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### Professional and Administrative Experience

February 2006 - Present (with gaps)	Assistant Professor, Addis Ababa University <i>Courses: Graduate microeconomics, Undergrad-Behavioural Economics, thesis supervisor of PhD students and undergraduate</i>
October 2022 - Present	Short Term Consultant, Gender Innovation Lab, World Bank <i>Research on Gender representation in Ethiopian banks</i>
April 2021 – Present (with gaps)	Consultant, Results for Development(R4D) <i>Research support on governance, energy transition, corruption, and state capture: <a href="#">state capture index</a> and <a href="#">measuring governance article</a></i>
March 2024 - Present	Trainer, Bloomberg Media Initiative Africa <i>Financial Journalism Training Program: Data analysis</i>
July 2024 – October 2024	Grant Reviewer, Oxford Policy Management Institute Ethiopia
July 2013 - May 2015	Chairperson, Department of Economics, Addis Ababa University
March 2010 - July 2011	Assistant coordinator, NETRIS (Network for Regional Integration Studies - A UNU CRIS project) <i>Research on trade, and coordinate meetings and workshops.</i>
December 2007 - September 2008	Academic Programs Unit Head, Addis Ababa University

### Education

October 2017 - December 2021	Ph.D. in Economics, University of Verona, Italy <i>Dissertation: Essays in Experimental and Health Economics</i>
January 2020 - June 2020	Visiting fellow, University of California, Berkeley at the Centre for Effective Global Action (CEGA)
2008 - 2009	Erasmus Mundus joint master's degree in economics of International Trade and European Integration (With distinction)
2003 - 2005	MA in Economics from Madras University, India (With distinction)
2000 - 2003	BA (HONS) in Economics from Delhi University, India

### Research and Consultancy Works

#### Paper Submitted to Journals:

1. How to Curb Over-the-Counter Sales of Antibiotics? Evidence from a Field Experiment (With Maria Vittoria Levati and Ivan Soraperra, Submitted and under review)
2. Maternal education and child vaccination in Ethiopia: A natural experiment (with co-authors and funded by APHRC (African Population and Health Research Center), Submitted and under review)

#### Working Papers:

3. The Major Bottlenecks of Micro and Small-Scale Enterprises' Growth in Ethiopia: An Econometric Analysis, (2017-19). **Partnership for Economic Policy Working Paper 2017-19) (2017)**. (With Ermias, E., Regassa, M. D., Hassen, I. W., Yimer, F.)

4. The role of micro and small-scale enterprises in the Ethiopian economy, government intervention, and alternative strategies: A CGE analysis. **Partnership for Economic Policy Working Paper 2017-18 (2017)** (with Ermias Engida, Mekdim Dereje, Ibrahim Worku, and Feiruz Yimer).

#### **Research Reports:**

5. Chips Vending on the Streets of Bahir Dar: Status and the Way Forward for the Potato Value Chain (2015). Submitted to **AGROBIG**.
6. Household Cereal Consumption Demand Pattern in Urban Ethiopia: 2005-2011 Submitted to **Ethiopian Development Research Institute (EDRI)** (with Ashagrie Demile).
7. Inflation – Growth Nexus in Ethiopia: Estimation of Threshold Inflation (2016). Submitted to (**EDRI**). (With Ashagrie Demile)
8. Market Research and Customer Satisfaction Survey for Ethiopian Shipping and Logistics Services Enterprises (ESLSE) Using SERVQUAL. (2015). Submitted to **ESLSE**. (With a Team from the Department of Economics at AAU).
9. Market research on Mobile services: for 3 rounds. Submitted to **Ethio-Telecom**, (2010 to 2014)
10. Ethiopian Institutions Survey and Report. Submitted to the **African Economics Research Consortium (AERC)** (July 2010 – Sept.2010) (With Tekie Alemu).
11. The Structure, Magnitude, and Trends of Capital Formation in and for Agriculture in Ethiopia. (2010/2011). Submitted to FAO (with Atlaw Alemu and Atnafu Gebremeskel)
12. Responsiveness of Rural Households to Cereal Price Changes. March 2007 – 2008. Submitted to the **World Bank** (With a team from the Economics Department)
13. Exploring Demand and Supply Factors behind Recent Cereal Prices key issues and hypotheses: Oct.2006 – Mar.2007. Submitted for **DFID** (With a team from the Economics Department at AAU)

#### **Work in progress:**

14. What Drives the Gender Gap in Financial Sector Management: Evidence from Ethiopia (with Niklas Buehren, Girm Abebe Tefera, Toni Weis, and Ketki Sheth). *Data Collection Completed*.
15. Inequality of Opportunity in Immunization in Ethiopia: A Shapley Decomposition. Draft completed.

#### **Language Skills**

Amharic	Mother Tongue
English	Excellent in speech and writing
Hindi	Fluent in speech
French	Beginner in speech and writing

#### **Professional Associations**

Ethiopia Economics Association (EEA), Network of Impact Evaluation Researchers Africa (NIERA)

#### **References**

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