

## **CURRICULUM VITAE**

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## **EDUCATION**

2012-2012 : Post-doctoral, North West University, (NWU,RSA)

2007-2009 : PhD (Agricultural Economics), University of Free State (UFS, RSA)

2005- : Post Graduate Diploma in Investment Analysis & Portfolio Management, U. J., RSA

2002-2004 : Masters in Development Studies (MDS), University of Free State (UFS, RSA)

1998 : MSc Agric in Animal Science, University of Free State, (UFS, RSA)

1997 : BSc Agric Hons in Animal Science, University of Free State,(UFS, RSA)

1991-1996 : BSc Agric, University of Venda, (UNIVEN, RSA)

: Mudinane Secondary School, (RSA)

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## **WORK EXPERIENCE**

2014- : Manager: Smallholder Market Access: National Agricultural Marketing Council (NAMC): Conducting market research, research mentorship, human resource management and quality control.

2013-2013 : Project Manager: Enterprise Development: Agricultural Research Council: Establishing economic viable enterprises, managing mega projects, human resources, research and development

2012-2012 : Post-doctoral fellow, North West University (NWU), Potchefstroom Campus: Agri-business and development research and community engagement.

2010-2012 : Associate Professor: Nelson Mandela Metropolitan University (NMMU): Research, Supervision of graduate students, community engagement and lecturing Animal Production.

2009 -2010 : Director, Water and Environmental Affairs: General management of the staff, Oversee the general management of the budget of the ministry, be the primary focal point of the contact of the Director –General on behalf of Deputy Minister, Act as the Deputy Ministerial representative as the delegate of the Deputy Minister, Take notes at scheduled ministerial

meeting chaired by Minister, Attend to briefings and submission referred to the Ministry. Accompany the Deputy Minister on major visits and execute any other duties as directed by the Deputy Minister.

- 2003-2009 Senior Lecturer, University of South Africa (UNISA): Lecturing, community outreach and research, co-ordinating community projects and research.
- 2007-2009 Country Representative (RSA), Centre for Agricultural Resources and International Development, Canada: To co-ordinate development programme in Sub-Saharan Africa.
- 2003-2009 Senior Lecturer and Program Co-ordinator (UNISA): Lecturing Computer application in agriculture, Animal production, Pasture Science. Research Co-ordinating and managing agricultural management programme.
- 2003-2005 Acting Head of Department (HOD) University of South Africa (UNISA), Department of Agricultural Management and Extension. The task: Lecturing Computer application in agriculture, Animal production, Pasture Science. Research Co-ordinating and managing agricultural management department
- 2003-2012 Chairperson of Batho Dihwai Food and Agric Services (Non Profit Organisation). The tasks: Presiding in the meetings, fostering teamwork in organisation, ensuring financial accountability, representing the organisation and fundraising for the organisation
- 2002-2009 Executive Director Dihwai Food and Agricultural Services cc. The task: Networking with the stakeholders, Drafting and presentation of proposals, controlling budget, organisational management, planning of agricultural workshops, supervision on agricultural projects and supervision of internship program.
- 2000-2002 Assistant Director Research (FSR&E) Department of agriculture (Free State). The task: Evaluation of the community based project, to co-ordinate on farm research projects, to co-ordinate transfer of technology to farmers, to adapt on station research findings to farmers situation, to manage farming system research and extension unit and also responsible for financial management.
- 1998-2000 Lecturer in University of the North. The task: Involved in land reform, Lecturing animal science, anatomy and physiology, Environmental physiology. Responsible for the co-ordination and supervision of postgraduate researches.
- 1997-1998 Academic Assistance at University of Free State. The task: Introduce grade 12 learners to the animal science department. Assisted students during practical's and research trials.
- 1992-1993 Student Technician at University of Stellenbosch. The task: Assisted in the Marindahl (Poultry section) and Welgevallend (Wool and sheep section) Research station.
- 1991- 995 Assistant Agricultural scientist at Department of agriculture (L.Province). The task: Assist in administration activities, in management of Madzivhandila experimental farm. Provided emerging farmers support.

## **EXECUTIVE LEADERSHIP RESPONSIBILITIES**

2010-	Deputy Chairperson, Human Resource Committee of CUT Council, Bloemfontein, RSA
2009-2010	Members of Ministers and Members of Executive Committees in Environment (MinMEC)
2009-2010	Member of Top Management Committees, Dept. of Environmental Affairs (DEA).
2009-2010	Member of Top Management Committees, Dept.of Water Affairs (DWA).
2005	Member of College of Agriculture and Environmental science executive committee (CAES EXCO)
2004-2005	Member of Senate, University of South Africa (UNISA).
1998	Strategic Planner (SRC) at University of Free State. Responsible for the following: Ensuring multicultural tolerance, planning mechanism to prevent racial conflicts, advised students on how to cope with their studies and assisted students with financial problems.
1996	Member of the University of Venda Senate, Student representative in University of Venda Senate. Responsible for: Advising the senate on issues that affects students
1995	President (SRC) at University of Venda. Responsible for: Guiding students on issues affecting them, representing students across the board, assisted in ensuring peace and stability in campus
1994-95	Member of University of Venda Council. Responsible for: Advising the council on issues that affects students
1993-94	Chairperson of Agricultural student society (AGRISOC): University of Venda. Responsible for: Organising excursion, Negotiate with the private companies to allow students to do experiential training.
1993	Chairperson of Science Faculty student Council: University of Venda. Responsible for: Organising excursion, negotiate with the private companies to allow students to do experiential training, organising workshops and conference for students, organising community works and assist in fundraising

## **NOMINATED AND VOLUNTARY SERVICES**

2010	Member of CUT Human Resource Committee (A Committee of CUT Council)
2009 to date	Member of CUT transformation forum (A committee of CUT Council).
2008 to date	Member of the council: Central University Technology (CUT)
2007	Member of Masia Development board of Directors.
2005	Member of Senate, University of South Africa (UNISA).
2000	Founder member of Farmers Development initiatives (FDI) – Limpopo Province.
1998	Member of Greenhouse project. Johannesburg.
1998	Member of task team of South African Youth Council (SAYC) Free State Province.
1998	Involved in HIV Aids campaign, Free State Province.

1997	Member of Constitutional Development Forum (CDF), University of Free State.
1997	Member of Broad transformation forum (BTF), University of Free State.
1997	Member of Student Court, University of Free State.
1997	Member of multicultural committee, University of Free State
1996	Member of Senate, University of Venda.
1995	Member of the Council. University of Venda
1994	Involved in the teaching of matric students during winter school, Phaswana secondary school.
1992	Involved in Environmental awareness campaign.

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### **EDUCATING COMMUNITY THROUGH OTHER MEDIA**

2011	Expert panellist for SABC 2 (Zwamaramani: On land reforms progress)
2010	Interview conducted by Eden FM (Development of Thembaletu Peri-urban farmers)
2009	Interview conducted by Musina Community Radio Station (Program on Cross Border Clean-up).
2007	Interview conducted by ULIMO (agricultural program) SABC 2
2005	Talk back Show, Phalapala FM, SABC Radio. Agricultural Development.
1998	Talk back show, Lesedi FM, SABC Radio. University of Free State Student matters.
1995	Talk back Show, Phalapala FM, SABC Radio. UNIVEN student matters
1995	Interview conducted by SABC 1. UNIVEN Student matters.

### **HONORS AND AWARDS**

2008	UNISA Young Global Leader
2008	Master and Doctoral Support Program-University of South Africa
2007	Graduate Bursary-University of Free State
2007	Staff Development Bursary- University of South Africa
2002-2004	Human Science Research Council (HSRC)- University of Free State
1998	National Research Fund (NRF)- University of Free State
1997	Small Scale Fund - University of Free State
1991-1995	Public Service Commission - University of Venda

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### **MEMBERSHIP OF PROFESSIONAL BODIES**

1. South African Council for Natural Scientific Professions (SACNASP).
2. World Associations for Non-Governmental Organisation (Wango)
3. Centre for Agricultural Resource and International Development (Cefard, Canada).
4. South African Society for Animal Science (SASAS).
5. Academic and Non-Fiction Authors' Association of South Africa (ANFASA)
6. South Africa Society of Agricultural Extension (SASAE).

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## **CHAIRPERSHIP**

2011	Chairperson of Research, Technology and Innovation (RTI, NMMU, George Campus).
2011	Chairperson of RTI sub-committee
2010	Deputy Chairperson of HR committee of Council (CUT)
2004-2005	Student Affairs Committee, UNISA, Founder and Chairperson of Batho Dihwai Food and Agricultural Services (NPO).
1998	Constitutional Development forum, SASCO, Multicultural Committee, UFS. Founder and Chairperson of Farmer's Development Initiatives (FDI).
1993-1994	Agricultural Society, UNIVEN.
1997	Transformation desk, SASCO.
1992-1993	Far-Northern Region, SASCO.

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## **COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP**

2011	Member of Management committee (NMMU, George Campus)
2011	Member of NMMU, RTI committee
2010-	Member of School of Natural Resource Management (NMMU, George Campus)
2010	Member of academic committee (NMMU, George Campus)
2009-2010	Member of Water and Environmental parliamentary committee
2009 to date	Representative Member of CUT council on the Institutional Forum, CUT
2008	Representative Member of College of Agriculture in College of Management Science, UNISA
2005	Student Senate Committee, UNISA,
2005	Project 4, UNISA.
2004-2005	Senate, UNISA,.
2004	Executive committee of College of Agriculture and Environmental Science (CAES).
2004	Sudan Capacity building Steering Committee, UNISA,
2004	Courseware Team, UNISA,
1999	National Executive Project officer, South African Student Congress, SASCO.
1998	Broad Transformation Committee (BTC), University of Free State.
1998	Multiculturalism Committee, University of Free State,.
1997-1998	Student Constitutional Development Forum (CDF), University of Free State.
1998	Task team of South African Youth Council (SAYC) Free State province.
1998	Greenhouse project. Johannesburg.
1997	Member of Student Court.
1994-1995	University Council, University of Venda.
1995-1996	Senate, University of Venda.
1995	National Historically Black University (HBU) committee.
1995	National Student Representative on HBU's .

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## **TRAINING UNDERTAKEN**

1. Data analysis through Microsoft excel, Nelson Mandela Metropolitan University (NMMU), January 2011
  2. Performance feedback training workshop, Nelson Mandela Metropolitan University (NMMU), November 2010
  3. Coaching workshop, Nelson Mandela Metropolitan University (NMMU), November 2010
  4. Research supervision workshop, Nelson Mandela Metropolitan University (NMMU), October 2010
  5. Work load modelling workshop, Nelson Mandela Metropolitan University (NMMU), October 2010
  6. Admission modelling, CAAR, Nelson Mandela Metropolitan University (NMMU), August 2010
  7. Teaching and learning workshop, Nelson Mandela Metropolitan University (NMMU), September 2010
  8. Research training workshop, Nelson Mandela Metropolitan University (NMMU), August 2010
  9. Corporate Governance and King 3, Central University of Technology, Free State, 23 July 2010
  10. Personal Development Program (PDP), Leeds Metropolitan University, UK, 2010.
  11. Business Re-engineering, DWA, 2010.
  12. Climate Change and gender development, COP 15, Copenhagen, 2009
  13. Climate Change and livestock development, COP 15, Copenhagen, 2009
  14. Carbon trading and Green economy, GEF, Australia, 2009.
  15. Facilitation, PBL, Wits University, 2008
  16. Writing for publication, University of Stellenbosch, 2008
  17. Writing for publication, University of South Africa, 2008
  18. Research Supervision, University of South Africa, 2008
  19. Local Economic Development, LED, Cefard, 2007
  20. SPSS Basic Training, SPSS-SA, 2006
  21. Aquaculture, trained by Aqua Africa innovations, 2005
  22. Advance Research Methodology, trained by University of Johannesburg (UJ), 2005.
  23. Senior Management training, University of South Africa (UNISA), 2005.
  24. Project Management, University of Free State (UFS), 2003.
  25. Poultry production, University of Pretoria (UP), 2002.
  26. Monitoring & Evaluation System, Provincial Department of Agriculture (Free State), 2002.
  27. Strategic Planning and Management, University of Free State (UFS), 1997.
  28. Wool Classing and Processing, University of Stellenbosch (US) in partnership with Wool Grower Association.
  29. Broiler Production, University of Stellenbosch (US), 1995.
  30. Sheep production, University of Stellenbosch (US), 1994.
  31. Pig Production, University of Stellenbosch (US), 1994.
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## **INTERNATIONAL VISITS**

1. Attended High Level Segment of the 15 Conference of the parties (COP-15) of the United Nations framework convention on climate Change (UNFCCC) and the 5<sup>th</sup> Conference of the parties serving as the meeting of the parties serving as the meeting of the parties (CMP-5) to the Kyoto Protocol. 14-19 December, 2009.
2. Attended G77 Climate Change Negotiation Side Meetings, Copenhagen, Denmark, 2009.
3. Attended African Group Climate Change Negotiation Side Meeting, Copenhagen, Denmark, 2009.
4. Attended Small Oceans and Least Developed Countries Climate Change Negotiation Side

Meetings, Copenhagen, Denmark, 2009.

5. Attended South African President 's state visit to Lusaka, Zambia, 08-09 December 2009
6. Attended SADC ministers of environment, Victoria Falls, Zimbabwe, 11-13 November 2009.
7. Attended Leadership and Change Management, Mananga Training Centre, Swaziland, 7-8 November 2009.
8. Attended the Climate Variability conference organised by Global Environmental Facilities (GEF), Australia Convention Centre, Cairns, October 2009
9. Attended Development of Agricultural SMME's in South Africa: A key to achieve Millenium Development Goals (MDG). 1<sup>st</sup> International Development Conference (IDC), Canada. Toronto November 2007.

## **PROJECT INVOLVEMENT**

1. *Mmbengwa, V.M., Mahlangu, L., J.A. Groenewald, M. Maharaj. 2011. MScA Project initiated by Western Cape Department of education: Supported by PetroSA and Transnet.*
2. *Mmbengwa V.M., Ramukumba T., Fabricius C., Groenewald, J.,Rubin J., Rubin F., and Pauw J.2010. Skills, agricultural education and rural development: challenges facing impoverished community of eden municipality in south africa.*
3. *Mmbengwa V.M., Ramukumba T., Fabricius C., Auberbach, R., and Pauw J.2010. Skills, agricultural education and rural development: challenges facing impoverished community of eden municipality in south africa.*
4. *Mmbengwa V.M., Dept. of Water and Environmental Affairs and Mukumba, 2009. Mantsopa Project. Free State Province.*
5. *Mmbengwa V.M., Aktison D. and Botes L.J.S.2002, Farm workers training and empowerment, Free State Province. Centre for development support(CDS) and Human science research council(HSRC).*
6. *Ramolotja P., Mmbengwa V.M, van der Merwe S.and Matli M.2001. Treatment of low quality straw in Bothaville commonage farm, Department of agriculture, Free State Province, Northern Free State region.*
7. *Ramolotja P., Mmbengwa V.M, van der Merwe S.and Matli 2001. The evaluation of two boiler ration for the resource limited farmers in Bothaville commonage farm. Department of agriculture, Free State Province, Northern Free State region.*
8. *Majake P., Mmbengwa V.M, and Matli M.2001. Survey on dairy milk production for small holder farms in Qwaqwa, Department of agriculture, Free State Province, Eastern Free State region.*
9. *Mhlanga P., Mmbengwa V.M, and Matli M 2001. Investigation of inter-cropping on the productivity bean cultivar for small holder farms in Qwaqwa, Department of agriculture, Free State Province, Eastern Free State region.*
10. *Mmbengwa V.M,2001. Co-ordinated a project on investigation of the growth performance of genetically*

*modified maize cultivar for Monsanto. Free State Province, Eastern Free State region.*

11. Mmbengwa V.M., Majake P. and Matli M 2001. *Investigation of milk quality in small holding farming environment in Qwaqwa. Department of agriculture. Free State Province, Eastern Free State region.*

12. Mmbengwa V.M and L.N.Ndlovu 2000. *The effect of types of watermelon on the growth of piglets raised in small holder environment. University of the North, Limpopo Province.*

13. Mmbengwa V.M and L.N. Ndlovu 2000. *The effect of Mmpudu forage on milk production of Phedi goats does. University of the North. Limpopo Province.*

14. Greyling P.J.C., Van der Nest, Mmbengwa V.M and Nedambale L. 1997. *Accelerated breeding techniques in Boer and Indigenous goats. University of Free State , Bloemfontein, RSA.*

15. Greyling P.J.C., Morakabei M., Mmbengwa V.M and Nedambale L. 1997. *Production and reproduction parameters of Boer and Indigenous goat on three level of supplementation. University of Free State, Bloemfontein, RSA.*

## **POST GRADUATE SUPERVISION**

1. **Senyatsi, K, Supervisor: V.M. Mmbengwa and Co-Supervisor: M. Underwood, 2011.**  
Assessment of socio-economic impact of small scale (survivalist) pig enterprises in the peri-urban communities of Eden Municipality, Southern Cape, RSA. M-Tech
2. **Sebopetsa, MP: Supervisor: Bayat and Technical expert advisor: VM Mmbengwa, 2011. A**  
**Critical Evaluation Of The Government Extension Services: The Case for Land Reform Farms, In The West Coast District, Western Cape. RSA. MBA**
3. **Mulangaphuma MZ: Supervisor: Njiro E and Technical expert advisor: VM Mmbengwa, 2012.**  
**Microcredit a tool for empowerment and livelihood development for rural women in Vhembe district, South Africa. Masters in Development Finance.**
4. **Le Roux PW: Supervisor: Andre' Roux and Technical expert advisor: VM Mmbengwa, 2012.**  
**Mainstreaming futures sustainability at corporate governance level: applicability of the king iii integrated report framework in futures sustainability. MPhil Futures Studies**
5. **Tshivhase K, Supervisor: V.M. Mmbengwa and Co-Supervisor: M. Lehmann, 2011.**  
**Analysis of socio-economic impact of forestry resources in peri-urban communities of Eden Municipality, Southern Cape, RSA. M-Tech**
6. **Ntli T.P, Supervisor: V.M. Mmbengwa and Co-Supervisor: C. Fabricius, 2011.**  
**Sustainability and governance of waterboards in South Africa. D.Phil**
7. **Nenzhelele C, Supervisor: V.M. Mmbengwa, 2011.**  
**Evaluation of skills development in Eden municipality. M.Phil.**
8. **Molope K.V, Supervisor V.M. Mmbengwa, 2000.**  
**Contribution of Phedi goat production in poverty alleviation of Hamamutitane in Limpopo Province, B.Agric Admin (Hons).**
9. **Manganyi T.P, Supervisor L.Ndlovu and V.M. Mmbengwa, 2000.**  
**Investigation of the influence of**



indigenous chicken on the socio-economic development of rural areas in Limpopo. B.Agric Admin (Hons).

10. Mataboge S.W.N, Supervisor V.M. Mmbengwa and L.N, Ndlovu, 2000. Management of indigenous chicken with the focus of food security in rural areas. B.Agric Admin (Hons).
11. Molepo M.C, Supervisor V.M. Mmbengwa, 2000. The use of indigenous crop residues for indigenous pig production in rural areas of Limpopo Province. B.Agric Admin (Hons)
12. Mefane M, Supervisor V.M. Mmbengwa and L.N. Ndlovu, 2000. Indigenous technology: A cost effective tool for animal disease control in rural areas of Limpopo. BSc agric (Hons).

### **FACILITATION AND ATTENDANCE OF WORKSHOP AND CONFERENCES**

1. Attended a Prestige lecture by Constitutional Court Judge Justice Yacoob, 2010. Held at Japie van Lill Auditorium in the Central University of Technology, Free State (CUT). 22nd July 2010. Bloemfontein, RSA.
2. Attended a Professorial Inaugural address by Carlu van der Westhuizen, 2008. Held at Japie van Lill Auditorium in the Central University of Technology, Free State (CUT). 14<sup>th</sup> August 2008. Bloemfontein, RSA.
3. *Facilitated a conference on urban agriculture. Organized by Ingwe Communications). 2008, Held in CEDAR PARK Hotel, Woodmead, Johannesburg, RSA.*
4. *Attended Annual General Meeting of Department of National of Agricultural, 2008, Education and Training Directorate. Birchwood Hotel, Boksburg, East Rand Johannesburg, RSA.*
5. *Attended Launched Settlement and Implementation strategy (SIS), organised by ministry of land affairs and agricultuel, 2008, Land Claims Commission Directorate. SHERATON Hotel, Tshwane, Gauteng Provine, RSA.*
6. *Facilitated a workshop on improving sustainability of agribusiness. Organized by Trade Conference International (TCI). 2006, Held in Ridgeway Hotel, Randburg, Johannesburg, RSA.*
7. *Facilitated a workshop on Implementation business management for small scale farming. Organized by Trade Conference International (TCI). 2005, Held in Ridgeway Hotel, Randburg, Johannesburg, RSA.*
8. *Facilitated a workshop on Food Security. Organised by University of South Africa (Centre for African Renaissance, CARS). 2005. Held in Filip Saunders, Bloemfontein, RSA.*
9. *Attended a Land Summit, Organized by Gauteng Provincial Department of Agriculture (GDACE), 2005. Held in JhB, RSA.*
10. *Attended Sustainable Development Conference, Organized by National Department of Environmental*

- Science and Tourism, 2004. Held in Sandton Conventional Centre, JhB, RSA.*
11. *Attended a strategic workshop organized by College of Agriculture and Environmental Science (CAES), UNISA. 2004. Held in Warmbath, RSA*
  12. *Attended a College of Agriculture and Environmental Science (CAES). UNISA, 2004. Held in TSA Conference Centre, JhB, RSA.*
  13. *Facilitated a workshop on Farm workers training. Organised by University of Free State & HSRC. 2004. Held in Bloemfontein, RSA.*
  14. *Facilitated a 3<sup>rd</sup> Conference on Land Reform in South Africa. Organized by Trade Conference International (TCI). 2005, Held in Indaba Hotel, Randburg, Johannesburg, RSA.*
  15. *Attended a one day seminar on poultry production, organized by Worlds' Poultry Science Association, at University of Pretoria, 2000.*
  16. *Attended 38<sup>th</sup> Congress of Animal Science, organized by South African Society of Animal Science, at Alpine Heath Conference village, Kwazulu-Natal, 2000.*
  17. *Attended a team building workshop, Organised by University of Free State. 1998, Bloemfontein, RSA.*
  18. *Facilitated a workshop on multiculturalism. Organised by University of Free State. 1998. Held in Filip Saunders, Bloemfontein, RSA.*
  20. *Facilitated a workshop on Dialogue and Association. Organised by University of Free State. 1998. Held in Filip Saunders, Bloemfontein, RSA.*
  21. *Attended a seminar on Historical Black University (HBU'S), organized by USAID, Held in Parktonian Hotel, JhB, RSA.*
  22. *Facilitated a workshop on Student governance. Organised by University of Venda. 1995. Held in Aventura, Masisi, RSA*

## **JOURNAL /ACADEMIC REVIEW AND ARTICLES REVIEWED**

1. **Journal of agricultural extension and rural development: Article: (2012)** Development of Rural Women Micro-Entrepreneurs – Case Studies from the Latin America and the Caribbean
2. **African Journal of Agricultural Research: Article: (2012)** Comparison of Boer-Cross and Foundation Breeds for Meat Goat Doe Fitness in the Humid Subtropics
3. **African Journal of environmental Science and Technology: Article :(2012)** Impact of Agro forestry on household food security in Owo Local Government of Ondo State
4. **Journal of Agricultural Research: Article: (2012).** Land Reform as a strategy of breaking the circles of poverty in the former colonized states of developing countries: A review

5. **Journal of bacteriological research** :**Article: (2011): Colonization and Antibiotic Susceptibility Pattern of Methicillin Resistance Staphylococcus aureus (MRSA) among Farm Animals in Qassim Region, Saudi Arabia.**
6. **Journal of agricultural extension and rural development** a) **Article: (2011): Situational analysis of smallholder goat production and marketing in Central Tanzania point towards the establishment of farmers' groups**
  - a) **Journal agricultural research Article : (2011): A Novel Method of Analyzing Rearing System on Lamb Growth and Farm Profitability**
  - a) **African Journal of Biotechnology (AJB)Article: (2011): Studies on Litter Size Effect of Seven Microsatellite Markers in Xinong Saanen Dairy Goat**
  - b) **Article: (2011): Correlations among sensory characteristics and relationships between flavour scores, off-flavour scores and off-flavour descriptors of chevon from four goat breeds.**
7. **International Journal for African Renaissance Studies**a) **Article: (2008): The development path of rooibos tea- a review of patterns and lessons learnt for the commercialisation of other indigenous teas in South Africa.**
8. **International Research Journal of agricultural sciences (IRJAS)**a) **Article: (2011): Assessment of soil nutrient balance using Nutrient stock: Balance (NSB) ratio in a cassava/soybean intercrop for a sustainable crop production.**
9. **Prime Research on Biotechnology (PRB)**
10. **International Journal of Livestock Production (IJLP)**

## POPULAR PUBLICATIONS

1. **Mmbengwa, V.M.**, 2012. Black professionals and academic undermined, excluded. The Sunday Independent.
2. **Mmbengwa, V.M.**, 2011. Poor farmers left behind (inside info). Farming SA magazine.
3. **Mmbengwa, V.M.**, 2011. Analysis: Land Reform is still booged down. The New Age Newspaper.
4. **Mmbengwa, V.M.**, 2011. Analysis: Peri-urban and urban farming: Recognised or not? The New Age Newspaper.
5. **Mmbengwa, V.M.**, 2011. Analysis: Untapped power of social network, The New Age Newspaper.
6. **Mmbengwa, V.M.**, 2011. Little rewards in SA's Land Reform. The New Age Newspaper.
7. **Mmbengwa, V.M.**, 2010. NMMU George to mentor Thembaletu peri-urban farmers. Wood and Timber Times Southern Africa. December. Vol. 36. No.2. pp.22.
8. **Mmbengwa, V.M.**, 2010. Saasveld programme aimed at helping resource-poor farmers. George Herald.

9. **Mmbengwa, V.M.**, 2010. NMMU George to mentor Themba lethu peri-urban farmers. Herald Newspaper.
10. **Mmbengwa, V.M.**, 2011. NMMU George sensitising eager young minds at the Imizamu Yethu Secondary School about the interesting content of the diploma. George Herald.
11. **Mmbengwa V.M. and G.M. Gundidza**, 2009. South African indigenous goat: a poor person's dairy cow. Essential quality agri News. Vol.1 (1): 10
12. **Mmbengwa, V.M.**, 1997. In response of the resignation of Pule Mohlodi: An UFS SRC member. IRAWA Newspaper

### **ACADEMIC PUBLICATIONS AND PRESENTATIONS**

1. **V. M. Mmbengwa<sup>1,3\*</sup>**, Lindikaya Myeki<sup>2</sup>, H.D. van Schalkwyk<sup>3</sup>, (2014). A critical examination of mentorship in contract farming for smallholder broiler entrepreneurs in North West and Limpopo provinces, Republic of South Africa. **Annual International Conference on Business, Law & Economics, 5-8 May 2014, Athens, Greece**
2. T. P. Ntli<sup>1\*</sup>, **V. M. Mmbengwa<sup>2</sup>**, J.A Groenewald<sup>3</sup>, H.D. van Schalkwyk<sup>3</sup>, R. Haines<sup>4</sup>., (2014). Analysis of the factors that affect the governance of water boards in South Africa. WaterSA, (in press).
3. Lindikaya Myeki<sup>a</sup>, **Victor Mmbengwa<sup>b</sup>**, Simphiwe Ngqangweni<sup>c</sup>, (2014). Assessing the use of communal feedlot in empowering women farmers: A Case of Mount Frere Cattle Feeding Scheme. International Conference on Sustainable Development 2014 August 07 – 08, 2014 Canada Ryerson University, International Living and Learning Centre, Toronto, Ontario, Canada.
4. **VM Mmbengwa**, T Dlamini, J Carstens, D Modise., (2014). Analysis Of The Household Food Insecurity In The Poverty Stricken Villages Of Umkhanyakunde District Municipality Of Kwazulu-Natal In Republic Of South Africa. 29<sup>th</sup> International Horticultural Congress. 17-22 August 2014. Queensland, Australia
5. **VM Mmbengwa**, CP DuPlooy, JA Groenewald, HD van Schalkwyk., (2014). Rural Social Capital: Can Development Of Economic Driven Enterprises For Sustainability And Competitiveness Rely On Rural Experts' Opinion In Republic Of South Africa?. 29<sup>th</sup> International Horticultural Congress. 17-22 August 2014. Queensland, Australia
6. **V.M.Mmbengwa**, J.A. Groenewald, H.D. van Schalkwyk., (2014). Comparative analysis of essential human capital for learners' development: A case study of the poverty stricken peri-urban communities of Eden municipality, Western Cape, RSA. 3rd International Conference on Economics and social Science (ICESS-2014). June 21-22 June, Durban, South Africa
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