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EXPERTISE AND INTERESTS

Media; Development Communication; International Development; Human Rights; Youth; Development Induced Displacement; (Displaced by Development); Research; Public Speaking; Social media management; Blogging; Branding;

OUTSTANDING AWARDS AND ACHIEVEMENTS

- 2017 | Granted distinction of Associate Fellow of the Royal Commonwealth Society(RCS) for commitment to promoting the values of the commonwealth and working to improve the lives and prospects of Commonwealth citizens.
- 2016 | Received a Chevening Bronze award from Foreign and Commonwealth Office and the Chevening Secretariat for completing more than 25 hours of volunteering during the 2015/2016 academic year to give back to the UK community.
- 2016 | Co-founded Maphunziro265(www.maphunziro265.org), an initiative that supports the youth in Malawi through scholarships, mentorship and skills development.
- 2015 | Coordinated the United Nations My World Global Survey in Malawi to collect 40,000 votes from the Youth in Malawi with founding from the African Youth Panel
- 2015 | Awarded the 2015/2016 Chevening Scholarship to study MA in Development Studies at the University of Sussex.
- 2014 | Established, as founding National Coordinator, Youth to Youth Empowerment(Y2YE), a network of professional youth in Malawi
- 2013 | Created and managed a £143, 966 project, 'Dela Lathu, Chitukuko Chathu', with Zodiak Broadcasting Station which aimed at empowering citizens to define their development projects.
- 2010 | Awarded the 2010 DFID Health Research Capacity Strengthening Initiative(HRSCI) grant (\$400)-For final year project "*Analysis of Pakachere Print Media in Relation to HIV/AIDS levels*"

QUALIFICATIONS AND TRAINING

MA Development Studies, Institute of Development Studies (IDS), University of Sussex, September 2015-September 2016 (Brighton, United Kingdom)

Bachelor of Arts Media for Development, University of Malawi, Chancellor College, February 2007-December 2010 (Zomba, Malawi)

Certificate in Research and Report writing, Malawi Human Rights Commission and Irish Human Rights and Equality Commission, Lilongwe, Malawi, 2 June 2015

Certificate in Proposal Writing, Malawi Human Rights Commission and NHRI Capacity Development, Lilongwe, Malawi, 24 July 2014

Certificate in Sales and Marketing, Zodiak Broadcasting Corporation and 10 Jaar exchange, Lilongwe, Malawi, August 2013

WORK AND VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

CEO and Co-Founder, Maphunziro265, July-Present

Maphunziro-265(www.maphunziro265.org) was established to link scholars in need of financial support and scholarship providers in Malawi (corporate and individual providers). As CEO and Co-Founder, I have managed to:

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- Facilitate the development and implementation of fundraising and resource mobilization strategies;
- Projects Management including planning, implementation, monitoring, evaluation and reporting at high level;
- Management of Maphunziro265 volunteers, coaching, training and mentoring;
- Facilitate the development and implementation of the Strategic Plan of the Maphunziro265;
- Building partnerships, establishing relationships with the funders, and political and community leaders.

Influencer, Girl Effect Malawi (Lilongwe, Malawi) December 2017 to Present

Zathu is a Girl Effect Malawi branded media intervention primarily aimed at 1) increasing the perceived value of girls - both to girls themselves, and those around them and 2) improving girl's agency and empowering to create strong social connections, express their voice and improve their self-esteem and confidence. As influencer, my role involves:

- Raising awareness of Zathu in his jurisdiction and any other available forums
- Assisting in mobilizing young people in his community to consume the Zathu brand
- Providing regular feedback on the ways that they have promoted Zathu
- Providing updates/information on any relevant issues in their community e.g. passing of relevant bylaws, creating of youth clubs, initiatives to promote youth issues, etc.
- Participating in raising awareness on youth issues in general

Correspondent, the Commonwealth (London, United Kingdom) November 2016 to Present

As a correspondent, I:

- Develop opinions that are published at www.yourcommonwealth.com

Public Relations Officer, Malawi Human Rights Commission (Lilongwe, Malawi) March 2014- October, 2017

As a Public Relations Officer, I:

- Develop Communication strategies for projects implemented by MHRC directorates;
- Produce Press releases, Speeches, and talking points on various human rights issues;
- Mobilise members of the media to provide coverage for MHRC Activities;
- Develop content for MHRC social media accounts and website;
- Acts as a contact point on all matters pertaining to media and interface with the public through the provision of information on behalf of the Commission;

Social Media Ambassador (SMA), Chevening (London, United Kingdom) August, 2015 to July, 2016.

As a social media ambassador, I:

- Produced blogs for Chevening events that are published at www.chevening.org
- Provided live tweets and Facebook feed for Chevening events
- Recorded and shared videos of Chevening events using Instagram.

National Coordinator, Youth to Youth Empowerment, June 2014-July 2016

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Youth to Youth Empowerment is a platform of the Malawi Youth to engage with the youth and other development players including the government on issues of national development. As a National Coordinator, I was responsible for:

- Leading in the development and implementation of fundraising and resource mobilization strategies;
- Developing partnerships and establishing relationships with the Donors, Youth organisations and Youth Networks across Malawi;
- Project inception, implementation, and monitoring and evaluation;
- Management of Members of Youth to Youth Leadership team and its members in all the four regions in Malawi;
- Representing Youth to Youth Empowerment, at National, Regional and International level.

Desktop Publishing Lecturer (Human Rights and Broadcasting Media: Radio), Malawi Institute of Journalism (Lilongwe, Malawi) October 2013- December, 2014

The Malawi Institute of Journalism is a leading training institution for professional journalism. MIJ is the only training institution in Malawi with its own radio station and a newspaper, with over 10 years of experience MIJ is committed to maintaining excellence in developing media independence and professionalism. As a Part time lecturer, I have done the following:

- To engage in undergraduate teaching.
- To engage in examining duties, i.e. the production of exam questions/papers, exam marking and moderation.

Projects Officer(Producer/Presenter), Zodiak Broadcasting Station (Lilongwe, Malawi) October 2011 to March 2014

As a Projects Officer, I have done the following:

- Writing of Expression of Interests and Technical and financial proposals
- Inception, Implementation, Monitoring and Evaluation of Radio projects
- Material Collection, Scripting, Editing, Casting and Production of documentaries, special programs and magazine programs
- Networking with NGO's, CSO's, FBO's, CBO's, VDC's, ADC's, Private Sector and Government

CONSULTANCY

2017 Youth Mapping Exercise in Malawi

- BroadImpact Nigeria Limited on behalf of Open Society Foundation

2017 Internet Freedom and E-transaction Act Awareness Report

- mHub on Behalf of Internews

2017 Facilitating a Research Methods Module for four weeks

- Lilongwe University of Agriculture and Natural Resources

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2017 Presented on the Power of Social Media and advocacy at the Tax power training for Activista members at Simama hotel, Lilongwe from 26th to 28th September,2017.

- Action Aid Malawi

2017 Lead Facilitator/Trainer for Project Management and Proposal writing and resources mobilization training

- Skillsupdate(www.skillsupdate.org/teachers/chimwemwe-john-paul-manyozo/)

PUBLICATIONS (Non-Academic)

Conference Paper

Manyozo, C., Massah, B., Msosa, A., and Mtambo, T.(2016) The Role of the Media in ending violence against persons with albinism in Malawi, 'Advancing the rights of persons with albinism in Africa: A call to action', South Africa, 7-11 November 2016.

Blogs and Articles

Chan, S., & Manyozo, C. (2015, November 25). The Evolution of Rights Based Education and its Challenges. Retrieved September 10, 2016, from <http://www.ids.ac.uk/opinion/the-evolution-of-rights-based-education-and-its-challenges>

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Manyozo, C. (2016, May 4). Malawi: Hands Off People With Albinism in Malawi. Retrieved September 10, 2016, from <http://allafrica.com/stories/201605040179.html>

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CONFERENCES, SEMINARS AND MEDIA

Video Interviews

- <https://www.youtube.com/user/chimwemwepaul>

Panelist

- In 2015, I was a panelist during the World Bank 50 Years of operations in Malawi discussing on the topic What will it take to end poverty in Malawi.

Keynote speaker

- Malawi Assemblies of God students Dinner, 'leaders with substance', 18th November, 2017, Lilongwe, Malawi
- One Million Strong Conference, 'Facing the future: dealing with uncertainty and overcoming the fear of the unknown', 12 March, Capital City Baptist Church, Lilongwe, Malawi

Presenter

- In June 2016, I was part of the team that debated the motion, are referendums the most efficient way of deciding government policy? At Imperial College Business School, London on 6th February 2016.
- I made a presentation at 2016 Chevening Conference Global Ambitions, on *Development-induced Displacement, Resettlement and Rehabilitation*, at Birmingham University, United Kingdom, <http://www.chevening.org/scholars/events/2016/chevening-conference-2016-global-ambitions>

Organiser

- Malawi youth creating jobs forum, 10th April, 2018, Bingu International Conference(BICC) Centre supported by the World Bank Group
- 2014 Commemoration of International Human Rights Day by the Human Rights Commission with support from UNDP, and EU.

REFEREE'S

- referees will be provided upon request