



## **EIMAS Guest Scholar Workshop**

“An Introductory Look at the Geography of Africa”

### **Dr Cornelius Were Okello**

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Machakos University, Kenya

**12<sup>th</sup> to 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2021**

**NW III, H 36**

#### **Week 1 – Physical Geography of Africa**

Monday, 12 July, 4:00 pm – 5:30 pm:	Introduction to the Geography and Environment of Africa
Tuesday, 13 July, 8:00 am – 9:30 am:	Landscapes and Landforms of Africa
Wednesday, 14 July, 3:00 pm – 4:30 pm:	Drainage Systems of Africa
Thursday, 15 July, 4:00 pm – 5:30 pm:	Biomes, Flora and Fauna of Africa
Friday, 16 July, 2:00 pm – 3:30 pm:	Seminar/workshop: Climate Change in Africa – Impacts on Physical Geography of Africa

#### **Week 2 – Human and Economic Geography of Africa**

Monday, 19 July, 1:00 pm – 2:30 pm:	Peoples of Africa 1
Tuesday, 20 July, 10:00 am – 11:30 am:	Peoples of Africa 2
Wednesday, 21 July, 11:00 am – 12:30 pm:	Population Dynamics of African Nations
Thursday, 22 July, 11:00 am – 12:30 pm:	Economic Development in Africa
Friday, 23 July, 2:00 pm – 3:30 pm:	Seminar/workshop: Climate Change in Africa – Impacts on Development in Africa



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## About the Scholar:



**Dr. Cornelius Okello** is the Chairman and Lecturer at Department of Environmental Sciences, Machakos University. He is also an associate at University of Nairobi's Institute of Climate Change and Adaptation. He is an environmental scientist with a joint Erasmus Mundus doctoral degree in Marine and Coastal Management from University of Cadiz (Spain) and University of Bologna (Italy) and expert in climate change and freshwater resources. He also has a Joint European Masters in Water and Coastal Management from the University of Plymouth and Universidad de Cadiz. He has extensive experience in teaching, research, management projects, environmental impact assessments and audits, and working in multicultural organizations. Dr. Okello is a recipient on several research grants including National Geographic Society and Global Center on Adaptation. He is currently undertaking research on use of natural infrastructure to adapt to climate change in water sector of delta areas. He has also authored several articles in scientific peer-reviewed journals, with further author credits in three UNEP publications.

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