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EDUCATION

- **Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology** Kumasi, Ghana
Master of Philosophy - Economics; CWA: 82.73/100 February 2021
- **Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology** Kumasi, Ghana
Bachelor of Arts - Economics (First Class Honors); CWA: 77.21/100 July 2017
- **Asanteman Senior High School** Kumasi, Ghana
West African Senior School Certificate Examination July 2013

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Applied Microeconomics, Health Economics, Energy Economics

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- **University of Michigan, Ann Arbor** Remote
Research Assistant - Department of Economics March 2021 - Present
 - **Data quality checks:** Run daily and weekly high frequency checks on enumerator and supervisor surveys.
 - **Weekly enumerator reports:** Generate weekly feedback reports on productivity to a team of 21 enumerators.
- **Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology** Kumasi, Ghana
Research Assistant - Department of Economics September 2020 - February 2021
 - Assisting Dr Jacob Novignon in conducting data analysis on access to credit and performance of 426 SMEs in Jamaica using Stata.
 - Assisting Prof. Daniel Sakyi in conducting data analysis on industrial clustering and firm innovation in Africa using Stata.
- **Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology.** Kumasi, Ghana
Teaching and Research Assistant - Department of Economics September 2017 - August 2018
 - Assisted a team of researchers from the Department of Economics, KNUST in a Kumasi Metropolitan Assembly project to assess the feasibility of constructing a new market facility in Kejetia by keying in the data obtained using SPSS.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- **Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology** Kumasi, Ghana
Teaching and Research Assistant - Department of Economics September 2017 - August 2018
 - Taught Advanced Macroeconomic Theory in weekly tutorials for fourth year undergraduate students.
 - Planned assignments, led discussion sessions, graded assignments and exams.
 - Assisted in preparation of lecture and teaching resources

PUBLICATIONS

- **Tabiri, K. G.**, Adusah-Poku, F., & Novignon, J. (2022) Economic Inequalities and Rural-urban disparities in Clean Cooking Fuel Use in Ghana. *Energy for Sustainable Development*, 68, 480-489.
- Novignon, J. & **Tabiri, K. G.** (2022). Leveraging COVID-19 Pandemic Response for Improved Health System Financing and Infrastructure Investment: Lessons from Ghana. *International Journal of Health Planning and Management*.
- **Tabiri, K. G.**, Arthur, E., Novignon, J., & Frimpong, P. B. (2021) Access to Credit and Informal Firm Performance: Evidence from Sub-Saharan Africa. *African Review of Economics and Finance*.
- Novignon, J., Ofori, B., **Tabiri, K. G.**, & Pulok, M. H. (2019). Socioeconomic inequalities in maternal health care utilization in Ghana. *International Journal for Equity in Health*, 18(141), 1-11.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- "Leveraging COVID-19 Pandemic Response for Improved Health System Financing and Infrastructure Investment: Lessons from Ghana," **6th African Health Economics and Policy Association Conference**. (Remote), March 2022.

WORKSHOPS AND SEMINARS

- **Small Sample Impact Evaluation Methods Workshop** Accra, Ghana
Census Training Centre, Ghana Statistical Service *September 30 - October 3, 2019*
- **Short Course on Data Analysis and Reproductive Health Policy** Kumasi, Ghana
Centre of Excellence in Reproductive Health Innovation, University of Benin *February 5 - February 11, 2018*

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- **Programming and Data Analysis Software:** STATA, R, Python, SPSS
- **Production of Technical and Scientific Documentation:** Microsoft Office Suite, L^AT_EX
- **Survey Design:** SurveyCTO

REFERENCES

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