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EDUCATION

- Ph.D. Student in Agricultural Economics, Kansas State University (Since Fall 2016)
- MSc in Agricultural Economics at New Mexico State University, USA, Summer 2016
- MSc in International Development at Hankuk University for Foreign Studies, South Korea, Spring 2012
- Agricultural Engineer (Plants' Production) at Lomé University, Togo, Spring 2008

PROFESSIONAL DIPLOMA

- Diploma in Monitoring and Evaluation, National Institute of Labor Economics Research and Development, Delhi (India), From November 2013 to January 2014.
- Diploma in Policy Program Planning and Result-Based Management, IDEA (Canada), April 2014.

- Diploma in Project Analysis, Egyptian International Center for Agriculture, Cairo (Egypt), From January to April 2009.

PUBLICATION(S) AND WORKING PAPERS

- Are smallholder farmers better or worse off from an increase in the international price of cereals? T Nakelse, TJ Dalton, NP Hendricks, M Hodjo - Food Policy, 2018
- Evaluating Coupon Program Effects on Farming Households' Food Self-Sufficiency. Do Intentions Matter? (Under review); M Hodjo, TJ Dalton, T Nakelse, R. Acharya, B Don
- Does crops diversification enhance food security in Niger? (In progress) M Hodjo, TJ Dalton, T Nakelse, R. Acharya, B Don

CONFERENCE PAPERS AND THESIS

- Who has the time? Gender, Labor and Willingness to Pay for Mechanized technology in Bangladesh and Ethiopia; Ben Schwab, Manzamasso Hodjo (2018). Presented at American Agricultural Economics Association annual meeting (Washington, USA)
- Analyzing Policy impact and economic relationship among goods on the rice market in Togo; Manzamasso Hodjo, Ram Acharya (2016). Presented at Southern Agricultural Economics Association annual meeting (Atlanta, USA)
- Corn and Rice Yield and Acreage Response to Prices, Policy and Climate Factors in Togo; Manzamasso Hodjo, Ram Acharya (2015). Presented at Southern Agricultural Economics Association annual meeting at San Antonio (USA).

- Msc thesis in Agricultural Economics: Policy Impact on Food Self-sufficiency and Food Security Empirical Evidence from Two African Countries; Manzamasso Hodjo (2016); Advisor: Ram N. Acharya
- MSc thesis in International Development: Synthetic Analysis of Rice Production in South Korea 1950-1980: Inspirational element for promoting rice production in Togo ; Manzamasso Hodjo (2012); Advisor: Miezan EKRA, PhD
- Agricultural Engineering (Plants' Production) thesis: Contribution to knowledge of genetic resources of Togo: Inventory of Sesame (*Sesamum indicum*) growing in Kara region, Togo; Manzamasso Hodjo (2008); Advisor: Widi TCHALA, PhD

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- Graduate Research Assistant
 - o Feed the Future innovation lab for Collaborative Research on Sorghum and Millet (Since Fall 2018)
 - o Feed the Future innovation lab for Small Scaled Mechanization (Fall 2016-Summer 2018)
- Agricultural Engineer
 - o Analysis Officer at Planning and development Ministry of Togo (January 2nd, 2010 to August 15th 2014)
 - o Research and Extension Officer in the Agriculture, Livestock and fishery Ministry of Togo (January 2nd, 2007 to December 31st, 2009)
 - o Deputy CEO of the Center for Support and training for Self-Development Initiative (NGO), Elavagnon in Togo (June 2006 to July 2011)

LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

- President-elect of Graduate Student Council of Kansas State University (2018-2019). Becoming President of the council for 2019-2020 academic year
- General Secretary of African Student Union at Kansas State University (2017-2018)
- Co-chair of Research Forum Committee, Graduate Student Council, K-state (2017-2018)

AREA OF INTEREST

- Applied Economics
- Microeconomics
- Spatial Production Analysis
- New technologies adoption Impact analysis
- Access to market and food security assessment

TECHNICAL STRENGTHS

- Statistical software: STATA, R-studio, SAS
- Spatial Software: ArcGIS, QGIS

LANGUAGES

- English: (Fluent in writing and speaking)
- French: (Fluent in writing and speaking)
- Kabye: (Fluent in speaking)
- Ewe: (Fluent in speaking)