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PERSONAL DETAILS

A Educational Background/Qualification

1. PhD in Kiswahili and Communication, Laikipia University, Kenya (2015)
2. Master of Arts in Kiswahili Studies, Egerton University, Kenya (1996)
3. Bachelor of Education (Arts), Moi University, Kenya (1992)

B Brief Autobiography

Prof. Sheila Pamela Wandera-Simwa is an Associate Professor of Kiswahili Studies in the Department of Literary and Communication Studies and the founder and coordinator of the Gender Centre, Laikipia University, October 2016-March 2021. She has taught for 28 years at the university level. At the Gender Centre, she coordinated all matters relating to gender in the university. She initiated both the ladies' and gentlemen's mentorship programmes. She has also been the coordinator of the Kiswahili subsection (undergraduate and postgraduate levels) and the department's field attachment coordinator. She is currently the substantive Dean of the School of Humanities and Development Studies. She oversees 26 programmes in the school, ranging from undergraduate to postgraduate, and consequently, manage all the curriculum issues in the school, including initiating new programmes and reviewing the existing ones. She is also a trained Kiswahili teacher for non-speakers of Kiswahili. She has been active in various appointive positions within and outside of the university and has demonstrated leadership and team player roles in academics, research, and social as well as spiritual duties assigned to her. She is passionate about helping students

achieve their full potential and is committed to providing a supportive learning environment. She is also an accomplished researcher and has published numerous articles in top-tier academic journals, and has attended and presented papers at various International conferences held in her area of expertise. .

C Areas of Specialization

1. Literature
2. Applied Linguistics
3. Language
4. Communication

D Research Interest

1. Oral Literature
2. Gender Studies
3. Kiswahili Language

E Research Publications

Journal Articles

1. Fegher, M., **Wandera-Simwa, S. P.** & Yieke, F. A. (2025) Utilisation of Linguistic Landscape for Acquiring English as a Foreign Language. *East African Journal of Arts and Social Sciences*, 8(1), 412-426. <https://doi.org/10.37284/eajass.8.1.2821>
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5. Akol, M. G., **Wandera-Simwa, S. P.**, & Ogola, J. O. (2024). Changamoto Zinazokumba Shirika la Utangazaji la Uganda Katika Kukikuziwa Kiswahili Jijini Kampala. *East African Journal of Swahili Studies*, 7(1), 395-404. <https://doi.org/10.37284/jammk.7.1.2200>.

6. Waithiru, K.A. Nabea, W., & **Wandera-Simwa, S.** (2024). Nafasi ya Vifaa katika kukuza Anthroposenia katika Riwaya za Emmanuel Mbogo na Katana Mkangi: Mfano wa Bustani Eden, Vipuli vya Figo na Mafuta. *East African Journal of Swahili Studies*, 7(1), 297-307. <https://doi.org/10.37284/jammk.7.1.1996>
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8. Kiguta, G. M., Mburu, K. W, **Wandera-Simwa, S.**, & Wendo, N. (2024). Upambanuzi wa Mikakati ya Kitashtiti katika Vibonzo vya Kisiaa vya Gado. *East African Journal of Swahili Studies*, 7(1), 11-27. <https://doi.org/10.37284/jammk.7.1.1685>
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10. Waithiru, K.A. **Wandera-Simwa, S.**, & Onyango, O.J. (2023). Tathmini ya Anthropolofiki katika Riwaya ya Shamba la Wanyama. *Mulika, Na 42 (2)*, 217-237 Doi: <https://doi.org/10.56279/mulika.na42t2.5>
11. Mwangi, J., Wendo, N., & **Wandera, S.** (2023). Mikakati ya Ushawishi katika Jumbe za Kihalifu kwenye Facebook na Barua pepe. *East African Journal of Swahili Studies*, 6(1), 180-193. <https://doi.org/10.37284/jammk.6.1.1252>
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15. Akaka, L., & **Wandera, S.** (2022). Mwanamke katika Bembelezi za Watikuu. *Journal of Research Innovation and Implications in Education*. 6(3) 421-427
16. **Wandera-Simwa, S. P.** (2022). Mafumbo ya Mwanamke katika Mashairi Teule ya Muyaka. *Eastern Africa Journal of Kiswahili*, 4(1) 452-470. <https://doi.org/10.51317/eajk.v4i1.245>

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30. Nkumbo, D., **Wandera-Simwa, S. P.**, & Ogola, J. O. (2019). Critical Discourse Analysis: Ideological Supremacy of Durex Adverts on Facebook Fan Page Kenya. *Editon Cons. J. Lit. Linguist. Stud.* 1(2), 63-77.
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34. Miricho, E. M., & **Wandera, S.**, & Nabea, W. (2019). Ukiushi wa Kanoni ya Maudhui katika Fasihi ya Watoto ya Kiswahili katika *CORETRAIN Journal of Languages, Humanities, Social Sciences and Education*. Coretrain Limited.
35. Khasandi, I. V., **Wandera-Simwa, S. P.**, Mahero, E. O., & Ndegwa, F. M (2019). Ethical Considerations in Rewarding of Sports Winners: A Comparison of Traditional Luhya Community and Contemporary systems katika *CORETRAIN Journal of Languages, Humanities, Social Sciences and Education*. Coretrain Limited.
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37. Khaisie, J. W., **Wandera, S. P.**, & Gwachi, J. M. (2018). Ubandikaji Majina na Majumlishi memeto kama mikakati ya Propaganda katika Midahalo ya Urais wa Kenya 2013 katika *RUWAZA AFRIKA (Vol. 6) Journal of Contemporary Research in Humanities and Social Sciences*: Pwani University.
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43. Malenya, M. M., & **Wandera, S. P.** (2018). Uchanganuzi wa Matini za Kifeministi katika Taarab Teule katika *CORETRAIN Journal of Humanities, Social Sciences and Education*. Coretrain Limited.
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Book Chapters

48. **Wandera-Simwa, S. P.** (2019). Mundo na Tathmini ya Programu ya Kiswahili na Mawasiliano katika Chuo Kikuu cha Laikipia katika Mitalaa ya Kiswahili katika Vyuo Vikuu vya Afrika Mashariki. KAKAMA. Zanzibar.

49. Miricho, E. M., & **Wandera, S.**, & Nabea, W. (2019). Fasihi ya Watoto ya Kiswahili kama Wenzu wa Kuangazia Maua ya kisiasa katika *Uwezeshwaji wa Kiswahili kama Wenzu ya Maarifa*. Moi University Press.
50. Khaisie, J. W., **Wandera, S. P.**, & Gwachi, J. M. (2019). Dhamira Fiche Katika Mdahalo Wa Urais Wa Kenya 2013 katika *Lugha na Fasihi katika Mshikamano wa Kitaifa na Uwiano Barani Afrika*. Moi University Press.

Books

51. Miricho, M., **Wandera, S.** Maina, D.K., S., Atibu, B., & Wanjala K. (2021). **VISIONARY Mazoezi ya Kiswahili**: Gredi ya 6. Mwongozo wa Mwalimu. Kenya Literature Bureau ISBN 978-9966-65-739-4.
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56. Miricho, M., Wanjala K., Maina, D.K., Atibu, B., & **Wandera, S.** (2021) **VISIONARY Mazoezi ya Kiswahili**: Gredi ya 4. Kitabu cha Mwanafunzi. Kenya Literature Bureau ISBN 978-9966-65-564-6.
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F Project/Thesis Supervision

PhD Theses

1. *Sitiari katika Bembelezi za Watikuu* na Lina Akaka Mbayi. Tasnifu ya M.A, Chuo Kikuu cha Laikipia **(2022)**
2. *Uchanganuzi Kifeministi wa Mwanamke wa Kisasa katika Nyimbo teule za Taarab* na Mary Mugasia Malenya. Tasnifu ya M.A, Chuo Kikuu cha Laikipia **(2022)**
3. *Vijana na Hejemonia katika Riwaya Teule za Kiswahili* na Harrison Ogutu. Tasnifu ya M.A, Chuo Kikuu cha Laikipia **(2022)**
4. *Ukiushi wa Kanoni katika Fasihi ya Watoto: mfano wa Kazi za John Kobia na Wamitila Wadi* na Erastus Miricho Mutahi. Tasnifu ya M.A, Chuo Kikuu cha Laikipia **(2021)**
5. *Ulinganishi wa Maumbo na Motifu katika Tendi za Mikidadi na Mayasa, na Kalevala* na Jackson Ndungu Mwangi. Tasnifu ya M.A, Chuo Kikuu cha Laikipia **(2021)**
6. *Uchanganuzi wa Matangazo ya Ngono Salama katika Mitandao: Mfano wa Durex Facebook Page* na Douglas Nkumbo. Tasnifu ya M.A, Chuo Kikuu cha Laikipia **(2019)**
7. *Matumizi ya Mikakati ya Propaganda katika mdahalo wa Urais wa Kenya wa Mwaka wa 2013* na John Wanyama Khaisie. Tasnifu ya M.A, Chuo Kikuu cha Laikipia **(2018)**

Master's Degree Theses

1. Mchango wa Shirika la Utangazaji la Uganda (UBC) kwa kukikuza Kiswahili Jijini Kampala na Gegory Monday Akol. Tasnifu ya M.A, Chuo Kikuu cha Laikipia **(2025)**.
2. Uhalifu katika Jumbe za Barua pepe na Facebook na James Mwangi Mathenge. Tasnifu ya M.A, Chuo Kikuu cha Laikipia **(2024)**.
3. Tashtiti katika Vibonzo vya Kisiasa: Uchunguzi wa Gaddo na Kerryanne Mburu Tasnifu ya M.A. Chuo Kikuu cha Laikipia **(2024)**.
4. Wanawake na Mikakati ya Ukombozi katika Tamthilia za Kigogo na Chema Chajiuzi. Na Kamau, P. Kamau. Tasnifu ya M.A, Chuo Kikuu cha Laikipia **(2023)**.
5. *Uhakiki Wa Mafumbo Katika Mikdadha ya Wosia wa Babu kwa Vijana miongoni mwa Wabukusu wa Kenya* na John Swala Wangila Barasa. Tasnifu ya M.A, Chuo Kikuu cha Laikipia **(2022)**

6. *Upya katika Ushairi wa Magazeti: Uchunguzi wa Ushairi wa Sokomoko na Ushairi wetu katika Gazeti la Taifa Leo* na Sallyne Nyongesa Tasnifu ya M.A, Chuo Kikuu cha Laikipia (2022)
7. *Uchanganuzi wa Suala la Ubwege wa Maisha katika Diwani ya Kichomi* na Jason Chibayi Poyi Tasnifu ya M.A, Chuo Kikuu cha Laikipia (2021)
8. *Uhalisia Mazingaombwe katika Tendi za Fumo Liongo na Mikidadi na Mayasa* na Emily Kemuma Tasnifu ya M.A, Chuo Kikuu cha Laikipia (2019)
9. *Uchanganuzi wa Ubabedume katika Nyimbo za Bendi ya Jua Kali ya Webuye*, na Jackline Khakasa Muchenje Tasnifu ya M.A, Chuo Kikuu cha Laikipia (2018)

G Scholarly Presentations at Conferences/Workshops/Seminars

1. Attended and presented a paper in an International African Languages Teachers Association (ALTA) held at the University of Pittsburgh, PA, 10th April to 12th April 2025: “Preservation of Luhya and Tiv Languages through the Creation of Digital Resources”.
2. Attended and presented a paper in an International African Languages Teachers Association (ALTA) Swahili Panel held at the University of Pittsburgh, PA, 11th April 2025: “Changamoto za Ujifunzaji wa Kiswahili kwa Wanafunzi wa Kigeni”.
3. Attended and presented a paper in an International Swahili Conference held at the University of Ghana, Legon, 5th July to 8th July 2023: “Umajumui si dhana ngeni; Uhakiki wa Methali Teule kutoka Bara za Umoja na Ushirikiano kutoka Bara la Afrika.”
4. Attended and presented a paper in an International Swahili Colloquium Conference held at Bayreuth University, Germany 19th May to 21st May 2023: “Usasaleo katika Ufundishaji wa Mashairi ya Kisasa: Matumizi ya Mashujaa wa Kisasa.”
5. Attended and presented a paper in an International CHAKITA Conference held at Kabianga University, Kenya 1st March to 2nd March 2023: Mchango wa Fasihi ya Kiswahili katika Masuala ya Ikolojia-Ukoloni: Mfano wa Riwaya ya Nakuruto ya Clara Momanyi
6. Attended and presented a paper at an International CHAUKIDU Conference held at Howard University, Washington DC, Maryland, 29th September to 1st October 2022: ‘Chema Chajiuza’: Upenyezi wa Kiswahili na Uswahili katika Dunia Tandawazi
7. Chaired a team of 6 Kiswahili experts from EAC partner states to organise the 1st Kiswahili symposium to celebrate Kiswahili day on 6/7/2022 in Zanzibar, URT
8. Facilitated a workshop organised by the East African Kiswahili Commission at Mount Safari

Club, Nairobi, from 30th January to 3rd February 2022, on Training of Trainers as the Team Leader.

9. Resource person at a Kiswahili Writer's Workshop organised by the Ministry of Sports, Culture and Heritage, Department of Culture and held on 11th and 12th November 2021 at Hadassah Hotel in Nairobi, opposite Upper Hill Medical Centre.
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11. **Wandera-Simwa, S. P.** (2017) 'Kiswahili katika Huduma za Afya: Tathmini ya mawasiliano kati ya Madaktari na Wagonjwa katika Hospitali Kuu ya Kaunti ya Nakuru, Kenya' Paper presented at the first East African Kiswahili Commission Conference in Zanzibar, Republic of Tanzania.
12. **Wandera-Simwa** (2014) Changamoto za ufunzaji wa Kiswahili katika shule ya msingi Kiswahili makala yaliyowasilishwa katika Kongamano la CHAKAMA, katika Chuo Kikuu Kishirikishi cha Rongo.
13. **Wandera-Simwa** (2012) 'Bamba 50' Matumizi ya Drama ya Kiswahili katika kuhamasisha Masuala Nyeti ya Katiba Mpya nchini Kenya. Makala yaliyowasilishwa katika Swahili International Conference at National Museum of Kenya, TUSIMA-Mombasa.
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15. Khasandi-Telewa & **Wandera-Simwa**. (2011) 'Kenyan by Choice: Dynamics of Language-in-Education in South Sudan.' Paper presented at the SACHES Annual Conference, whose theme was "Redrawing the Boundaries of Difference in the Region: Regionalisation as a New Space for Education.
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23. **Wandera-Simwa, S.P.** (2008) 'Kujenga au Kubomoa?' Mfano wa jukumu la Kiswahili katika ghasia za baada ya uchaguzi wa 2007 nchini Kenya. Makala yaliyowasilishwa katika ukumbi wa Fort Jesus, mjini Mombasa katika Kongamano la kitaifa la CHAKITA.
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5. Bwambale Khalid (2024) *Maadili kwa Vijana katika Methali za Kikonjo*. Tasnifu ya M.A. Islamic University in Uganda.
6. Biira Agnes (2023) *Athari ya Tehama katika Uwasilishaji wa Hadithi Fupi katika Jamii ya Wakonzo*. Tasnifu ya M.A. Islamic University in Uganda
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22. Simiyu, B. (2020). “*Athari Ya Fasihi Simulizi Katika Riwaya Ya Kiswahili*” Tasnifu ya Ph.D. Kenyatta University.
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Consultancy for East African Kiswahili Commission:

1. I am a trainer and team leader of the National Kiswahili research team aligned with the East African Kiswahili Commission (EAKC)
 - a. National research on capacity assessment and use of the Kiswahili in Kenya is one of the outputs under my leadership.
 - b. I chaired a committee that organised the first symposium for East Africa Community Partner states, held in Zanzibar on July 6, 2022, as part of the celebrations of Kiswahili International Day.
 - c. Under my leadership, we are working on manuals to train trainers who will teach Parliamentarians to use the Kiswahili Language for their parliamentary duties.