

Technical Review Panel Member CV Form

Name: Radeny Samson
Nationality: Kenya
Additional languages:
Expertise: HIV

Qualification:

Qualification	Institution	Department	Year
Philosophy Doctorate (PhD)	Nairobi University, Kenya	Sociology	2003
Master of Arts (MA)	Nairobi University, Kenya	Sociology	1993
Bachelor of Social Work (BSW)	Nairobi University, Kenya	Social Work	1991

Regional Experience: Resident experience in Kenya, Uganda, Tanzania, Ethiopia and Malawi and technical assistance role in Nigeria, Ghana, Somaliland, Eritrea and South Africa

Additional Areas of Expertise:

Behavior change communication, program design and management, adolescent reproductive health, community systems development/strengthening and community mobilization

Employment History:

Employer	Position	Place	Year
Pact Inc.	Chief of Party, PEPFAR/USAID HIV/OVC program in Ethiopia. Primary responsibilities as Chief of Party include: provision of overall technical and management oversight for planning, implementation, monitoring and evaluation of the program; supervision and building capacity for technical staff to enhance effective support to implementing partners and to assure effective service delivery; establishment and/or strengthening of networks of care	Ethiopia	September 2011 to date

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	and support players at national and regional levels to enhance effective learning, exchange of innovations and sharing of promising practices; management of program resources to ensure efficient utilization of funds and transparent reporting to donors; monitoring of progress and evaluation of program impact to determine performance, proactively identifying issues and gaps, and generating sustainable solutions; and documentation and dissemination of lessons learned through local and international media networks.		
Catholic Relief Services (CRS)	Chief of Party for PEPFAR/USAID Integrated HIV/AIDS prevention, care and treatment program. Key responsibilities included: planning, directing and overseeing project implementation, and ensuring that deliverables and functionality were achieved as defined in the detailed implementation plan and country operational plans. Additional, responsibilities included the management of all resources assigned to the project; serving as primary liaison between the project and the higher level management and relationship structures including the CRS Country Representative, the donor, the Advisory Board, as well as Government of Malawi.	Malawi	July 2010-September 2011
Save the Children USA, International non-governmental organization	Chief of Party HIV/OVC program in Ethiopia: Provides overall technical leadership and direction in program planning, implementation, evaluation and reporting. I manage a consortium of nearly 40 local and international partners, provides direction in project planning and implementation. I review partner proposals and annual plans and provide technical assistance as needed to assure quality.	Ethiopia	June 2007 - June 2010
Johns Hopkins University Center for Communication Programs	Regional Program Advisor - youth prevention program for Kenya and Tanzania: Responsible for technical oversight, design of behavior change strategies, technical support to national and regional partners, evaluation and reporting on progress, and coordination with host government and donors.	Kenya and Tanzania	April 2005 - June 2007
Medical Assistance Program (MAP)	Regional Program Director: managed a portfolio of health and community development programs in six east and	Kenya	July 2003-Mar 2005

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International, an international NGO	southern Africa countries. I was in charge of program development -including resource mobilization, planning, implementation and evaluation processes. I provided technical support to in-country technical teams.		
Program for Appropriate Technology in Health (PATH), an international NGO	Senior Program Officer: I provided leadership for programs on youth reproductive health including STI/HIV prevention, eradication of harmful cultural practices, gender equity and behavior change communication. I provided technical assistance in behavior change communication to at least five countries in east and west Africa, in addition to managing four large multi-country grants.	Kenya	July 1995- June 2003
University of Nairobi	Lecturer: Taught sociology and social work, conducted research on various sociological concerns and supervised students writing dissertations.	Kenya	Nov 1994- June 1995
Center for the Study of Adolescence (CSA) an NGO	Research Fellow: Supported senior researchers to undertake and publish studies on youth reproductive health. I was involved with literature reviews, data collection, entry and drafting of reports.	Kenya	Aug 1993-Oct 1994

Relevant Publications:

Radeny, S. and Bunkers, K. (2009): Toolkit for Positive Change - Providing Family-focused, Results-Driven and Cost-Effective Programming for orphans and Vulnerable Children. United Printers, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia.

Radeny, Samson, Mohamud Asha and Ringheim Karin (2006): "Community -based Efforts to End Female Genital Mutilation - Raising Awareness and Organizing Alternative Rites of Passage." In Abusharaf Rogaia Mustafa (Ed.): Female Circumcision - Multicultural Perspectives. University of Pennsylvania Press, Philadelphia, USA.

Askew, I., Chege J., Njue, C., Radeny Samson (2004): A multi-sectoral Approach to Providing Reproductive Health Information and Services to young people in western Kenya: The Kenya Adolescent Reproductive Health Project. The Population Council, New York.

Mohamud, Asha, Radeny Samson, Nancy Yinger (2002) in Haberland N., and Measham D. (Ed.): Responding to Cairo: Case Studies of changing practice in reproductive health and family planning. The Population Council, New York.

Njau, Wangoi and Radeny, Samson (1995): Adolescence in Kenya: The Facts; Mung'etho Consultants, Nairobi.

Additional Information:

