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GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE. 40+ countries in Africa, Southeast Asia, North America and Europe.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2018 – 2019 **UNDP Guinea:** Team Leader- Develop National Climate Change Strategy of Guinea
2018 – 2019 **GIZ Eco-Consult:** Team Leader – conduct REDD+ feasibility study in Cameroon
2018 – 2018 **UNDP Eritrea/GEF:** Team Leader – Final evaluation of Adaptation project in Eritrea
2018 – 2018 **UNDP Liberia:** Team Leader- Assess climate vulnerability of agriculture, forest & fishery sectors in Liberia
2018 – 2018 **UNDP Gabon:** Adaptation Expert- Africa Adaptation Initiative – African Group of Negotiators
2018 – 2018 **IUCN Cameroon/GCF:** International Expert- Build NDA capacity, Develop GCF country programme
2018 – 2019 **PwC/NORAD:** REDD+ Expert- Midterm review of RRR+ REDD project in 21 countries
2018 – 2018 **GIZ:** Team Leader- Support 10 COMIFAC member States in the UNFCCC negotiations
2018 – 2018 **UNDP CAR/GCF:** Team Leader- Develop Central African Republic GCF country programme
2018 – 2018 **COMIFAC:** International Expert- Final evaluation of PREREDD project in 6 Congo Basin countries
2018 – 2018 **COMIFAC:** Team Leader- Prepare GCF readiness proposal for Congo basin CSO & Indigenous People
2018 - 2018 **World Bank/REDD+ Sudan:** Team Leader- Develop Sudan National REDD+ Strategy
2018 - 2018 **PNDP/AFD:** REDD+ Expert-Integrate REDD+ results into national REDD+ strategy-Cameroon
2017 – 2018 **CSE/GCF:** Team Leader-Build the capacity of NDA & actors on GCF readiness in Chad
2017 – 2018 **Ministry of Finance Gambia/GCF:** Develop GCF country programme for the Gambian
2017 – 2018 **World Bank /COMIFAC:** Team Leader: support COMIFAC in UNFCCC negotiations
2017 – 2017 **UNICEF/GWP:** Team Leader – assess WASH climate vulnerability in Cameroon
2017 – 2017 **WWF Central Africa:** Team Leader – Final evaluation of Green Economy project in 3 countries
2017 – 2017 **Congo/GCF:** International Expert – support private sector implication in GCF process
2017 – 2020 **CIDT /EU:** Team Leader -conduct M&E of FLEGT & REDD+ project in 6 Congo basin countries
2016 - 2016 **World Bank:** Team Leader- REDD+ feasibility study II and training in Zimbabwe
2016 - 2016 **CIDT University of Wolverhampton / EU:** Team Leader- FLEGT project evaluation
2016 - 2016 **COMIFAC/AFD:** Team Leader- NDC & Post Paris Action plan- Central Africa Region
2015 - 2016 **World Bank:** International expert - REDD+ feasibility study I
2016 - 2016 **African Forest Forum AFF:** Team Leader: Studies on REDD+, CDM and AFOLU NDC
2016 - 2016 **AFF:** Team member: Studies on Food, Fibre & Fuel (3F) nexus with climate change
2015 – 2016 **COMIFAC:** Technical lead- UNFCCC COP21 negotiations on Forest/REDD/NDC
2015 – 2016 **UNECA:** International Expert – Prepare NDC of 4 countries and support UNFCCC negotiations
2015 – 2015 **CDKN:** REDD+ Expert - Support African Group of Negotiators during UNFCCC negotiations
2014 – 2017 **University of Helsinki:** Coordinator – VITRI Climate Change Program
2012 – 2014 **WWF Central Africa Regional Program:** Coordinator – Forest and Climate Change Program
2009 – 2012 **University of Helsinki:** Researcher - Climate change adaptation & mitigation
2006 – 2009 **CIFOR:** Associate Professional Expert – Climate change adaptation
2004 – 2006 **University of Helsinki:** Junior Expert – Natural resource management
2000 – 2003 **Private secondary school science teacher:** Chemistry, Maths, Biology, Geography & Physics

ACADEMIC SUPERVISION: Supervise Master and PhD research work on climate change adaptation & mitigation

CLIMATE CHANGE PUBLICATIONS: More than 50 https://www.researchgate.net/profile/Fobissie_Kalame

OVER 100 INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS & MEETINGS ON CLIMATE CHANGE

- UNFCCC Conference of Parties (COP): 23, 22, 21, 20, 19, 18, 17, 15, 13.
- UNFCCC SBSTA/SBI: 48-2, 48-1, 47, 46, 45, 44, 43, 42, 41, 40, 39, 38, 37, 36, 35, 31, and 29.
- Drafting of Paris Climate Agreement: UNFCCC ADP 2-12, 2-11, 2-10, 2-9, 2-8, and 2-7.
- Drafting of rules for implementing Paris Agreement: UNFCCC APA : 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1