

Biographical Information

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Academic and Professional Qualifications

MMed Int. Med (2016) University of Zambia

Diploma in Palliative Care Medicine (2013) Makerere University-Uganda

MBChB (2007) University of Zambia

BSChB (2003) University of Zambia

Professional Experience

Consultant Physician

Member of National Clinical Expert Committee on MDR TB

Senior Medical Superintendent Kitwe Teaching Hospital

Clinical Care Specialist Copperbelt Province 2017-2018

Internist Physician (working in the Renal Unit of the Department of Internal
Medicine) - University Teaching Hospital, Lusaka 2014-2016

Registrar- University Teaching Hospital 2010-2014

Senior Resident Medical Officer- Solwezi General Hospital 2009-2010

Internship (Junior Resident Medical Officer) University Teaching Hospital 2007- 2009

Short Courses Done

Leadership in Healthcare and Medical Ethics, Caring Physicians of the World Florida USA (2017)

Diploma in Management and Leadership, ZMLA

International Hemodialysis Course, Mansoura University- Egypt (2015)

Good Corporate Governance (2014)

Basic Project Management Course, Witwatersrand University- South Africa (2013)

Good Clinical Practice and Human Protection (2008 and 2012)

Rational Use of Drugs and Medicines (2010)

Trainer of Trainers in HIV medicine (2009)

Other Responsibilities

Immediate Past President of Zambia Medical Association (2017-2019)

Board Member Zambia Medicine Regulatory Authority

Board Member and Vice Chairperson of the Audit and Risk Committee, Health Professions Council of Zambia

Council member- Zambia College of Medicine and Surgery

Vice President Zambia Medical Association (2015-2017)

Board Vice chairperson at Palliative Care Alliance Zambia (2015-2017)

Chairman Palliative Care Team- University Teaching Hospital, Lusaka (2014-2016)

President of Resident Doctors Association- University Teaching Hospital 2007/08

Research Experience

1. Conducted and published a study entitled: Spectrum and histopathological presentation of renal diseases in HIV infected adults presenting with renal insufficiency undergoing renal biopsy at University Teaching Hospital Lusaka

2. Former Study Physician on a multi-national trial on Advancement of

Cryptococcal Meningitis Treatment in Africa (trial being conducted in Zambia, Malawi, Cameroun)

3. Former Study Physician on the TB/LAM study Zambian site (trial was conducted in Zambia, Zimbabwe and South Africa in 2012-2014)

Teaching Experience

Honorary Lecturer Copperbelt University

Course Coordinator for the Junior Internal Medicine Clerkship (2015-2016) University of Zambia

Visiting Physiology lecturer at Cavendish University 2014 to 2015

Referees

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