

CURRICULUM VITAE



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CERTIFICATE/DIPLOMA/TRAINING/ATTESTATION

2023

- Thesis in progress in sociology on the place of women in agroecology in Senegal

2022

- Certificate in Monitoring, Evaluation, Accountability and Learning for Development (MEAL DPro), facilitated by Pyramid Learning
- Certificate in the Art of Using the Public Narrative Methodology to Communicate Research held, Nairobi on April 12-May 25, 2022
- Certificate of Training in Leadership in Agricultural Research and Development (LEPARD) awarded by AWARD under the One Planet fellowship program.

2021

- Training certificate in scientific writing and research project management delivered by the Agence Universitaire de la Francophonie (AUF) West Africa Region and the Institut de recherche pour le développement (IRD).

2020

- Certificate of training "Statistical processing and data analysis with R software" delivered by the Agence universitaire de la Francophonie (AUF) West Africa Region and the Institut de recherche pour le développement (IRD)

2019

- Certificate of Advanced Studies in Sustainable Development, mentioning "Land degradation, soil quality: what are the challenges and solutions for sustainable agricultural production" delivered by the Foundation for International Development Studies and Research (FERDI).

2015

- Master in Sociology, option Development and Social Change, Gaston Berger University of SaintLouis, Senegal.

SCHOLARSHIPS, AWARDS AND DISTINCTIONS

- 2020: Laureat of the One Planet Fellowship initiative supported by the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation (BMGF), the BNP Paribas Foundation, the Canadian International Development Research Centre (IDRC) and the European Union (EU). Implementation is carried out by African Women in Agricultural Research and Development (AWARD) based in Nairobi, Kenya and Agropolis Fondation in Montpellier, France.

- 2018: PhD student of the PARFAO Programme (Promoting Agroecology through Research and Training in West Africa) supported by the Agence universitaire de la francophonie (AUF) and the Institut de recherche pour le développement (IRD).
- 2017: Winner of the "Hampaté Ba" grant from the Maison des Sciences de l'Homme *Angé Guépin* in Nantes, funded by Nantes Métropole.

EMPLOYMENT/RESEARCH ACTIVITIES/WORK PLACEMENT

- 04 October 2021- 30 September 2022: Junior Professional with Catholic Relief Services (CRS) Dakar, Senegal
- 2017: Field investigator on a study about the elderly in the Commune of Popenguine (Thiès-Senegal region). Study commissioned by Dr Fatou Binetou DIAL, Sociologist at the Institut Fondamental d'Afrique Noire-Cheikh Anta Diop, Laboratory of Cultural Anthropology.
- 2016-2019: Junior researcher associated with the research project FRES (Women, Religious Networks and Female Entrepreneurship in Senegal) with the Cheikh Anta Diop University of Dakar, the Gaston Berger University of Saint-Louis, the Assane Seck University of Ziguinchor and the IRD (Institute of Research for Development). Project piloted over 3 years. Responsibilities: Fieldworker, analysis of qualitative data, report writer.
- 2016-2017: Trainee at ENDA SANTE in Popenguine
- 2016: Field surveyor on stakeholders' perceptions of the effectiveness of MPAs/PPZs in Senegal commissioned by the BMZ FISH FOR LIFE Project Saint Louis (administration of questionnaires)
- 2015: Research assistant in the PERMIS project (Intensification of Ecological Processes in Rice Based Systems under Irrigation Control in the Senegal River Valley)
- 2015 : Internship at COPRONAT (Collectif des GIE de femmes pour la Protection de la Nature) in Popenguine for the Master II thesis.
- 2013: Trainee at the Regional Development Agency (ARD) of Kaolack in the monitoring and evaluation division of development projects

LIST OF PUBLICATIONS

Book chapters

- Sene M.-T. D & Gning, S. B. (2022). Agroecology: An innovative perspective on women's empowerment in Senegal. In F. Zogning & L. Rey, *L'innovation sociale dans l'espace francophone : Politiques, pratiques et outils* (pp. 277-208). Éditions JFD. ISBN: 978-2-89799-424-2
- Gning, S. B., Sakho, C. S., **Sene, M.-T.**, & Grégory, J. (2018). Family trajectories and social network dynamics of female entrepreneurs in Saint-Louis, Senegal. In A. E. Calvès, F. B. Dial, & R. Marcoux (Eds.), *Nouvelles dynamiques familiales en Afrique* (1^{re} ed., pp. 201-220). Presses de l'Université du Québec ; JSTOR. <https://doi.org/10.2307/j.ctvggx3tg.15>

Articles

- Sene, M. T. D. (2021). Agroecology in Senegal: An opportunity for women to access productive resources? *Revue ivoirienne des lettres, arts et sciences humaines (rilash)*, 51, 113-131.

Conference proceedings

- Sene, M. T. D., & Gning, S. B. (2019). From emergency aid to female entrepreneurship: The role of religious NGOs in the humanitarian transition in Senegal. *Proceedings of the XI colloquium advocating for interreligious dialogue*, 134-143.

Papers in Congresses, Conferences and Seminars

1. Sene, M.T.D. (2023). Agroecology, the new face of female entrepreneurship in Senegal. International transdisciplinary symposium Scientific research in Africa in the 21st century. Challenges and prospects of a practice in a constantly changing context. Ed. 1, RCAC, IRADDAC, Lyon 28 April - 09 May 2023. On line.
2. Sene, M. T. D. (2022). *Entrepreneurship in agro-ecology: An analysis of women's empowerment through the lens of gender relations in Senegal*. International and interdisciplinary colloquium L'Afrique en devenir, 14-17 December 2022, Université Cheikh Anta Diop, Dakar
3. Sene, M. T. D. (2021). *Women's entrepreneurship in agro-ecology in Senegal: An analysis of economic empowerment through a gender lens*. International Colloquium on the Entrepreneurial Ecosystem in Africa: What Strategies to Support SMEs in Africa, Abidjan.
4. Sene, M. T. D. (2021). *L'agroécologie au Sénégal : une opportunité pour les femmes d'accéder aux ressources productives ?* colloque symposium international Femme et Développement en Afrique subsaharienne : Regards et actions croisés, 28-30 juin 2021 à l'Université Félix Houphouët-Boigny, Abidjan.
5. Sene, M. T. D. (2021). Sharing experiences at Montpellier Global days Africa.
6. Sene, M. T. D. (2019). *Agroecology an innovative perspective of female empowerment in Senegal*, 3rd Sustainable Intensification Conference, 24-26 November 2021, Dakar.
7. Sene, M. T. D. (2019). *La faible visibilité des femmes dans l'entrepreneuriat vert au Sénégal*, Francophone summer doctoral school in gender studies, BRULAU, Brussels, ULB 10-14 June.
8. Sene M-T. D & Gning, S. B. (2019), *De l'aide d'urgence à l'entrepreneuriat féminin : le rôle des ONGs religieuses dans la transition humanitaire au Sénégal*, Colloque Fondation Konrad Adenauer " Dialogue interreligieux Religion et développement économique ", Dakar, 25 et 26 juin.
9. Sene, M. T. D. (2016). *L'économie verte dans la promotion de l'entrepreneuriat féminin au Sénégal*, Colloque GIERSA, Dakar, IFAN 18-20 December.

VISIBILITY IN THE MEDIA

- 2022 : Evénement storytelling <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zED8Z2tP86M>
- 2021 : <http://www.keurdafrique.fr/wp-content/uploads/2021/04/Tam-Tam-Tamn%C2%B016-mars-2021de%CC%81finitif.pdf>
- 2021 : Portrait IRD Talents : <https://www.ird.fr/irdtalents-rencontre-avecmarithereese-daba-sene-sociologue-senegalaise-specialisee-en>
- 2021 : <https://fb.watch/9DghDnQL3D/>

TRAININGS

- 2022: MEAL DPRO training from 6 June to 1 July 2022 online via Pyramid Learning's online platform
- 2022: AWARD's One Planet Fellowship hybrid leadership and negotiation skills training, 24-30 April 2022, Nairobi, Kenya.
- 2021: Training in scientific writing and setting up research projects organized by the steering committee of the PARFAO program (Promoting Agroecology through Research and Training in West Africa) at the IRD antenna in Abidjan.
- 2020: Training in biostatistics on R software organized by the steering committee of the PARFAO program at the AUF antenna in Abidjan.
- 2019: Training on "Land degradation, soil quality: what issues and solutions for sustainable agricultural production" Co-organized by the Institut des Hautes Etudes du Développement Durable (IHEDD) and the Institut de Recherche pour le Développement (IRD).