

## CURRICULUM VITAE

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### CAREER SUMMARY

Passionate conservation practitioner with over 23 years of experience in the field of conservation, climate change, energy and extractives, nature-based solutions, communication and stakeholder engagement, research, policy, finance and strategy. Proven track record in fund raising and collaboration with international Governments and Organizations.

Lead negotiator for the Convention for biological Diversity, United Nations Convention on Climate Change, the Stockholm, Rotterdam and Basel Convention, and the United Nations Convention to combat desertification. Championed the development of the energy transition plan for Uganda and various policies within Government. Initiated memorandum of Understanding between IUCN and the Ministry of Energy and Mineral Development. Participated in various conservation initiatives such as the development of the important bird areas for Uganda, Ramsar sites, wetland and forest conservation and specialize in amphibians and reptiles.

### Board Membership

- Board Chairperson- People Empowering People Africa-2023 to date
- Board Member- *NatureUganda*-2024 to date
- Board Member Uganda National Association for Professional Environmentalists -2007 to date
- Board Member Uganda Wildlife Society –2012-2014

### A. EXPERIENCE

**2024 to date: Assistant commissioner Health, Safety and Environment (HSE)**  
***Ministry of Energy and Mineral Development***

**2017 - March 2024: Principal Environment Officer/Health, Safety and Environment and Head of Health, Safety and Environment Unit** ***Ministry of Energy and Mineral Development***

**February 2009 to 2017 November: Senior Petroleum Officer – Environment-**  
***Ministry of Energy and Mineral Development***

**2006 to 2008-Membership Officer, *NatureUganda* (Bird Life International Partner).**

**2004 to 2005: Project Coordinator in-charge Environment and Research Sustainable Development Centre, Kampala-Uganda.**

**2003: Research Field supervisor Wildlife Conservation society (WCS) - Glenn Bush, Simon Nampindo, Caroline Aguti and Andrew Plumtre (2004): The Value of Uganda's Forests: A livelihoods and ecosystems approach.**

## **B. EDUCATION**

2014-2015	Master in Business Administration	Eastern and Southern Africa Institute (ESAMI), Arusha, Tanzania.
2002- 2009	MSc Environment and Natural Resources	Makerere University, Uganda
1997-2001	B.A Environment Management	Makerere University Uganda

### **Relevant short decarbonization Professional Trainings and bench marking**

2024 June-Sept: Just transition Planning Masterclass, CIF, AFDB, and Climate strategies.

2024 August- Netzero considerations in the Nationally Determined contributions by School of Policy and Governance, India.

2024 May-July- Training on African Climate diplomacy by Group of Negotiators.

June 6<sup>th</sup> - 24, 2022 **Sustainability and extractive Industry** -United States of America.

2019 Climate Change and Energy Transition, UNEP, Geneva, Switzerland.

2019 Strategic Environment Assessment for Inga Dam, AU, Addis, Ethiopia.

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2019 Climate Change bench marking Addis Abba, Ethiopia.

2019 Climate Change bench marking Nairobi, Kenya.

2018 Environment and Social framework for the World Bank, World Bank, Kigali, Rwanda.

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2015 Small Hydropower Technology-International Centre on Small Hydro power and National Research Institute for Rural Electrification, China and National Research Institute for Rural Electrification, China.

2014 Gender mainstreaming Gender aspects in energy planning, Germany Federal Ministry of Foreign Affairs and GIZ, Bon, Germany.

2013 Health, safety and environment for the Natural resources sector University of Queensland, Australia.

2009, 2013 & 2015 Natural resources studies, policy and institutional framework and standards, and health, safety & Environment, Ministry of Energy, Accra, Ghana.

### **Committee Membership**

2024 – Uganda National Climate Change Advisory Committee-Ministry of Water and Environment.

2020 – National Pollution Management Committee-National Environment Management Authority.

2018 – to date – Member of the National Designated Authority Ministry of Finance, Planning and Economic Development.

### **Certification**

I, the undersigned, certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief, these data correctly describes my qualifications, my experience and me.



Signature: Aguti Date:6<sup>th</sup> February, 2025