

- 1. NAME: PROF. JULIUS KIPKEMBOI
- 2. POSITION: DEPUTY PRINCIPAL ACADEMIC AND STUDENTS AFFAIRS
- 3. BIOGRAPHY

Prof. Julius Kipkemboi is an Associate Professor at the Department of Biological and Agricultural Sciences, Kaimosi Friends University College. He holds a BSc in Botany/Zoology from Egerton University, Kenya, a Master of Science in Environmental Science and Technology from IHE Delft, The Netherlands and Ph.D. in Environmental Resources from UNESCO-IHE Institute for Water Education/Wageningen University, The Netherlands, Currently, His is the Deputy Principal Academic and Students Affairs. Previously he has served in various teaching and administrative positions at Egerton University. Currently serving as a member of the National Scientific and Ethics Committee at the National Commission for Science, Technology and Innovation in Kenya (NACOSTI). He is also the representative for Kenya at the UNESCO Executive Board. Prof. Kipkemboi has been involved in several local and international collaborative and multidisciplinary research projects He has won scholarships and grants such as NFP fellowships, Marie curie individual fellowship programme and International Foundation for Science grant. He has supervised and examined several undergraduate and postgraduate students and has contributed to global scientific knowledge platform through scientific publications. Apart from contributing to community activities such as Ecosystem rehabilitation and Science and Engineering fair for high schools in Rift valley among other activities, he is also a member of Eastern Africa Water Association, Society of Wetland Scientists, Bioethics Society of Kenya and Red-Cross Society of Kenva

He holds various academic qualifications as follows:

- 2006: PhD in Environmental Resources, UNESCO-IHE Institute for Water Education/Wageningen University, The Netherlands
- 1999: MSc Environmental Science and Technology, International Institute for Hydraulics and Environmental Engineering (IHE), Delft, The Netherlands
- 1995: BSc (Botany/Zoology option) Egerton University, Department of Zoology, Njoro Kenya
- <u>Other post graduate training courses</u>
- 2009: Certificate online course on constructed wetlands for wastewater treatment, UNESCO-IHE Institute for Water Education...
- 1997: Postgraduate Certificate Training in Limnology, Institute of Limnology, Mondsee, Austria.
- 1997: Certificate in Parasitology: Water as a source of diseases for Men and Animals, Institute of Parasitology, Academy of Sciences of the Czech Republic, Ceske Budejovice, Czech Republic
- 2007: UNESCO Ethics Teacher training, Egerton University
- 2015: UNESCO ToT for Ethics Teacher Training, UNESCO Paris
- 2018: Environmental Impact Assessment Course, Egerton University

He has served in various position in University and at national and international levels as follows:

From	То	Position
Sept	date	Deputy Principal Academic and Students Affairs, Kaimosi Friends University
2021		College
May	Aug. 2021	Acting Deputy Vice Chancellor Academic and Students Affairs, Egerton
2021	-	University

2019	date	Representative of Kenya to UNESCO Executive Board
2019	2021	Director Examinations and Timetabling, Egerton University
2015	2019	Dean, Faculty of Science, Egerton University
2013	date	Associate Professor, Egerton University, Department of Biological Sciences
2009	2013	Senior Lecturer, Egerton University Department of Biological Sciences
2007	2019	Coordinator UNESCO Regional Centre for Documentation and Research on
		Bioethics/ UNESCO Chair Bioethics- Egerton University
2007	2008	Guest Lecturer for Wetland Ecology and Management for MSc students at the
		Faculty of Applied Sciences, National University of Rwanda 2007/2008.
2005	2009	Lecturer, Department of Zoology, Egerton University
2000	2005	Assistant Lecturer, Department of Zoology, Egerton University
1996	2000	Teaching Assistant, Department of Zoology, Egerton University

4. RESEARCH SUMMARY

a. Area of research interest

General and applied freshwater ecology, Wetland ecology and Management, Integrated production systems, Sustainable natural resource management, Climate change effects on ecosystems, Ecological modelling and environmental systems analysis, Water quality Monitoring and technologies, Socio-economics analysis and livelihoods assessment, Bioethics.

- b. Completed projects
 - Evaluating Existence Roles And Functions Of Hospital Ethics Committees In Selected Level Five Hospitals In Kenya-Funded by Kenya National Commission for UNESCO
 - Mau Mara Serengeti Sustainable Water (MaMaSe) Initiative Kingdom of The Netherlands
 - Nile Ecosystems Valuation for wise-Use (Nile-Eco-VWU)-Funded by The Netherlands
 - ECOLIVE PROJECT: The ecology of livelihoods in African papyrus wetlands: wetland conservation and utilization in the context of local and climate change funded by UPaRF- DGIS
 - Maraflows Project: Environmental Flows for People and Ecosystems in the Mara River Basin funded by UPaRF- DGIS
 - Fingerponds: Seasonal integrated aquaculture in East African freshwater wetlands, exploring their potential for wise use strategies. Funded by European Union.
 - Comparative study of the Root mat structure and Biology of *Cyperus papyrus* (L.) and *Miscanthidium violaceum* (K.Schum.) Robyns. in relation to Nutrient Dynamics and Wastewater Treatment, Funded by Netherlands Fellowship Programme.
 - Grants and Awards
 - International Foundation for Science Research Grant for Young Scientists in Developing countries (2003-2006)
 - UNESCO fellowship on Post Graduate Training in Limnology, Mondsee, Austria (1997).
 - Netherlands Fellowship Programme (NFP), IHE Delft (1998-1999).
 - Netherlands Fellowship Programme (NFP), Ph.D. (partial scholarship), UNESCO-IHE, Delft, The Netherlands (2001-2005).
 - European Union Marie Currie Individual Fellowship Award, UNESCO-IHE, Delft, The Netherlands (2002-2003).
- c. On-going projects

- Validating Climate-Smart Fish Culture Systems (CSFCS) for Increased Aquaculture Productivity and Livelihood Security in Kenya- Funded by KALRO/GOK/World bank
- Real-time Environmental Monitoring Using Innovative Wireless Sensor Technology: Using Lake Nakuru as a case study- Funded by National Research Fund, Kenya
- Real-time monitoring of water quality in River Njoro using innovative wireless sensor technology- Funded by Egerton University
- d. Up-coming projects
 - Trans-Path-Plan: Water Transformation Pathways Planning
 - Regional Centre of Excellence for Action on Climate Change and Sustainable Development
 - Potable water from wastewater through nature based solution in Kericho Kenya

5. PUBLICATIONS

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2. Kosgei, J. Nasongo, S. , **Kipkemboi, J**. and Owuor-Okeyo, J, Land and Water Resources Planning and Management Options in Floodplain Wetlands in Nyando Basin, Kenya. Journal of Environmental Protection, 12, 1144-1160. doi: 10.4236/jep.2021.1212067.https://doi.org/10.4236/jep.2021.1212067

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4. Owino C.N, Kitaka, N., **Kipkemboi J** and Ondiek R.A. (2020) Assessment of Greenhouse Gases Emission in smallholder rice paddies converted from Anyiko Wetland, Kenya. Front. Environ. Sci. <u>https://doi.org/10.3389/fenvs.2020.00080</u>

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6. Ondiek RA, Vuolo F, **Kipkemboi J**, Kitaka N, Lautsch E, Hein T and Schmid E (2020) Socio-Economic Determinants of Land Use/Cover Change in Wetlands in East Africa: A Case Study Analysis of the Anyiko Wetland, Kenya. Front. Environ. Sci. 7:207. https://doi.org/10.3389/fenvs.2019.00207

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9. van Dam. A.A. and **Kipkemboi, J**. 2016. Sustainable Use of Papyrus from Lake Victoria, Kenya. In C.M. Finlayson et al. (eds.), The Wetland Book, <u>https://doi.org/10.1007/978-94-007-6172-8_207-1</u>

10. **Kipkemboi, J** and van Dam. A.A. 2016. Papyrus Wetlands. In C.M. Finlayson et al. (eds.), The Wetland Book, <u>https://doi.org/10.1007/978-94-007-6173-5_218-1</u>

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20. Chima S.C, Mduluza T., **Kipkemboi J**. 2013. Viewpoint discrimination and contestation of ideas on its merits, leadership and organizational ethics: expanding the African bioethics agenda. BMC Medical Ethics 2013, 14(Suppl 1):S1 <u>http://www.biomedcentral.com/1472-6939/14/S1/S1</u>

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23. **Kipkemboi, J** & Naanyu, V . 2021. Research ethics and scientific innovation nexus: Unpacking the essentials, Proceedings of the International Conference of Phytochemistry, Textile and Renewable Energy, 12th - 14th August 2020, Eldoret, Kenya (ICPTRE 2020)- Conference proceedings accepted.

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Agriculture Systems Fingerponds in East Africa's Lake Victoria Freshwater Wetlands

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45. **Kipkemboi. J,** Kansiime. F., Denny. P. 2002. The response of *Cyperus papyrus* (L.) and *Miscanthidium violaceum* (K. Schum.) Robyns to eutrophication in natural wetlands of Lake Victoria, Uganda. African Journal of Aquatic Science, 27:11-20. https://doi.org/10.2989/16085914.2002.9626570

a. Conference and seminars

2020

• Research ethics and scientific innovation nexus: Unpacking the essentials paper presented at the Joint International Conference on Phytochemistry, Textile and Renewable Energy for Sustainable Development. Theme: Advancing Science, Technology and Innovation for Industrial Growth on 11th - 15th August 2020, Sirikwa Hotel, Eldoret, Kenya paper presented by Julius Kipkemboi & Violet Naanyu

• African Regional Conference For National Bioethics Committees Pride Inn, Mombasa, 12-14th February 2020

• COVID-19 Bioethics Webinar for Eastern Africa Region, Theme: Managing Covid-19 pandemic within bioethics principles: A reflection of the current and future situation in the Eastern Africa Region. 13 May 2020 (10:00 – 11:30 EAT)

2019

• Moi Teaching And Referral Hospital (MTRH) Hospital Ethics Committee (HEC) Sensitization Workshop Held At MTRH Board Room From 1 1st-2nd October 2019 2018

• Bioethics cafe Jointly with Bioethics Society of Kenya: Topic: (1)Bioethics discourse - Principles, Application and Infrastructure in Kenya, (2) Research ethics in Kenya - From Principles to Policy, Egerton University, 2nd November 2018

• Sensitization on Hospital Ethics Committees, functions, roles and responsibilities, Kenya School of Monetary Studies, Nairobi, 29th-30th October 2018. 2017

• Regional Conference, SDGs and the Role of Ethics in SADC: Promoting Bioethics, Ethics Education and Research in Gaborone, Botswana, 17- 18 October 2017 2016

• 6th Ethics, Human Rights and Medical Law Conference 10 June, Africa Health 2016:The Challenges of Corruption in ensuring Healthy Lives and Peaceful and Inclusive societies in Africa By J Kipkemboi

• 39th WEDC International Conference held at Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology, Kumasi, Ghana on the 11th to 15th July 2016. 2015

• Training of ETTC Trainers to be held at UNESCO Headquarters in Paris, France, 9-13 February 2015

2014

• Inception Workshop for the Ma Ma Se Water Initiative Programme, 27th January to 1st February 2014 at the Mara Serena and Seasons hotel in Narok 2013

• Professional Training "TEEB For Water And Wetlands", Kampala, Uganda, 25th -27th November 2013.

2012

• 9th INTECOL Conference, Wetlands in a complex world, June 3-8, 2012, Orlando, FL, USA. Paper presented "Integration of ecological, hydrological and socioeconomic data into a Bayesian Network model for the sustainable utilization of papyrus wetlands" by J. Kipkemboi and A.A van Dam.

• Workshop on sustainable water resources management for Mount Kenya Catchment, 13-14th September 2012, Sportsman's Arms Hotel, Nanyuki, Kenya. " Paper presented "Constructed wetlands : background and potential contribution to sustainable water resource management" by J. Kipkemboi

• The 7th Egerton University International Conference And Expo: 26 - 28 September, 2012, ARC Hotel, Egerton University, Njoro, Kenya. Paper presented "A Bayesian network modelling approach for the integration of Eco hydrological and socioeconomic data in Nyando wetland, Kenya "by J. Kipkemboi, Anne A.van Dam, M.M. Rahman, Patrick Khisa, Priscah J. Rongoei, Serena A. Nasongo. 2011

• Joint meeting of the Society of Wetland Scientists and Wetland Biogeochemistry Symposium 3rd -8th July 2011, Clarion Congress Hotel, Prague, Czech Republic. Paper presented "Linking wetland ecosystem functions to livelihoods and ecosystem health in African papyrus wetlands: from DPSIR framework to Bayesian Network by A.A. van Dam, J. Kipkemboi2, M.M. Rahman, J.B. Okeyo-Owuor& A.F.M. Zaal.

• Trans-disciplinary framework for integrating ecohydrological and socioeconomic data in Nyando wetland, J. Kipkemboi, Ecolive Project Annual, Workshop 2011, 23-25th May 2011-Kisumu Hotel. 2010 • The 5th Annual Research Week and International Conference Theme: Transformative Research for Sustainable Development 22nd – 24th September 2010, ARC Hotel, Egerton University, Njoro, Kenya. Paper presented "An assessment nutrient flows and sustainability in Smallholder wetland-terrestrial farming systems at the shores of Lake Victoria, Kenya by J. Kipkemboi, H.P. Luoga, A.A. van Dam, P. Denny.

• Training on fundamental principles of Bioethics and their application, KCB Leadership Centre, Nairobi, Kenya,2010 2009

• Ethics programme description workshop for English speaking countries of East Africa and West Africa, 18-20th March 2009, Dakar Senegal.

• Training workshop on University Academic advising, Egerton University, Njoro, Kenya,2009,

2008

• Regional research and development Workshop "Sustainable use and management of Wetlands in the Lake Victoria basin, East Africa, 26 and 28th March 2008, Gihindamuyaga, Huye, Butare, Rwanda "Wetland resources and management issues in Kenya" by J. Kipkemboi

2007

• 2ndEgerton University Research week Workshop and International Conference 2007. Bridging the gap between Research and National Development, EgertonUniversity, Agriculture Resources Centre (ARC) 17-21st July 2007.

• Training on Biological water quality monitoring, Sunset Hotel, Kisumu, Kenya, 5th-16th November 2007.

• UNESCO Ethics teacher training Course, Egerton University, Njoro Kenya2007

• Training Workshop; The EU Research Framework Programme (FP7), UNEP, Nairobi, 28th-30th November 2007.

2006

• International Wetlands, Water and Livelihoods Workshop at St. Lucia, KwaZulu Natal, South Africa, 29th January- 3rd February 2006.

• Fingerponds Project EU-INCO (ICA4-CT-2001-10037. Fingerponds Project wrap-up workshop, EgertonUniversity, Agriculture Resources Centre, 10-12 May 2006.

• Egerton University Research week Workshop 2006. Bridging the gap between Research and National development, EgertonUniversity, Agriculture Resources Centre (ARC) 17-21st July 2006.

• East African Water Association (EAWA) workshop 'Bridging Research, Technology and development: Sustainable water Resource Management in Eastern Africa' Tiwi Beach Resort, Ukunda, Mombasa, Kenya, 4-8 December 2006. 2004

• 7th INTECOL International Wetlands conference, Utrecht, The Netherlands, 25th-30th July 2004.

2003

• First National zoological postgraduate conference, Kenyatta University, Kenya, 5th-8th August 2003.

• Symposium of the East African-Austrian Water Association (EAAWA), Mukono, Uganda, 10th -13th December, 2003. 2002

• Fingerponds Inception Workshop, University of Dar es Salaam, Tanzania, 8-11 January 2002.

• Fingerponds 2nd Technical workshop, Makerere University, Institute of Environment and Natural Resources, Kampala, Uganda, 3-8 December 2002. 2001

• EU INCO_DEV Fingerponds Technical workshop, Trebon, Czech Republic, 20-24 August 2001.

• Training workshop on University teaching methods, Egerton University, Njoro, Kenya,2001

- 1999
- International conference on Science and Sustainable Management of Tropical waters, Naivasha, Kenya, 11-16 April 1999.
- b. Seminar presentations

6. OTHER INFORMATION

- a. Honours & Awards
- International Foundation for Science Research Grant for Young Scientists in Developing countries (2003-2006)
- UNESCO fellowship on Post Graduate Training in Limnology, Mondsee, Austria (1997).
- Netherlands Fellowship Programme (NFP), IHE Delft (1998-1999).
- Netherlands Fellowship Programme (NFP), Ph.D. (partial scholarship), UNESCO-IHE, Delft, The Netherlands (2001-2005).
- European Union Marie Currie Individual Fellowship Award, UNESCO-IHE, Delft, The Netherlands (2002-2003).
- Post Doctoral Research Fellow- ECOLIVE Project (2009-2012).
- b. Linkages
 - Professional affiliations
 - Society of Wetland Scientists
 - Eastern Africa Water Association
 - EIA Lead Expert, NEMA
 - Guest Editor Frontiers in Environmental Science
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