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RESEARCH

Interests Migration and Refugee Studies

Areas Sociology and Political Science · General Health Professions · Pediatrics, Perinatology and Child Health · Safety Research · Information Systems · Nutrition and Dietetics

RESEARCH SUMMARY

64

Publications

1,472

Citations

19

h-index

27

i10-index

5.61

Field-weighted
impact

55%

World top 10%

Counted from the 64 publications listed below, 2007–2024. Field-weighted impact is the mean over the 33 works scored for it; 1.00 is the world average for works of the same field, type and year. 18 of the 33 papers scored for it are among the world's most cited tenth for their field, type and year.

POSITIONS

Associate Professor

Department of Population and Health, Augustine Tanle, Cape Coast, Ghana

2004–present

EDUCATION AND QUALIFICATIONS

PhD

Population and Health, University of Cape Coast, Cape Coast, Ghana

2010–present

PUBLICATIONS

Journal articles 59

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11. Dorothy Takyiakwaa, **Augustine Tanle** (2019). 'We are Each Other's Keeper': Migrant Associations and Integration in Urban Africa. *Urban Forum*. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s12132-019-09373-5>
12. **Augustine Tanle** (2018). Concerns and intentions among young migrants in the shoe-shine business in the Cape Coast Metropolis, Ghana. *Ghana Journal of Development Studies*. <https://doi.org/10.4314/gjds.v15i1.3>
13. Gina Porter, Kate Hampshire, Albert Abane, Alister Munthali, Elsbeth Robson, **Augustine Tanle**, Samuel Owusu, Ariane de Lannoy, Andisiwe Bango (2018). Connecting with home, keeping in touch: physical and virtual mobility across stretched families in sub-Saharan Africa. *Africa*. <https://doi.org/10.1017/s0001972017000973>
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connectedness, communication and monitoring on adolescent sexual activity in Ghana : original research article. *African Journal of Reproductive Health*.

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Book chapters 2

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