)

Other Activities/Experiences

1. Trainer and Facilitator, Swiss AIDS Federation (Aids-Hilfe Schweiz (AHS) (2010-2012). Conceptualise, prepare material and deliver training on Inter-Cultural Competency in Health and HIV/AIDS prevention.
2. Consulting Associate for Solutionsync market research firm, Switzerland (2009). Conceptualise, negotiate and manage consumer research, market ethnography and business anthropology.
3. Trainer and Facilitator, Consultant for Association Camerounaise pour le Marketing Social (ACMS)/ Population Studies International (PSI), Ministry of Public Health, Cameroon (2006). Design, coordinate and deliver regional peer education training for HIV/AIDS prevention.
4. Rapporteur for the African Centre for Strategic Studies Senior Leader's Seminar, Gaborone, Botswana (2005).
5. Translator and Simultaneous Interpreter for International Military Sports Council (CISM) Board of Directors Meeting, Gaborone, Botswana. Translation and Interpretation (French-English, English-French).
6. Data Analyst, Rapporteur and Trainer for the Institute of Area & Development Studies (INADES Formation), Bamenda, Cameroon (May 2002). Developed database and SPSS Data Analysis for fieldworkers.
7. Communication Adviser, GTZ-Mount Cameroon Project (MCP) Buea, Cameroon (2000).

Organised seminars, workshops, and liaised with stakeholders; wrote and edited stories for the “Green Page” in The Post Newspaper; trained staff and stakeholders, designed/produced material for environmental communication, carried out environmental education/communication activities; and participated in planning, monitoring and evaluating project activities.

8. Internship, Presbyterian Communication Department, Buea (1997).
Wrote and edited news stories; anchored and reported in weekly radio news programmes and documentaries. Also performed the role of secretary.

Administration, Positions of Responsibility and Social Responsiveness:

1. **Acting Director of Administration and Finance**, CODESRIA, (Oct. 2017 – May 2018)
2. **Acting Head, Social Anthropology Section**, School of African and Gender Studies, Anthropology and Linguistics, (2012, 2013, 2014).
3. **Coordinator Global Field Exercise of the University of Tokyo**, Feb.-March 2014.
4. **Coordinator and Organiser**, AXL-URC Writing Workshop 2013 and 2014. Held in Mont Fleur Stellenbosch, July 2013 and 2014.
5. **Coordinator**, Fixing the City Research Group, Social Anthropology Section, University of Cape Town (since January 2013).
6. **Webmaster**, Social Anthropology Section, University of Cape Town (since January 2011).
7. **Coordinator**, Network for Urban and Rural Research in Africa (NURA), European Union FP7 Project proposal involving 10 countries in African and Europe (2010-2011).
8. **Coordinator**, PhD Research Group on Visual Culture and Political Transformations, Institute of Social Anthropology, University of Basel, Switzerland (2006-2009).
9. **President**, H27 Volleyball Club, Gaborone, Botswana (2004-2005).
10. **Chairperson**, Graduate Students Association, University of Botswana (2003-2004).
11. **President**, International Students Association, University of Botswana (2003-2004).
12. **IT Assistant**, Department of Information Technology, University of Botswana (2003). Tasks: Worked at IT helpdesk and call centre; assisted users in solving IT problems.

13. **Administrator**, Humanist Movement, Bamenda Chapter, North West Region, Cameroon
14. **Administrative Assistant, Cameroon Animal Food Industry (Camanfi Ltd), Limbe – Cameroon (2001)**. Tasks: Carried out general office management, write letters, speeches, search for and make new business contacts, write reports, plan activities. Performed secretarial duties.
15. **Liaisons & Resource Officer**, Cameroon Youths Confederation (1999-2002)
16. **Public Relations Officer**, Amateur Drama Club, GHS Wum, Cameroon (1990-1994).
17. **Adviser**, Nature's Club, GHS Wum, Cameroon (1994).
18. **Organising Secretary**, Wum Debate Club, Wum, Cameroon (1993-1994).
19. **Financial Secretary**, Bafut Students' Association (BASA) Wum, Cameroon (1990).

Board Membership and Committees:

1. Editorial Board Member, Urban Forum, Springer. Since 2019
2. Editorial Board Member, Public Anthropology journal, Brill. Since 2018
3. Editorial Board Member, Sustainability Science journal, Springer. Since 2017
4. Member of the International Advisory Board International Advisory Board of Masters in Southern Urbanism, Africa Centre for Cities, University of Cape Town, South Africa. Since 2017
5. Member of the International Advisory Board, Institute of Money, Technology and Financial Inclusion, University of California, Irvine. Since 2016
6. Member of International Advisory Board, Becoming Men EU Research Project, University of Amsterdam, the Netherlands. Since 2015
7. **African Studies at UCT**: Member of Africa at UCT university wide committee and also actively involved in the design of a university wide course on Africa at UCT.
8. **Board Member**, Minerals to Metals Chair/Research Group, Faculty of Engineering and Built Environment, University of Cape Town.
9. **Host**, All Africa House Fellowship 2013. Themes: Youth and popular culture.
10. **Board Member**, Anthropology Southern Africa Association since 2012-2015.
11. **Recruitment/Selection Committees**: Selection Committee for Social Anthropology Senior Secretary (2013); Selection Committee for African Studies Lecturer (2012/2013); selection committee for Gender Studies Lecturer(2014); selection committee for Senior/Lecturer in social Anthropology (2014).
12. Africa Day “The Big African Debate” celebration organising committee: Designed/developed, coordinated and organised Africa day “The Big African Debate” panel discussion on special tribute to Chinua Achebe
13. **Coordinator**, Café Africa Debates (2013), School of African and Gender Studies, Anthropology and Linguistics, University of Cape Town. Conceptualised and currently coordinating the new “Café Africa” monthly debate series funded by the AC Jordan Chair, in collaboration with AXL and Chimurenga Magazine

Review and Editorial Activities

1. **Managing Editor, *Social Dynamics* (2015).**
2. **Managing Editor, Langaa Research & Publishing C.I.G., Bamenda, Cameroon (2006-2009).** Amongst all, also assisting with editing, proofreading and layout.
3. **Editorial Assistant, Department of Research and Development, University of Botswana (2002-2005).** Journals: *Pula: Botswana Journal of African Studies*, Department of Research and Development, University of Botswana; *Botswana Journal of Economics (BOJE)*, Department of Economics, University of Botswana; *Barclays Botswana Economic Review (BBER)*; *The Graduate*, newsletter of the Graduate Students Association, University of Botswana. Solicit articles, coordinate with editors, proofread, typeset and manage production.
4. **Research Editor, *The Chariot Campus Newspaper*, University of Buea (1996–1999).** Participated in editorial board meetings, selected articles, carried out research and investigative reports. Wrote and edited news stories and other articles. Assisted in layout and production.
5. **Reviewer for:** *Men and Masculinities*; *Canadian Journal of African Studies*; *African Studies Review*; *City & Society* (the journal of the Society for Urban National and Transnational Anthropology, SUNTA); CODESRIA; Karthala publishers; Langaa Publishers; *Journal of Population Studies*; *Africa*; *Africa Insight*; SpearsMedia Group

Scholarly Publications

Refereed Journal Articles

1. Fuh, D. (2012) The Prestige Economy: Veteran Clubs and Youngmen's Competition in Bamenda, Cameroon. *Urban Forum*, Springer.
2. Mookodi, G & Fuh, D. (2004) 'Finding the Missing Male in Gender Discourses in Botswana.' In *Pula: Botswana Journal of African Studies*, vol.18 (1) 2004, Pp.31-42.
3. Francis Nyamnjoh & Fuh, D. (2014). Africans Consuming Hair, Africans Consumed by Hair. *Africa Insight*.
4. Fuh, D. et al. (2014) The Role of Higher Education In Building a Sustainable African Society. *African Journal of Sustainable Development*.
5. Fuh, D. et al. (2014) Learning to Solve Africa's Problems by Africans: Innovations for Addressing the Canker of Corruption. *African Journal of Sustainable Development*.
6. Fuh, D. (2015). Suffering and Smiling: youth and precarity in urban Africa today. *Inside Anthropology News*. DOI: 10.1111/j.1556-3502.2015.561103.x

7. Fuh, D. (2017). *Competing for attention: Youth masculinities and prestige in Bamenda, Cameroon* (Doctoral dissertation, Philosophisch-Historische Fakultät der Universität Basel).

Chapters in Edited Books:

1. Lindenmann, P. & Fuh, D. (2012) "Public Water Systems." In Bill Rathje and Geoffrey J. Golson (Eds.) *Encyclopedia of Consumption and Waste*. Sage.
2. Lindenmann, P. & Fuh, D. (2012) "Garbage/Switzerland." In Bill Rathje and Geoffrey J. Golson (Eds.) *Encyclopedia of Consumption and Waste*. Sage.
3. Fuh, D. (2011) Negotiating sex amongst male students in the University of Botswana in an Era of HIV/AIDS: The role of gender inequality. In Sesay, A. (ed.) *Children, Youth and HIV/AIDS in Africa*. CODESRIA: Dakar. Pp.243-272.

Other Public Publications:

1. Fuh, D. 'Seeking the Indigene in Natural Resource Management' In *Enviromag* – University of Botswana environmental magazine, August 2003.
2. 'Globalisation and the Struggle for Identity' In *Mmegi*, November 1-7, 2002.
3. 'Best Nytes in UB' *The Chariot*, vol.2 (004), May 1999, pg10.
4. 'The True Story of Abacha's Death.' *The Chariot*, vol.11(001), June 1998, pg.8.
5. 'Poetry: 'Oh! When Exams Come Again' *The Chariot*, vol.11(001), June 1998, pg.6.
6. 'Welcome To UB: The Place To Be' *The Chariot*, vol.2 (002), November 1998, pgs4.
7. 'Convocation 98: 1001 Students Graduate' *The Chariot*, vol.2 (003), December 1998, pgs1,3.
8. 'Tradition and Religion Meet in JMC' *The Chariot*, vol.2 (003), December 1998, pg11.

Conference, Workshop and Seminar Papers:

1. 2014. 'The ethnographer as con artist? Research subjectivities in precarious times' Paper to be presented at the International Annual Conference of the Swiss Ethnological Society (SEG), 29-31 October 2014.
2. 2014. Culture and Language in the Rainbow Nation. Public Talk given to youth at the Media Kidocracy Konference (Oct.6-10) organised by Bush Radio, Hermanus, 9th October.
3. 2014. Research Subjectivities in Uncertain Times. Paper presented at the Engaged Anthropology workshop, Department of Anthropology, Princeton University, April 3-5, 2014.
4. 2014. Movers and Shakers: Youth Activism, entrepreneurship and Sustainability. Paper presented at the 2nd GPSS-GLI International Symposium, University of Tokyo, January.
5. 2013. Njangi Sociality: ICTS, and Mobile Money Usages and Practices amongst Rural and Urban Farmers in Bamenda, Cameroon. Paper presented at the IMTFI Annual Conference for Research Fellows, December 4-6.

6. 2013. Quand la femme se fache: popular music and constructions of male identity in Cameroon. Paper presented at the AXL-URC Writing Workshop, Mont Fleur, Stellenbosch, July 4-6.
7. Competing for attention: youth, agency and prestige in urban Cameroon and South Africa. Paper presented at seminar series of the Department of Anthropology, University of Brasilia, Brazil, January 23 2013.
8. 2012. Gerontocratic Youth: Youth, agency and political participation in the new South Africa. Paper for presentation at the upcoming UNECA Conference on Youth and Democratisation in Africa: Lessons Learned and Comparative Experiences. Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, Nov. 1-4 2012.
9. Playing football, fixing futures: Football and youngmen's agency in urban Cameroon. II International Conference on Sport in Africa, entitled Sport and leisure in Africa: practices and identities, Lisbon, Portugal, 5-6 June 2012.
10. The politics of visibility: Youngmen's competition for prestige in Bamenda, Cameroon. Paper for the Canadian Association of African Studies (CAAS) annual conference, entitled: "Africa in transformation: Africa of individuals, Africa of generations", Laval University, Quebec, Wednesday May 2-4 2012.
11. Balls! Youth and the competition for attention. Paper presented at the AXL Launch Seminar Series, University of Cape Town. March 2012.
12. 2010. "Fixing the City: Local Initiatives." Research project presented at the Ethnologisches Seminar Basel, June 2nd 2010.
13. The Prestige Economy: Men and the Competition for Attention in Bamenda, Cameroon. Seminar presented at the African Studies Centre in Leiden, March 15th 2010.
14. 'The Politics of angry women': Popular music and the face of masculinities in Cameroon. Paper presented at the Sawyer Seminar Series, Department of Social Anthropology, University of Cape Town, March 9th, 2010.
15. 2009. "Playing Football, Playing Masculinities": Youngmen, Sports and Prestige in Bamenda, Cameroon." Seminar presentation at the Department of Social Anthropology, University of Cape Town, December 3rd, 2009.
16. "*Bauer muss man sein*": Notes on Swiss Masculinities. Paper presented at the Joint PhD Research Groups on Political Transformations and, Visual Culture, Ethnologisches Seminar Basel, University of Basel, October 5th 2009.
17. Going native in my home town: fieldwork as a youngman amongst youth in Bamenda, Cameroon. 3rd European Conference on African Studies, Leipzig, Germany. 4 to 7 June 2009.
18. Going 'native' in my hometown: doing fieldwork in Bamenda, Cameroon. Basel, February 19th 2009.
19. Mobile men and vulnerable identities: paradoxes of mobility, prestige and feminization in Cameroonian male migrants in Europe. ZMO, Berlin, February 26th 2009.
20. 2008. The notion of the doctor amongst Botswana men (a focus on men and pregnancy). University of Botswana, December 3rd.
21. Pain killer, pain-giver or medicine man? The changing notion of 'the doctor' amongst the Bafut of Cameroon. Presented at the conference on 'Hospital History in Africa', Cape Town, Groote Schuur Hospital/Medical School, South Africa, University of Cape Town, 24th-26th November 2008.
22. Keeping Fit & Being Man: Sports and the performance of 'man' in Bamenda, Cameroon. Presented at the International Workshop on Sports in Asia & Africa between Identity Politics, Body Cultures and Secular Ritual. November 16-18, Berlin, Centre for Modern Oriental Studies 2008.

23. Popular music as space for edification of male identity in contemporary Cameroon. Presented at the Space Workshop of the Ecole Doctorale Suisse in Ethnology, Basel, October 1-2 2007.
24. On the Strongman - a premise for understanding manhood in contemporary Bamenda, Cameroon? Guest Lecture at the Ethnologisches Seminar in Lausanne, March 28th 2007
25. *Mais où sont les hommes?* Manhood as fiction in contemporary Bamenda, Cameroon. Paper presented at the Belief Workshop of the Ecole Doctorale Suisse in Ethnology, Lausanne, Feb. 1-2 2007.
26. *Our enemies have done it again: Witchcraft and imagination of AIDS amongst youngmen in Bamenda, Cameroon.* Paper presented at the conference on Witchcraft and HIV/AIDS in Africa and Europe, Basel, Switzerland, 28th October 2007.
27. 2006. *Wherefore Cadets?* Kinship, anthropology and the suppression of youngmen in the Cameroon Grassfields. Paper submitted for the Kinship Workshop of the Swiss Postgraduate College in Anthropology, Bern, July 16-17 2006.
28. *Quand La Femme Se Fache: Popular Music and Constructions of Male Identity in Cameroon,* Paper presented at the workshop: "Negotiating Culture in the Context of Globalisation" Sally-Senegal, April 2-7 2006.
29. 2003. 'Gender, Masculinities & the Fight against HIV/AIDS amongst Youths in Botswana.' presented at the CODESRIA Child & Youth Institute, Dakar-Senegal, September 29-October 28th 2003.

Languages

1. English – Fluent
2. French – Fluent
3. West African Pidgin – Fluent
4. Bafut – Good
5. Kom – Average
6. German – Functional
7. Setswana – Basic

Computer Skills

1. Word Processing (MS Word, Word Perfect, MS Works);
2. Desktop Publishing (MS Publisher, MS PowerPoint, Adobe InDesign,)
3. Data Analysis (SPSS)
4. Spreadsheets (MS Excel)

Leisure Activities

Cooking, music, volleyball, bowling, running, dancing, football, cycling, Ping-Pong, reading, creative writing, humour, politics, travelling, photography, skiing, hiking, driving, cards and board games.