

CURRICULUM VITAE

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EDUCATION AND QUALIFICATIONS

2007-2012 PhD in Botany (Mycology), University of Buea, Cameroon
2004-2007 Master in Botany, University of Buea, Cameroon
2000-2003 Bachelor of Education (CST/Biology), University of Buea, Cameroon

EMPLOYMENT RECORD

2014⁺ Senior Lecturer (Botany/Mycology), University of Bamenda, Cameroon
2012 - 2014 Assistant Lecturer (Botany/Mycology), University of Bamenda, Cameroon
2008 - 2012 Teaching and Research Assistant, University of Buea, Cameroon

ADMINISTRATIVE DUTIES

2017⁺ Head of Service for Certificates, Teaching Programs and Research, Faculty of Science, the University of Bamenda, Cameroon

KEY CONFERENCES AND TRAINING WORKSHOPS ATTENDED

20-24th November 2017, International Barcoding for life conference, Kruger National Park, South Africa
18-20th July 2017, 7th Forest Symposium, Pietermaritzburg, Durban, South Africa
15-17th July 2017, workshop on Systematic Review, Pietermaritzburg, Durban, South Africa

15-19th May 2017, AETFAT Conference, Nairobi, Kenya; Oral presentation

13-16th October 2015 Communicating Effectively with Users of Knowledge workshop, world Agroforestry Center, Nairobi, Kenya

15-20th June 2015 Laboratory Management and Equipment Operations Workshop, Rubona, Rwanda

22-24th October 2014 Conference on towards a shared mountain agenda for Africa, Oral presentation on Mushroom Diversity and Distribution in the Mount Cameroon Region

15-20th June 2014 Agricultural research connection workshop, BeCA-ILRI, Hub Kenya

13-17 January 2014- 20th AEFAT conference, University of Stellenbosch, South Africa, oral presentation

12th September 2014, Pedagogic seminar on quality assurance, teaching methods, evaluation and professionalization in the BMD system

May 7 2013 - Workshop on research ethics, University of Bamenda

23-24th August 2012 -Workshop on inclusive education, Bamenda

1-3rd December 2011- Oral presentation 18th Annual Bioscience Conference, University of Douala

3-7th October 2011 -CTA training on Web 2.0 learning Opportunities, University of Buea.

1-5th November 2010 -Workshop on Molecular Phylogenetic Studies, University of Pretoria, South Africa

31 Oct- 13Nov. 2009- Two weeks international workshop on edible and medicinal mushroom in Shanghai organised by Ministry of Science and Technology, China

05 - 08 September, 2009 -5th International Medicinal Mushroom Conference, Nantong, Jaingsu Province, China

06 -07 September. 2009- *Ganoderma* Symposium, China, Nantong

25-26 July 2009 Seminar on Techniques in Molecular Phylogenetic Studies by Michael Moller, Edinbury Botanical Garden

09 -11 July 2009 -International conference on Fungal Evolution and Charles Darwin: From Morphology to Molecules in Thailand Science Park, Biotech, Patunthani, Thailand.

13 - 16 July, 2009- Ascomycetes and Basidiomycetes workshop, Biotech, Thailand Science Park .

June–July, 2009- FAO e conference on learning from the past on agricultural sciences

17th June, 2009- Seminar on Smart plants: Creating more Fermentable plants for Biofuels through Genetic Engineering by Dr Eric Lam, Director and Professor Biotech center, Rutgers University, U.S.A

3–10 January, 2009 -Workshop on Remote Sensing by University of Buea/University of Ghent
Belguim

AWARDS AND DISTINCTIONS

November 2017+ - Fulbright visiting scholar, Department of Plant Pathology, Hosted by Dr. Jeffrey Rollins, University of Florida, Gainesville, United State of America

September 2016-August 2017- Postdoctoral Research Fellowship, Department of Genetics, University of the Free State, Bloemfontein, South Africa

2011 -Forestry and Agricultural Biotechnology Institute, University of Pretoria South Africa,
Laboratory Award for 3 months Molecular Phylogenetic Study of species of *Ganoderma* from
Cameroon

April 2008-April 2009- TWAS–CAS Post–Graduate Fellowship Award No. 3240188589 at Kunming
Institute of Botany, CAS, China

2002–2003- Ministry of Higher Education cash Prize for distinguished female undergraduate students
with second class honours upper division and above.

MAJOR GRANTS/FUNDING/PROJECTS

2015- 2016, Grant on Biodiversity Threat Mitigation in the Mount Cameroon Region funded
by Albertine Rift Conservation Society.

2012- Present, Research modernization grant from higher education, Cameroon.

2009 -Two weeks International Workshop on edible and medicinal mushroom technology
sponsored by the Ministry of Science and Technology, Shanghai, China

2010- 2013-Rufford Small Grant for nature conservation award for project on; Conservation,
Diversity and Ethno–mycological studies of Macrofungi in the Mount Cameroon Region

2010- Idea Wild equipment grant for project on Conservation and Ecological studies of
Macro–fungi in the Mount Cameroon.

MEMBERSHIPS

A member of the African Mycological Association (AMA)

A member of the conservation work group of fungi in African (CWGFA)

A member of the British Mycological Society (BMS)

A member of the International Society for Fungal Conservation (ISFC)

A member of BioNET West Africa

A member of the Cameroon Bioscience Society (CBS)

A member of the NGO for the Promotion of Education and Rights of Girls and Women (PERGW),

Buea

A member of NGO for conservation (GRACON), Buea

REVIEWER

South African Journal of Botany

Science Domain

PEER REVIEWED PAPERS

Teke NA , **Kinge TR** , Bechem E , Mih AM , Kyalo M and Stomeo F (2017). Macro-fungal diversity in the Kilum-Ijim forest, Cameroon. *Studies in Fungi*. 2(1): 47–58

Tonjock R. K., Nkengmo A. A, Nji TM, Ache NA and Mih AM (2017). Species Richness and Traditional Knowledge of Macrofungi (Mushrooms) in the Awing Forest Reserve and Communities, Northwest Region, Cameroon. *Journal of Mycology*, <https://doi.org/10.1155/2017/2809239>.

André Ledoux Njouonkou, Eske De Crop, Abdoulayi Mbouombouo Mbenmoun, **Tonjock Rosemary Kinge**, Elvire - Hortense Biye and Annemieke Verbeken (2016). Diversity of Edible and Medicinal Mushrooms Used in the Noun Division of the West Region of Cameroon. *International Journal of Medicinal Mushroom*. DOI: 10.1615/IntJMedMushrooms.v18.i5.20

Kinge TR, Djidjou TAM, Nji TM, Ache NA and Mih AM (2016). Effect of local substrates on the growth and yield of *Pleurotus ostreatus* K. in the North West Region, Cameroon. *Current Research in Environmental and Applied Mycology* 6(1), 11–19, Doi 10.5943/cream/6/1/2

Afui M. Mih and **Tonjock R. Kinge** (2015). Ecology of Basal Stem Rot Disease of Oil Palm (*Elaeis guineensis* Jacq.) in Cameroon. *American Journal of Agriculture and Forestry*, 3(5): 208-215

Tonjock R. Kinge and Afui M. Mih (2015). Diversity and distribution of species of *Ganoderma* in South western Cameroon. *Journal of Yeast and Fungal Research*. 6(2): 17-24

Tonjock R. Kinge Theobald M. Nji, Lawrence M. Ndam and Afui M. Mih (2014) Mushroom research, production and marketing in Cameroon. *Issues in Biological Sciences and Pharmaceutical Research* 2 (7): 069-074

Tonjock R. Kinge and Afui M. Mih (2014) *Ganoderma Lobenense* (Basidiomycetes), a New Species from Oil Palm (*Elaeis Guineensis*) in Cameroon. *Journal of Plant Sciences*. 2 (5): 242-245. doi: 10.11648/j.jps.20140205.25

Tonjock R. Kinge, Enow A. Egbe, Ebai M. Tabi, Nji, T. Mue and Afui M. Mih (2013). The first checklist of macrofungi of mount Cameroon. *Mycosphere* 4(4) : 694-699.

Egbe, E.A., **Tonjock, R. K.**, Ebai, M. T., Nji, T. M. and Mih, A. M. (2013). Diversity and distribution of Macrofungi (Mushrooms) in the Mount Cameroon Region. *Journal of Ecology and the Natural Environment* 5(10): 318-334.

Tonjock, R. Kinge, Afui, M. Mih, and Martin, PA, Coetzee (2012). Molecular phylogenetic relationships among species of *Ganoderma* in Cameroon. *Australian Journal of Botany*. 60(6): 526-538.

Tonjock, R. K and Mih, A. M. (2011). Secondary metabolites identification of oil palm Isolates of *Ganoderma zonatum* Murill from Cameroon and their Cytotoxicity Against Five Human Tumor Cell Lines Invitro. *African Journal of Biotechnology* 10(42): 8440–8447

Tonjock, R. Kinge, Ebai M. Tabi , Afui, M. Mih, Egbe, A. Enow , L. Njouonkou and Nji, T. M. (2011). Ethnomycology Studies of Macro–Fungi (Mushrooms) in the Mount Cameroon Region. *International Journal of Medicinal Mushroom* 13(3):299–305.

Tonjock, R. K. and Mih, A. M. (2011). *Ganoderma ryvardense* sp. nov. Associated with Basal Stem Rot disease of oil palm in Cameroon. *Mycosphere* **2**(2):179–188

Mih, A. M., **Tonjock, R. K.** and Ndam, L. K. (2008). Morphological Characterization of Four Selections of *Vernonia hymenolepis* A. Rich. (Asteraceae). *World Journal of Agricultural Sciences* **4**(2): 220–223.