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## **Curriculum Vitae**

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### **Education**

- Diploma in Marketing Management (1999)-Gweru Technical College- Zimbabwe
- Graduate Diploma in Marketing Management(2000) Institute of Marketing Management – South Africa
- Higher National Diploma in Marketing Management(2000)-Zimbabwe
- BSc. Agricultural Sciences(2003)-University of Nebraska-Lincoln
- Master of Science( 2005)-University of Nebraska-Lincoln
- ***Currently a PhD Candidate in Agricultural Economics- University of Nebraska-Lincoln: Expected graduation date December 2008***

### **Awards and Achievements**

- Soccer player of the year(1995-1996)- Shungu High School – Zimbabwe
- Soccer star of the year(1999-2000)- Gweru Technical College – Zimbabwe
- Outstanding marketing student(1998-2000)-Gweru Technical College-Zimbabwe
- New Nebraskan scholarship(2001-2003)
- Outstanding junior student(2001-2002)-University of Nebraska – Lincoln
- Spatch scholarship for outstanding academic performance(2002-2003)
- Western Agricultural Economics Association senior award(2002 – 2003)
- Holling Memorial upper class scholarship(2001-2003)
- Dean's list(2001-2003)
- Graduate Assistantship(2004-)
- Cooper-Sharpless Fellowship(2004-2005)
- Filley-Garey Fellowship(2005-2006)
- Chancellor Fellowship(2005-2006)
- Graduate student research travel award(2005)
- Outstanding MSc student(2005)
- Distinguished service award - President of Graduate Students Organization(2005)
- Distinguished service award - President of Graduate Students Organization(2007)
- Outstanding PhD student(2007)

### **Leadership**

- President- African Students Association(2002-2003)
- Vice President-Marketing – National Agricultural Marketing Association(2003)
- Secretary- Graduate Students Association(2004-2005)
- President- Graduate Students Organization(2005-)
- Departmental representative- Graduate Students Association(2006-)

## Research interests

- Industrial Organization, Environmental Economics, Growth and Development
- MSc. Thesis: “The effect of Wal-Mart on the economic growth of Nebraska counties.”
- Ph.D Dissertation: “The Williamson Tradeoff in the Presence of Externalities: Theory with an Application to the U.S. Meatpacking Industry.”

## Professional Experience

- Member at the Institute of marketing management(1997-2001)
- National Agricultural Marketing Association presentations(2002)-Nashville Tennessee
- Member of Western Agricultural Economics Association(2002-2003)
- National Agricultural Marketing Association presentations(2003)-San Diego-California
- Presented the paper “The effect of Wal-Mart on the economic growth of Nebraska Counties” (July 2005) – Canadian Economics Association meetings

## Teaching experience

- AECN 899(Mathematical Economics) Spring 2007 Masters level class, 1 Credit hour, Full responsibility
- AECN 399A(Concepts and Applications) Spring 2008 Undergraduate class for seniors and juniors, 3 credit hours, full responsibility

## Publications

- Johnson, B., G. Nene, and A.Gustafson. “Agricultural Earnings Highly Variable Over Time and by Sub-State Region.” *Cornhusker Economics*, September, 13, 2006.

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