

Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATION

B.A. Addis Ababa University, Ethiopia. Major: Geography; Minor: Sociology
M.A. Syracuse University, New York. Major: Urban and Regional Development
Ph.D., Syracuse University, New York. Specialization: African Political Economy, Human Dimensions of Environmental Change

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- Professor, Mount Holyoke College, 2000-present
- Fulbright Scholar, Debre Berhan University, Ethiopia, 2014-2015
- Fulbright Scholar, Haramaya University, Ethiopia, 2001-2002
- Associate Professor, Mount Holyoke College, 1989-1999.
- Visiting Professor, Addis Ababa University, Ethiopia, 1997-1998
- Ford Foundation Scholar, Cornell University, 1990-1991.
- Visiting Scholar, Refugee Studies Program, Oxford University, summer 1989.
- Visiting Professor, University of Khartoum, Sudan, 1987-1988.
- Assistant Professor, Mount Holyoke College, 1982-1988.
- Visiting Assistant Professor, St. Anslem College, Manchester, N.H., 1981-1982.

COLLEGE SERVICE

- Department of Geology and Geography, Chair, 2015-2016
- Committee on Appeals, 2004-2007
- Environmental Studies Department Advisory Committee, 1992- present
- Department of Geology and Geography, Chair, 2007-2008
- International Relations Department, Acting Chair, Spring 1996
- Department of Geology and Geography, Chair, 1992-1995
- International Relations Department Advisory Committee, 1983 to present
- Academic Policy Committee, 1990-1993
- Five College African Studies Council Committee, 1986-2010
- African American and African Studies Council Committee, 1989-1998
- Committee on Student Evaluation of Faculty Teaching, 1989-1991
- Committee on the Multi-Racial Community, 1986-1987
- Internship Committee, 1984-1992

ACADEMIC AWARDS AND GRANTS

- Fulbright Fellowship, Ethiopia, 2014-2015
- Fulbright Fellowship, Ethiopia, 2001-2002
- Mount Holyoke Faculty Grant, 1986, 1989, 1993, 1999, 2004, 2006, 2008, 2012, 2014
- Mount Holyoke Faculty Fellowship, 1987, 1997, 2000, 2008
- Ford Foundation Research Fellowship, Cornell University, 1990-1991
- The National Endowment for the Humanities, Summer 1985
- George Cressey-Preston James Dissertation Fellowship, Syracuse University, 1980-1981
- Syracuse University Graduate Fellowship, Department of Public Affairs, 1977-1981
- U.S. Agency for International Development, Graduate Fellowship, 1974-1976

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- Association of American Geographers
- Association of African Studies
- Ethiopian Economic Association
- Ethiopian Wildlife and Natural History Society
- The International Geographical Union, Commission on Hazards and Risks

PUBLICATIONS

BOOKS

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Girma Kebede. 1984. Sub-Saharan Africa: The Political Economy of Food Shortages, *Geographic Perspective* 54, 1: 21-33.

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Elizabeth E. Watson. 2010. *Living Terraces in Ethiopia: Konso Landscape, Culture and Development*. London: James Currey, 2009, 242pp. In: *African Studies Review* 53, 3: 167-69. http://www.jstor.org/stable/40930982?seq=1#page_scan_tab_contents

Getahun Benti. 2008. *Addis Ababa: Migration and the Making of a Multiethnic Metropolis, 1941-1974*. Trenton, N.J., and Asmara: The Red Sea Press, 2007, 279pp. In: *African Studies Review* 51 1: 142-43. http://www.jstor.org/stable/27667301?seq=1#page_scan_tab_contents

Laura C. Hammond. 2006. *This Place Will Become Home*. Ithaca, N.Y.: Cornell University Press. 2004, 257pp. In: *African Studies Review* 49, 1: 135-137. <https://www.questia.com/library/journal/1P3-1254120301/this-place-will-become-home>

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Samuel A. Attoh. 2003. *Geography of Sub-Saharan Africa*, 460pp. (Reviewed for Prentice-Hill Press).

Donald Petterson. 1999. *Inside Sudan: Political Islam, Conflict, and Catastrophe*, Boulder, CO: Westview Press, 1999. 209pp. In: *African Studies Review* 42, 3: 248-250. http://www.jstor.org/stable/525302?seq=1#page_scan_tab_contents

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