

Biographical Data Form of Ms. Grace KYOMUHENDO-BANTEBYA Candidate of Uganda to CEDAW

Name and first name: Kyomuhendo Bantebya Grace

Date and place of birth: 02 10 1963 Hoima District Uganda

Working languages: English

Current position/function:

Professor, Department of Women and Gender Studies, Makerere University. Main duties include supervising PhD and MA students, teaching both under graduate and graduate courses and research and publication. Within the University framework, I'm a member of the University Program Review (Humanities committee), Member of the University Mentoring Group for women academicians.

Main professional activities:

Teaching graduate and under graduate students.

Supervision of graduate students both MAs and PhD.

Conducting research and dissemination of finding at various foras both locally and internationally.

Peer reviewer articles and member of editorial board AGENDA Africa.

Networking and advocacy activities promoting women's rights with various women organizations at national, regional and international levels.

Training in gender for various sectors e.g. Ministry of Health, ministry of gender , labor and social Development

Review of policies for gender sensitivity

Educational background:

- PhD Sociology and Social Anthropology Hull University UK 1997, and Master of Philosophy (MPhil) Social Anthropology, Cambridge University UK 1990.
- Bachelor of Arts, Social Sciences (2nd Class Honours Upper Division) Makerere University Kampala Uganda. 1987.
- Has undertaken numerous short courses in gender and development, gender and women rights.

Other main activities:

Serves on voluntarily basis on a number of boards within the civil society. I was the Chairperson Uganda Women's Network, an organization devoted to advocating for the rights of the vulnerable people in the society, for four year. I'm the patron of Women agriculturalist and environmentalist association and also serves on the Uganda civil society capacity Building Committee funded by European Union. Was a board member of the Eastern Africa Sub-Regional Initiative for the Advancement of Women. In recognition of my outstanding and potential leadership capacity she was awarded an International Women's Forum Leadership Fellowship in 2007/2008 which I successfully completed. I'm the chairperson National Quality Assurance Certification Mechanism Council.

List of most recent publications:**Published Books:**

Grace Bantebya Kyomuhendo & Marjorie Keniston McIntosh (2006), **Women, Work & Domestic Virtue in Uganda: 1900 – 2003**. Jointly published by James Currey . - Oxford Ohio University Press - Athens and Fountain Publishers

Grace Bantebya Kyomuhendo (2005) (Ed), **Women's Health, National and International Perspective**. Published by Women and Gender Studies Makerere University, Makerere University Printery.

Published Articles in Books:

Grace Bantebya Kyomuhendo (2009) The Mobile "Village" Phone Business: A Vehicle for Rural Women's Empowerment and Gender Equality in Uganda in Africa Women and ICTSs: Investigating Technology , Gender and Empowerment ed by Ineke Busken and AnneWebb Published by Zed publishers UK

Grace Bantebya et al 2007 Challenges to Women's Empowerment through ICTSS: the Case of Makerere University in **AGENDA journal 2007 pg 81-88**

Grace Bantebya et al 2007 Reflections on a collaborative Experiences Using ICT in a trans-cultural Women's Health Module **AGENDA journal 2007 pgs 54—65**