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Citizenship: Ghanaian, Canadian Permanent Resident

Research Interests

Development Economics, Welfare Economics, Applied Microeconomics

Teaching Interests

Microeconomics, Development Economics, Econometrics, Mathematical Economics, Economic Statistics

Education and Training

Ph.D., Economics, [University of Guelph](#), Guelph - Canada Sep. 2016 - Present
Academic Advisors: [Michael Hoy](#), [Kurt Annen](#)
Thesis: Essays in Applied Microeconomics
Expected Graduation: May 2021

Master of Arts, Economics, [University of Manitoba](#), Winnipeg - Canada Sep. 2015 - Aug. 2016

Bachelor of Arts, Economics and Statistics, [University of Ghana](#), Accra - Ghana Sep. 2010 - Jul. 2014
First Class Honours

Certificate: Research and Project Management Course, [University of Guelph](#) Mar. 2020
Certificate: Accessible Service Provision Course, [University of Guelph](#) Apr. 2020
Certificate: Supervisor Awareness & Diligence Training Course, [University of Guelph](#) Apr. 2020
Certificate: Making Education Accessible Course, [University of Guelph](#) Aug. 2020
Certificate: Sexual Violence Referral and Support Training Course, [University of Guelph](#) Aug. 2020
Certificate: Principles of Belonging: Anti-Oppression and Anti-Racism Course, [University of Guelph](#) Oct. 2020

Publications

Asiamah, H. A., (2020). "Childhood Chronic Poverty Estimations: Looking Beyond a Count Index", *Child Indicators Research*, forthcoming.

Working Papers

"Chronic Child Poverty and Later Life Outcomes"

"Women Representation in Parliaments Globally" (with Kurt Annen)

Professional Experience

Instructor, Department of Economics and Finance, [University of Guelph](#), Guelph, Ontario May 2020 - Aug 2020

- Course: ECON 2310 (*Distance Education*)- Intermediate Microeconomics

Teaching Assistant, Department of Economics and Finance, University of Guelph, Ontario, Canada

- Kurt Annen: ECON 4830 - Economic Development Fall 2020
- René Kirkegaard: ECON 3100 - Game Theory Winter 2017, Winter 2018
- Patrick Martin: ECON 1100 - Introductory Macroeconomics Summer 2017
- Alex Maynard: ECON 2740 - Economic Statistics Fall 2017
- Asha Sadanand: ECON 2310 - Intermediate Microeconomics Fall 2016
- J. Atsu Amegashie : ECON 3710 - Advanced Microeconomics Fall 2016

Teaching Assistant, Department of Economics, University of Manitoba, Manitoba, Canada

- Mehdi Arzandeh: ECON 3670 - International Trade Summer 2016
- Rosa E. Sanchez Garcia: ECON 3640- Economics of the Financial System Summer 2016
- Sadjad Kalhor: ECON 2010-Microeconomic Theory II Summer 2016

Teaching Assistant, Department of Statistics and Actuarial Statistics, University of Ghana, Legon, Ghana

- Kwabena Doku Amponsah: STAT 331/301- Probability Distributions Sept 2014-July 2015.
- Kwabena Doku Amponsah: STAT 332/302- Multivariate Distributions Sept 2014-July 2015.
- Kwabena Doku Amponsah: STAT 221/201- Introductory Probability I Sept 2014-July 2015.
- Kwabena Doku Amponsah: STAT 224/204- Introductory Probability II Sept 2014-July 2015.
- Chapmann Wardy Charlotte: STAT 455 - Actuarial Statistics I Sept 2014-July 2015.
- Chapmann Wardy Charlotte: STAT 456 - Actuarial Statistics II Sept 2014-July 2015.

Research Assistant, Department of Economics and Finance, University of Guelph, Ontario, Canada

- Professor Kurt Annen 2018 - 2020
- Professor Michael Hoy 2017 - 2020
- Professor Miana Plesca Summer 2018.

Economic Research Analyst and Consultant, KSAR & ASSOCIATES INC., Ottawa, Canada

Feb 2019 - Present

- Produce written report and briefing notes based on careful investigations and analysis of data to establish conclusions about an identified research question.
- Interpret complex data analyses into understandable reports for diverse audiences.
- Conduct a review of the literature on several development topics.
- Assists in the development and implementation of qualitative research.

- Conducted surveys on grantees' level of satisfaction, analyzed quantitative data and produced summary reports on them.
- Assisted in routine data collection and entry for various interventions implemented in the field.
- Ensured that complete, accurate, clean and consistent data is shared with the M&E Officer for data analysis and action planning.
- Prepared cross-country questionnaires to assess the recognition of the organization.
- Performed any other M&E tasks assigned by the M&E Officer.

Seminar and Conference Presentations

- *53rd Canadian Economics Association Annual Meetings*, Banff, Alberta-Canada. Paper presented: "Chronic Child Poverty and Later Life Outcomes" Jun. 2019
- *Internal Department Series, Department of Economics and Finance*, University of Guelph, Canada. Paper presented: "Chronic Child Poverty and Later Life Outcomes" Jun. 2019
- *Workshop on Inequality and Risk: Theory and Application*, Guelph-ON, Canada. Paper presented: "Chronic Child Poverty and Later Life Outcomes" May 2019
- *Internal Department Series, Department of Economics and Finance*, University of Guelph, Canada. Paper presented: "Childhood Chronic Poverty Estimations: Looking Beyond a Count Index" May 2018

Scholarships and Awards

- PhD Candidate Travel Grant, University of Guelph 2019
- Gordon S. Lang Graduate Scholarship, University of Guelph 2019
- CBE Graduate Excellence Scholarship, University of Guelph 2018
- Board of Graduate Studies Research Scholarship, University of Guelph 2017-2018
- Graduate Scholarships in Economics, University of Guelph 2016-2020
- University of Manitoba Department of Economics Scholarships, University of Manitoba 2016
- Province of Manitoba Graduate Scholarships, University of Manitoba 2015-2016
- University of Manitoba Graduate Fellowships, University of Manitoba 2015-2016
- International Graduate Students Entrance Scholarships, University of Manitoba 2015

Service and Leadership Experience

- University of Guelph Board of Directors: Graduate Student Representative Oct. 2020 - Present
- Secretary, Women's Ministry, Redeemed Christian Church of God, Kitchener, ON, Canada Jan. 2018 - Present
- Finance Committee Member, Church of Pentecost, Ghana Jul. 2010 - Jul. 2015
- Executive Secretary, PENSA Business Chamber, University Of Ghana, Legon-Ghana May. 2013 - April. 2014
- Vice President, Ghana Association of Statistics Students, University of Ghana, Legon-Ghana Sept. 2013- May 2014

Other Information

Languages: English (very fluent)

Software : Stata, MATLAB, R, L^AT_EX, MS Office

Database: OPENICPSR, World Bank Databank, US PSID Data, IPU Database, Vdem Database

Hobbies and Interests: Cooking, Hiking, Baking, Listening to music, Watching basketball and tennis games

References

Professor **Michael Hoy**

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Associate Professor **Kurt Annen**

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Professor **Louise Grogan**

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Professor **J. Atsu Amegashie**

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