

SANDRA LETTU

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EDUCATION

University of Connecticut, Storrs Ph.D. Agricultural and Resource Economics	Storrs, Connecticut August 2023-present
Georgia State University Completed 33 credits towards an MA in Economics	Atlanta, Georgia August 2022 - July 2023
Ohio University MA Economics	Athens, Ohio August 2021- August 2022
University of Ghana B.Sc. Administration, Accounting major <i>First Class Honors</i>	Legon-Accra 2016- 2020

PUBLICATIONS

Pan, L., Biru, A. & Lettu, S. (2021). Energy poverty and public health: Global evidence. *Energy Economics*, 101, 1-14.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Graduate Research Assistant <i>Department of Agricultural and Resource Economics, University of Connecticut</i>	August 2023-present
Research Assistant <i>Department of Economics, Georgia State University (Stefano Carattini, Professor)</i>	January 2023-July 2023
Graduate Research Assistant <i>Department of Economics, Ohio University (Duncan Roberto, Professor)</i>	August 2021-December 2021
Research Assistant <i>Department of Accounting, University of Ghana Business School (Agyenim-Boateng Cletus, Ph.D.)</i>	September 2020- July 2021

TEACHING AND OTHER EXPERIENCE

Tutor - Econ Tutoring Lab <i>Department of Economics, Georgia State University</i>	September 2022-December 2022
Supplemental Instruction Leader <i>Department of Economics, Georgia State University</i>	August 2022-December 2022
Grading Teaching Assistant - Health Economics	January 2022-May 2022

Department of Economics, Ohio University

Teaching Assistant

September 2020- July 2021

Department of Accounting, University of Ghana Business School

Student Assistant

August 2021-July 2022

Ohio University Culinary Service

- Worked as a student assistant at the Central Food Facility, Boyd, and Nelson Dining halls at Ohio University.

Financial Accountant and Auditor

2019-2020

Empowered Youth Peace Network

- Prepared books of records.
- Checked internal controls and systems.

Intern- Manya Krobo Rural Bank

June 2018- August 2018

- Customer service representative.
- Kept stock of assets and created a simplified asset register to track the acquisition of new assets.

SOFTWARE SKILLS

Stata, SPSS, R

HONORS AND AWARDS

- Alumni Association Graduate Student Scholarship, Georgia State University (GSU) **2023**
- Academic Achievement Award, Economics Department, GSU **2023**
- Emeriti Scholarship for Graduate Students, Georgia State University **2023**
- Jean Childs Young Fellowship, Georgia State University **2023**
- KPMG Prize for the Best Overall Graduating Student in B.Sc. Administration **2021**
- Dr. Jean Nelson Aka Prize for the Best Graduating Student in B.Sc. Administration from the Jean Nelson Aka Hall **2021**
- Cal Bank Prize for the Best Graduating B.Sc. Administration Accounting Student **2021**
- ACCA/ Dean's Prize for the Best Graduating Female Student in Accounting **2021**
- Valedictorian, College of Humanities, University of Ghana. **2020**
- Best Graduating Female Student, University of Ghana Business School. **2020**
- Participant and Representative of the University of Ghana Business School, Tertiary Business Sense Challenge. **2020**

COMMUNITY SERVICE/EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Empowered Youth Peace Network- Management Team Member

2020-present

- As a network, our focus has been on youth empowerment and peace promotion. We have organized webinars and seminars to advocate for youth empowerment and global peace. Our

current project is an initiative to provide capital to young and budding entrepreneurs to fund the growth of their businesses.

Accounting Students Association

2016-2020

University of Ghana Business School

- Embarked on volunteer activities in public basic schools where we shared college experience with them and participated in cleaning and refurbishment of these schools.

LANGUAGES

English (official language), Twi(fluent), French (intermediate proficiency), German (beginner proficiency), Chinese Mandarin (beginner proficiency), Korean (beginner proficiency)