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Curriculum Vitae (Summarized)

EDUCATION

Harvard University, Cambridge, USA
Master in Public Administration, May 2017

University of Minnesota Law School, Minneapolis, USA
Graduate Certificate, Hubert Humphrey Fellowship, June 2013

University of Oslo, Oslo, Norway
PhD (International Law), December 2008

University of Oslo, Oslo, Norway
Master of Arts (Human Rights Law), September 2001

Addis Ababa University, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia
Bachelor of Laws, June 1997

PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATES

1. Edward S. Mason Program in Public Policy and Management, Harvard Kennedy School of Government, June 2016-May 2017, Boston, USA (graduate certificate)
2. 'Basic Mediation Skills', Conflict Resolution Centre, February 13-18, 2013 Minneapolis, USA (certificate)
3. 'Leadership Foundations', Corporate Institute, University of Minnesota Law School, January 16-18, 2013, Minneapolis, USA (certificate)
4. 'International Humanitarian Law and Current Conflicts: New Challenges and Dilemmas' Advanced Course, Harvard University, July 16-20, 2007, Cambridge, Massachusetts, USA (certificate)
5. 'Truth, Reconciliation and Justice in Democratizing Countries', Oslo Summer School in Comparative Social Science Studies, University of Oslo, August 2-6, 2004, Oslo, Norway (certificate)

6. 'Social Science Research Methodology', Organization for Social Science Research in Eastern and Southern Africa, October 7-18, 2002, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia (certificate)

WORK EXPERIENCE

Addis Ababa University, College of Law and Governance Studies, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia
Associate Dean for Graduate Programs, August 2021 to present

-Responsible for the academic administration of graduate and postgraduate programs

Addis Ababa University School of Law, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia
Lecturer September, 2001- 2003
Assistant Professor, 2009- 2014
Associate Professor, 2015-present

-Lecturing at the graduate and post graduate programs on Sociology of Law, Politics and Philosophy of Human Rights, Disability Rights, International Law, Advanced Research Methods

-Supervising undergraduate and graduate theses at the School of Law.

Harvard Law School, Cambridge, USA
Visiting Scholar, September 2017- June 2018

-Research on legal pluralism and international trade law and policy

Harvard Kennedy School of Government, Cambridge, USA
Kistefos Africa Public Service Fellow, June 2016-May 2017

-Research and Seminars on Public Policy

Addis Ababa University School of Governance Studies, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia
Head of the Centre for Human Rights, November 2010 to July 2012

Addis Ababa University School of Law, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia
The Journal of Ethiopian Law, Editor-in-Chief, November 2009 to December 2013

Addis Ababa University School of Law, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia,
Head of Research and Publications Unit, 2009-2011

University of Oslo Faculty of Law, Norwegian Center for Human Rights, Oslo, Norway,
Research Fellow, 2004-2008

-Researched the African Union's right of intervention against Genocide, Crimes against Humanity, and War Crimes and the Red Terror Trials in Ethiopia;

-Lectured on legal pluralism in Africa, and the policies and laws of the African Union in the Master of Arts program of the Center.

Addis Ababa University School of Law, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia,
Assistant Dean, January-December 2003

Confederation of Ethiopian Trade Unions, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia,
Attorney in Labor Rights, September 1998- 1999 (full time), 2001-2003 (part time)

SIGNIFICANT AWARDS

1. Visiting Scholar, Harvard Law School, September 2017-June 2018
2. Kistefos Africa Public Service Fellowship in ‘recognition of outstanding academic achievement and professional promise with significant distinction’, Harvard Kennedy School, June 2016-May 2017
3. Visiting Scholar Fellowship, the Centre for Collaborative Research, Free University of Berlin, September 1-30, 2014
4. Hubert Humphrey Fellowship awarded as accomplished mid-career professional, United States Department of State, August 2012-June 2013
5. Norwegian Government Scholarship for M.A. study (200-2001), Ph.D. study (2004-2008)
6. British Council Research Stipend for research visit to the Oxford University, June-July 2003

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

I. Books

1. *Ethiopian Human Rights Handbook* (Centre for Human Rights, Addis Ababa University), January 2013, Co-Author
2. *Handbook on the Rights of the Child in Ethiopia* (Centre for Human Rights, Addis Ababa University), September 2012, Co-Author
3. *Essays on Environmental Rights*, Ethiopian Human Rights Law Series, Volume 4, (Addis Ababa University Press, July 2012) Editor
4. *A Study of the African Union’s Right of Intervention against Genocide, Crimes against Humanity and War Crimes* (Wolf Legal Publishers, The Netherlands, March 2011)
5. *The Ethiopian Red Terror Trials: Transitional Justice Challenged* (James Currey, United Kingdom, March 2009), Co-Editor

6. *The Constitutional Protection of Human Rights in Ethiopia: Challenges and Prospects*, Ethiopian Human Rights Law Series, Volume 2 (Addis Ababa University Press, December 2008) Co-Editor

II. Chapters in Books

7. 'Ethiopia: Legal and Judicial Plurality and the Incorporation of Traditional Dispute Resolution Mechanisms within the State Justice System', in Matthias Kotter et al (eds) *Non-State Justice Institutions and the Law* (Palgrave Macmillan Publishers, January 2015)

8. 'The Policy and Legislative Framework of Environmental Rights in Ethiopia', in Essays on Environmental Rights, Ethiopian Human Rights Law Series, Volume 4 (Addis Ababa University Press, July 2012)

9. 'The Red Terror Trials: The Context of Transitional Justice in Ethiopia' (Co-Author) in Kjetil Tronvoll et. al. (eds) *The Ethiopian Red Terror Trials: Transitional Justice Challenged* (James Currey, United Kingdom, March 2009)

10. 'The Rights of the Accused: A Human Rights Appraisal' (Co-Author) in Kjetil Tronvoll et. al. (eds) *The Ethiopian Red Terror Trials: Transitional Justice Challenged* (James Currey, United Kingdom, March 2009)

11. 'Beyond the Red Terror Trials: Analyzing Guarantees of Non-Repetition' in Kjetil Tronvoll et. al. (eds) *The Ethiopian Red Terror Trials: Transitional Justice Challenged* (James Currey, United Kingdom March 2009)

III. Research Articles

12. 'The Coupling of State and Sharia Justice Systems in a Secular State: The Case of Ethiopia', Collaborative Research Center, Free University of Berlin, Working Paper Series 75, May 2018

13. 'The Judicial and Constitutional Review of the decisions of Courts of Sharia: A comment based on Kedija Bashir et al. vs. Aysha Ahmed et al. ', Journal of Ethiopian Law, vol. 26, no. 2, Addis Ababa University Press, 2015

14. 'The Institutionalization of Cosmopolitan Justice: The Case of the African Union's Right of Intervention', Minnesota Journal of International Law, Volume 23 (June 2013)

15. 'The Anatomy of Special Prosecutor v. Colonel Mengistu Hailemariam (1994-2008)', International Journal of Ethiopian Studies, Vol. IV, No. 1&2, (Tsehai Publishers, Loyola Marymount University, Los Angeles) Spring/Fall 2009

16. 'The African Standby Force: Major issues under Mission Scenario Six' in Political Perspectives, Graduate Journal of the University of Manchester, 2008 Vol.2 (1)

17. 'Apology and Trials: The Case of the Red Terror Trials in Ethiopia', in African Human Rights Law Journal, Vol. 6, 2006

18. 'The African Union and Collective Security in Africa', in OSSREA Bulletin, Vol. II, No.3, October 2005

IV. Book Reviews

19. Darfur: A Short History of a Long War-Julie Flint and Alex de Waal (2005), Nordic Journal of Human Rights, vol.24 nr.3, 2006

20. Human Rights Law in Africa-Christof Heyns (ed.) (2004), Nordic Journal of Human Rights, vol.23, nr. 1,2005

21. Human Rights in Africa: from the OAU to the African Union - Rachel Murray (2005), Nordic Journal of Human Rights, vol. 23, nr. 2, 2005

V. Short Commentaries on the Post 2018 Ethiopian Political Reform Processes

22. 'Turning back the clock of time in Ethiopia', November 2021

Available at: <https://medium.com/@girmachewaaneme/turning-back-the-clock-of-time-in-ethiopia-7decc8ae3cb8>

23. 'Ethiopia's 2021 Elections: rules, actors, and mechanisms', February 2021

Available at:

https://www.researchgate.net/publication/349850267_Ethiopia's_2021_Elections_rules_actors_and_mechanisms

24. 'To resolve constitutional dilemma, interpretation is not enough', Ethiopia-Insight, May 15, 2019

Available at: <https://www.ethiopia-insight.com/2020/05/15/to-resolve-constitutional-dilemma-interpretation-is-insufficient/>

25. 'Narrow hate speech law will not broaden minds', Ethiopia-Insight, January 24, 2020

Available at: <https://www.ethiopia-insight.com/2020/01/24/narrow-hate-speech-law-will-not-broaden-minds/>

26. 'Why Ethiopia needs a strong incumbent political party in the transition to Democracy', Addis Standard, December 3, 2019

Available at: <https://addisstandard.com/opinion-why-ethiopia-needs-a-strong-incumbent-political-party-in-the-transition-to-democracy/>