

## CURRICULUM VITAE

### Bio Data

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### Academic Background

YEAR	INSTITUTION	AWARD
2001 - 2002	Mulago Referral Hospital	Internship - MPS (Member of the Pharmaceutical Society of Uganda)
1995-2000	Makerere University	Bachelor of Pharmacy
1981 - 1983	Pune University	Master of Science (Chemistry)
1979 - 1981	Pune University	Bachelor of Science (Chemistry)

## **Skills and Abilities**

- Skills in Sales and Marketing
- Brand building
- Self motivation
- Plan and co-ordinate interactive discussions
- Ability to lead teams effectively, learn from challenges and adapt to new situations with high effective performance
- Driving skills

## **Work Experience**

- RENE PHARMACY LIMITED – Director Pharmacist - (June 2002 – till date)  
Worked as a Medical Representative in charge of Pharmathen, a Greek Pharmaceutical Company where I promoted a range of brands (drugs) on the Ugandan market. These ranges were in Cardiology, Gout, Gastro Enterlogy, Anti Infective and Anti Inflammatory Analgesics.
- RENE INDUSTRIES LIMITED – Technical Director - (June 1996 – Till date)  
Rene is dedicated to the development, production and sale of high quality, generic and branded pharmaceutical products. Responsibilities include leading and managing the technical development strategy and implementation on a cross-functional project team. Compile the technical development plan, considering the overall project strategy and plan with the project leader. Define and implement the technical development strategy for drug substance and drug product (fixed dose combination) within the project team and with involved third parties. Ensure that costs of goods (COGs) support the pricing strategy of providing affordable drugs to the market and region. Identify and select partner companies for activities necessary for technical development and production. Proactively manage the relationship with personnel and represent Rene’s aligned position with respect to the technical strategy and implementation. Ensure sufficient and timely supplies for clinical studies and the market. Manage development, analysis and production of dosage forms, including clinical and market forms. Prepare all relevant chemistry, manufacturing and controls (CMC) source documents necessary for regulatory filings or health authority interactions and review all other relevant CMC documents. Lead technical issue management throughout the approval process in key markets.
- RENE INVESTMENTS LIMITED – Director - (Dec 2005 – till date)  
Construction and Management of a Commercial Property on Plot 20 William Street , Kampala
- RUMEE INVESTMENT LIMITED – Director - (June 2010 – Till date)  
Construction and Management of a Commercial Property on plot 19 Lumumba

Avenue, Kampala. An ultra modern commercial building in the business district of Kampala.

- MAKERERE MEDICAL SCHOOL (PHARMACY) – Lecturer in Pharmaceutical Chemistry- January 2001 - January 2003. Lecturing third and fourth year students pursuing BPharm.

### **Other Positions**

- Science of the Soul Study Center, Uganda – Chairperson on the Board- January 2011- till date- A faith based NGO located in Namagoma, Masaka Road with headquarters in India. Actively run a charitable medical clinic at the same premises, providing health consultation and medicines to the neighboring community.
- International Woman’s Association (IWO) – Member – January 2005 – till date.
- Indian Woman’s Association (IWA) – Member – January 2000 – till date.

### **Languages**

- English - Excellent
- Hindi - Excellent
- Kiswahili - Fair

### **Hobbies / Interests**

- Reading
- Badminton and Basketball
- Yoga and Meditation
- Social interactions
- Arts and crafts
- Gardening

### **Referees:**

- Dr Mukonzo Jackson (Head of Pharmacology Department- Makerere Medical School of Pharmacy)
- Ms Donna Kusemerwa (Executive Secretary-National Drug Authority)
- Mr. Moses Kamabare (General Manager-National Medical Stores)
- Mr. Sylvester Kakooza (Representative for Uganda- Science of the Soul Study Center)

I hereby certify that the above information is my personal data.