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WEBINAR

BIOGRAPHIES OF SPEAKERS

SPEAKERS

MOUHAMADOU DIAGNE

Vice President of Integrity, World Bank Group



Mouhamadou Diagne started his position as Vice President of Integrity (INT) at the World Bank Group in September 2020. In this role, he oversees the independent unit responsible for conducting investigations of fraud and corruption allegations involving projects and activities financed by the World Bank Group and World Bank Group staff and corporate vendors; pursuing and litigating sanctions for credible allegations; introducing best practices in preventing fraud and corruption into World Bank Group operations; and helping to raise compliance standards among private sector entities. He has nearly 25 years of experience managing teams in the fight against fraud and corruption. Prior to this appointment, he served as the Inspector General of the Global Fund to Fight Aids, Tuberculosis, and Malaria, one of the world's largest international health financing mechanisms. In this capacity, he led both the Investigations and the Audit functions of the organisation and oversaw investigations of alleged fraud, corruption, misappropriation, and other forms of abuse in Global Fund financed programmes as well as in corporate operations.

PATRICIA KINGORI

Senior Investigator, Wellcome Centre for Ethics and Humanities, University of Oxford



Patricia Kingori, PhD, is a Wellcome Senior Investigator at the Wellcome Centre for Ethics and Humanities (WEH) at the University of Oxford. Patricia is sociologist and her research has focused on sociological and ethical issues in the practice of global health. She has spent most of her career researching and documenting ethnographically the ethical dilemmas of fieldworkers and frontline workers such as nurses and doctors in research, clinical and humanitarian settings including the ethical issues which emerge after the conduct of Ebola clinical trials in West Africa. Patricia's most recent project focuses on understanding concerns about fakes, fabrications and falsehoods in Global Health. This work explores fakery in knowledge production and drugs and medicines in African and Southeast Asian contexts. Her publications include a focus on data fabrication and the use of fake probes to access the 'real' in Global Health. She has also produced a podcast on the phenomena of the Genuine Fakes.

MODERATOR

VINH-KIM NGUYEN

Co-Director, Global Health Centre; Professor of Anthropology, The Graduate Institute



Vinh-Kim Nguyen is a medical anthropologist and an emergency physician. He continues to practice acute care medicine in Canada and with Médecins sans Frontières, most recently in emergency medicine in Yemen and in Ebola centres in the DRC. He practised HIV medicine in Montréal between 1992 and 2012, and was involved as a co-investigator in multiple clinical trials while teaching in the School of Public Health at the University of Montréal where he helped establish graduate programmes in Global Health. He now teaches Anthropology and Global Health in Geneva, and continues to conduct research on barriers to the elimination of infectious diseases. His early anthropological research, based on extensive work in the field working with community groups, examines the introduction of antiretrovirals in West Africa from the mid 1990s and is detailed in his first book, *The Republic of Therapy: Triage and Sovereignty in West Africa's Time of AIDS*. With Margaret Lock he co-authored *An Anthropology of Biomedicine*, which provides a theoretical framework for analysing health and illness in the era of globalized biomedicine and is now in its second edition. He is Vice President of MSF Switzerland and Co-Director of the Global Health Centre at the Graduate Institute in Geneva.