



## Curriculum Vitae

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### **Abiodun Akintunde, OGUNDEJI (Professor)**

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#### **SUMMARY**

Professor Abiodun Ogundeji is an astute and versatile academic leader, applied economist; currently serving as the Academic Head of the Department (Director) at the Disaster Management Training and Education Centre for Africa (DiMTEC) at University of the Free State, South Africa. He has 15 years of experience gained working for the academic, national, and international organizations. He is a National Research Foundation (NRF) South Africa-rated researcher, holding a Ph.D. in Agricultural Economics from the University of the Free State (UFS), Bloemfontein, South Africa. Professor Ogundeji previously held the position of Associate Professor in the Department of Agricultural Economics. In this role, he facilitated classes and supervised master's, Ph.D., and postdoctoral candidates. His extensive research involvement includes collaboration with international and local organizations as a project leader and principal investigator. Notably, he served as a research fellow at the Social Protection Department of the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO), Rome - Italy. His scholarly contributions encompass over 70 articles published in peer-reviewed journals and numerous conference presentations.

Professor Ogundeji's current leadership role as Director involves directing the 18 academic and non-academic staff of the center to establish DiMTEC as a global centre of excellence and a leader in the discipline vis-a-vis competing international entities. His current research initiatives aim to assist various stakeholders in adapting to extreme climate events, thereby promoting food security and sustainable food production. He also contributed to the development of scenarios for future agricultural water use in South Africa. Renowned for his robust economic research and analytical abilities, he possesses a distinguished background in development and environmental economics. Professor Ogundeji has garnered recognition for his research endeavours through accolades received at national and international conferences.

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## **CORE COMPETENCE**

- An Astute Academic Leader/Administrator and Versatile Economist with 15 years analytical, operational, project design, supervisory and advisory service experience.
- A Dependable Leader with Administrative, Supervisory and Budget Management Skills. Currently Leading a Centre of Excellence with an administrative budget of R1.2 Million annually.
- Research Skills in econometrics, economic modelling, planning and forecasting, value chain analysis, agribusiness, sector analysis, project planning, implementation and evaluation, socio-economic analysis, price and trend analysis, international trade, policy and development, needs assessment, research and data analysis, implementation and evaluation of agricultural projects.
- Competence in the use of leading econometrics software packages (such as Eviews, STATA, SPSS, SAS and Microfit) and in Microsoft Suites (Word, PowerPoint, Excel and Access) with excellent and good communications skills.
- Received national and international awards for best contributed and presented articles at conferences.

## **National Research Foundation RATING**

**NRF Rating:** Y2 Category (01 January 2020 to 31 December 2025)

## **EDUCATION**

<b>Year:</b>	2021
<b>Course:</b>	Advanced Project Management (APMP1700S)
<b>Name of Institution:</b>	University of the Free State, Bloemfontein, South Africa – Business School
<b>Year:</b>	2013
<b>Course:</b>	PhD Agricultural Economics
<b>Name of Institution:</b>	University of the Free State, Bloemfontein, South Africa
<b>Title of thesis:</b>	The economics of climate change adaptation strategies in the Ceres Region, Western Cape.
<b>Year:</b>	2008
<b>Course:</b>	Master in Agricultural Economics (with distinction)
<b>Name of Institution:</b>	University of the Free State, Bloemfontein, South Africa
<b>Title of thesis:</b>	Econometric estimation of Armington elasticities (trade substitution elasticities) for selected agricultural products in South Africa
<b>Year:</b>	2007
<b>Course:</b>	B.Sc Agric Hons in Agricultural Economics (with distinction)
<b>Name of Institution:</b>	University of the Free State, Bloemfontein, South Africa
<b>Year:</b>	2004
<b>Course:</b>	B.Agric (Honours) in Agricultural Economics
<b>Name of Institution:</b>	Obafemi Awolowo University, Ile-Ife, Nigeria

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

**Position:** Professor / Director

**Company:** Disaster Management Training and Education Centre for Africa, University of the Free State

**Period:** March 2022 till date

### Duties and responsibilities:

- Presents classes on management of flood disasters and impact assessment (economics and environmental) of disasters to masters' students in disaster risk management at DiMTEC
- Facilitate Disaster Management related subjects for practitioners
- Supervision of masters and PhD students. Actively involved in capacity building with footprint in more than six (6) African countries.
- Consultant to international and local organizations (Water Research Commission – South Africa, National Research Foundation, Red Meat Producers Organisation, International Development Research Centre (IDRC) and Food and Agriculture Organisation of the United Nations (FAO).
- Provide academic leadership by creating and executing strategies to establish DiMTEC as a leader in the discipline vis-a-vis competing international entities.

**Position:** Associate Professor

**Company:** University of the Free State

**Period:** January 2020 till February 2022

### Duties and responsibilities:

- Presents classes on econometrics, international trade, agricultural policy and development to honours students in agricultural economics.
- Presents classes on management of flood disasters and economic impact assessment of disasters to masters' students in disaster risk management at DiMTEC
- Supervision of masters and PhD students. Actively involved in capacity building with footprint in more than six (6) African countries.
- Consultant to international and local organizations (Water Research Commission – South Africa, National Research Foundation, Red Meat Producers Organisation, International Development Research Centre (IDRC) and Food and Agriculture Organisation of the United Nations (FAO).
- Research and publications in various fields of Agricultural Economics, writing of policy briefs, working papers and popular articles. Actively involved as reviewer for various journals in the field of Agricultural Economics.
- As a researcher, I write research proposal for funding, design, conduct and supervise research project team, participate in multidisciplinary research projects, monitor and evaluate research outcomes and provided efficient financial accountability of projects under my supervision to donors.
- Review and contribute to the provincial strategy reports that forms part of the national strategy reports.
- Participate in peer review and screening of proposals submitted to the South African National Research Foundation (NRF) for funding.

**Position:** Research Fellow  
**Company:** Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO)  
**Station:** Rome  
**Department:** Social Policies and Rural Institutions Division (ESP)  
**Period:** April 2019 till June 2020

**Duties and responsibilities:**

- To conduct a study on the role of social protection interventions in reducing vulnerability to climate variability using time series macro data and models from Asia countries
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**Position:** Senior Lecturer  
**Company:** University of the Free State  
**Period:** January 2014 till July 2020

**Duties and responsibilities:**

- Presents classes on econometrics, international trade, agricultural policy and development to honours students in agricultural economics.
- Presents classes on management of flood disasters and economic impact assessment of disasters to masters' students in disaster risk management at DiMTEC
- Supervision of masters and PhD students. Actively involved in capacity building with footprint in more than six (6) African countries.
- Consultant to international and local organizations (Water Research Commission – South Africa, National Research Foundation, Red Meat Producers Organisation, International Development Research Centre (IDRC) and Food and Agriculture Organisation of the United Nations (FAO).
- Research and publications in various fields of Agricultural Economics, writing of policy briefs, working papers and popular articles. Actively involved as reviewer for various journals in the field of Agricultural Economics.
- As a researcher, I write research proposal for funding, design, conduct and supervise research project team, participate in multidisciplinary research projects, monitor and evaluate research outcomes and provided efficient financial accountability of projects under my supervision to donors.
- Advisor and member of the Free State Provincial Research Advisory Committee (PRAC), tasked with the responsibility of facilitating, coordinating and harmonising research initiatives at provincial level. Participate in the review process of project, project proposals and concept notes submitted to the provincial research committee.
- Review and contribute to the provincial strategy reports that forms part of the national strategy reports.
- Participate in peer review and screening of proposals submitted to the South African National Research Foundation (NRF) for funding.

**Position:** Lecturer  
**Company:** University of the Free State  
**Period:** January 2009 - December 2013

**Duties and responsibilities:**

- Presented classes on econometrics, international trade, agricultural policy and development to honours students in agricultural economics.
- Presented classes on management of flood disasters and economic impact assessment of disasters to masters' students in disaster risk management.
- Excellent supervision of Masters students
- Consultant to international and local organizations (Water Research Commission – South Africa, National Research Foundation, Red Meat Producers Organisation, Free State Provincial Treasury, International Development Research Centre (IDRC)
- Wrote excellent research papers and published in relevant media drawing on my excellent communication skills.
- Coordinated project teams and ensured the production of quality and timely research outputs for the projects.
- Provided efficient financial accountability of projects under my supervision to donors.

**Position:** Researcher  
**Company:** University of the Free State  
**Period:** February 2006 - December 2008

**Duties and responsibilities:**

- Reporting to the Head of Department, as well as the Centre for International Agricultural Marketing and Development (CIAMD),
- Wrote excellent research papers and published in relevant media drawing on my excellent communication skills;
- Collected, collated and analysed relevant field data of studies commissioned in the Department and at CIAMD.
- Reviewed relevant literature in support of the various studies commissioned during the time.
- Coordinated project teams and ensured the production of quality and timely research outputs for the projects.
- Provided efficient financial accountability of projects under my supervision to donors.
- Rendered technical assistance to Honours and later Masters Students in the department in the areas of International trade and Econometrics as a graduate tutor. This entailed participation in the practical classes as well as organizing extra-sessions for students where necessary, with the aim of recognizing individual student's problem and attempting to provide technical support as much as possible

## TEACHING AND LEARNING

### Teaching History

Year	Module	Description
2009 – 2022	LEK 604 AGEC 6800 (a new module developed from LEK 604).	Agricultural Econometrics and later developed a new module called Research which is a combination of Agricultural Econometrics and Research Methodology
2010 - 2016	LEK 607	International Trade
2011- 2021	LEK 606 / AGECE 6845	Agricultural Policy and Development
2010 - 2022	LEK 444 / LEK 344/ AGECE 3744	Agricultural Policy and Development (Undergraduate)
2023 – till date	DIMR 5800	Research Design and Methodology
2010 – till date	DIM 608 / DIMN 5820	Management of Natural and Human - Made Disasters
2010 – till Date	DIM 706 / 707 / DIMI 7910	Disaster Risk and Impact Assessment

## LEADERSHIP AND ADMINISTRATION

Period	Position	Committee / Council
2004	Class Representative	OAU Ife – Agric Economics
2010 – Date	Member of Faculty Board	NAS Faculty UFS
2020 – Date	IT Committee	University of the Free State
2022 – Date	Member of Faculty Management	NAS Faculty UFS
2022 – Date	Academic Head of Department	DiMTEC UFS
2022 – Date	Member of Senate	University of the Free State
2022 – Date	FIC internationalisation Committee	University of the Free State

## CONSULTANCY PROJECTS

- The Critical Review of the Role and Importance of the Agricultural Sector in the economy and development of the Free State: A Computable General Equilibrium (CGE) based research. A research commissioned by the Free State Province Department of Treasury. Completed July 2012.
- Managing climate risk for agriculture and water resources development in South Africa: Quantifying the costs, benefits and risks associated with planning and management alternatives. IDRC grant number: 104 150. Completed 2012.

- KwaZulu – Natal Agro-processing Policy Development and Implementation Review. Research project commissioned by the Department of Economic Development, Tourism and Environmental Affairs, Province of KwaZulu-Natal. Phase 1 and phase 2 completed.
- Price transmission in the red meat value chain - The case of Bloemfontein, South Africa. Research project commissioned by the Red meat research and development SA project committee (RMRD SA-PC). Completed 2015.
- Farmers' coping and adaptation strategies to drought and other water-related risks in a changing climate – NRF 2017 – 2019 – Completed.
- Development of scenarios for future agricultural water management in South Africa – Water Research Commission – ongoing
- Risk Assessment for Alfred Nzo District Municipality - 2023

### **AWARDS, SCHOLARSHIPS AND FELLOWSHIPS**

- International Food and Agribusiness Management Association (IAMA), Texas USA: Student Travel Grant 2007.
- Best Masters Student Award, Department of Agricultural Economics, University of the Free State, Bloemfontein, South Africa - 2008
- Agricultural Economics Association of South Africa (AEASA) award for 2nd best-presented poster at the 46th Annual Conference of the Agricultural Economics Association of South Africa; held in Windhoek, Namibia- 2008
- Agricultural Economics Association of South Africa (AEASA) award for 3rd best-presented paper at the 47th Annual Conference of the Agricultural Economics Association of South Africa; held in Durban, South Africa - 2009
- University of the Free State, Vice Chancellor Prestige Scholarship Award: 2011
- Agricultural Economics Association of South Africa (AEASA) award for best-presented paper at the 50th Annual Conference of the Agricultural Economics Association of South Africa; held in Pretoria, South Africa – 2011.
- Best PhD thesis award, Department of Agricultural Economics, University of the Free State, Bloemfontein, South Africa – 2013
- First prize for best-contributed paper presented at the 2nd International Conference on Economics, Finance and Management Outlooks: Lubinga, M. H. Ogundeji, A. and Jordaan, H. (2014). *An econometric analysis of the impact of trade facilitation on Uganda's hot pepper exports to the European Union*. Paper presented at the 2nd International Conference on Economics, Finance and Management Outlooks, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia, 20-21 December, 2014.
- First prize for best contributed paper presented at the 54<sup>th</sup> conference of the Agricultural Economics Association of South Africa: Lubinga, MH, Verschoor A., Ogundeji, AA., & Jordaan, H. (2015). The impact of the EU-GSP scheme on horticultural exports from Kenya, Tanzania and Uganda: A preference margin approach. Paper presented at the 54th conference of the Agricultural Economics Association of South Africa: Parys, South Africa, 30 September – 2 October 2015.
- MF Viljoen Trophy for the highest number of publications in accredited journal by the Department of Agricultural Economics, University of the Free State – November 2019.
- Food and Agriculture organization of the United Nations transfer project research fellowship – 2019 till date.

## COMPLETED ACADEMIC PROJECTS AS SUPERVISOR (STUDENT SUPERVISION)

### 2013

- Fadeyi T (2013) Assessing the impacts of SADC free trade agreements (SADC FTA) on South African agricultural trade. **MSc Agric Thesis**, Department of Agricultural Economics, University of the Free State, Bloemfontein.

### 2014

- Lubinga M (2014) The impact of climate change and the European Union GSP-scheme on East Africa's horticultural trade. **PhD Thesis**, Department of Agricultural Economics, University of the Free State, Bloemfontein.
- Mwanyungwe A (2014) Impact of exchange rate volatility on Malawi's Tobacco Exports. **MSc Agric Thesis**, Department of Agricultural Economics, University of the Free State, Bloemfontein.
- Owusu-Sekyere (2014) Consumer preference and willingness to pay for beef attributes in Ghana. **MSc Agric Thesis**, Department of Agricultural Economics, University of the Free State, Bloemfontein.
- Hlophe L (2014). Analysing the Impact of EU trade policy reform on the sustainability of small holders sugarcane farming in Swaziland. **MSc Agric Thesis**, Department of Agricultural Economics, University of the Free State, Bloemfontein.

### 2015

- Donkor E (2015) Determinants of resource use productivity and efficiency of Ghana's rice industry. **MSc Agric Thesis**, Department of Agricultural Economics, University of the Free State, Bloemfontein.
- Gunther G. Forecasting South Africa Food inflation. **MSc Agric Thesis**, Department of Agricultural Economics, University of the Free State, Bloemfontein.
- Mokheithi, N. (2015) Analysis of the structure and pattern of wool and mohair export of Lesotho. **MSc Agric Thesis**, Department of Agricultural Economics, University of the Free State, Bloemfontein.
- Lombard H (2015). Price transmission in the red meat value chain – the case of Bloemfontein, South Africa. **MSc Agric Thesis**, Department of Agricultural Economics, University of the Free State, Bloemfontein.

### 2017

- Andjamba (2017). Econometric estimation of the demand for meat in Namibia. **MSc Agric Thesis**, Department of Agricultural Economics, University of the Free State, Bloemfontein.
- Lekew (2017). Economic impact of climate change on milk production: a case study of selected areas in the Free State. **MSc Agric Thesis**, Department of Agricultural Economics, University of the Free State, Bloemfontein.
- Gadidi (2017). The impact of government support on the welfare of low and middle income households in Limpopo Province. **MSc Agric Thesis**, Department of Agricultural Economics, University of the Free State, Bloemfontein.

### 2018

- Muthelo (2018). Perception and adaptation strategies of smallholder farmers to drought in the Free State Province, South Africa". **MSc Agric Thesis**, Department of Agricultural Economics, University of the Free State, Bloemfontein.
- Leteno (2018). Critical analysis of the impact of drought on urban agriculture: A case study of urban livestock farmers in Bloemfontein, Free State province. **Msc Disaster Management Thesis**, University of the Free State.



## 2019

- Muchopa (2019) Agricultural market access for South African fruit and fruit products exports in the EU under tariff rate quotas (TRQS). **PhD Thesis**, Department of Agricultural Economics, University of the Free State, Bloemfontein.

## 2020

- Masemola (2020) Smallholder Farmers' Preference and Willingness to Pay for Veterinary Vaccines: A case Study of Cattle Farmers in the Free State Province. **MSc Agric** Thesis, Department of Agricultural Economics, University of the Free State, Bloemfontein.
- Thinda (2020). Modelling Land Reform Beneficiaries' Choice of Disaster Risk Reduction and Adaptation Strategies in Response to Climate Change. **PhD** Disaster Management Thesis, University of the Free State.
- Nwafor (2020). Adoption of ICT-based market information sources in commercializing smallholder livestock farming systems: a case study of the Alfred Nzo District, Eastern Cape Province, South Africa. **PhD** Agricultural Management Thesis, Bloemfontein.

## 2022

- Okolie (2022). Perceived impact, risk management and vulnerability to drought: the experiences of farming households in the free state province, south africa. **MSc Agric economics** Dissertation, Department of Agricultural Economics, University of the Free State, Bloemfontein.
- Nohamba (2022). Citrus farmers' post-harvest losses in the EasternCape province of South Africa. **MSc Agric economics** Dissertation, Department of Agricultural Economics, University of the Free State, Bloemfontein.

## 2023

- Eyong-Manyo (2023). Impact of Nitrogen smart agriculture adoption on farm performance of maize farmers in Cameroon. **MSc Agric economics** Dissertation, Department of Agricultural Economics, University of the Free State, Bloemfontein.
- Ogunleye Olusola (2023). The Impact of Homestead Garden on Food Security in Rural Lesotho. **MSc Agric economics** Dissertation, Department of Agricultural Economics, University of the Free State, Bloemfontein.

## ARTICLES PUBLISHED IN ACCREDITED JOURNALS

SUMMARY			
Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
31	23	10	2

Scopus		
<a href="https://www.scopus.com/authid/detail.uri?authorId=36601119000">https://www.scopus.com/authid/detail.uri?authorId=36601119000</a>	CITATION	h-index
	641	15

Google Scholar		
<a href="https://scholar.google.co.za/citations?user=--EsNKEAAAAJ&amp;hl=en">https://scholar.google.co.za/citations?user=--EsNKEAAAAJ&amp;hl=en</a>	CITATION	h-index
	1221	38

S/N	Title of paper	Year of Publication	Journal Name	Q-Index
1	Livelihood vulnerability to the changing climate: the experiences of smallholder farming households in the Free State Province, South Africa	2023	Climate Services	Q2
2	Determinants of household food insecurity and coping strategies in Northern Ghana	2023	GeoJournal	Q2
3	Distributive impacts of non-farm income on output and farm income of cassava farmers in Southwestern Nigeria	2023	Scientific African	Q1
4	Climate change, variability and sustainable food systems	2023	Frontiers in Sustainable Food Systems,	Q1
5	Access to mutual labour support in agriculture: Implications for maize productivity and efficiency of farmers in northern Ghana	2023	Agrekon	Q2
6	Climate-Smart Agriculture Amidst Climate Change to Enhance Agricultural Production: A Bibliometric Analysis	2023	Land	Q2
7	Enhancing Household Welfare through Perennial Crop Production in Northern Ghana	2023	Sustainability	Q1
8	Consumers' willingness to pay for quail products in Tamale metropolis, Ghana	2022	Journal of Agriculture and Food Research	Q1
9	Climate information pathways and farmers' adaptive capacity: insights from South Africa	2022	Environmental Development	Q1
10	The simultaneous impact of access to credit and cooperative services on cocoa productivity in South-western Nigeria	2022	Agriculture and Food Security	Q1
11	Perception and Adaptation Strategies of Smallholder Farmers to Drought Risk: A Scientometric Analysis	2022	Agriculture	Q2
12	Does Adoption of Climate Change Adaptation Strategy Improve Food Security? A Case of Rice Farmers in Ogun State, Nigeria	2022	Land	Q2
13	Effect of COVID-19 on agricultural production and food security: A scientometric analysis	2022	Humanities and Social Sciences Communications	Q1
14	Drivers of Postharvest Loss among Citrus Farmers in Eastern Cape Province of South	2022	Agriculture	Q2

	Africa: A Zero-Inflated Poisson (ZIP) Regression Model Analysis			
15	Agricultural organizations and adoption of soil conservation practices among smallholder farmers in Oyo State, Nigeria	2022	Tropical and Subtropical Agroecosystems	Q3
16	Impact of irrigation on welfare and vulnerability to poverty in South African farming households	2022	Scientific African	Q1
17	Social capital networks (SCNS) reducing the poverty on Cocoa producing households: Evidence from Osun and Ondo States of Southwestern Nigeria.	2022	Tropical and Subtropical Agroecosystems	Q3
18	Adaptation to Climate Change and Impact on Smallholder Farmers' Food Security in South Africa	2022	Agriculture	Q2
19	Identifying behavioural patterns of coupled water-agriculture systems using system archetypes	2022	Systems Research and Behavioral Science	Q1
20	Weather-index insurance as an adaptation strategy to climate change: a global insight	2022	Climate Research	Q3
21	Cashew contract farming in Ghana: implications on farm performance and household welfare	2022	Journal of Agribusiness in Developing and Emerging Economies	Q1
22	The effects of farmers' organization and access to credit on farmers preference for attributes of improved rice varieties in Ekiti State, Nigeria.	2022	Tropical and Subtropical Agroecosystems	Q3
23	Unlocking the commercialization potentials of Moringa oleifera production in Southwestern Nigeria	2022	African Journal of Science, Technology, Innovation and Development	Q3
24	Determinants of profit efficiency among smallholder sheep farmers in South Africa	2022	African Journal of Science, Technology, Innovation and Development	Q3
25	Impacts of farmers' participation in social capital networks on climate change adaptation strategies adoption in Nigeria	2021	Heliyon	Q1
26	Crop–livestock diversification in the mixed farming systems: implication on food security in Northern Ghana	2021	Agriculture and Food Security	Q1
27	Technical and resource-use efficiencies of cashew production in Ghana: implications on achieving sustainable development goals	2021	Scientific African	Q1
28	Quantifying the determinants of climate change adaptation strategies and farmers' access to credit in South Africa	2021	Science of the Total Environment	Q1
29	Quantifying the missed EU market access opportunity for South African frozen strawberries	2021	African Journal of Business and Economic Research	Q4
30	Gender decomposition in smallholder agricultural performance in rural Nigeria	2021	Scientific African	Q1
31	Climate change adaptation strategies by smallholder farmers in Nigeria: does non-farm employment play any role?	2021	Heliyon	Q1

32	Determinants of Relevant Constraints Inhibiting Farmers' Adoption of Climate Change Adaptation Strategies in South Africa	2021	Journal of Asian and African Studies	Q2
33	Farmers' preference and willingness to pay for a multivalent lumpy skin disease and Rift Valley fever novel vaccine: A discrete choice experiment in the Free State province, South Africa	2021	Preventive Veterinary Medicine	Q1
34	Developing a Conceptual Model for Sustainable water Resource Management and Agricultural Development: the Case of the Breede River Catchment Area, South Africa	2021	Environmental Management	Q1
35	Does social capital improve farm productivity and food security? Evidence from cocoa-based farming households in Southwestern Nigeria	2021	Heliyon	Q1
36	Adoption of soil and water conservation technology and its effect on the productivity of smallholder rice farmers in Southwest Nigeria	2021	Heliyon	Q1
37	Influence of heat stress on milk production and its financial implications in semi-arid areas of South Africa	2021	Heliyon	Q1
38	Review of agricultural extension and advisory services in Sub-Saharan African countries. Progress with private sector involvement.	2021	Journal of Agribusiness and Rural Development	Q3
39	Measuring production performance of Moringa oleifera	2021	International Journal of Vegetable Science	Q3
40	Towards understanding and sustaining natural resource systems through the systems perspective: A systematic evaluation	2020	Sustainability	Q1
41	Understanding the adoption of climate change adaptation strategies among smallholder farmers: Evidence from land reform beneficiaries in South Africa	2020	Land Use Policy	Q1
42	Estimating financing gaps in rice production in Southwestern Nigeria	2020	Journal of Economic Structures	Q1
43	Impact of government support programmes on household welfare in the Limpopo province of South Africa	2020	Development Southern Africa	Q2
44	Drivers of change in sustainable water management and agricultural development in South Africa: a participatory approach	2020	Sustainable Water Resources Management	Q2
45	Marketing Information Needs and Seeking Behaviour of Smallholder Livestock Farmers in the Eastern Cape Province, South Africa	2020	Journal of Agricultural Extension	Q4
46	Analysis of price transmission in the beef value chain using a calculated retail carcass price	2020	Agrekon	Q2
47	Trade and Welfare Impacts of the Frozen Orange Juice Tariff Rate Quota of South Africa	2020	International Trade Journal	Q3
48	Adoption of ICT-based information sources and market participation among smallholder livestock farmers in South Africa	2020	Agriculture	Q2
49	Tariff rate quota impacts on export market access of South African fruit products into the EU market	2019	Agrekon	Q2
50	Smallholder farmers' adaptation to drought: Identifying effective adaptive strategies and measures	2019	Water	Q1

51	The adoption of farm innovations among rice producers in Northern Ghana: Implications for sustainable rice supply	2018	Agriculture	Q2
52	Efficiency of Rice Farming in Ghana: Policy Implications for Rice Sector Development	2018	African Development Review	Q1
53	Assessing vulnerability and coping capacities of rural women to drought: A case study of Zvishavane district, Zimbabwe	2018	International Journal of Disaster Risk Reduction	Q1
54	Economics of climate change adaptation: a case study of Ceres–South Africa	2018	Climate and Development	Q1
55	Impact of access to credit on farm income: policy implications for rural agricultural development in Lesotho	2018	Agrekon	Q2
56	Economic welfare implications of policy changes regarding food safety and quality in Ghana	2018	African Journal of Agricultural and Resource Economics	Q3
57	Impact of European Union generalized system of preferences scheme on fruit and vegetable exports from East Africa: A preference margin approach	2017	Outlook on Agriculture	Q1
58	A simulation study on the effect of climate change: On crop water use and chill unit accumulation	2017	South African Journal of Science	Q2
59	Assessing communal farmers'preparedness to drought in the Umguza District, Zimbabwe	2017	International Journal of Disaster Risk Reduction	Q1
60	Establishing the linkages between the South African agricultural trade balance and macroeconomic indicators	2014	Agrekon	Q2
61	Impacts of the SADC free trade agreement on South African agricultural trade	2014	Outlook on Agriculture	Q1
62	Impact of climate change on planning and dealing with flood disasters in South Africa: A case study of soweto on sea	2013	Agrekon	Q2
63	An error correction approach to modelling beef supply response in South Africa	2011	Agrekon	Q2
64	Price transmission in the South African food market	2010	Agrekon	Q2
65	Impact of Fadama II project on income of tomato farmers in Niger State, Nigeria	2010	African Journal of Agricultural Research	
66	Econometric estimation of Armington elasticities for selected agricultural products in South Africa	2010	South African Journal of Economic and Management Sciences	Q2
67	Education and knowledge transfer: A priority for the future	2007	International Food and Agribusiness Management Review	Q2

#### DHET ACCREDITED ARTICLES.

1. Mare F. & **Ogundeji A.A.** Price transmission in the beef value chain – The case of Bloemfontein, South Africa. IFMA 19<sup>th</sup> Congress **2013**, Poland, Vol. 1: 255-262
2. Mokhethi, N.I., Bahta, Y.T. and **Ogundeji, A.A.** Trade structure and pattern of wool and mohair export of Lesotho. 20<sup>th</sup> *International Farm Management Congress Proceedings* 1:312-319 - **2015**

3. Hlophe L.C., **Ogundeji A.A** and Jordaan H. Analyzing the impact of EU trade policy reform on the sustainability of smallholders' sugarcane farming in Swaziland. *20<sup>th</sup> International Farm Management Congress Proceedings* 1:146-154 - **2015**
4. **Ogundeji A.A.** Causality and Asymmetry in Price transmission mechanism: the case of Namibia mutton market. *20<sup>th</sup> International Farm Management Congress Proceedings* 1:357-364 - **2015**

## RECENT CONFERENCES ATTENDED AND PRESENTATIONS

- **Ogundeji AA.** Climate Information Pathways and Farmers' Adaptive Capacity: Insights from South Africa. Paper presented at the SASUF Forum, Western Cape, South Africa – 2023.
- Okolie C, Danso-Abbeam G and **Ogundeji AA.** Livelihood Impact and Risk Management of Drought: The Experiences of Farming Households in the Free State Province, South Africa. Paper presented at the 59 annual Agricultural Economics Association of South Africa (AEASA) conference, hosted in Swakopmund from 2 – 5 October 2022.
- Danso-Abbeam G, Asale MA and **Ogundeji AA.** Determinants of food insecurity coping strategies in the Upper East Region of Ghana. Paper presented at the 59 annual Agricultural Economics Association of South Africa (AEASA) conference, hosted in Swakopmund from 2 – 5 October 2022.
- **Ogundeji AA,** Danso-Abbeam G and Jooste A. Climate Information Pathways and Farmers' Adaptive Capacity: Insights from South Africa. Paper presented at the 59 annual Agricultural Economics Association of South Africa (AEASA) conference, hosted in Swakopmund from 2 – 5 October 2022.
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