

## **CV Prof. Dr. Teshoma Mossissa**

Jimma University, Ethiopia

### ➤ **PERSONAL INFORMATION**

Family name, First name: Mossissa, Teshome Egere

Researcher unique identifier (ORCID): \_\_\_\_\_

Date of birth: 12/09/1975

Nationality: Ethiopian

URL for website: \_\_\_\_\_

### ➤ **EDUCATION**

2013 *PhD or 'Habilitation':* **PhD in Literature**

*Title of the dissertation:* **A Feminist Reading of Selected Novels in Afaan Oromo: Deconstruction in Focus.**

*Grade obtained (e.g. 'distinction'):* **Satisfactory (I got V. Good at proposal and Up-grading, the final defense was due to ideological difference between me and the external examiner)**

*Name of Faculty/ Department, Name of University/ Institution, Country:* **Institute of Language Studies, Addis Ababa University**

*Name of PhD Supervisor:* **Dr. Berhanu Matthewos**

1994 *Master:* **Masters in Literature**

*Grade obtained (e.g. 'distinction'):* **Good**

*Title of the master thesis:* **A Portrayal of Females in Dhaaba Wayessa's Prose Fiction**

*Name of Faculty/ Department, Name of University/ Institution, Country :* **Institute of Language Studies, Addis Ababa University**

### ➤ **CURRENT AND PREVIOUS POSITION(S)**

2021 – Ongoing **Associate Professor at College of Social Sciences and Humanities, Department of English Language and Literature & at Institute of Oromo Studies, Jimma University, Ethiopia.**

2014 – 2015 **Coordinator of Community Based Education and Partnership, Jimma University, Ethiopia.**

### ➤ **FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS**

- November 2021: Research stay at Ghent University.

This research stay was awarded by the **Ghent Africa Platform**, based on an application for a short stay research fellowship to Ghent University. Activities:

- Meetings between colleagues Inge Brinkman of Ghent University and Prof. Peter Wasamba of the University of Nairobi to set up collaboration between Jimma University, Ghent University and University of Nairobi.
- Guest lectures in courses
- Proposal preparation (of Team Vliir-Uos proposal)
- Study time in library

### ➤ **SUPERVISION OF GRADUATE STUDENTS AND POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWS**

2016-2020 (Completed): **Two PhD students, Institute of Language Studies and Journalism, Wollega University, Ethiopia.**

2021-2022 (ongoing): **Two PhD students, Institute of Language Studies and Journalism, Wollega University, Ethiopia.**

2021-2022 (on going): **One PhD student, College of Social Sciences and Humanities, Bule Hora University, Ethiopia.**

2021-2022 (ongoing): **One PhD student, College of Social Sciences and Humanities, Jimma University, Ethiopia.** This concerns a Joint Ph.D. project between Ghent University and Jimma University.

➤ **TEACHING ACTIVITIES (if applicable)**

- November 2021: Guest lectures in the course 'Introduction into African Literatures', Ghent University, Belgium.
- 2021-2022: Comparative Literature and Translation (PhD students), College of Social Sciences and Humanities, Jimma University, Ethiopia.
- 2021-2022: Stylistics and the Teaching of Literature (PhD students), College of Social Sciences and Humanities, Jimma University, Ethiopia.
- 2021-2022: Survey of Oromo Literature (PhD students), College of Social Sciences and Humanities, Bule Hora University, Ethiopia.
- 2021: Theories of Folklore and Literature (PhD students), College of Social Sciences and Humanities, Bule Hora University, Ethiopia.
- 2020-2021: Survey of Oromo Literature (PhD students), College of Social Sciences and Humanities, Bule Hora University, Ethiopia.
- 2020-2021: Comparative Literature and Translation (PhD students), College of Social Sciences and Humanities, Jimma University, Ethiopia.
- 2020-2021: Stylistics and the Teaching of Literature (PhD students), College of Social Sciences and Humanities, Jimma University, Ethiopia.
- 2014 – 2018 Literature and Language Teaching (for PhD students), College of Social Sciences and Humanities, Jimma University, Ethiopia.
- 2016 : Literature and Language Teaching (for PhD students), Institute of Language Studies and Journalism, Wollega University, Ethiopia
- 2017: Oral Literature (Masters Students), College of Social Sciences and Humanities, Jimma University, Ethiopia.
- 2014: Genres (Masters Students), College of Social Sciences and Humanities, Jimma University, Ethiopia.
- 2018: Produced a Module(teaching material for Masters Students) on the Course “ Oromo Oral Literature”, College of Social Sciences and Humanities, Ambo University, Ethiopia.

➤ **ORGANISATION OF SCIENTIFIC MEETINGS (if applicable)**

- 2016: Organized “The First International Oromo Studies Conference.” Institute of Oromo Studies, Jimma University, Ethiopia.
- 2017: Organized “The Second International Oromo Studies Conference.” Institute of Oromo Studies, Jimma University, Ethiopia.
- 2018 : Organized “The Third International Oromo Studies Conference.” Institute of Oromo Studies, Jimma University in Collaboration with Institute of Oromo and Afro-Asiatic studies of Wollega University Ethiopia..
- 2019: Organized “The Forth International Oromo Studies Conference.” Institute of Oromo Studies, Jimma University in Collaboration with a London Bases Institute, Network of Oromo studies. Ethiopia.
- 2019: Organized Seminar on “ Oromo Language and Literature”, Institute of Oromo Studies, Jimma University, Ethiopia.
- 2020: Organized Seminar on Discourse on Gender (Siiqqee Institution), Institute of Oromo Studies, Jimma University Ethiopia.

➤ **INSTITUTIONAL RESPONSIBILITIES (if applicable)**

- 2016 - 2019 Steering Committee Member of the Organization Oromo International Conference.
- 2018 – 2021 Member of Research Council Chaired by Vice President of Research and Community Service, Jimma University, Ethiopia.

➤ **COMMISSIONS OF TRUST (if applicable)**

- 2015 – 2020 Associate Editor of Journal Of Social Sciences and Language Studies, College of Social Science and Language Studies, Jimma University, Ethiopia.
- 2015 – 2020 Member of Assistant Editors of Gadaa Journal, Institute of Oromo Studies, Jimma University, Ethiopia.
- 2017-ongoing: Journal of Language, Institute of Language Studies and Journalism, Wollega University, Ethiopia.

2020: Reviewer of Journal of Science and Education, College of Natural Science, Jimma University, Ethiopia.

2016-2019: Reviewer of Journal Of Social Sciences and Language Studies, College of Social Science and Language Studies, Jimma University, Ethiopia.

2019- 2020 Reviewer of Gadaa Journal, Institute of Oromo Studies, Jimma University, Ethiopia.

➤ **MEMBERSHIPS OF SCIENTIFIC SOCIETIES (if applicable)**

2019 – *Member of Organization of Oromo Studies Conference, USA.*

2015 – *Founding Member Institute of Oromo Studies, Jimma University, Ethiopia.*

➤ **MAJOR COLLABORATIONS (if applicable)**

African Language and Culture, Ghent University, Belgium.

Network of Oromo Studies, London, Great Britain.

Institute of Oromo and Afro-asiatic Studies, Wollegga University, Ethiopia.

Oromia Bureau of Culture and Tourism, Finfinne (Addis Ababa) , Ethiopia.

College of Social Sciences and Humanities, Bule Hora University, Ethiopia.

➤ **CAREER BREAK(S) (if applicable)**

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