



# SAEBS Outlook

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## Message from the Editor

Dear Readers and contributors,

We are delighted to launch the SAEBS Outlook. This is a quarterly publication which is an avenue that will keep everyone informed about the activities of SAEBS community and the alumnae activities.

This newsletter has been designed to enable you actively participate in this platform through reading articles and sharing your ideas with other SAEBS members. Thanks to all contributors and secretariat for making this forum possible.

The next issue will be out at the end of March 2017. We encourage all of you to contribute feature articles and other stories for the coming issue. We will be delighted to receive your contributions in this regard. Email your submission to [nandonde@suanet.ac.tz](mailto:nandonde@suanet.ac.tz)

On behalf of the SAEBS Research and Publication Unit, we take this opportunity to wish you Happy New Year 2017!

*Technologies to Climate Change: Technical efficiency and yield risk.* Abrogast who is a Lecturer at UDOM he was supervised by Prof Hella, Prof Isimika (SUA) and Prof Haug. (Abrogast was partially sponsored by Norwegian Government through CCIAM programme).

## SAEBS Member Publications

### Journal Articles

Haug, R., Hella, J.P., Nchimbi-Msolla, S., Mwaseba, D.L. and Synnevag, G. (2016). If Technology is the answer, What does it take? *Development in Practice*, 26(3).

Sanga, G. J. and Munqatana, E. D. (2016). Integrating ecology and economics in understanding responses in securing land-use externalities internalization in water catchments. *Ecological Economics*, 121, pp.28-39.

### Book Chapters

Nandonde, F.A., Sachs, P.R. and Liana, P.J. (2017). *Agribusiness CSR practices on the establishment of underdeveloped supply chains*, in Vertigans and Idowu (eds), *CSR Academic Insight and Impact*, Springer, pp.83-100.

Nandonde, F.A. and Sachs, P.R. (2017). *Commercial bank corporate social responsibility practices in Tanzania*, in Aluchna and Idowu (eds), *The Dynamics of Corporate Social Responsibility*, Springer, pp.167-186.

Hella, J.P., Sanga, G., Haug, R., Mziray, N., Senga, H., Haji, M., Lyimo, S., Moshi, A., Mboya, S. and Bakar, M. (2016). *Climate Change, Smallholder farmers' Adaptation in Pangani Basin and Pemba; Implications for REDD+ initiatives* (Book Chapter 4 in *Lessons and Implications from REDD+ Implementation: Experiences from Tanzania*. pp. 69-92.

## SAEBS Members News

**Felix Adamu Nandonde** was awarded his PhD in Business Management from Aalborg University in Denmark. His PhD thesis is titled 'Linkage of Local Food Suppliers in Modern Food Retail in Africa: The Case of Tanzania'

## PhD Viva Voce Defence at SAEBS

On the 15<sup>th</sup> of November 2016, Mr Abrogast Bernad Moshi (Reg. HD/T/SUA/FOA/63/2011) successfully defended his PhD thesis titled "Farmers Adaptive



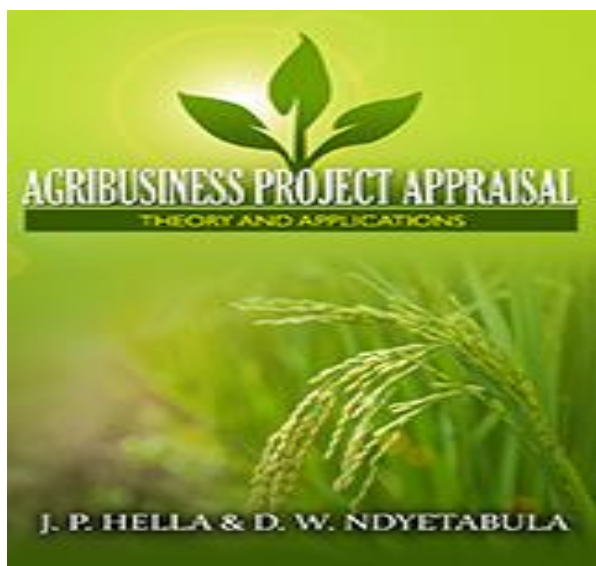
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## Books Published

Hella, J.P. and Ndyetabula, D.W. (In press). *Agribusiness Project Appraisal: Theory and Practices*. Adonis & Abbey Ltd. (Order your copy now).



## SAEBS Members Presented Papers at International Conference

Hella, J., P. and Sirikwa, E. (2016). *Entrepreneurial capability through cooperative arrangements for profitable rice production in Tanzania*. The paper was presented at Program for joint workshop on Innovation and Entrepreneurship in Cooperatives, the Private Sector and Public Services: Lessons from Sweden and Tanzania (September)

Hella, J.P. and Kazyoba, S.E. (2016). *Economics Feasibility of Using Compound Fertilizers for Sustainable Crop Production in Tanzania*. The paper was presented at the First Tanzania-OCP Africa stakeholders workshop held at New Africa Hotel, October.

Hella, J.P. and Wamba, A.P. (2016). *Analysis of Agricultural Production Options for Sustaining Uluguru Mountains Natural Resource Base: Multicriteria approach*. The paper was presented at the 1<sup>st</sup> Workshop of College of Research Associated at the United Nations University – Institute of Natural Resource resources in Africa (UNU-INRA) held at Royal Richester Hotel, Accra Ghana, in November.

## Continuing Research Activities at SAEBS

Organic Cotton for Employment, Growth and Environment (2015-2019) Funded by DANIDA (Prof J.P. Hella and Prof G.I. Mlay with 1 PhD student).

Leveraging on gender and market opportunities to maximize poverty and food security impacts among smallholder farmers in Sub-Saharan Africa (SSA) and SA (Prof Hella J.P. and Ms I. Pato with 1 MSc student).

## SAEBS 2016 Training

The School of Agricultural Economics and Business Studies under its Agribusiness Value Chain project (DANIDA funded project through Building Stronger Universities phase II Program) conducted a Pilot PhD course on Standards and Access to Market.



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**Course facilitators:** From right to left: Dr. Roselyne Alphonse, Prof. Olav Jull Sorensen, Dr. Zena Mpenda, Dr. Adam Akyoo and Dr. Felix Nandonde.

This course is among the five courses that will be taught in the upcoming PhD Agribusiness, which is expected to commence in September 2017.

The course was conducted on 14th to 25th November 2016, at SAEBS building. The course had 12 participants mainly from higher learning Institutions (namely Moshi Cooperative University, SUA and St. Augustine University of Tanzania), Research Projects and private companies. Course facilitators were Dr. Adam Akyoo, Dr. Zena Mpenda, Dr. Felix Nandonde, and Dr. Roselyn Alphonse from SAEBS-SUA in collaboration with a Danish partner from Aalborg University-Denmark, Prof. Olav Jull Sorensen.



*The course participants listening to the instructor, Dr Adam Akyoo, during the course.*

The course covered topics pertaining to standards but not limited to the following: Standards and it related terms, Typology of standards, Theoretical basis of Standards; Dimension of Standards on Market Access/trade; Standard conformity assessment; Standards and Global Value Chain; Modern Retailing and their Quality standards; Consumer and Standards; Local Food Suppliers and Ability to meet Retail Standards and Challenges of standards compliance in the south.



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*A group photo of participants with the course instructors.*

The course ended up by issuing certificate of attendance to the course participants, as way of appreciation for their participation.

The course also included lectures from guest speakers: Mrs. Agness Njau Mneney from Tanzania Bureau of Standards and Prof. Lusato Kurwijila-Expert and Member of Technical committee on setting milk standards in Tanzania.

## **Appointment**

**Dr Fulgence J. Mishili** was recently appointed as the Interim Acting Director of Consultancy and Services at Sokoine University of Agriculture. He is a Senior Lecturer in Agricultural Economics and Marketing in the School of Agricultural Economics and Business Studies (SAEBS).



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**CONVOCATION PRIZE LIST 2016  
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S/ N	NAME OF PRIZE	DONATED BY	AWARDED TO	VALUE (TSHS.)	AWARDEE(S) + GPAs
1	CRDB Prize	CRDB Bank	Overall best Final Year Student in B.Sc. Agricultural Economics and Agribusiness	TSh. 1,000,000.00	EFREM Gloria M. (F) (GPA 4.2) AEA/D/2013/0033
2	CRDB Prize	CRDB Bank	Overall Second Best Final Year Student in B.Sc. Agricultural Economics and Agribusiness	TSh. 500,000.00	NDUNGURU Francis (M) (GPA 4.2) AEA/D/2013/0006
3	SUA Vice- Chancellor's Prize	SUA Vice- Chancellor	Best 1 <sup>st</sup> year student in B.Sc. Agricultural Economics and Agribusiness	TSh. 50,000.00	MAJUVA, Jacqueline Patrick AEA/D/2015/0189
4	Dean's Award	Acting Dean	Best 2 <sup>nd</sup> Year student in B.Sc. Agricultural Economics and Agribusiness	TSh. 200,000.00	BENJAMIN, Aderick AEA/D/2014/0005
5	Prof. Damian Gabagambi Prize	Prof. Damian Gabagambi	Best 1 <sup>st</sup> Year student in Introduction to Agricultural Economics and Development	US\$. 50.00	NASSORO, Ayoub AEA/D/2015/0055
6	Prof. Aida Isinika Prize	Prof. Aida Isinika	Best 2 <sup>nd</sup> Year student in Production Economics	TSh. 200,000.00	DAUDI, Prisca AEA/D/2014/0010
7	Mwl. Joseph Hella Prize	Prof. Joseph Hella	Best 3 <sup>rd</sup> Year in Agribusiness Project Appraisal and Evaluation	US\$ 100.00	SAINI, Francis Moshi AEA/D/2013/0115
8	Prof. Mdoe Prize	Prof. Ntengua Mdoe	Best 2 <sup>nd</sup> year student in Microeconomics	TSh. 100,000.00	KAIJAGE, Dativa M (F) AEA/D/2014/0100
9	Prof. Mdoe Prize	Prof. Ntengua Mdoe	Best 3 <sup>rd</sup> year student in Human Resources Management	TSh. 100,000.00	ALEN, Alex (M) AEA/D/2013/0043



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10	Prof. Mlay Prize	Prof. Gilead Mlay	Best 3 <sup>rd</sup> Year male student in Econometrics	TSh. 100,000.00	BARTALOME, Godfrey Ngowi (M) AEA/D/2013/0049
11	Prof. Kilima Prize	Prof. Fredy Kilima	Best 3 <sup>rd</sup> Year female student in Econometrics	TSh. 100,000.00	SHITINDI, Leah Jimmiy (F) AEA/D/2013/0036
12	Prof. Kadigi Prize	Prof. Reuben M.J. Kadigi	Best 3 <sup>rd</sup> Year student in Natural Resources and Environmental Economics	TSh. 100,000.00	SHITINDI, Leah Jimmiy (F) AEA/D/2013/0036
13	Prof. Mbiha Prize	Prof. Emmanuel Mbiha	Best 2 <sup>nd</sup> Year student in Agricultural Price Analysis	TSh. 100,000.00	NJILE, MATANA (M) AEA/D/2014/0074
14	Samwel Augustino Massawe Memorial Prize	Shambani Graduates	Best Student in Introduction to Agribusiness (AEA 102)	TSh. 50,000.00	MAJUVA, Jacqueline Patrick AEA/D/2015/0189
15	Samwel Augustino Massawe Memorial Prize	Shambani Graduates	Best Student in Agribusiness and Entrepreneurship Development (AEA 210)	TSh. 50,000.00	KISHEBUKA, NEEMA STANFORD AEA/D/2014/0102
16	Samwel Augustino Massawe Memorial Prize	Shambani Graduates	Best 3 <sup>rd</sup> Year Student in Agricultural Finance and Credit Management	TSh. 100,000.00	KISAKA, Aveline A AEA/D/2013/0039



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