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**Position:** *Assistant Research Scientist-Tree Breeding*

## **1. PERSONAL INFORMATION**

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**1.6. GENDER;** Female

## **2. QUALIFICATIONS**

### **2.1. Academic Qualifications**

- 2013 –2017: Bachelor of Technology (Biotechnology), Technical University of Kenya  
2009 –2012: Kereri Girls’ High School (K.C.P.E)  
2004- 2008: Omobera Mixed Boarding Primary School (K.C.S.E)

### **2.2. Key Competencies**

- Excellent laboratory skills
- Extensive knowledge on Microsoft Office computer applications
- Quick learner, organized and requires minimum supervision at any workplace.
- Report writing skills
- Data analysis
- Ability to prioritize on work in response to deadline
- Excellent research skills

## **3. EMPLOYMENT HISTORY**

- December 2020- to date;** Assistant Research Scientist, Tree Breeding and Improvement, KEFRI
- October 2018 to April 2020;** Research Lab Technologist, Kenya Plant Health Inspectorate Service

**January 2018- July 2018;** Intern, National Biosafety Authority

#### **4. CONFERENCES/SEMINARS/WORKSHOPS**

##### **4.1. Participation in Workshops/Conferences**

13<sup>th</sup> November, 2018: Oxford Nanopore sequencing technology seminar at JKUAT.

14<sup>th</sup> November, 2018: Oxford Nanopore sequencing technology workshop at JKUAT

6<sup>th</sup> May, 2017: Biotechnology and research workshop at Technical University of Kenya.

4<sup>th</sup> March, 2016: Biotechnology and research workshop at Technical University of Kenya.

26<sup>th</sup> November, 2017: Occupational First Aid training by Kenya Red Cross society at Kisii.

#### **5. REFEREES**

1. Mr. Ivan Obare, Senior Plant Inspector, Kenya Plant Health Inspectorate Service, 0723-178-990, Email; [iobare@kephis.org](mailto:iobare@kephis.org)
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