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PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND

Dr. Afrane is an **Associate Professor** and the former **Provost** of the College of Art and Social Sciences of the Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology, Kumasi. He was the former Dean of the Faculty of Planning and Land Economy. Dr. Afrane holds a Ph.D in **Development Planning** and possesses considerable research, teaching and consultancy experience in **Strategic Planning, Project Management, Monitoring and Evaluation; Impact Assessment Studies; Micro-finance and Enterprise Development, Social Policy Issues and Collaborative Forestry**. He has been involved in a number of research and training projects in other countries including; South Africa, Bolivia, Gambia, Uganda, Nigeria and Malawi. Also served as a consultant to many local and international agencies including, the World Bank, UNDP, International Labour Organisation, Australia Agency for International Development, USAID, IFAD, ECLOF-Geneva, DFID etc. He is a member of many institutional boards and Committees and credited with many research publications and consultancy reports.

ACADEMIC BACKGROUND

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| 1993 | Ph.D Planning: School of Community and Regional Planning, University of British Columbia, Vancouver, Canada. |
| 1984 | Advanced Post Graduate Diploma in Housing and Urban Studies, Institute for Housing and Urban Development Studies, Rotterdam, The Netherlands. |
| 1983 | M.Sc. Econs in Social Planning, University College of Swansea, Swansea, Wales, United Kingdom. |
| 1982 | Post Graduate Diploma in Housing and Urban Studies, Institute for Housing and Urban Development Studies, Rotterdam, The Netherlands. |
| 1980 | B.Sc. (Hons) Planning, University of Science and Technology, Kumasi, Ghana. |
| 1975 | Certificate 'A' 4-Year; Akrokerri Training College, Akrokerri, Ghana. |

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS AND MEMBERSHIP OF BOARDS

Membership of Professional Bodies

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| 2013 to date | Member , Board of Trustees of Chartered Institute of Administration and Management Consultants, Ghana (CIAMC) |
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2012 to Date	Chairman , Membership Committee of the Ghana Institute of Planners
2012 to Date	Fellow , Ghana Institute of Planners
Jan 2008 – 2012	President - Chartered Institute of Administration and Management Consultants, Ghana
2006 – 2011	Vice President - Ghana Institute of Planners
2009 - Date	Member , African Evaluation Association

Current Membership of Boards:

2005 – Date	Founder and Board Chair - New Generation Investments Services Limited – Managers of ANIDASO MUTUAL FUND
2010 – Date	Member , Advisory Council of World Vision Ghana
2011 – Date	Board Chair , GMC Consulting Ltd, Management Consulting firm focusing on SMEs.
2008 – Date	Council Chair , Scripture Union Ghana
2012 – Date	Board Chair , Jackson Educational Complex

Former Membership of Boards:

2002 – 2008	Member - National Development Planning Commission
2004 – 2008	Ag. Board Chair - Sinapi Aba Trust, Kumasi – Micro Enterprise Financing Agency
2003 – 2007	Director - Opportunity International Savings and Loan Company Limited
1995 – 2005	Director - Amantin-Kasei Community Bank

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

University Appointments:

Sept 2011 – Oct. 2014	Provost , College of Art and Social Sciences
Oct 2006 – Aug 2010	Dean , Faculty of Planning and Land Economy
Jan 2005 – Sept 2006	Head , Department of Planning
Oct 2003 – Date	Associate Professor – Department of Planning, KNUST (<i>Applied for Full Professorship position</i>)
Oct 1994 – Sept 2003	Senior Lecturer - Department of Planning, KNUST
2003 – 2004	Director , Undergraduate Programme, Department of Planning, KNUST
1983 – 1994	Lecturer - Department of Planning, University of Science and Technology, (KNUST) Kumasi, Ghana.

RESEARCH / CONSULTANCIES

International Assignments:

2009	Lead resource person for training of IFAD Project staff in Nigeria in Participatory Monitoring and Evaluation in Katsina; March 2009.
2008	Lead Investigator for a Collaborative Research on “NON-PROFIT SECTOR MANAGEMENT” with the Urban and Regional Planning Institute of the Minnesota State University, USA.

- 2008 Served as a Resource person for a Training Programme organised in Gambia by West Africa Rural Foundation on Participatory Monitoring and Evaluation for IFAD Project Staff in Anglo-phone West Africa in July, 2008.
- 2000 Engaged by Opportunity International to conduct an Impact Assessment Study on Micro-finance project of UGAFODE, in Uganda.
- 1999 Engaged by ECLOF - an international Micro Finance NGO based in Geneva to conduct Evaluation Studies on their micro-finance projects in (1999) in:
- Bolivia,
 - Uganda
 - Malawi
- 1998 Engaged as consultant by Australian Agency for International Development (AusAID) to assess the impact of the SOWETO Micro Enterprise Development Project in Johannesburg, South Africa, implemented by SEED Foundation.

Local/In- Country Assignments

- 2015 Engaged as Consultant by Tropenbos International (Ghana) to undertake two studies: (1) Possibility of TBI Ghana Transforming into a Think Tank; (2) TBI Ghana Transforming into a Local Autonomous Organisation
- 2012 (Aug - Dec) Lead Consultant of a group engaged by International Organisation Migration to conduct a study on "*REINTEGR-ACTION – Pilot initiative to test Feasibility and Sustainable joint reintegration measures from the European Union*", funded by the EU Return Fund under Community Actions.
- 2012 (March & Nov) Team Leader of a KNUST Group which undertook two studies for Gold Fields Ghana Ltd on:
- a) Impact of Assessment of Infrastructure Projects Undertaken by Gold Fields at its Damang and Tarkwa sites in Western Region of Ghana;*
- b) Assessment of the Activities of Gold Fields Ghana Ltd on the Livelihoods of Abekoase Community.*
- 2011 Leader of the team tasked by National Accreditation Board to review re-accreditation application of a Programme in "Community and Rural Development" in the Presbyterian University College.
- 2010 (March –May) Served as Consultant to Wageningen University, Holland and Tropenbos International (Ghana) to prepare Annotated Bibliography on "Legality, Livelihood Issues and Social Safeguards on Ghana".

- 2008 Engaged by DANIDA as a consultant to assist an Identification Mission tasked to prepare Phase II of the Business Sector Programme Support in aid of Private Sector Development in Ghana.
- 2008 Leader of the Technical Team that is preparing a Strategic Plan for the Scripture Union of Ghana.
- 2007 Conducted research on the Spatial Dimensions of the Informal Economy under ISSER – Merchant Bank Collaborative sponsorship Programme.
- 2007 Conducted research on Appraisal of Savings Programme in Micro-finance Programmes: Case Study of Sinapi Aba Trust, Kumasi.
- 2006 Leader of the Technical Team that prepared a Strategic Plan for the Methodist Church Ghana (2007 – 2017)
- 2006 Served as Consultant to the International Labour Organisation (ILO) for a research project on “Financing of the Apprenticeship Systems in Ghana”.
- 2003 Consulting Evaluator on the Partnership Programme with Traditional Authorities in Ashanti; a development Programme funded by the World Bank in partnership with Manhyia Palace and Asanteman Council.
- 2003 Conducted a Market Research for Sinapi Aba Trust, (leading Micro-finance Institution in Ghana) as an input into a preparation of Business Plan for the Non-Finance Department of the Organisation.
- 2001 Served as a member of the Technical/External Evaluation Team for the evaluation of the development programmes of Village Aid (an NGO) in the Northern Region.
- 2000 Engaged as consultant to conduct research for the Non-Banking Finance Department of the Ministry of Finance on Best Practices in the Microfinance Sector in Ghana.
- 1999 Consultant to International Network of Alternative Finance Institutions (INAFI) to conduct Impact Assessment Studies for CITI Savings and Loans Company in Accra
- 1999 Commissioned by the Ghana Poverty Reduction Programme/Social Investment Fund to design a *Participatory Impact and Evaluation Systems (PIMES)* for the continuous capturing of the impacts and outputs.
- 1997 – 1999 Conducted a three-year longitudinal study on the Impact Assessment of Microfinance Services on Clients of Sinapi Aba Trust, Kumasi.
- 1998 Conducted a *“Customer Needs Assessment Study”* for SINAPI ABA TRUST - (Micro Enterprise Agency). Research assessed the peculiar needs of various client groups.

- 1998 Engaged by Friends of the Earth to prepare a paper on Housing and the Environment as part of an Environmental Handbook for Ghana.
- 1997 Team Leader for a Research programme on Partnership and Sustainability in Community Development sponsored by HABITAT.
- 1997 Member of the consultancy team for the Mid-Term Evaluation of the Community Water and Sanitation Programme funded by the World Bank.
- 1995 Consultant to CEDEP - engaged as trainer and lead researcher to assist USAID in developing a Customer Need Assessment Plan to guide administration of Development Aid.
- 1994 Consultant on a joint research programme organised by the Overseas Development Administration (DIFD) and Oxford Forestry Institute on Non-Timber Forest Products in Ghana.
- 1994 Consultant to the World Bank on Urban III Projects - Urban Infrastructure Improvement Projects in Bawku, Bolgatanga and Wa in the Upper East and West Regions.
- 1994 Consultant to Friends of the Earth - Ghana - engaged to assess the impact of Structural Adjustment Programme on the social sector of the economy.
- 1993 Consultant to the British Overseas Development Administration (DIFD - commissioned to conduct a study on the Institutional Context for Forest and Natural Resource Management in the High Forest Zone in Ghana.
- 1993 Planning consultant and technical advisor to The Luke Society Inc - An international NGO promoting integrated rural development.
- 1991 Housing and Employment Study in Kumasi, funded by the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP).
- 1986 – 1988 Co-ordinator of a Consultancy Group (i.e., Housing and Urban Development Associates) which conducted a Housing Needs Assessment Study of Accra as an integral part of the Accra Structure Plan Project jointly sponsored by HABITAT, UNDP and the Government of Ghana.
- 1986 Resident field co-ordinator of a World Bank funded survey in Kumasi on the effects of rent control on housing supply
- 1986 – 1987 Planning consultant to the World Bank/Twum-Boafo & Partners for the Maamobi/Nima Upgrading Projects in Accra.

SERVICES TO THE UNIVERSITY

Supervision of Students' Theses

Supervised the following numbers of students' these at various levels:

- (a) Undergraduate Special Studies/Projects – over 140
- (b) MSc and MPhil – over 60
- (c) Ph.D – 2

Membership of Committees

2013	Member , University Strategic Planning Committee for Plan 2K14 – 2K24
2013	Member – Search committee for the appointment of Internal Auditor
Dec 2011	Member , Board of the Centre for Business Development
Nov 2011	Chairman , Committee on Ex-Gratia, KNUST
Sept 2011	Leader , Internal Accreditation Team for Postgraduate Programmes
Mar 2011	Member , Senior Members' Disciplinary Committee
Mar 2011	Chairman , Committee on Delayed Payment for Software
Dec 2010	Professorial member of College Board (CAP) to Academic Board
Oct 2010	Member , Special Committee to Revise the Act and Statutes of the University
Feb 2009	Member , Strategic Plan Implementation Committee
Feb 2008	Member , College Committee (CAP) for Review of Collegiate System
2007-2011	Chairman – University Public Lectures Committee.
Feb 2007- 2010	Chairman , College Examination Co-ordinating Committee
2005 - 2009	Member – Board of Graduate School
2005 to date	Reviewer , Journal of University of Sciences and Technology, (JUST)
2005	Member – Committee on the Preparation of Guidelines for submission of Examination Results to Academic Board.
2005	Member –Committee on the Preparation of University Examinations Regulations.
2005 to date	Member , Academic Board
2004	Member , Strategic Planning Committee (PLAN2K14)

Academic Programmes and Affiliation Committees

2010 **Chairman**, Affiliation Review Committee for the Institute of Local Government Studies for Masters Programmes in Local Economic Development, Financial Management at the District Level and Environmental Management

2008 **Chairman**, Affiliation Review Committee for Data Link Institute for Bachelor programmes in Computer Sciences and Business Administration

- 2008 **Chairman**, BSc Programme in Agri-Business
- 2008 **Chairman**, BSc Programme in Landscape Planning and Management Programme.
- 2007 **Chairman**, MA Sociology Programme
- 2007 **Chairman**, MA Religious Studies Programme
- 2007 **Member**, Parallel and Sandwich Programmes for the Faculty of Social Sciences
- 2006 **Member**, Affiliation Review Committee for Technical University College of Tamale for Physical Planning Programme
- 2006 **Member**, Affiliation Review Committee for Central University College – Architecture Programme
- 2006 **Member**, BA Art Education Programme, Post Graduate Diploma in Education and Master of Education Programmes

SERVICES TO OTHER ACADEMIC AND RESEARCH INSTITUTIONS

- 2014 **Reviewer**, African Development Bank Journal
- 2013 **Chairman**, Ex-gratia Committee of Vice-Chancellors (Ghana)
- 2013 **External Assessor** for promotion of senior Academic staff of the University of Development Studies
- 2012 **Member**, Committee for Appointment and Promotions of Non-Teaching Staff, University of Energy and Natural Resources, Sunyani
- 2013 **External Assessor** for the promotion of senior Academic Staff of the Presbyterian University College
- 2011 **Leader** of the team tasked by National Accreditation Board to review re-accreditation application of a Programme in "Community and Rural Development" in the Presbyterian University College.
- 2009 to Date **Reviewer**, Journal of Building and Road Research Institute (BRR)
- 2007 **External Examiner** to the Institute of Statistical, Social and Economic Research (ISSER), University of Ghana, Legon
- 2005 **External Assessor** for promotion of senior Research Staff for the Building and Road Research Institute (BRR)
- 2005 **Member of Editorial Board**, Journal of Building and Road Research Institute
- 2005 **Reviewer**, the Journal of Applied Science of the Council of Industrial and Scientific Research (CISR).
- 2000 **External Examiner** to the University for Development Studies

CONFERENCES AND SEMINARS

- Jan 2013 Delivered a paper at the 64th Annual New Year School on "Growth of Slums in Peri-Urban Areas and National Planning Systems: Challenges and Prospects" at Legon, Accra.
- 2012 Presented a paper on "*Slum Development in West Africa*" at International Commonwealth Planners Conference at GIMPA in Accra in May, 2012

- Nov 2009 Presented a Paper on the "*Challenges of Slum Development*" in Ghana at the First Alumni Conference of SPRING PLANNING STUDENTS in Accra.
- Nov 2008 Presented a paper on "Development Indicators" at a Rural Development Workshop organised by the Bureau of Integrated Rural Development of KNUST, Kumasi.
- Feb 2009 Participated in a Review Workshop organised in Dakar, Senegal for Consultants engaged to train staff on IFAD Projects in Participatory Monitoring and Evaluation in West African countries.
- Nov2008 Presented a paper on "Development Indicators" at a Rural Development Workshop organised by the Bureau of Integrated Rural Development of KNUST, Kumasi.
- Oct 2008 Delivered a paper on "Board and Management Relationship in Corporate Governance" at the National Conference of the Association of Rural Banks at Takoradi.
- Jun 2008 Presented a paper on "Wholesale Finance and Deposit Mobilisation" at a Conference on Making Finance Work for Ghana organised by the Ministry of Finance and the World Bank in Accra.
- Apr 2008 Attended a Training of Trainers Workshop in Dakar, Senegal on **Results-Based Participatory Monitoring and Evaluation** organised by West African Rural Foundation to train experts to monitor and evaluate IFAD-funded projects in West and Central Africa.
- Feb 2008 Participated in **Microfinance Leadership Conference** in Vancouver, Canada organised by Opportunity International Network for Board Chair persons and CEOs of the partner organisations.
- Nov 2007 Attended a Microfinance Conference in Cotonou, Benin organised by International Network of Alternative Finance Institutions (INAFI), on the theme: '**Diaspora Remittances and Development of Microfinance in Africa**'.
- Jun 2007 Participated in the **Global Conference** of the Opportunity International Network in Santo Domingo in Dominican Republic.
- Mar 2007 Participated in an International Conference in Rome, Italy organised by the FAO on the theme "Rural Finance Research". Presented a paper on "**Promotion of savings through Microfinance: The Experience of Sinapi Aba Trust**".
- Feb 2006 Attended a **Leadership Seminar on Microfinance** in Sydney, Australia organised for CEOs and Board Chairs by Opportunity International Network, USA.

- Nov 2005 Presented a paper on the **"Impact of Microfinance Projects on Clients"** at a Seminar in Accra organized in connection with the United Nations International Year of Micro Credit.
- Jul 2005 Participated in an international Conference in Bonn, German on "CROSS-BORDER EDUCATION". Presented a paper on: **"The Spring Programme in Ghana: A Successful Experiment of Cross-Border Education"**.
- 2004 / 2005 Participated in a conference in Johannesburg, South Africa on "Poverty Reduction and Microfinance in Africa", organized by the International Network of Alternative Finance Institutions (INAFI).
- Feb 2004 Attended a **Leadership Conference on Microfinance** Industry in San Diego, California organized for CEOs and Board Chairs by Opportunity in International, USA.
- 2000 Participated in the **Global Conference** of the Opportunity International Network in Oxford in the UK.
- 1997 Attended the **Global Conference** of the Opportunity International Network in Norfolk, Virginia USA.
- 1996 Presented a Position Paper on Collaboration of NGOs in Community Development - by HABITAT & Ministry of Local Government and Rural Development.
- Apr 1995 Participated in workshop organised by Youth for Population, Information and Communication on the theme "Creation of Jobs for the Unemployed Youth". Presented two papers:
- "Towards a Comprehensive Youth Employment Strategy for Ghana" and
 - "The Magnitude and Impacts of Youth Unemployment in Ghana".

TRAINING PROGRAMMES

- 2009 Served as a Resource person on a training programme organised on 'Life Planning and Leadership Skills' for the staff of Tropenbois, an NGO in Forestry Management.
- 2008 Facilitated a training programme on 'Participatory Monitoring and Evaluation' for IFAD Project Staff in Anglo-phone West Africa organised by West Africa Rural Foundation in Gambia, July, 2008.
- 2001 Facilitated a training programme on Small and Micro Enterprise Development and Financing to the staff of the Department of Community Development.
- 1997 Training of the staff of YIPC (Youth for Information, Population and Communication - an NGO) in Participatory Rural Appraisal Techniques.

- 1996 Engaged by YPIC (an NGO) to organise Training for Community Leaders at Sogliboi (Kintampo) on Implementation of Water Project applying PRA Techniques.
- 1995 Resource person at a training workshop organised by the National Board of Small-Scale Industries for the Small-Scale Carpenters Association of Ghana.
- 1995 Consultant to UNICEF - engaged as a resource person for a training programme organised for community facilitators in village-level planning in the Builsa District of the Upper East Region.

RESEARCH PUBLICATIONS

D. Owusu-Manu, D.J. Edwards, **S.K. Afrane**, I.K. Dontwi and P. Laycock

"Professional doctoral scholarship in Ghana A case study of the CDT-BEPS framework"; ***Industry & Higher Education Vol 29, No 23***, June 2015, pp 197 – 207,

Afrane, S. K., Owusu-Manu, D., Donkor-Hyiaman, K.A. and Bondinuba, K.F. (2014), 'Towards Innovative Housing Financing In Ghana: An Axiological Evidence-Based From South Africa's Pension Housing Financing System', ***Public Policy and Administration Research, Vol. 4, No. 4, 2014.***

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Afrane, S. K. and Appah A. (2014) "Queuing theory and the management of waiting-time in Hospitals: The case of Anglo Gold Ashanti Hospital in Ghana", ***International Journal of Academic Research in Business and Social Sciences, Vol. 4, No. 2, February 2014, 34-44***

Naku, W.C.D and **Afrane, S.K** (2013) "Local community development and the participatory planning approach: A review of theory and practice", ***Current Research Journal of Social Sciences, 5(5), 185-191***

Afrane, S.K and Anokye, A.P, (2014). "Apprenticeship training system in Ghana: processes, institutional dynamics and challenges", ***Journal of Education and Practice, Vol.5, No. 7, 2014, 130-141***

Afrane, S.K and Adjei-Poku, B.(2013). "Institutionalising corporate social responsibility for community development: Processes and outcomes", ***International Journal of Business and Social Sciences, Vol. 4, No. 13, pp. 255-265***

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Afrane, S.K., and Adjei-Poku, B. (2013). "Sailors with defective rudder: comparing theory and practice of land use planning in a growing city", **West African Journal of Building and Road Research (WAJBRR)**.

Afrane, S.K., and Filipovitch, A.(2012). "Mapping the Non-Profit Sector in Ghana", **CASS Journal of Arts and Humanities**, Vol. 2 No. 1, pp. 32-51

Owusu-Manu, D., **Afrane, S.K.**, Badu, E., Edwards, D.J., and Brown, M. (April, 2013). "Redefining entrepreneurial learning paradigms in developing countries: a case study of Ghana", **Industry and Higher Education**, Vol. 27, No. 2, pp. 1-12

Adusei, M and **Afrane, S.K.**(2013). "The impact of Credit Union financial mediation and economic growth: Multi-county analysis", **Global Journal of Business Research (GJBR)**, Vol. 7, No. 5, pp. 71-78

Afrane, S.K., "Spatial dimensions of the Informal Economy: A case study of Kumasi", forthcoming in **Journal of Building and Road Research (JBRR)**

Afrane, S.K., and Adusei, M., "Promoting micro-savings through the NGO model: The story of Sinapi Aba Trust", **International Review of Management and Business Research** 3(1): 485-492

Afrane, S.K., and Adusei, M., (2014) "The Female Superiority in Loan Repayment Hypothesis: Is it Valid in Ghana", **Advances in Management and Applied Economics**, Vol. 4, No. 2, 81-90

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Afrane, S.K., Adusei, M. and Adjei-Poku, B. (2014). "Estimating the effective cost of borrowing to Microcredits Clients", **Global Journal of Business Research**, Vol. 8, No. 3,

Afrane, S.K., and Ahiabile, G. (2011). "The Informal Economy and Microfinance in Kumasi", **Future of the Tree: Towards growth and development of Kumasi, University Printing Press**, pp. 111-127

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Afrane, S.K., and Asamoah, P.K.B.(2011). "Housing Situation in Kumasi", **Future of the Tree: Towards growth and development of Kumasi, University Printing Press**, pp. 96-91

Afrane. S. (2007). "Promotion of savings through Microfinance: The Experience of Sinapi Aba Trust"; published at: www.fao.org/ag/rurfincoonfernce/docs;

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Afrane, S. (2002). "The Place of Home-Based Enterprises in the Household Economies of the Low-Income Families in Kumasi: Analysis of Contributions and Linkages", *Journal of the University of Science and Technology*; Vol. 23; No. 1.

Afrane, S. and Banibensu, E. (2002). "Fixing of Interest Rates in the Informal Financial Sector in Ghana: Analysis of Determinants and Trends", *Journal of the University of Science and Technology*; Vol. 22; Nos. 1, 2, 3.

Afrane, S. K. and Britwum, O.Y. (2002). **Management of Private Housing Estates in Ghana: Case Studies Dome Parakuo and Sakumono Estates**; *The Ghanaian Surveyor, Journal of Ghana Institute of Surveyors, Issue 1.*

Afrane, S. K. (2001). "The Ban of Chain Sawn Lumber in Ghana: Review of Policy Outcomes and Lessons"; *Ghana Journal of Forestry*; Vol. II.

Afrane, S. K. (1994) "Analysis of Housing Inequalities in a Third World Country – An Application to Kumasi", published in **African Urban Quarterly**, No.

Afrane, S. K. (1991). Altruism, Planning Theory and Human Settlement Development in the Third World. Published by the **University of British Columbia Planning Papers**, Canada.

Afrane, S. K. (1990), "Job Creation in Residential Areas: A comparative Study of Public and Private Residential Communities in Kumasi, Ghana", published in **Housing and Income in Third World Urban Development**, pp 41-54, edited by M. Raj. and P. Nientied, New Delhi: Oxford and IBH Press.

CONSULTANCY AND OTHER RESEARCH REPORTS

Micro-Finance and Enterprises Research Reports:

Afrane, S. (2007). **Informal Economy of Ghana.** Background Report prepared for DANIDA in connection with Business Support Sector programme II.

Afrane, S. (2007). **Economic and Business Environment in Ghana.** Background Report prepared for DANIDA in connection with the preparation of Business Support Sector Programme II.

Afrane, S and Wills M. (2003) Market Research and Business Plan for Sinapi Aba Trust's NGO. Report prepared for Opportunity International USA and Sinapi Aba Trust Ghana.

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Getu, M and Afrane, S. (2000). The Transformation Side of Microenterprise: An Impact Study of Uganda Agency for Development Microcredit Program; Impact Evaluation Report submitted to Opportunity International Network.

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Afrane, S. (1999). Evaluation Study of Micro-Finance Programme in Uganda; Country Evaluation Report submitted to the International ECLOF Office, Geneva, Switzerland.

Wilson, F. and Afrane, S. (1999). Evaluation Study of Micro-Finance Programme in Malawi; Country Evaluation Report submitted to the International ECLOF Office, Geneva, Switzerland.

Phillipps, S. and Afrane, S. (1999). Evaluation Study of Micro-Finance Programme in Bolivia; Country Evaluation Report submitted to the International ECLOF Office, Geneva, Switzerland.

Afrane, S. (1999). Impact Study on Clients of Citi Savings and Loan Company Limited; Impact Evaluation Report submitted to International Network of Alternative Financial Institutions (INAFI), Nairobi, Kenya.

Strategic/Development Planning Reports:

- i. KNUST Corporate Plan: 2004 – 2014
- ii. Kumasi Metropolitan Assembly Medium-Term Plan: 2002 – 2004; 2002
- iii. Ministry Review Study: Strategic Plan (2001–2020), Long-Term Plan prepared for Ghana Fellowship of Evangelical Students; 2001
- iv. Kumasi Metropolitan Assembly Medium-Term Plan: 1996-2000; 1996
- v. Kwahu South District Assembly Medium-Term Plan: 1996-2000; 1996
- vi. Asunafo District Assembly Medium-Term Plan: 1996 – 2000; 1996

- vii. Afram Plains District Assembly Medium-Term Plan: 1996 – 2000; 1996
- viii. Kumasi Cheshire Home Five-Year Development Plan (1997 – 2001); 1996
- ix. Methodist Church Ghana Strategic Plan; 2007- 2017

Evaluation Studies Reports

Kessey, K.D., Boapeah, S.N., Afrane, S and Kunfaa, E.Y. (1997). Mid-Term Evaluation of the Community Water and Sanitation Programme funded by the World Bank: An Evaluation Report submitted to the World Bank.

Afrane, S. and Kessey, K.D. (2000). Participatory Impact and Evaluation Systems (PIMES): Report submitted to the Ghana Poverty Reduction Programme/Social Investment Fund for the tracking of the implementation of their Poverty Reduction Programmes.

Afrane, S. and Kessey, K.D. (2002). PIMES Training Manual; Training Manual prepared and submitted to the Social Investment Fund to help and guide the users of the Participatory Impact Monitoring and Evaluation Systems.

Other Research Reports:

Afrane, S. (2002). Small Business Association and Health Insurance Schemes: A Research Report submitted to the International Labour Organisation (ILO) – 2002.

Afrane, S., Nsiah-Peprah, Y. and Kessey, K.D. (1997) Research on Partnership and Sustainability in Community Management in Ghana Development: Selected Case Studies in the Central Region; Research Report submitted to HABITAT and funded by DANIDA.

Signature: signed

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