Curriculum Vitae

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Major Scientific Expertise

- Breast cancer journey from diagnosis to treatment
- Cervical cancer patient interval and diagnostic delay before treatment
- Admission pattern and treatment of solid tumours'
- Senior Radiotherapy Expert, NCCN Regional Guideline Development for SSA
- Cancer Registry Management

Employment history

- since 2017 Associate Professor of Oncology, Addis Ababa University
- 2003–2007 Radiation Oncology at University of the Witswatersrand
- since 2001 Addis Ababa University, College of Health Sciences
- 1999–2000 Jimma University

Qualifications

- 1997–1999 Speciality training in Internal Medicine Addis Ababa University
- 1986–1993 Undergraduate study in Medicine at Jimma University

Achievements and Awards

• awarded fellow of college of Radiation Oncologists of South Africa





Research Grants

- 2021-2025: DELTAS II, African Academy of Sciences, REACCT-CAN (Research and Excellence in African Capacity to Control and Treat CANcer), 4.000.000 USD (Co-PI)
- 2020-2024: EKFS (Else Kröner Fresenius Stiftung), Upgrading and decentralizing oncology care in Ethiopia, 2.500,000 Euros (Co-PI)
- 2015-2022: Capacity Building for Cancer Research at AAU, American Cancer Society, (230,000 USD) (Co-PI)

Further relevant information

- since 2013 Director of the Addis Ababa City Cancer Registry
- since 2011 AFCRN member
- since 2015 NCD task force member for Ethiopian Ministry of Health
- since 2016 Development of the Ethiopian National Cancer Control Plan

Publications

- Delayed initiation of adjuvant chemotherapy among women with breast cancer in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia Alem Gebremariam Mathewos Assefa Adamu Addissie Alemayehu Worku Nebiyu Dereje Aynalem Abreha Wondemagegnehu Tigeneh Lydia E Pace Eva Johanna Kantelhardt Ahmedin Jemal .Breast Cancer Res Treat 2021 Feb 18. Epub 2021 Feb 18.
- Factors associated with advanced stage at diagnosis of cervical cancer in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia: a population-based study. Nebiyu Dereje Alem Gebremariam Adamu Addissie Alemayehu Worku Mathewos Assefa Aynalem Abraha Wondemagegnehu Tigeneh Eva Johanna Kantelhardt Ahmedin Jemal. BMJ Open 2020 10 13;10(10):e040645.
- Extent and Predictors of Delays in Diagnosis of Cervical Cancer in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia: A population-Based Prospective Study. Nebiyu Dereje, Adamu Addissie, Alemayhu Worku, Mathewos Assefa, Aynalem Abrha, Wondemagegnehu Tigeneh, Eva Kantelhardt, Ahmedin Jemal . JCO Glob Oncol 2020 Feb, 6: 277-284
- Breast and cervical cancer patients' experience in Addis Ababa city, Ethiopia: a follow-up study protocol. Alem Gebremariam, Adamu Adissie, Alemayhu Worku, Selamawit Hirpa, Mathewos Assefa, Lydia E Pace, Eva Johanna Kantelhardt, Ahmedin Jamal. BMJ Open 2019 04 9; 9 (4): e027034 Epub 2019 April 9
- 5. Breast cancer survival in sub-Saharan Africa by age, stage at diagnosis and human development index: A population-based registry study.Walburga Y Joko-Fur, Adalberto Miranda, Filho,Isabelle Soerjomataram, Marcel Egue, Marie-Therese, Akele-Akpo, Guy, N`da, **Mathewos Assefa**, Nathan Buziba, Anne Korir Bakarou, Kamate Cheick Traore, Shyam Manraj, Cesaltina Lorenzoni, Carl Carrilho, Rolf Hansen, Anne Finesse, Ntuthu Somdyala, Henry Wabinga,Tatenda Chingonzoh, Margaret Brook, Eric Chokunonga, **Biying Liu**, **Eva Kantelhardt**, Paul McGale, **Donald M Parkin**. Int J Cancer 2020 03 14; 146(5)1208-1218. Epub 2019 J