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### **BRIEF PROFILE/EDUCATION BACKGROUND**

Mwiti teaches Literature to the aspiring teachers of English and Literature. He can also handle several areas in communication studies. He is currently pursuing a PhD in Literature at the University of Nairobi. He cleared his Master of Arts degree in Literature in 2014 at Kenyatta University where he researched on the poetics of the Spoken Word poetry. He had done a Bachelor of Education- Arts (English and Literature) at the same university in 2005. Mwiti is also an alumnus of Igembe Boys Secondary School and Kaongo Kamau Primary School

### **MAJOR PUBLICATIONS**

Mwiti C. and Mugubi J. '*Morphology of the Embryonic Kenyan 'Spoken Word' Poetry: A Case Study*', **Journal of Foreign Languages, Cultures and Civilizations**. June 2015, Vol. 3, No. 1, pp 28-36

Mwiti C. and Mugubi J. '*(re)Reading Mochama: Some Thoughts on 'Spoken Word' poetry in Kenya*' ,**Third Text Africa** Vol. 4. 2015, pp. 71-72

### **RESEARCH INTEREST**

Spoken Word poetry

Drama in schools

Drama festival and the CBC curriculum