

1. Name

Sam L. Laki

2. Education

PhD. Agricultural Economics, with specializations in Agricultural development and Resource Development, Department of Agricultural economics, Michigan State University, 1992

M.A. Economics, with specializations in Economic Development and Public Finance, Department of Economics, Michigan State University, 1991

M.S. Agricultural Economics, Emphasis in Agricultural Finance and Project Appraisal, Department of Agricultural Economics and Management, University of Reading, Reading, UK, 1981

B.S. Agriculture with honors, Specialization in Majoring in Agricultural Economics, Department of Rural Economy, University of Khartoum, Khartoum, Sudan, 1979.

3. Academic experience

Central State University, Professor, Dept. of Water Resources Management, 1999 – Present, full-time

Central State University, Associate Professor, Dept. of Water Resources Management, 1997 – 1999, full-time

Central State University, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Water Resources Management, 1993 – 1997, full-time

4. Non-Academic experience

Yambio Agricultural Research Station (YARS), Yambio, South Sudan, Agricultural Economist, 1983–1985, full-time

Yambio Agricultural Research Station (YARS), Yambio, South Sudan, Associate Director in the management of 300 person research station, 1984-1985, full-time

Regional Ministry of Agriculture, Juba, South Sudan, Agricultural Economist, Planning Unit, 1981 – 1983, full-time

Regional Ministry of Agriculture, Juba, South Sudan, Research Officer, Project Development Unit, 1979-1980, full-time

5. Certifications or professional registrations

6. Current membership in professional organizations

Member, American Agricultural Economics Association (AAEA)

Member, Sudan Studies Association (SSA)

7. Honors and awards (Selected)

Ford Foundation Grant (\$30K) for dissertation analysis and write-up, Michigan State University, August 1990 - December 1991

Rockefeller Foundation dissertation internship \$30K award, Gezira Irrigation Scheme, Wad Medani, Sudan, May 1989 - July 1990

Thoman Fellowship for international food security, Michigan State University, July 1987 - June 1988

8. Service activities (Selected)

Committee member, Economics of Natural Resources Assistant Research Faculty Search Committee, 2019-2020

Bargain Facilitator, American Association of University Professors-Central State University, 2016-2018

9. Publications and Presentations (Selected)

Publications

1. Laki, Sam, Krishna Kumar Nedunuri and Ramanitharan Kandiah. Introduction to Water Resources, 2nd Edition, Kendall Hunt Publishing Co., Dubuque, Iowa, 2018
2. "Agricultural Strategies for South Sudan" book chapter, Ali, Souad et al., "The Road to Two Sudan's", Cambridge University Press, New York, NY, 2013
3. "The Role of Oil in the Sudanese Civil War" book chapter, Ali, Souad et al., "The Road to Two Sudan's", Cambridge University Press, New York, NY, USA., 2013

10. Professional developmental activities (Selected)

Government Institutes, Inc., Course "International Environmental Laws and Regulations", October 18-19, 2000; Wyndham Hotel, Washington D.C. Earned 16 continuing education credits.

Government Institutes, Inc., Course "U.S. Environmental Law", March 1-3, 1999; Orlando, Florida. Earned 15 continuing education credits.

Dawnbreaker., "Indicators of Commercial Potential: Train-The-Trainer", October 28, 1998 and December 15, 1998; Hyatt Hotel, Cleveland, Ohio, USA.