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- **CP 20**. **Kassie**, M, Samuel Ledermann, Gracious Diiro, Tadele Tefera, Shifa Ballo, Lulseged Belayhun. "The economics of multiple interventions to achieve holistic outcomes: Pilot evidence from Ethiopia." Presented at the 30th International Conference of Agricultural Economists, 28 July-3 August 2018, Vancouver, Canada.
- **CP 19**. Paswel Marenya, **Kassie**, M, Hailemariam Teklewold, Olaf Erenstein, Matin Qaim, Dil Rahut, "Does the adoption of maize-legume cropping diversification and modern seeds affect nutritional security in Ethiopia? Evidence from panel data analysis." Presented at the 30th International Conference of Agricultural Economists, 28 July-3 August 2018, Vancouver, Canada.
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Speaker at professional events to highlight icipe's work

- Post-COVID- 19 policy options in Africa submitted to AfDB and presented at the Global CoP Seminar on: "Building Resilience in Food Systems and Agriculture Value Chains: Agricultural Policy Responses to COVID-19 in Africa, 19th May 2020.
- How to get from research to policy-present to stimulate discussion and lead the group discussion (Sida), May 2019, Stockholm, Sweden.
- ILRI wide seminar on economics of one heath interventions in Ethiopia. October 2018, Addis Ababa.
- Multi-intervention impact assessment in Tolay, Ethiopia. Presented at the Biovision annual Symposium, Zurich, Switzerland (presented to over 800 attendees), October 2017.
- ILRI wide seminar on socioeconomics and environmental implications of insect farming for feed, November 2019, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia

Professional awards and recognition

- 2019-listed as top 500 authors (publisher) in Kenya
- 2019-Oustanding Professional staff of the year, icipe
- 2017-2019-Rated as excellent or exceptional staff three times in a row
- 2018-2022-Elected twice, as a research committee member (2018–2022) of the Environment for Development (EfD) initiative (https://efdinitiative.org/) at the University of Gothenburg in Sweden.
- 2014-Outstanding publisher, socio-economic program, CIMMYT
- 2015- Outstanding publisher, socio-economic program, CIMMYT
- 2000-Ph.D fellowship by Lanekassen, Norway

Resource mobilization

I played a considerable role in resource mobilization. All the proposals funded.

- 1. **2019**-MOre Young Entrepreneurs in Silk and Honey Project (MOYESH). Funded by Mastercard Foundation (USD 55.6 million)-Five-year project (2019-2024) only be implemented in **Ethiopia**. Lead the development of the proposal (2019-2024).
- 2. **2019-**Scaling-up Climate-Smart Pest Management Approaches for Enhanced Maize and Tomato Systems Productivity in Eastern Africa-BMZ (Euro 1.2 million): 2020-2023. Substantially contribute to the development of the project and lead the socioeconomic component.
- 3. **2019-** Identification of virus transmission networks to control key arboviral diseases in Kenya (USD 745,000)-Lead social sciences component
- 4. **2019-**Augmentative biological control of the fall armyworm (Spodoptera frugiperda) with egg parasitoids in Kenya and Tanzania-USAID (USD 400,000)-lead impact section.
- 5. **2018** A Crowd-Sourcing Approach to Large Scale Monitoring of Pests by Smallholder farmers-**PI** (USD 100,000)-**BMGF**
- 6. **2018**-Strengthening "Out-grower" Models to Sustainably Produce Commercial insect-based Protein for Poultry and Fish Feed for Improved Livelihoods in Kenya-Rockefeller Foundation (USD 600, 000)- **Co-PI of the project** (2019-2020).
- 7. **2018**-Combating Arthropod Pests for Better Health, Food, and Resilience to Climate Change-NORAD (USD 4 million)-2018-2022. **Lead the development of M&E** framework and Socio-economic component of the project.
- 8. **2018**-INSFEED2: Insect feed for poultry, fish and pig production in Sub-Saharan-Phase II (USD 1.1 million)-IDRC + ACIAR- Lead the development of M&E framework, and gender and Socio-economic component of the project
- 9. **2018**-Improving food and nutritional security through integrated control of tsetse and tick-borne livestock diseases-BMZ- (Euro 1.2 million)-2018-2021. Substantially contribute to the development of the project and also lead the development of M&E framework and Socio-economic component of the project.
- 10. 2018-Alien invasive fruit flies in Southern Africa: Implementation of a sustainable IPM program to combat their menaces- IDRC (USD 1.5 million)-2018-2021. Substantially contribute to the development of the project and also lead the development of M&E framework and Socio-economic component of the project.
- 11. **2018**-Combating an invasive pest of a key Solanaceous vegetable for food and nutritional security in East Africa-AU(1 million).
- 12. **2018-** Welfare, Nutritional, and Human Health Impacts of Post-Harvest Loss Prevention: A Large-Scale Field Experiment in Kenya-ETH-Zurich (USD 54,000)
- 13. **2017-** Integrated pest management strategy to counter the threat of invasive fall armyworm to food security in Eastern Africa-EU (5.6 million)- lead the development of M&E framework, ToC, and Socio-economic component of the project
- 14. **2017**-Integrated pest and pollinators management (IPPM) to enhance productivity of avocado and cucurbits among smallholder growers in East Africa-**BMZ** (**Euro 1.2**

- million)-Contributed to development of problem trees, M&E framework, ToC, and gender and social science component.
- 15. **2015-** IPM for Rice, Maize, and Chickpea in East Africa-**Co-PI** (USD 2.3 million). IPM Innovaiton lab.
- 2014-Sustainable intensification practices impact on farm income and input use: A
 multinomial endogenous switching approach using panel data-SPIA (USD 100,000).

 Principal Investigator and coordinator of the project.
- **17. 2013**-Role of crop diversification for food and nutrition security in sub-Saharan Africa- SPIA (USD 250, 000). PI of the project (2013-2014). **Principal Investigator and coordinator of the project.**
- 18. **2012**-Identifying socioeconomic constraints to and incentives for faster technology adoption: Pathways to sustainable intensification in Eastern and Southern Africa-ACIAR (USD 4 million). Contribute to development of the Proposal and leader of the project (2012-2016). Substantially contribute to the development of the project and **coordinator of the project**.
- 19. **2011**-Conservation Agriculture and Smallholder Farmers in Eastern and Southern Africa Leveraging Institutional Innovations and Policies for Sustainable Intensification and Food Security-BMZ- (Euro 1.2 million). **Contribute to the development of the project and develop the socio-economic component of the project.**
- 20. **2010**-Sustainable Intensification of Maize-Legume Systems for the Eastern Province of Zambia-USIAD (USD 4 million]. **Contribute to the development of the project and develop the socio-economic component of the project.**
- 21. 2010-SIMLESA¹ expansion project in Ethiopia-ACIAR (USD 2 million). Contribute to the development of the project and Lead the development of and coordinate the Socio-economic component of the project.
- 22. 2010-Community- based solutions for agricultural risk mitigation and transfer to enhance-Development Fund of Norway (NOK 2.1 Million). Lead the development of the proposal and PI of the project. **Principal Investigator and coordinator of the project**.
- 23. **2007**-Natural resource accounting in Ethiopia (USD 27, 000)- Centre for Environmental Economics and Policy in Africa (CEEPA), University of Pretoria. **Principal Investigator and coordinator of the project.**
- **24. 2006**-Humbo Community Managed Natural Regeneration Project in Ethiopia (USD 9,000)- World Bank and World Vision Ethiopia and Australia. **Principal Investigator and coordinator of the project.**

¹ SIMLESA- Sustainable Intensification of Maize-legume Cropping System for Food Security in Eastern and Southern Africa.

Partners' capacity building

- 1. 2018-Impact assessment and adoption methods training provided to 12 research fellow of the Environment for Development (EfD) initiative(https://efdinitiative.org/) in Vietnam, Hanoi.
- 2. 2017: Adoption and impact assessment tools training provided to 23 faculty members of the Department of agricultural Economics, Bahir Dar University, Ethiopia.
- 3. 2013-Trained the Ethiopian Institute of Agricultural Research economists (19) on Adoption and impact evaluation methods.
- 4. 2013-Trained Adoption Pathways project partners (from five African countries) on econometric analysis of production risk, adoption, and impact assessment. The trained conduced 19-23 May in Ethiopia.
- 5. 2010-Trained SIMLESA² partner economists on adoption and impact evaluation tools and household survey design and implementation. Thirteen economists from five African countries (Tanzania, Malawi, Mozambique, Kenya and Ethiopia) took the training. The training conducted from 11-12 Nov 2010 in Ethiopia, Addis Ababa.
- 6. 2010-Trained SIMLESA partner economists, agronomists and breeders on simple socio-economic tools to analyze and evaluate economic impacts of Conservation Agriculture. The training was conducted in Ethiopia, Melkasa research center (21-22 Oct 2010) and Tanzania, Arusha (30 Sept-1 Oct 2010). Fifty two participants from both countries (Tanazania-25 and Ethiopia-28) attended the training.

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² SIMLESA-Sustainable Intensification of Maize-legume Cropping System for Food Security in Eastern and Southern Africa.

Ph.D. Student Supervision

Student Name: Kavengi Kitonga (2020 to date)

Thesis title: The role of tsetsee and ticks management control strategies in enhancing

smallholder livestock farmers welfare in Kenya and Ethiopia **University: the** University of Nairobi, The Netherlands.

Status: ongoing

Student Name: Paul Nyangau (2018 to date) **Thesis title:** The economic burden of Aboviruses

University: University of Nairobi.

Student Name: Solomon Balew (2018 to date)

Thesis title: Adoption of Push-Pull Technology and Its Impacts: A Randomized Controlled

Trial in Southern Ethiopia

University: Wageningen University, The Netherlands.

Status: ongoing

Student Name: Brian Chisanga

Thesis title: The economic impact of screening rural houses as an additional vector control

against Malaria transmission in Zambia

University: Wageningen University, The Netherlands.

Status: ongoing

Student Name: Soul-kifouly G. Midingoyi (2016-2018) **Thesis title**: Impact of Biocontrol on welfare in Kenya

University: Jomo Kenyatta University of Agriculture and Technology (JKUAT)

Status: Completed

Student Name: Antenh Girma (2013-2016)

Thesis title: Privatization of Seed Markets: Implications for Poverty in Sub-Saharan Africa

University: Justus Liebig University Giessen, Germany

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Student Name: Akalu Teshome:

Thesis title: Impact of Institutional and Socio-Economic Factors on Sustainable Land

Management Investments in North-Western Ethiopia (2010-2014)

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Student Name: Hailemariam Teklewold

Thesis title: Easy in Economics of sustainable agriculture in Ethiopia (2010 to 2013) **University:** University of Gothenburg in the Department of Economics and one form

Status: Completed

Student Name: Simon Wagura

Thesis title: Gender, transaction costs, technology characteristics, seed and output market

liberalization and technology adoption (2011 to 2013)

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Status: Completed

Student Name: Jonas Kathage

Research project: Privatization of Seed Markets: Implications for Poverty in Sub-Saharan Africa

(2010-2013)

University: Georg-August-University of Göttingen

Status: Completed

Student Name: Stefan Koppmair

Thesis title: Farm production and divert diversity and impact of input subsidy on natural

resource management in Malawi (2014-2017)

University: Georg-August-University of Göttingen

Status: Completed

MSc student supervision

Student name: Kitheka Mundumwiu (2017-2018)

Thesis title: Ean-ante adoption of and willingness to pay for larvae spy device as early warning

system pest infestation in grain storage in Kenya

University: Jomo Kenyatta University of Agriculture and Technology (JKUAT)

Status: Completed.

Student name: Rono Kiprotich (2019 to date)

Thesis title: Social cost-benefit analysis of push-pull technology: A case of smallholder maize

farmers in Kericho and Nakuru counties in Kenya

University: University of Nairobi **Status**: Expected to finish early 2020.

Student Name: Vincent Gadamba (2019 to date)

Thesis title: Impact of insect pest control push-pull technology participation on smallholder

farm productivity in eastern Rwanda

Status: Ongoing

Student name: Haymanot Alebel- (2018)

Thesis title: Livelihood contribution of farmed beekeeping to rural households: Evidence from

North-Western Ethiopia

University: Bahir Dar University

Status: Completed

Student name: Sisay Getahun- (2018)

Thesis title: Impact of pollinator habitats and managed bee pollination on yields of pollinator

dependent crops- Evidence from North-Western Ethiopia

University: Bahir Dar University

Status: Completed

Professional Affiliations

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- International Association of Agricultural Economists (IAAE)
- The African Association of Agricultural Economists (AAAE)

Refereeing

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