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RESEARCH

Interests economics of education · labour economics · development economics · e-commerce economics
Areas Economics and Econometrics · Pollution · Sociology and Political Science · Management, Monitoring, Policy and Law · Nutrition and Dietetics · General Health Professions

RESEARCH SUMMARY

48	543	10	11	2.64	38%
Publications	Citations	h-index	i10-index	Field-weighted impact	World top 10%

Counted from the 48 publications listed below, 2012–2026. Field-weighted impact is the mean over the 37 works scored for it; 1.00 is the world average for works of the same field, type and year. 14 of the 37 papers scored for it are among the world's most cited tenth for their field, type and year.

POSITIONS

Associate Professor 2010–present
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PUBLICATIONS

Journal articles 40

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11. Alhassan Abdul-Wakeel Karakara, Camara Kwasi Obeng, Mark Kojo Armah, Jacob Nunoo (2025). Nature, sector, and GVC participation of firms: empirical insights from firm-level data in selected SSA countries. *Cogent Economics & Finance*. <https://doi.org/10.1080/23322039.2025.2488830>
12. Alexander Opoku, Eric Atsu Avorkpo, Atta Dabone Twumasi, Joshua Sebu, Jacob Nunoo, Raymond Elikplim Kofinti (2025). Non-Farm Entrepreneurship and Household Economic Precarity in Rural Ghana. *Review of Development Economics*. <https://doi.org/10.1111/rode.70007>
13. Elizabeth Nsenkyire, Jacob Nunoo, Joshua Sebu (2025). Ready or not: An assessment of energy transition willingness of marine fishing communities in Ghana towards the blue economy. *Energy Sustainable Development/Energy for sustainable development*. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.esd.2025.101853>
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