

David Kahundha Muhwezi, Ugandan by birth, holds an MBA (Finance& Accounting) Degree and a Bachelor of Commerce (Management) with an Honors Degree from Makerere University. He is currently the University Secretary and the Accounting Officer Makerere University.

He has more than 15 years of professional experience in Public Administration, Financial Management, General Administration, Coordination of Operations University Financial Activities. Activities under this function include revenue mobilisation. accountability enforcement, coordination supervision of the preparation of University financial statements and reports to enforce compliance with Public Finance and Accountabilities Act (2003) of Uganda government.

His current duties include Preparation of University statements and reports like statement of financial performance, statement of financial position and cashflows. He is also in charge of enforcing accountability for staff of about 4,000 University employees, and ensuring fees payments from a population of about 35,000 students.

Recent Experiences

First Board Secretary for the Board of Trustees

He was the first Board Secretary of the Makerere University Retirement Benefits Scheme. He coordinated the Board activities, governance, and ensured that the beneficiaries were aware of their rights and obligations through sensitization and by designing members' booklets for their information.

He enforced compliance of contributions remittances to the Custodian and monitors the investment of funds by the Fund Managers. He has also ensured that the Trustee Deed and rules of the scheme are followed to the letter, and has been responsible for minute taking and safe filing.

Team Leader for Feasibility Study in Training Needs Assessment

Mr. KahundhaledtheteamthatcarriedoutaFeasibility Study in Training Needs Assessment, the Pilot and full project implementation of Capacity Building in Financial Management and Basic Accounting for Deans, Directors, Heads of Departments and Accounting Staff of Makerere University for Makerere University and the Government of Uganda financed by Rockefeller Foundation and World Bank;

Other experiences include:

Project Principal Investigator on the Challenges of Gender Mainstreaming in Fostering Good Governance in Uganda. The project was based on a case of Makerere University a research project sponsored by NORAD.

Project Director of Business Continuity Plan (BCP) for FINCA Uganda) Ltd MDI

Member of the Team that prepared the Finance Information System for Makerere University ICT Project, funded by NORAD

Member of the team that Evaluated the Performance of Income Generating Units for Makerere University

Member of the team that prepared of a Strategic Plan for the Finance Department of Makerere University for 2000 - 2008 and successor strategic plan 2008-

Member of the team that designed a short course in Gender, Training for Women in Africa for the Department of Women and Gender Studies of Makerere University

Member of the team that designed a short training courses for Gender mainstreaming division and Graduate school of Makerere University

Mr. Kahundha has a wealth of international exposure. He has represented Makerere University and Uganda in different capacities in conferences, working visits, and workshops in various countries including the Republic of Ireland, Canada, South Africa, Japan and Thailand among others.