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RESEARCH

Interests	Community Participation · Poverty Issues · Development · Education · Urban Studies
Areas	Sociology and Political Science · Urban Studies · Economics and Econometrics · Education · Finance · Health

RESEARCH SUMMARY

10	30	3	1	0.07	17%
Publications	Citations	h-index	i10-index	Field-weighted impact	World top 10%

Counted from the 10 publications listed below, 2016–2026. Field-weighted impact is the mean over the 6 works scored for it; 1.00 is the world average for works of the same field, type and year. 1 of the 6 papers scored for it are among the world's most cited tenth for their field, type and year.

POSITIONS

Lecturer
Department of Sociology and Anthropology, University of Cape Coast, Cape Coast, Ghana

EDUCATION AND QUALIFICATIONS

PhD 2017–2024
Sociology and Anthropology, University of Cape Coast, Cape Coast, Ghana

PUBLICATIONS

Journal articles 10

1. Ronald Osei Mensah, **Michael Sakyi-Darko**, Solomon Faakye, Kenneth Atsu Dogbey, Delphine Abla Azumah (2026). Family support, community participation, and violent offending behaviour in urban Ghana: a social disorganisation perspective. *Development Studies Research*. https://doi.org/10.1080/21665095.2026.2716619
2. **Michael Sakyi-Darko**, Jonathan Mensah Dapaah, Emefa Tonorgbevi Awuku (2026). Impact of Socio-demographic Characteristics on Poverty Attribution: The Case of the Urban Poor in Ghana. *International Journal of Community Well-Being*. https://doi.org/10.1007/s42413-026-00310-6
3. Pius Mensah, Eunice Newton, **Michael Sakyi-Darko**, Ronald Osei Mensah (2025). A qualitative study of perceptions on uterine fibroids among reproductive age Ghanaian women in the Greater Accra Region of Ghana. *Discover Social Science and Health*. https://doi.org/10.1007/s44155-025-00177-6
4. Emefa Tonorgbevi Awuku, **Micheal Sakyi-Darko** (2024). Experiences of women artisans in Ghana's informal construction sector: the COVID-19 aftermath and its implications. *Development in Practice*. https://doi.org/10.1080/09614524.2024.2424888
5. Pearl Adiza Babah, Lawrence Odumah, Ronald Osei Mensah, Clarke Ebow Yalley, **Michael Sakyi-Darko** (2020). Assessing the Pedagogical Approaches of Social Studies Tutors Instructional Delivery in the Colleges of Education in the Eastern and Greater Accra Regions of Ghana. *Journal of Studies in Education*. https://doi.org/10.5296/jse.v10i4.17656
6. **Michael Sakyi-Darko**, Ronald Osei Mensah (2020). Community Participation in Development Projects: A

Study of Ajumako-Enyan-Essiam District in Ghana. *International Journal of Social Science Research*. https://doi.org/10.5296/ijssr.v8i2.17709

7. **Michael Sakyi-Darko** (2020). Computerized School Selection and Placement System in the Greater Accra Region of Ghana: Perception of Stakeholders. *Journal of Educational and Psychological Research*.
8. **Michael Sakyi-Darko** (2020). Is Downward Accountability Essential? Facets of Accountability Dimensions in Non-Governmental Organisation with Lessons from Ghana. *International Journal for Research in Applied Science and Engineering Technology*. https://scholar.google.com/scholar?cluster=14576943873890836073&hl=en&oi=scholarr
9. **Michael Sakyi-Darko** (2020). The Nature and Forms of Community Participation in Development Projects in the Ajumako-Enyan-Essiam District of Ghana. *International Journal of Community Research*. https://www.academia.edu/download/94054069/Paper_1_Sakyi_Darko_and_Mensah_IJCR_9_4_2020_2_.pdf
10. **Michael Sakyi-Darko** (2016). Community Perception of Decentralization and Poverty Reduction: The Case of Elmina in the Komenda-Edina-Eguafo-Abirem (KEEA) District of Ghana. *Journal of Arts and Social Sciences*.