CURRICULUM VITAE (May 2021)

a) NAME: RAMISCH, Joshua, Full Professor (tenured)

Department / School: School of International Development & Global Studies (SIDGS) Member of the Faculty of Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies: YES

b) DEGREES:

- 1998 **Ph.D.**, School of Development Studies, University of East Anglia, U.K.
- 1995 **B.Sc.**, International Development Studies (Co-operative), University of Toronto

c) EMPLOYMENT HISTORY:

- 2021- Full Professor, International Development & Global Studies, Univ. Ottawa
- 2010-21 Associate Professor, International Development & Global Studies, Univ. Ottawa
- 2006-10 Assistant Professor, International Development & Global Studies, Univ. Ottawa
- 2004-06 Visiting Scholar, Land Tenure Centre, University of Wisconsin–Madison, USA
- 2001-06 **Social Science Officer**, Tropical Soil Biology & Fertility (TSBF) Institute of CIAT (Centro Internacional de Agricultura Tropical), Nairobi, Kenya
- 1998-01 Research Coordinator, Agricultural Ecosystems Research Group, UW-Madison
- 1996-97 **Chercheur**, Équipe Systèmes de Production et de Gestion des Ressources Naturelles (ESPGRN), Sikasso, Mali

d) ACADEMIC HONOURS:

- 2018 Excellence in Teaching Award, Faculty of Social Science, University of Ottawa
- 1995-98 Commonwealth Scholar, University of East Anglia
- 1990-95 Entrance Scholarship, University of Toronto (renewed each year)
- 1992, 93 SKF Academic Award for highest aggregate marks in IDS-Coop Programme

e) SCHOLARLY AND PROFESSIONAL ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES:

- 2019 Adjunct Professor, School of Humanities & Social Sciences, Pwani University, Kenya
- 2018 (Sept-Dec) Visiting Fellow, Institute of Development Studies (IDS), Sussex, UK
- 2012- Member, Institute of Environmental Studies
- 2011-16 Member, Laboratoire d'études interdisciplinaires sur l'alimentation / Laboratory on the Interdisciplinary Study of Food

Major Administrative Roles within the School

- 2021- Director (interim), SIDGS
- 2019-21 Coordinator, Doctoral Program, SIDGS
- 2016-18 Coordinator, Doctoral Program, SIDGS
- 2012-15 Member, **Doctoral Program Committee**, SIDGS
- 2010-11 Coordinator, Masters Program, SIDGS
- 2008-10 Coordinator, Masters Program, Globalization and International Development (MDG)

6 Hiring Committees within the School:

- 2007, 2008, 2013, 2015 (SIDGS-IES joint hire), 2016 (2 posts), 2020 (2 posts)
- <u>1 Hiring Committee external to the university</u>: 2014 External Member (International Environment and Development Studies, Norwegian University of Life Sciences (NMBU), Oslo)

Other Service

- 2014-16 Faculty Teaching Personnel Committee (UofO, Social Sciences)
- 2012-15 SIDGS representative on Faculty Council (UofO, Social Sciences)
- 2010-18 Editorial Board Member, UofOttawa Press, International Development Collection
- 2014 **Reviewer, Canada Research Chair** (Tier 2, Sust. Agriculture & Food)
- 2012 **Reviewer** at Provincial level for the Ontario Graduate Scholarship (OGS)
- 2006-07 **Reviewer** for the National Science Foundation (NSF), USA

2001- **Reviewer** for the following 24 journals (alphabetic list): African Journal of Agricultural Extension and Education; African Affairs; Agricultural Systems; Agriculture & Human Values; Agriculture, Ecosystems & Environment; Anthropologica; Applied Geography; Canadian Journal of African Studies; Canadian Journal of Development Studies; Current Developments in Nutrition; East African Agricultural and Forestry Journal; Experimental Agriculture; Food Security; Food Policy; Human Organization; International Journal of Sustainable Agriculture; Journal of Aging and Social Policy; Journal of Development Studies; Journal of Political Ecology; Journal of Rural Studies; Land-use Policy; Natural Resources Forum; PLOS-One; World Development.

f) GRADUATE SUPERVISIONS:

Completed: 1 Ph.D., 36 Masters In progress: 4 Ph.D., 4 Masters

Supervisions								Comm	mmittees			
	Ph.D.		M.A.	/ M.Sc			Ph.D.	M.A. / M.Sc.				
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lifetime		1	1	7	11	18	36	9	18	15	42	

NAMES OF STUDENTS & THESIS / MAJOR RESEARCH PAPER (MRP) TITLES: 8 Degrees in progress (all as of May 2021)

4 Ph.D. students

Sept. 2019	Remy Bargout, Socio-political opportunities and bottlenecks for scaling Climate-Smart
present	Agriculture (CSA) gender programming in East Africa. Coursework completed; Preparing
	for comprehensive exam (Aug 2021).
Sept. 2017	Sandra Sagbohan, Impact of the Adoption of Mobile Banking on Rural Women's Saving
present	Groups: Case of Study of Plateau Region in Togo. Coursework and comprehensive exams
	completed; Proposal defended Aug. 2020; Fieldwork completed and writing ongoing.
Sept. 2015	Maurice Mukoie Dikaya, Vulnérabilité, résilience et forêts tropicales africaines :
present	Analyse empirique de l'empowerment dans le projet REDD+. Coursework and
	comprehensive exams complete; Proposal defended May 2018; Fieldwork completed
	and writing ongoing (targeting Aug. 2021 completion).
Sept. 2014	Wilfried Nonguierma, Assessing the Impact of Weather Index-based Insurance on
present	Within-Community Income Inequality: Evidence from Burkina Faso. Coursework &
	Comprehensive exams complete; Proposal defended June 2018; Fieldwork complete &
	writing ongoing (targeting Dec. 2021 completion).

4 Masters (M.A. or M.Sc.) students – University of Ottawa

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Sept 2020 –	Anton Michael Müller (MRP, Inst. of Environmental Sustainability) TBD: Interested in
present	indigenous forestry practices and climate adaptation
Nov. 2019 –	Hellen Atieno Konyango (MRP) Youth entrepreneurship in Kenya
present	
Sept. 2019 –	Sabine Viviane Ndolo Balock Epse Fouda Tsilla Otto (MRP) TBD: Elle s'intéresse aux
present	énergies renouvelables au Cameroun
Sept. 2019	Rebecca Sivel (MRP) The Impacts of Access to Weather Index-based Microinsurance on
- present	Smallholder Farmers in Rural Malawi

1 Masters of Environmental Studies (M.E.S.) students – Kenyatta University

May 2017 -	Floridah Kagendo (M.E.S.), Use of mobile phones and social media in enhancing
present	farmers' adaptation to climate variability in Kiambu county, Kenya. (Co-supervised
	with Dr. J. Koske, Dean of Environmental Studies), submitted Aug. 2020, awaiting Viva

36 Completed Degrees:

26 Masters (M.A. or M.Sc.) – University of Ottawa

	.A. or M.Sc.) – University of Ottawa
Nov. 2016 –	Cailean David (Thesis) Community, Crowdsourcing, and Commerce: WhatsApp
Nov. 2020	Messenger Groups for Agriculture in Kenya.
Oct. 2017 –	Claire Carine Kimana (MRP) The role of mobile money in women's entrepreneurship,
Sep. 2020	Nairobi, Kenya.
Mar. 2018 –	Melissa Fiocco (MRP, Graduate School in Public & International Affairs), Banking for
Aug. 2019	the Unbanked: The Promises, Pitfalls and Potentials of Mobile Banking.
Nov. 2015 –	Maria Fernanda Maxil Platas (Thesis) Harvesting the Future: The impacts of the
July 2018	Seasonal Agricultural Workers Program (SAWP) Mexico – Canada on the participants
	and in the development of the sending communities.
Oct. 2016 –	Aïcha Koné (Thesis) Changement climatique, Gaz à effet de serre et secteur (AFAT)
Apr. 2018	Agriculture, Foresterie et Autres utilisations des Terres. Étude de cas : Brésil et Côte
	d'ivoire.
Nov. 2015 –	Maureen Owoko (MRP) Mobile Phones and Women's Empowerment: A study of
Apr. 2018	women in rural Kenya
Sept. 2016 –	Shwetha Yegna (MRP, Inst of Environmental Sustainability) Canada's food guide and
Aug. 2017	the carbon footprint consequences of consumption choices.
Sept. 2016 –	Wilver Ongoro (MRP, Inst of Environmental Sustainability) Sustainable use of Wetland
Aug. 2017	Ecosystems in Kenya's Food Basket: Building Resilience in the face of climate change.
Oct. 2015 -	Yassine Ben Rejeb (MRP) Sustainability Partnerships for NGOs in International
Apr. 2017	Development: Towards an Adaptable Model of Social Franchising for Achieving and
	Sustaining a Wider Scale of Impact
Oct. 2015 –	Brenna Croal (MRP, Inst of Environmental Sustainability) Caribou Variability and Inuit
Aug. 2016	Food Security: A case study of Iqaluit and the Baffin Island Caribou herd.
Mar. 2015 –	Pamela Tom-Jack (MRP, Graduate School in Public & International Affairs), The
Apr. 2016	Evolving Geopolitical Relations of Nigeria and China: What is the impact of the Nigeria-
	China trade and direct investment on the Nigerian economy?
Jan. 2014 –	John-Eric Teehan (MRP), Towards a New Green Revolution? Exploring Competing
Dec. 2015	Approaches to Food Security In the Aftermath of Malawi's Agriculture Success Story
Dec. 2014 –	Olga Gurts (MRP), Who profits from ecosystem services? The winners and losers of
Aug. 2015	forestry PES schemes in Costa Rica and beyond.
Jan. 2014 –	Maurice Mukoie Dikaya (MRP), Du double usage du mécanisme REDD+: La lutte
May 2015	contre le changement climatique et la réduction de la pauvreté rurale.
Jan. 2013 –	Mohammed Noorani (Thesis), To Farm or Not to Farm? A Study of the Factors
Dec. 2014	Influencing Rural Youth Migration from Farming to Non-farming Careers: A Case Study
	of Rural Youth in Kiambu County, Kenya
Jan. 2012 –	Eunice Njoroge (MRP, Graduate School in Public & International Affairs), Urban
Dec. 2014	Agriculture as a Livelihood for Urban Poor: Opportunities, Obstacles, and Policy
	Implications for sub-Saharan African Cities.
Nov. 2012 –	Lynsey Longfield (Thesis, Joint program with Institute of Environmental Studies),
Sept. 2014	Challenges and Opportunities Shaping Smallholders' Engagement with Formal &
	Informal Markets for Food & Livelihood Security: A Rift Valley, Kenya Case Study.

Jan. 2011 –	Nathalie Rainville (MRP), Women at the Center of Food Security in Ghana? An analysis
Aug. 2014	of National Investment Plans' Support of Women in Agricultural Development .
Mar. 2010 –	Pierre-Anne Turmel (Thesis), Développement agricole dans le Sud du Rwanda : Étude
Aug. 2012	du processus de participation locale.
Mar. 2008 –	Tara McDonald (Thesis), Ignoring a Silent Killer: Obesity pandemic and Food Security in
July 2012	the Caribbean. Case Study: Barbados.
Feb. 2010 –	Mayssam Zaaroura (Thesis), Forgotten Revolutionaries: Reflections on Political
June 2012	Emancipation for Palestinian Refugee Women in Lebanon
Jan. 2011 –	Youcef Touizrar (MRP, Graduate School in Public & International Affairs), The EBA's
Aug. 2012	modest impact: Understanding the Everything But Arms initiative within the European
	Union's broader agricultural trade policy environment.
Jan. 2011 –	Mélissa Therrien (MRP), L'humanitaire en état de guerre: Rôles, limites et
July 2011	conséquences de l'aide humanitaire internationale sur le conflit du Darfour au Soudan
	(2003-2009).
Jan. 2008 –	Jocelyne Batchono (MRP), La désertification au Burkina Faso : les tenants et
Apr. 2011	aboutissants de la lutte.
Sept. 2008 –	Eric Shalom (MRP), Current Conceptualizations of Emergency Education in Academic
Dec. 2009	and Policy Literature: A Case Study of Dadaab
Sept. 2006 –	Zahra Esmail (MRP), A Critical Problem with Rural Microfinance: Understanding Why
Sept. 2007 *	Microfinance Field Workers Fail to Target the Extreme Poor in Rural Bangladesh.

1 Ph.D. - Other Institutions

2004 – 2007	Michael Tatuli Misiko (Ph.D.), Fertile ground? Soil fertility management and the		
	African smallholder (Wageningen University, Netherlands) (co-supervised with Dr. P.		
	Richards)		

10 Masters (M.A. or M.Sc.) – Other Institutions

2012-2017	Elizabeth Nyagoha Mugwang'a (M.E.S.), An assessment of the factors affecting the
	adoption of drought tolerant crops in Ganze district, Kilifi County, Kenya.
	(co-supervised with Dr. James Kung'u, Dept. of Environmental Studies)
2012-2015	Everlyne Binyanya Obwocha (M.E.S.), Assessment of impacts of climate change and
	variability on food security in West Pokot county, Kenya. (co-supervised with Dr. Paul
	Obade, Dept. of Environmental Studies, Kenyatta University (KU))
2005 – 2007	Caren Akech (M.A.), Socioeconomic & gender factors that influence adoption and use
	of integrated soil fertility management technology: case study of Emuhaya division in
	western Kenya. (co-supervised with Dr. Mutie, Sociology, University of Nairobi (UoN))
2003-2005	Somoni Franklin Mairura (M.Sc.), Identification of local plants as indicators of soil
	quality in the Eastern African region. (Institute of Environmental Sciences (IES), KU)
2002-2004	Ruth Adiel Kangai (M.Sc.), Assessment of adoption potential of soil fertility
	improvement technologies in Chuka Division, Meru South, Kenya, (IES, KU)
2001-2004	Julius Mumo Maithya (M.Sc.), The competitiveness of agroforestry-based and other
	soil fertility enhancement technologies for smallholder food production in western
	Kenya. (Department of Agricultural Economics, UoN)
2003-2005	John Mwaura Macharia (M.Sc.), Economic optimization of integrated soil fertility
	management strategies for maize-based production systems: A case study of
	smallholder farm typologies in Central Kenya. (Dept. of Agricultural Economics, UoN)
2001-2004	Nelson Juma Otwoma (M.A.) The role of indigenous knowledge in the management of
	soil fertility among smallholder farmers of Emuhaya division, Vihiga district.
	(Institute of African Studies (Department of Anthropology, UoN)

2001	Michael Tatuli Misiko (M.A.), The potential of community institutions in dissemination and adoption of agricultural technologies in Emuhaya, western Kenya. (Inst. of African Studies (IAS), UoN)
2001	Ketray Okusi (M.A.), The influence of research institutions on farmers' management practices in Luanda Division, Vihiga District, Kenya. (IAS, UoN)

Thesis / Major Research committees (42 completed, 7 current)

7 ONGOING Committees – University of Ottawa:

3 Ph.D.	Nadège N'Guessan; Somed Shahadu (DVM); Babajide Idowu (Common Law)
4 MA	Nicole Mwirima Kahindo; Brooke Ward; Emily Simmons (DVM); Ellen Helker-Nygren (IES)

35 COMPLETED Committees – University of Ottawa:

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6 Ph.D.	2020: Laura Beckwith; Shingirai Taodzera (DVM)
	2019: Taru Manyanga (Institute of Population Health)
	2018: Yasmine Benbelaid (DVM)
	2014: Stella Muthuri (Institute of Population Health)
	2013: Adebola Ogunba (Law)
29 MA	2021: Rebecca Dick (MRP, Feb.; DVM-IES)
	2020: Gabrielle Marseille (MRP, May); Ann-Kathryne Lassegue (MRP, Dec)
	2019: Meaghan Gallant (MRP, Dec)
	2018: Karen Moore (Thesis, Nov.; DVM-IES)
	2017: Laurie-Pier Vezina (Thesis, July); Ode Lunardi (Thesis, July); Kelsey Buchmayer
	(Thesis, Mar.); Clothilde Parent-Chartier (Thesis, May); Jeanne-Joëlle Inyibuke (MRP,
	May)
	2016: Catherine Martel (Thesis, Mar.); Jessica Currie (MRP, Aug.; IES); Hugo Eizo Narumiya
	(MRP, Aug.); Jennifer Oberhammer (Thesis, Aug.)
	2015: Lisa Weighton (Thesis, May), Ashley Featherstone (MRP, Aug.)
	2014: Joel Ratcliffe (Thesis, Apr.); Stéphanie Clarke (MRP, Apr.); Jonathan Woof (MRP,
	Nov.)
	2013: Jason Carkner (Thesis, Jan.); Emily Pearson (Thesis, May); Y. Benbelaid (Thesis, Aug.)
	2012: Claire Ngare (MRP, Apr.)
	2010: Umesha de Silva (Thesis, Nov.); Sara Klimes (MRP, Aug.); J. Shackleton (MRP, Aug.)
	2008: Christine Baillargeon (Thesis, Nov.); Kofi Akosah-Sarpong (MRP, Aug.)
	2007: Maham Hai (MRP, Dec.)

7 COMPLETED Committees at Other Institutions:

3 Ph.D.	2021: Norina Jabeen (PhD, Rural Sociology), University of Agriculture Faisalabad, Pakistan
	2020: Moses Mosonsieyiri Kansanga (Geography) Western University, London, Ont.
	2016: Beth Mburu (Geography) Carleton University
4 MA	2018: Esther Karissa; Benjamin Alwang' (Thesis, Environmental Studies) KU, Kenya
	2015: Edgar Kadenge (Thesis, Environmental Studies) Musinde Muliro University, Kenya
	2009: Peter Millanga (Thesis, Geography) Carleton University

8 UofO STUDENTS TRAINED AS RESEARCH ASSISTANTS:

- 2 Ph.D. students: Wilfried Nonguierma (2017); Midori Kaga (2017)
- 3 MA students: Everlyne Binyanya (2012-13); Katie Lloyd (2011-12), Asim Qasim (2009 and 2010)
- 3 BA students: Paige Inglis (2015-16); Amanda Palmer, Ashley Pereira (both 2010)

g) GRADUATE COURSES:

- DVM 85112 Théories, politiques et pratiques de développement international (2019-20) [full year doctoral core course, co-taught with Stephen Baranyi]
- DVM 8508 Séminaire de recherche doctoral en développement (5 times: 2015-19) [doctoral core course]
- **DVM 8109** Theories of International Development (2015, 2017) [doctoral core course]
- DVM 6102 Livelihoods, Sustainability, and Natural Resource Management (2012; 2014; 2015)
- MDG 5196C Food Security and Globalization (2010)

Directed Readings:

- DVM 6100 Agriculture and development as performance (2020), Remy Bargout (PhD candidate)
- DVM 6100 Food sovereignty and indigenous peoples (2011), Maude Derome (MA candidate)

h) EXTERNAL RESEARCH FUNDING:

Year	Source	Type*	Total Grant	Purpose
2015-23	SSHRC	С	CAD \$146,059	Research (P.I.)
2011-13	SSHRC	С	CAD \$27,442	Research (P.I.)
2011-12	AUCC	G	CAD \$13,500	Research (co-P.I.)
2007-10	National Science	G	USD \$184,000 (total)	Research (co-P.I.)
	Foundation (NSF)			
2005-08	IDRC	G	USD \$450,000	Research (P.I.)
2005	SANREM-CRSP	G	USD \$45,000	Planning grant,
	(USAID)			travel (co-P.I.)
2001-05	IDRC	G	USD \$375,000	Research (P.I.)

^{*}Type: C-Granting councils; G-Government; F-Foundations; O-Other

i) INTERNAL RESEARCH FUNDING:

Year	Source	Type*	Amount per year	Purpose
2013	Prog. 4A SSHRC seed	FSS	CAD\$ 3,533.00	Research assistant
	money			& seed money
2009-10	Research Devt.	FSS	CAD\$ 7,294.80	Research assistant
	Program (RDP)	UofO	CAD\$ 9,348.42	Research assistant
				& field research

^{*} FSS = Faculty of Social Sciences; UofO = University of Ottawa

j) **PUBLICATIONS**:

• Life-time summary:

- Books authored	0
- Books edited	1
- Refereed Chapters in books	21
- Non-refereed Chapters in books	
- Papers in refereed journal	
- Papers in refereed conference proceedings.	1
- Major invited contributions and/or technical reports	2
- Abstracts and/or papers read	33
- Others (workshops presented)	0

• Details in the same categories (Last 8 years only, **2013 – present**):

3 Refereed Chapters in Books (21 lifetime):

- 1. **Ramisch, J.J.** (2021) Rural Development. [Completely revised] Chapter 19 in Haslam, P.A., J. Schafer, P. Beaudet, (eds.) *Introduction to International Development: Approaches, Actors, and Issues*. (4th edition) Don Mills: Oxford University Press. Pp. xx-xx. [in press]
- 2. **Ramisch, J.J.** (2017) Rural Development. Chapter 18 in Haslam, P.A., J. Schafer, P. Beaudet, (eds.) *Introduction to International Development: Approaches, Actors, and Issues*. (3rd edition) Don Mills: Oxford University Press. Pp. 341-361.
- 3. **Ramisch, J.J.** (2014) 'We will not farm like our fathers did': Multilocational livelihoods, cellphones, and the continuing challenge of rural development in western Kenya. Chapter 2 in D. Sick, (ed.) *Rural Livelihoods, Regional Economies, and Processes of Change*. Routledge. Pp. 10-35. DOI: 10.13140/2.1.1557.6003

4 Papers in Refereed Journals (14 lifetime):

- 1. **Ramisch, J.J.** (2021) Rejecting waithood: Motorcycles, masculinity, and freedom on the road to development in Nairobi, Kenya. *African Affairs* [approved with revisions, Dec. 2020]
- 2. Silva, J.V., **J.J. Ramisch** (2018) Whose gap counts? The role of yield gap analysis within a development-oriented agronomy. *Experimental Agriculture* (special issue; FirstOnline), 1-28. DOI: 10.1017/S0014479718000236
- 3. **Ramisch, J.J.** (2016). 'Never at ease': Cellphones, multilocational households, and the metabolic rift in western Kenya. *Agriculture and Human Values*, 33(4), 979-995. DOI: 10.1007/s10460-015-9654-3
- 4. **Ramisch, J.J.** (2014). 'They don't know what they are talking about': Soil fertility knowledge, cognitive dissonance, and experimental practice in western Kenya. *Geoforum*, 55: 120-132. DOI: 10.1016/j.geoforum.2014.05.009

8 Conference papers (33 lifetime):

- 1. Dikaya, M.D, **J.J. Ramisch** (2020) Discourse, Knowledge and Power: Engaging Forest Carbon in restructuring Local Development Committees. *POLLEN (Political Ecology Network)*. Virtual Conference, Brighton, UK, Sept. 22-25, 2020.
- 2. **Ramisch, J.J.** (2019) We make others wait now: Youth, motorcycles, and masculinities on the road to development in Kenya. *African Studies Association of Africa*. Nairobi, Kenya, Oct. 24-26, 2019.
- 3. **Ramisch, J.J.** (2018) Motorcycles and masculinities on the road to development in Kenya. *Canadian Association of Social-Cultural Anthropologists (CASCA)*. Santiago de Cuba, May 16-20, 2018.
- 4. **Ramisch, J.J.** (2017) Is this a bad time to call? Mobile phones, migrants, and the (mis-) communication of climate information in Kenya. *American Association of Geographers*. Boston, MA, April 5-8, 2017.
- 5. **Ramisch, J.J.** (2016) Where's the gap? The social construction of yield gaps and farmers' practice. *Contested Agronomies*. IDS Sussex, Brighton UK. Feb. 22-25, 2016.
- 6. **Ramisch, J.J.** (2014) Walking in their shoes: The social context of farmers' decision-making. Invited Keynote Speech for the *2014 Global Legume Innovation Lab Meeting*. Athens, Greece, May 10-16, 2014.
- 7. **Ramisch, J.J.** (2014) Lost in transition: Cellphones, multilocational livelihoods and agrarian change in Kenya. *American Association of Geographers*. Tampa, FL, April 8-12, 2014.
- 8. **Ramisch, J.J.** (2013) Why do we keep farming? Valuing land and soil in the densely settled western Kenyan highlands. *American Association of Geographers*. Los Angeles, CA, April 9-13, 2013.

SIGNATURE:

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30 Apr. 2020