

**1. PERSONAL INFORMATION**

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2. EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

- ✚ Bachelor of science Degree in Agricultural Economics from Mizan-Tepi University, Collage of Agriculture and Natural Resources, in 26 June, 2013.
- ✚ Master of Science Degree in Agricultural Economics from Haramaya University, School of Agricultural Economics and Agribusiness in 22 December, 2016.

3. TRAINING, WORKSHOP, SEMINAR AND PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

- ❖ Participated on Entrepreneurship Skill Development training held 26 June, 2013, Mizan Tepi University.
- ❖ Participated on training of Research Methodology using SPSS- software, Mizan-Tepi University (February, 2017)
- ❖ Participated on training of Research Seminar on “Challenges and Strategies in Research” (January, 2016)
- ❖ Participated on Gender and Youth in Development training at Mizan-Tepi University.
- ❖ Participated on Anti-corruption commission Training held 28 June, 2013, Mizan-Tepi University.
- ❖ Since 2018: Member of the Space Science Society of Ethiopia (SSSE).
- ❖ Since 2019: Member of the Young African Leaders Initiative (YALI) Network.
- ❖ Since 2019: Member of the Mizan Tepi University Staff Voluntary Association.

4. PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE AND LEADERSHIP ROLE

- From Oct, 28/2013 Up to Oct, 27/2014 G.C: Graduate Assistance I at Agricultural Economics Department, Mizan Tepi University.
- From Oct, 28/2014 Up to Dec, 21/2016 G.C: Graduate Assistant II at Agricultural Economics Department, Mizan Tepi University.
- From Dec, 22/2016 to date: Lecturer in Agricultural Economics department, Mizan Tepi University.
- I have given training on “Entrepreneurship Skill Development” at Mizan-Tepi University for graduating class of 2018.
- From October, 2/2017 to date: Head of Agricultural Economics Department, Mizan-Tepi University.
- Acting as delegate college dean of Agriculture and Natural resource, Mizan Tepi University.

5. TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- ✚ Macro-Economics, Project Planning, Evaluation and Analysis, Farm Management, Ethiopian Economy, Institutional Economics, Entrepreneurship and Small Business Management, Marketing and Price Analysis, Introduction to statistics, Statistics for Business and Economics, Natural Resource and Environmental Economics, Rural Finance (Micro Finance) and Introduction to Agricultural Extension.

6. LANGUAGE SKILL AND STATISTICAL SOFTWARE PACKAGE

- ❖ I am excellent in listening, writing, reading and speaking of Amharic, English and Konsotic languages.
- ❖ Good computer skill (Excellent internet and computer usage),
- ❖ Statistical software usage (Stata software package, E-Views, Frontier version 4.1, SPSS, gretl, SAS and DAD),
- ❖ Microsoft word, Ms excel, Ms access and Ms PowerPoint usage, and
- ❖ Other skills and competences (analytical skill)

7. TRAINING/OTHER COURSES AND CERTIFICATES

- ❖ Certificate of recognition for completion of **Higher Diploma Program (HDP)** training from Jimma University on June 28, 2014.

- ❖ Certificate of recognition for the successful completion of **Fundamentals of Starting and Running a Business** that was organized by the Young African Leaders Initiative Network, February 16, 2019.
- ❖ Certificate of recognition for the successful completion of **Agripreneurship: A path to the Future** that was organized by the Young African Leaders Initiative Network, February 16, 2019.
- ❖ Certificate of recognition for training on ‘**Entrepreneurship Skill Development**’ at Mizan-Tepi University for graduating class July 4-5, 2018
- ❖ Certificate of recognition for the successful completion of **Management Strategies for People and Resources** that was organized by the Young African Leaders Initiative Network, February 16, 2019.
- ❖ Certificate of recognition for the successful completion of **Workforce Collaboration and Development** that was organized by the Young African Leaders Initiative Network, February 16, 2019.
- ❖ Certificate of recognition for the successful completion of focus on **understanding climate change** that was organized by the Young African Leaders Initiative Network, February 16, 2019.
- ❖ Certificate of recognition for the successful completion of **Community Organizing for Action** that was organized by the Young African Leaders Initiative Network, August 2, 2019.
- ❖ Certificate of recognition for contribution as **a reviewer for research papers** published in a proceedings of the 8th Annual National Research Conference of Mizan-Tepi University under the theme: Research for Sustainable Resource utilization and Socio-economic Development February 13-14, 2019.
- ❖ Certificate of recognition for the successful completion of **Understanding the Rights of Women and Girls** that was organized by the Young African Leaders Initiative Network, March 29, 2019.
- ❖ Certificate of recognition for the successful completion of **Strategies for Personal Growth and Development** that was organized by the Young African Leaders Initiative Network, October, 28, 2019.

8. OTHER ACADEMIC SUPERVISION ACTIVITIES

a. Membership of editorial boards/ Journal and Researchers’ Review

- ❖ Editorial board member of *International Journal of Applied Science and Research (IJASR)*

- ❖ Guest editor, for the Special Issue “Agricultural Economics and Its Related, Climate Change, Fisheries and Land Use” in the journal *Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries*.
- ❖ Guest editor, for the Special Issue “Agriculture and Rural Development” in the journal *International Journal of Agricultural Economics*.
- ❖ Guest editor, for the Special Issue “Natural Resources: Conservation and Management ” in the journal *International Journal of Natural Resource Ecology and Management*.
- ❖ Editor: Book of Abstracts of the 8th Annual National Research Conference of Mizan-Tepi University Under the theme: Research for Sustainable Resource Utilization and Socio-Economic Development through February 13-14, 2019
- ❖ Reviewer International Journal of Agricultural Education and Extension
- ❖ Reviewer Journal of Agricultural Economics and Rural Development
- ❖ Reviewer Journal of Development and Agricultural Economics(JDAE)
- ❖ Reviewer African Journal of Agricultural Research(AJAR)
- ❖ Reviewer African Journal of Business Management(AJBM)
- ❖ Reviewer African Journal of Marketing Management(AJMM)
- ❖ Reviewer Journal of Accounting And Taxation(JAT)
- ❖ Reviewer Journal of Ecology and The Natural Environment(JENE)
- ❖ Reviewer Journal of Dryland Agriculture(JODA)
- ❖ Reviewer Journal of Plant Breeding and Crop Science
- ❖ 2016-2019. Selected paper session reviewer/moderator of Mizan Tepi university

In addition, I had supervised more than 25 Undergraduate students when they were writing their senior research projects at the Mizan-Tepi University, Department of Agricultural Economics.

b. Organization of conferences, Post on internal and external committee’s

- ✚ Member organizing committee of 8th Annual National Research Conference of Mizan-Tepi University under the theme “Research for Sustainable Resource utilization and Socio-economic Development” February 13-14, 2019, Mizan Tepi University (Ethiopia).
- ✚ 2017-to date: Member of Academic Commission, College of Agriculture and Natural Resource, Mizan Tepi University.
- ✚ 2016-to date: Chairperson of Department Council, Agricultural Economics Department, Mizan Tepi University.

- ✚ Since 2019 to date: Member of Library and Documentation Advisory Committee, Mizan-Tepi University.
- ✚ Since 2019 to date: Chairman of Academic Staff Recruitment, Appointment & Promotion Committee, College of Agriculture & Natural Resource, Mizan Tepi University.
- ✚ Since 2017 to date: Member of the University Council, Mizan-Tepi University
- ✚ 2017-2018: Course and Examination Committee, Department of Agricultural Economics Mizan Tepi University.

9. RESEARCH PROJECTS

Completed;

- ✚ Production Efficiency and Value Chain Analysis of Sesame Producers in Bench Maji Zone, Southwest Ethiopia
- ✚ Technical Efficiency of Sorghum Production: The Case of Smallholder Farmers in Konso District, Southern Ethiopia
- ✚ Review on Farm Households' decision to invest in soil Conservation; the case of Ethiopia
- ✚ Financial performance of dry coffee processing firms in Mizan Aman town, Ethiopia

On progress;

- ✚ Determinant of Agricultural Crop Commercialization and Market Participation :The case of Southwest, Ethiopia

10. MEGA PROJECTS

- ✚ Developing Appropriate Pure Breeding Plans and Establishing Community based Breeding Scheme for Conservation and Improvement of Shako Cattle Breed in Bench Shako, Kaffa, Shaka and West Omo Zones, Southwestern Ethiopia

11. REFERENCES

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