

## CURRICULUM VITAE

### Samia Satti Osman Mohamed Nour

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#### Personal Data

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#### Education

10 November 2005	DOCTORATE (Ph.D.) Degree in Economics, Maastricht Economic Research Institute on Innovation and Technology (MERIT), Faculty of Economic and Business Administration, Maastricht University, Maastricht, the Netherlands, (Supervisors: Prof. Dr. Joan Muysken and Dr. Thomas Zisemer. Title "Technological Change and Skill Development in Arab Gulf Countries"
19 December 1999	Master of Science (M.Sc.) Degree in Economics, University of Khartoum, Sudan
27 December 1994	Bachelor of Science (B.Sc.) Honours (First Class, Distinction) Degree in Economics, University of Khartoum, Sudan

#### Academic Positions

January 2016- present	Full Professor of Economics, Department of Economics, Faculty of Economic and Social Studies, Khartoum University, Sudan Member of the Senate of the University Khartoum and the Board of the Faculty of Economic and Social Studies
January 2012- January 2016	Associate Professor of Economics, Department of Economics, Faculty of Economic and Social Studies, Khartoum University, Sudan

September 2013– August 2015	Associate Professor of Economics, Department of Economics, Faculty of Economic and Administration, King Abdulaziz University, Jeddah, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia (KSA)
December 2005– January 2012	Assistant Professor of Economics, Department of Economics, Faculty of Economic and Social Studies, Khartoum University, Sudan
September 2006– May 2009	Coordinator Ph.D. Programme in Economics, Department of Economics, Faculty of Economic and Social Studies, Khartoum University, Khartoum, Sudan
April 1995– December 2005	Teaching Assistant, Department of Economics, Faculty of Economic and Social Studies, Khartoum University, Khartoum, Sudan

### Academic Achievements

2019	Selected among the three Academic Visiting Fellows, the Centre for the study of African Economies (CSAE) Visiting Fellowship Programme, CSAE, Department of Economics, University of Oxford, UK (January – June 2020).
2018	Recipient of University of Khartoum Scientific Excellence Award Prize in the field of Economics (2018), University of Khartoum, Sudan, December 2018.
2016	First female Professor in the Faculty of Economic and Social Studies, University of Khartoum since its establishment in 1958. First female Professor of Economics, in the Department of Economics, Faculty of Economic and Social Studies, University of Khartoum since the establishment of the Department of Economics. First new professor of Economics in the Department of Economics, Khartoum University since the mid of 1970s.
2016	Member of author's team (co-author) for the “African Capacity Report 2017: Building Science Technology and Innovation Capacity in Africa”.
2014-2015	Member of author's team (co-author) for the Arab States Chapter of the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO) Science Report in the World, November 2015”, UNESCO, Paris, France.
2012-2014	Member of the advisory and reading committee for the UNDP Third Arab Knowledge Report 2014. Contributed as author of two background papers for UNDP Third Arab Knowledge Report 2014 (October 2012- March 2013).
2013	First female recipient of University of Khartoum Scientific Excellence Award Prize in Humanities and Educational Studies (in the field of Economics) (2013), University of Khartoum, Khartoum, Sudan, February 2013.

- 2010-2015 Economic Consultant for international institutions such as European Investment Bank (EIB), UNESCO, ILO, OECD, UNDP, UNFPA, UNECA.
- 2010 Recipient of the Arab Fund for Economic and Social Development, Kuwait, Postdoctoral Distinguished Scholar Awards Programme. Selected as a grantee recipient among the ten Arab researchers recipients in its eleventh session in 2010; and one of the 145 Arab researchers recipients (during 1997-2017) since its inception in 1997.
- 2007- 2008 Recipient of the Best Academic Performance in the University of Khartoum “Training of Trainers Program in Intellectual Property,” University of Khartoum in collaboration with World Intellectual Property Organization, WIPO World Wide Academy, Geneva, Switzerland and Khartoum University, Sudan (August 2007-March 2008).
- 2005 First Arab student and first African female student graduated from the Ph.D. Programme “Economics and Policy Studies of Technical Change” (UNU-MERIT), Maastricht University, the Netherlands since its inception in 1995.
- 2004 Recipient of the Ford Foundation Grant for 25 young academics from developing and transition countries for participating in Cambridge Advanced Programme on Rethinking Development Economics (CAPORDE 2004), Queens College at Cambridge University, UK, June 29, 2004 – July 15, 2004.
- 1998 Recipient of scholarship for ten African Students to participate in “The Third Africa-Europe Group for Interdisciplinary Studies Summer School” University of Bordeaux, Bordeaux, France, September 1998.
- 1994 Recipient of Sudanese Youth Organization Prize and Medal for the Best Graduate Students in the Sudanese Universities 1994.
- 1994 Recipient of Faisal Islamic Bank Prize for the Best Academic Performance in Monetary Theory Course in the Fifth Year Department of Economics, Faculty of Economic and Social Studies, University of Khartoum 1994.
- 1993 Recipient of University of Khartoum Prize for the Best Fourth Year Student in the Faculty of Economic and Social Studies 1993.
- 1992 Recipient of University of Khartoum Prize for the Best Second Year Student in the Department of Economics, Faculty of Economic and Social Studies 1992.
- 1992 Recipient of University of Khartoum Prize for the Best Second Year Student in Department of Political Science, Faculty of Economic and Social Studies 1992.
- 1992 Recipient of scholarship for eight best academic students in the University of Khartoum invited to represent the University of Khartoum in the First Arabian

Conference for the Best Academic Students in the Arab Universities, held at Nasir University, the Republic of Libya, October 1992.

### **Academic Awards: Prizes**

- 2018 University of Khartoum Scientific Excellence Award Prize in the field of Economics (2018), University of Khartoum, Sudan, December 2018.
- 2013 University of Khartoum Scientific Excellence Award Prize in Humanities and Educational Studies (in the field of Economics) (2013), University of Khartoum, Khartoum, Sudan, February 2013.
- 2010 The Arab Fund for Economic and Social Development Distinguished Scholar Awards Post-Doctoral Fellowships Program, Arab Fund for Economic and Social Development, Kuwait.
- 2005 Faculty of Economic and Business Administration, Maastricht University Present during the Ph.D. Graduation Ceremony, November 10<sup>th</sup>, 2005.
- 1994 Sudanese Youth Organization Prize and Medal for the Best Graduate Students in the Sudanese Universities 1994.
- 1994 Faisal Islamic Bank Prize for the Best Academic Performance in Monetary Theory Course in the Fifth Year Department of Economics, Faculty of Economic and Social Studies, University of Khartoum 1994.
- 1993 University of Khartoum Prize for the Best Fourth Year Student in the Faculty of Economic and Social Studies 1993.
- 1992 University of Khartoum Prize for the Best Second Year Student in the Department of Economics, Faculty of Economic and Social Studies 1992.
- 1992 University of Khartoum Prize for the Best Second Year Student in the Department of Political Science, Faculty of Economic and Social Studies 1992.

### **Academic Awards: Scholarships, Fellowships and Grants**

- January - June 2020 The Centre for the study of African Economies (CSAE) Visiting Fellowship Programme, Department of Economics, University of Oxford, Oxford, UK.
- April - July 2017 The Nordic Africa Institute Guest Researcher Scholarship, Uppsala, Sweden

- October 2010 - The Arab Fund for Economic and Social Development Distinguished Scholar
- October 2011 Awards Post-Doctoral Fellowship, the Arab Fund for Economic and Social Development, Kuwait.
- May - July 2009 The African Studies Centre Post-Doctoral Visiting Fellowship Programme, Leiden University, Leiden, the CSAE Fellowship - Oxford University, UK.
- May - June 2010 The United Nations Economic Commission for Africa (UNECA) Research Grant for Research Project "ECA Peer Learning on MDGs".
- November 2009 - March 2010 Population Council West Asia and North Africa Region grant for mentorship for research project "Gender and Work in MENA Region: The Role of ICT in Empowering Women in the Arab Countries: A Literature Review," in collaboration with the International Development Research Center, Canada, and Population Council West Asia and North Africa Region, Cairo, Egypt.
- November 2018 - October 2019 African Economic Research Consortium (AERC) and Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation (BMGF) Grant for Collaborative Research Project "Impact of China-Africa aid relations: the case of Sudan," Grant for Eight months. Nairobi, Kenya. "The Impact of Agricultural Land Ownership on Child Nutritional Status: Evidence from Rural Sudan".
- January - August 2009 African Economic Research Consortium (AERC) Grant for Collaborative Research Project "Impact of China-Africa aid relations: the case of Sudan," Grant for Eight months. Nairobi, Kenya.
- January 2008 – Organization for Social Science Research in Eastern and Southern Africa
- January 2009 Post-Doctoral Fellowship, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia
- January 2005 - Economic Research Forum for the Arab Countries, Iran and Turkey Fourth
- June 2006 Round Regional Research Grant Competition in collaboration with the World Bank Development Grant Facility and the Global Development Network.
- June – July 2004 The Ford Foundation Grant for participating in Cambridge Advanced Programme on Rethinking Development Economics (CAPORDE 2004), in collaboration with the Development Studies Committee and Queens College at Cambridge University, Cambridge, United Kingdom.
- March 2003 – The Middle East Research Competition Grant, The Center for the Study of
- September 2004 Developing Countries, Faculty of Economics and Political Science, Cairo University, Cairo, Egypt in collaboration with Ford Foundation.
- February 2003 – The Middle East Research Competition Grant, The Lebanese Center for
- August 2004 Policy Studies, Beirut, Lebanon in collaboration with Ford Foundation.
- August 2002 – The Economic Research Forum for the Arab countries (ERF) and University

- January 2003 of Minnesota Fellowship Programme in Gender, Work and the Family in the Middle East and North Africa, funded by Andrew Mellon Foundation, USA.
- May 2002 – July 2002 The United Nations University– World Institute for Development Economics Research (UNU-WIDER) PhD Internship for three months, Helsinki, Finland
- September 1999- November 2003 The United Nations University–Institute for New Technologies (UNU-INTECH) Doctoral Fellowship for four years, Ph.D. Programme on Economics and Policy Studies of Technical Change.
- 1997–1999 The Council for the Development of Social Science Research in Africa Small Grants for Thesis Writing Programme, M.Sc. Economics

### **International Experience: Post-Doctoral Visiting Researcher and Doctoral Fellowships**

- January - June 2020 Academic Visitor and Visiting Research Fellow, the Centre for the study of African Economies (CSAE), Department of Economics, University of Oxford, Oxford, the United Kingdoms (January 2020– June 2020).
- April-July 2017 Visiting Professor and Guest Researcher, the Nordic Africa Institute (NAI) Guest Researchers Scholarship 2017, Uppsala, Sweden.
- May 28-30, 2017 Visiting Professor at Christian Michelsen Institute, (CMI), Bergen University, Bergen, Norway.
- October 2010- December 2011 Visiting Professor and Post-Doctoral Research Fellow at Maastricht Economic and Social Research Institute on Innovation and Technology (UNU-UM-MERIT), School of Business and Economics, Maastricht University, the Netherlands.
- May- July 2009 Visiting Professor and Post-Doctoral Research Fellow at the African Studies Centre Post-Doctoral Visiting Fellowship Programme, Leiden University, Leiden, the Netherlands.
- May– July 2002 Ph.D. Intern Student United Nations University–World Institute for Development Economics Research (UNU–WIDER), Helsinki, Finland.
- September 1999 -November 2005 Ph.D. Candidate Programme “Economics and Policy Studies of Technical Change,” Maastricht University, Faculty of Economic and Business Administration, the United Nations University, Maastricht Economic Research Institute on Innovation and Technology (UNU-MERIT), Maastricht, the Netherlands.

**International Experience: Economic Consultancy Positions**

- April 2020 – Economic Consultant for the Economic Research Forum for the Arab countries (ERF) and the International Labour Organization (ILO) ‘Report on Jobs and Growth in North Africa: Sudan Country Chapter (2020)’
- October 2020 ‘Advancing the Decent Work Agenda in North Africa (ADWA)’ (April 2020 – October 2020) part of ERF-ILO ADWA Project (2020-2023).
- August 2019 – Economic Consultant for the German Catholic Bishops' Organisation for Development Cooperation (MISEREOR), Aachen, Germany ‘HIC External Evaluation of the MISEREOR Projects (2014 – 2018) – Phase 2 and 3’ (August 2019 – February 2020)
- February 2020
- July 2019 - Economic Consultant for the Habitat International Coalition (HIC), Barcelona, Spain, ‘HIC External Evaluation of the MISEREOR Projects (2014 – 2018) – Phase 1’ (July- August 2019)
- August 2019
- May 2014 - Economic Consultant for the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO) “Arab States Chapter 17- UNESCO Science Report in the World, 2015”, Paris, France.
- November 2015
- March - July 2014 Economic Consultant for the International Labor Organization (ILO) Regional office for the Arab countries, Cairo, Egypt, and ILO Headquarter office, Geneva, Switzerland. Consultancy Research project "High-Level independent evaluation of ILO Decent Work Country Programme Strategies in Sudan and North Africa"
- April 2013 - June Economic Consultant for the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) Third Arab Knowledge Report (2014) “Youth and localization and transfer of Knowledge in the Arab region,”
- 2014
- November 2011 - Economic Consultant for the European Investment Bank, (EIB), Luxembourg, Consultancy Research Project “Overview of Knowledge Transfer in MENA Countries-Egypt,” EIB, Luxembourg.
- April 2012
- December 2012 - Economic Consultant for the United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA) Regional office for the Arab countries, Cairo, Egypt, and the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD), Paris, France. Consultancy Research project "Mobilising Migrants’ Skills for Development in the MENA Region Making the most out of young migrants skills".
- May 2013
- June - October 2016 Economic Consultant for African Capacity Building Foundation Consultancy Research project “African Capacity Report 2017: Building

Science, Technology and Innovation Capacity in Africa,”  
 May - June 2010 Economic Consultant for the United Nations Economic Commission for Africa (UNECA) Consultancy Research project “Assessment, Evaluation and Monitoring of Millennium Development Goals in Sudan” UNECA Research project "ECA Peer Learning on MDGs"

### **International Experience: Academic Affiliation and Scientific Membership**

January 2016 - present Member of the Senate of the University Khartoum and the Board of the Faculty of Economic and Social Studies.

December 2011 – present Affiliated Researcher, the United Nations University and Maastricht Economic and Social Research Institute on Innovation and Technology (UNU-MERIT), Maastricht University, the Netherlands.

March 2012– present Affiliated Research Fellow, African Studies Centre (ASC), Leiden University, Leiden, the Netherlands.

March 2017– present Affiliated Research Fellow Economic Research Forum for the Arab Countries, Iran and Turkey (ERF), Cairo, Egypt.

December 2019- present Member of Expert Network ‘Jobs and Growth in North Africa,’ the Economic Research Forum for the Arab countries (ERF) and the International Labour Organization (ILO), Cairo, Egypt.

May 2016- present Member of Arab Network of Knowledge and Sustainable Development, UNESCO Regional Bureau for Sciences in the Arab States, Cairo, Egypt.

January 2016- present Member of the World Association for Sustainable Development (WASD) Experts, Brighton, United Kingdom.

January 2016- present Member of Global Center for International Development Evaluation Professionals (Global-CIDEP) Network, Washington, United States and Geneva, Switzerland.

June 2008- present Member of Global Network for Economics of Learning, Innovation and Competence Building Systems (GLOBELICS) Networks, Aalborg, Denmark, and GLOBELICS Academy Ph.D. School on National Systems of Innovation and Economic Development, Tampere, Finland.

February 2019 - September 2019 Member of the advisory Board for the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO) Arab States Office, Research Report “Arabic Language as a Gateway of Knowledge in the Arab Region,” UNESCO - Arab States Office, Cairo, Egypt in collaboration with Sultan Bin Abdulaziz Al-Saud Foundation, KSA.

March 2015            Member of Advisory International Experts Team for the European Investment Bank (EIB) project “Developing an Innovation Scoreboard for the MENA region” in collaboration with EIB, Luxemburg and Marseille Centre for Mediterranean Integration, Marseille, France.

### **International Experience: Academic Training**

October            - Training Programme, Long Distance and online learning and training course  
December            and diploma in “The Global Development Agenda: Tools for Gender-Sensitive  
2009            Planning and Implementation,” International Training Centre, the International  
Labour Organization, October 5, 2009-December 9, 2009, Turin, Italy.

June 2008            The Global Network for the Economics of Learning, Innovation, and  
Competence Building Systems (GLOBELICS) Academy Ph.D. School on  
National Systems of Innovation and Economic Development (2008), organized  
by GLOBELICS and the Unit for Science, Technology and Innovation Studies,  
University of Tampere, Tampere, Finland, June 2-13, 2008.

August 2007 -    Training programme and Certificate by the World Intellectual Property  
March 2008            Organization (WIPO) World Wide Academy on “Training of Trainers Program  
in Intellectual Property” offered in collaboration with World Intellectual  
Property Organization (WIPO) World Wide Academy in Geneva, Switzerland,  
and Khartoum University, Khartoum, Sudan August 1, 2007-March 31, 2008.

June            -    July    Cambridge Advanced Programme on Rethinking Development Economics  
2004            (CAPORDE 2004), Cambridge University, Queens College and Development  
Studies Committee, Cambridge, United Kingdom June 29, 2004-July 15, 2004.

May 2004            Design and Evaluation of Innovation Policy in Developing Countries UNU-  
INTECH, May 24 –29, 2004.

October 2003        The Economics of Technological and Institutional Change European Doctoral  
Training Programme, Maastricht, the Netherlands, October 16–31, 2003.

2000            CERES Summer School, ISS, The Hague, the Netherlands, June 30, 2000.

## List of Publications

### Books and Theses (Dissertations)

1. **Nour, Samia (2016)**, “Economic Systems of Innovation in the Arab Region,” Palgrave Macmillan, New York, USA, March 09, 2016, 342 pp.
2. **Nour, Samia (2015)**, “Information and Communication Technology in Sudan: An Economic Analysis of Impact and Use in Universities,” *Springer Series Contributions to Economics*, Springer International Publishing, AG, Cham, Switzerland, March 14, 2015, 374 pp.
3. **Nour, Samia (2013)**, "Technological Change and Skill Development in Arab Gulf Countries," *Springer Series Contributions to Economics*, Springer International Publishing, AG, Cham, Switzerland, 16 December, 2013, 246 pp.
4. **Nour, Samia (2013)**, "Technological Change and Skill Development in Sudan," Springer, Berlin, Heidelberg, Germany, February 28, 2013, 501 pp.
5. **Nour, Samia (2005)**, "Technological Change and Skill Development in the Arab Gulf Countries," Doctoral Dissertation, Maastricht University Press, Maastricht, the Netherlands, November 10, 2005, 208 pp.
6. **Nour, Samia (1999)**, “Sustainable Development and Energy Shortage: The Case of Sudan (1980–1996)”. (Unpublished M.Sc. Dissertation University of Khartoum, Khartoum, Sudan, August 1999).

### Books (Co-edited Books):

1. **Alabi, Reuben; Gutowski, Achim; Mohamed Hassan; Nazar, Knedlik, Tobias; Mohamed Nour, Samia; and Wohlmuth, Karl; (Editors) (2018)** “African Development Perspectives Yearbook (2018): Science Technology and Innovation Policies for Inclusive Growth in Africa: Unit 1: General Issues and Country Cases,” Lit Verlag, Berlin, Münster, Wien, Zürich, London, Volume 20, 2018.

### International Referred Journals Articles

1. **Nour, Samia and Mahjoub, Ebaidalla (2020)** ‘The Impact of Agricultural Land ownership on Child nutritional status: Evidence from Rural Sudan,’ *African Journal of Agricultural and Resource Economics (AfJARE)*, the African Association of Agricultural Economists (AAAE) (forthcoming, 2020).
2. **Nour, Samia (2018)**, "The impact of ICT in public and private universities in Sudan," *the Journal of the Knowledge Economy*, Springer, New York, USA, vol. 9, no. 4, December 2018, pp. 1391-1414.

3. **Nour, Samia (2015)**, "Overview of knowledge economy in the Arab region," *the Journal of the Knowledge Economy*, 2015, Springer, New York, USA, vol. 6, no. 4, December 2015, pp. 870-904.
4. **Nour, Samia (2015)**, "The economic importance and impacts of intellectual property rights (IPRs) in Sudan," *African Journal of Science, Technology, Innovation and Development*,": Routledge: Taylor and Francis Group Ltd., London, United Kingdom, vol. 7, no. 2, June 2015, pp. 126-143.
5. **Nour, Samia (2015)** "Overview of Technology Transfer in Manufacturing Industries in the Arab Countries: the case of UAE and Sudan," *the International Journal of Sudan Research (IJSR)*, World Association for Sustainable Development, Brighton, United Kingdom, vol. 5 no. 1, 2015, pp. 1-24.
6. **Nour, Samia (2014)**, "Regional Systems of Innovation and Economic Structure in the Arab Region," *the Journal of the Knowledge Economy*, 2014, Springer, New York, USA, vol. 5, no. 3, September 2014, pp. 481-520.
7. **Nour, Samia (2014)**, "The importance (impacts) of knowledge at the macro-micro levels in the Arab Gulf countries," *the Journal of the Knowledge Economy*, 2014, Springer, New York, USA, vol. 5, no. 3, September 2014, pp. 521-537.
8. **Nour, Samia (2014)**, "Prospects for transition to a knowledge-based economy in the Arab region" *World Journal of Science, Technology and Sustainable Development*, Emerald Group Publishing Limited, United Kingdom, vol. 11, no. 4, September 2014, pp. 256 – 270.
9. **Nour, Samia (2014)**, "Assessment of gender gap in Sudan," *The International Journal of Sudan Research (IJSR)*, World Association for Sustainable Development, Brighton, United Kingdom, vol. 4, no. 1, 2014, pp. 7-35.
10. **Nour, Samia (2014)**, "Transition to a Knowledge- Based Economy in the Arab Region," *The International Journal of Innovation and Knowledge Management in Middle East and North Africa (IJKMMENA)*, World Association for Sustainable Development, Brighton, United Kingdom, vol. 3, no. 2, 2014, pp. 125-145.
11. **Nour, Samia (2013)**, "The Incidence and Transfer of Knowledge within the Arab Societies," *The Journal of the Knowledge Economy*, Springer, New York, USA, vol. 4, no. 4, December 2013, pp. 406-422.
12. **Nour, Samia (2013)** "Science, Technology and Innovation Policies in Sudan" *African Journal of Science, Technology, Innovation and Development*" : Routledge: Taylor and Francis Group Ltd., London, United Kingdom, vol. 5, no. 2, April 2013, pp. 153-169.

13. **Nour, Samia (2012)**, "Assessment of science and technology indicators in Sudan," *the Journal of Science, Technology and Society*, SAGE Publications, Los Angeles/London/New Delhi/Singapore/Washington DC. vol. 17, no. 2, July 2012, pp. 321-352.
14. **Nour, Samia (2011)**, "National, Regional and Global Perspectives of Higher Education and Science Policies in the Arab Region" *Minerva: A Review of Science, Learning and Policy*, Springer, December 2011 Minerva, Springer, Germany, vol. 49, no. 4, December 2011, pp. 387-423.
15. **Nour, Samia (2011)**, "Assessment of the impacts of oil: Opportunities and challenges for economic development in Sudan," *The Journal of African Review of Economics and Finance*, 2011, African Center for Economics and Finance, Published by Print Services Unit, Rhodes University, Grahamstown, South Africa, vol. 2, no.2, June 2011, pp. 122-148.
16. **Muysken, Joan and Nour, Samia (2006)**, "Deficiencies in Education and Poor Prospects for Economic Growth in the Gulf Countries: The Case of the UAE," *The Journal of Development Studies*: Routledge: Taylor and Francis Group Ltd., United Kingdom, vol. 42, no. 6, August 2006, pp. 957-980.
17. **Nour, Samia (2005)**, "Science and Technology (S&T) Development Indicators in the Arab Region: A comparative Study of Countries," *The Journal of Science, Technology and Society* (SAGE Publications), London/New Delhi, vol. 10, no. 2, September 2005, pp. 249-274.

### **Book Chapters**

1. **Nour, Samia (2018)** "The National Innovation System in Sudan – Is it enhancing national competitiveness and contributing to a higher business performance?" in **Alabi, Reuben; Gutowski, Achim; Mohamed Hassan; Nazar, Knedlik, Tobias; Mohamed Nour, Samia; and Wohlmuth, Karl;** (Editors) (2018) "*African Development Perspectives Yearbook (2018): Science Technology and Innovation Policies for Inclusive Growth in Africa: Unit 1: General Issues and Country Cases,*" Lit Verlag, Berlin, Münster, Wien, Zürich, London, Vol. 20, 2018, pp. 207-250.
2. **Nour, Samia (2018)**, "Innovation in Industrial Firms in Sudan," in **Alabi, Reuben; Gutowski, Achim; Mohamed Hassan; Nazar, Knedlik, Tobias; Mohamed Nour, Samia; and Wohlmuth, Karl;** (Editors) (2018) "*African Development Perspectives Yearbook (2018): Science Technology and Innovation Policies for Inclusive Growth in Africa: Unit 1: General Issues and Country Cases,*" Lit Verlag, Berlin, Münster, Wien, Zürich, London, Vol. 20, 2018, pp. 279-292.

3. **Nour, Samia and Wohlmuth, Karl (2018)**, "Science Technology and Innovation (STI) Policies for Sudan's Economic Revitalization - An Introduction," in **Alabi, Reuben; Gutowski, Achim; Mohamed Hassan; Nazar, Knedlik, Tobias; Mohamed Nour, Samia; and Wohlmuth, Karl;** (Editors) (2018) "*African Development Perspectives Yearbook (2018): Science Technology and Innovation Policies for Inclusive Growth in Africa: Unit 1: General Issues and Country Cases,*" Lit Verlag, Berlin, Münster, Wien, Zürich, London, Vol. 20, 2018, pp. 169-206.
4. **Nnadozie, Emmanuel, Munthali, Thomas, Nantchouang, Robert, Samia, Mohamed Nour, and Ozor, Nicholas (2018)**, "Successful Cases of Building Capacity in Africa's Science, Technology and Innovation Systems" in **Alabi, Reuben; Gutowski, Achim; Mohamed Hassan; Nazar, Knedlik, Tobias; Mohamed Nour, Samia; and Wohlmuth, Karl;** (Editors) (2018) "*African Development Perspectives Yearbook (2018): Science Technology and Innovation Policies for Inclusive Growth in Africa: Unit 1: General Issues and Country Cases,*" Lit Verlag, Berlin, Münster, Wien, Zürich, London, Vol. 20, 2018, pp. 127-166.
5. **Nour, Samia (2016)**, "Characteristics of Innovation in the Arabic Countries" Chapter 25 in **Latif Al-Hakim, Xiaobo Wu, Andy Koronios and Yongyi Shou** (eds.) (2016) "*Handbook of Research on Driving Competitive advantage through Lean and Disruptive Innovation,*" 2016, IGI Global Publishing, Hershey, USA, pp. 614-655.
6. **Nour, Samia (2014)**, "Challenges and Opportunities for transition to a Knowledge-Based Economy in the Arab Region," in Allam Ahmed (2014) (ed.) "*World Sustainable Development Outlook 2014: West Meet East: Sharing the Past and Current Experience to Benefit the Future,*" September 2014, United Kingdom, pp.1-13.
7. **Nour, Samia (2014)**, "Overview of Technology Transfer in Manufacturing Industries in the Arab Countries: the case of UAE and Sudan," in Allam Ahmed (2014) (ed.) "*World Sustainable Development Outlook 2014: West Meet East: Sharing the Past and Current Experience to Benefit the Future,*" September 2014, United Kingdom, pp. 1-24.
8. **Nour, Samia (2013)**, "Transition to a Knowledge- Based Economy in the Arab Region," in Allam Ahmed (2013) (ed.) "*World Sustainable Development Outlook 2013: 10 Years of Sustainable Development: New Multi-Disciplinary Approaches and Methodologies,*" September 2013, United Kingdom, pp. 1-22.
9. **Nour, Samia (2006)**, "ICT Opportunities and Challenges for Development in the Arab Region," Chapter 8 in A. P. D'Costa (ed.) "*The New Economy in Development:*

*ICT Challenges and Opportunities*” series of Technology, Globalization, and Development, Vol. 2, Palgrave Macmillan, UK-USA, September 2006, pp. 161-187.

### **Book Review**

1. **Nour, Samia (2019)** "Book Review - Cornell University, INSEAD, and WIPO (2017): The Global Innovation Index 2017: Innovation Feeding the World, Ithaca, Fontainebleau, and Geneva, Tenth Edition, Soumitra Dutta, Bruno Lanvin, and Sacha Wunsch-Vincent (Editors)." in **Karl Wohlmuth, et al., (Editors) (2019)** "*African Development Perspectives Yearbook: Science Technology and Innovation Policies for Inclusive Growth in Africa: Unit 2: Human Resources Development in Africa in the Digital Age.*" Lit Verlag, Berlin, Münster, Wien, Zürich, London, Vol. 21, 2019, pp. 1-4.
2. **Nour, Samia (2019)**, "Book Review - The United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) (2016) "Human Development Report 2016: Human Development for Everyone," the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP), New York, USA, 2016," in **Karl Wohlmuth, et al., (Editors) (2019)** "*African Development Perspectives Yearbook: Science Technology and Innovation Policies for Inclusive Growth in Africa: Unit 2: Human Resources Development in Africa in the Digital Age.*" Lit Verlag, Berlin, Münster, Wien, Zürich, London, Vol. 21, 2019, pp.1-5.
3. **Nour, Samia (2019)**, "Book Review - The United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) (2016) "Arab Human Development Report 2016: Youth and the Prospects for Human Development in a Changing Reality," the United Nations Development Programme, Regional Bureau for Arab States (RBAS), New York, USA, 2016," in **Karl Wohlmuth, et al., (Editors) (2019)** "*African Development Perspectives Yearbook: Science Technology and Innovation Policies for Inclusive Growth in Africa: Unit 2: Human Resources Development in Africa in the Digital Age.*" Lit Verlag, Berlin, Münster, Wien, Zürich, London, Vol. 21, 2019, pp. 1-5.
4. **Nour, Samia (2019)**, "Book Review - The United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) (2016) "Africa Human Development Report 2016: Accelerating Gender Equality and Women's Empowerment in Africa," the United Nations Development Programme, Regional Bureau for Africa, New York, USA, 2016" in **Karl Wohlmuth, et al., (Editors) (2019)** "*African Development Perspectives Yearbook: Science Technology and Innovation Policies for Inclusive Growth in Africa: Unit 2: Human Resources Development in Africa in the Digital Age.*" Lit Verlag, Berlin, Münster, Wien, Zürich, London, Vol. 21, 2019, pp. 1-5.

### **Working and Discussion Papers**

1. **Nour, Samia (2020)** ‘Overview of the Sudan Uprising’, Sudan Economy Research Group (SERG) Discussion Paper series No. 44, University of Bremen, Bremen, Germany, July 2020, pp. 1-31 (forthcoming 2020).
2. **Nour, Samia (2020)** ‘Overview of the Sudan Uprising’, UNU-MERIT Working Paper series 2020-017, Maastricht, the Netherlands, April 2020, pp. 1-61.
3. **Nour, Samia (2020)** ‘Migration of Higher Education Students from North Africa to the United Kingdom’, UNU-MERIT Working Paper series 2020-016, Maastricht, the Netherlands, April 2020, pp. 1-58.
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