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Academic Degrees

2017 Doctor of Philosophy (Pharmacology). Department of Pharmacology, School of Pharmacy, Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology, Kumasi, Ghana
2005 Bachelor of Science (Biochemistry). Department of Biochemistry, University of Ghana, Legon, Ghana.

Brief Bio

Dr. Kofi Donkor is the Deputy Executive Director at the Centre for Plant Medicine Research (CPMR), Mampong-Akuapem, Ghana, where he also serves as Head of the Coordinating Office for Research and Innovation (CORI). He attended the Presbyterian Boys' Secondary School (PRESEC), Legon, and holds a PhD in Pharmacology from the Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology and a BSc in Biochemistry from the University of Ghana. Since joining CPMR in 2005, Dr. Donkor has played a leading role in the research, development, and commercialization of herbal medicines for conditions including COVID-19, malaria, hypertension, diabetes, and other chronic diseases. Before moving to head CORI, he served as the head of the Scientific Information Department of the CPMR for seven years, where he led a team of dynamic data and computer scientists in digitalizing and transforming the electronic operations of the CPMR.

His work spans product innovation, technology transfer, intellectual property for indigenous knowledge, and the strengthening of quality and regulatory systems for traditional medicine, supported by competitive grants from organizations such as the COVID-19 National Trust Fund, Seeding Labs, GIZ, the Ghana Skills Development Fund, and international partners including WHO, UNOPS, and Wellcome/IBRO. He has coordinated multiple national and international training programs on herbal medicinal products, good manufacturing practices, and advanced instrumental analysis, and has contributed to building research and laboratory capacity in Ghana and beyond.

Dr. Donkor has authored and co-authored peer-reviewed publications on the safety, efficacy, and pharmacology of medicinal plants, and has presented his work at numerous international conferences. He is regularly invited as a speaker and panellist at global forums on traditional medicine, including WHO traditional medicine summits and regional scientific meetings. He is a member of the West African Network of Natural Products Research Scientists (WANNPRES) and the Ghana Science Association (GSA), and is actively involved in postgraduate training, thesis examination, and supervision across African and international institutions.

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EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Employment - Research

- April 2022 – ongoing Senior Research Officer: Centre for Plant Medicine Research, Mampong-Akuapem, Ghana. A government research institute under the Ministry of Health of Ghana, responsible for research and development of herbal medicine using medicinal plants.
- Nov. 2017 – April 2022 Research Officer: Centre for Plant Medicine Research, Mampong-Akuapem, Ghana. A government research institute under the Ministry of Health of Ghana, responsible for research and development of herbal medicine using medicinal plants.
- Nov. 2006 – Nov. 2017 Assistant Research Officer: Centre for Plant Medicine Research, Mampong-Akuapem, Ghana. A government research institute under the Ministry of Health of Ghana, responsible for research and development of herbal medicine using medicinal plants.
- Sept. 2005 – Aug. 2006 National Service: Centre for Plant Medicine Research, Mampong-Akuapem, Ghana. A government research institute under the Ministry of Health of Ghana, responsible for research and development of herbal medicine using medicinal plants.

Managerial Appointment

- Feb. 2026 – Ongoing Deputy Executive Director; Centre for Plant Medicine Research, Mampong-Akuapem, Ghana. A government research institute under the Ministry of Health of Ghana, responsible for research and development of herbal medicine using medicinal plants.
- Jan. 2021 – Ongoing Head of Department, Coordinating Office for Research and Innovation; Centre for Plant Medicine Research, Mampong-Akuapem, Ghana. A government research institute under the Ministry of Health of Ghana, responsible for research and development of herbal medicine using medicinal plants.
- Jan. 2026 – Ongoing Acting Head of Department, Scientific and Technical Services; Centre for Plant Medicine Research, Mampong-Akuapem, Ghana. A government research institute under the Ministry of Health of Ghana, responsible for research and development of herbal medicine using medicinal plants.
- Oct. 2015 – Dec. 2020 Head of Department, Department of Scientific Information; Centre for Plant Medicine Research, Mampong-Akuapem, Ghana. A government research institute under the Ministry of Health of Ghana, responsible for research and development of herbal medicine using medicinal plants.
- Jan. 2015 – Dec. 2020 Session Clerk: Presbyterian Church of Ghana, Christ Congregation, Adentan, Ghana.

Selected Professional Development

- 2025 Neuroscience Capacity Accelerator for Mental Health (NCAMH) Capacity Building, a professional development event, organized in the context of the NCAMH program and held from 7-9 November 2025, in Cape Town, South Africa.
- 2025 Advanced Project Management for Donor Funded Projects, organized by Safari Project Management & Training, from 23 - 27 June 2025, at the Premier Hotel, South Africa.

Expert consultation and contracting services

- Sept. 2024 – Oct. 2025 Chair of Fundraising Committee/ Member LOC: XXIII AETFAT (Association for the Taxonomic Study of the Flora of Tropical Africa) Congress, 3rd to 8th of August, 2025, University of Ghana, Legon, Ghana.
- Feb. 2025 – Ongoing Member, Research Committee- Green Gold Agenda: Ghana Federation of Traditional Medicine Practitioners Association (GHAFTRAM), Accra, Ghana.
- Mar 2021 – Oct 2022 Chair, Technical Committee- Awards: Ghana Federation of Traditional Medicine Practitioners Association (GHAFTRAM), Accra, Ghana.
- March 2020 – April 2021 Expert Consultation on use of Traditional Medicine for Management of COVID-19, Africa Regional Office, World Health Organization.
- June 2016 – Dec 2022 Clerk of Session/ Member, Project Committee for the construction of ultra-modern chapel complex for the Presbyterian Church of Ghana, Christ Congregation, Adentan, Accra, Ghana.
- March 2018 – Oct. 2018 Expert Consultation on drafting legislative Instrument for the Centre for Plant Medicine Research, Mampong-Akuapem, Ghana.

Employment – Service to CPMR

- May 2022 – Ongoing Chair, COAM Conference Local Organizing Committee
Founding LOC Chair, Centre's Oku Ampofo Memorial (COAM) Conference, an annual international conference of the Centre for Plant Medicine Research, Mampong-Akuapem, Ghana
- March 2016 – Dec. 2021 Chair, Organizing Committee; Oku Ampofo National Symposium
Founding Organizing Committee Chair, Oku Ampofo National Symposium, a one-day annual national symposium of the Centre for Plant Medicine Research, Mampong-Akuapem, Ghana
- July 2022 – Ongoing Chair, Price Review Committee
Review and set prices of products and services of the Centre for Plant Medicine Research, Mampong-Akuapem, Ghana
- Sept 2022 – Dec 2024 Chair, Grants and Publication Committee
Review and propose awards for internal research and publication grant for the Centre for Plant Medicine Research, Mampong-Akuapem, Ghana
- March 2023 – May 2023 Chair, Investigative and Disciplinary Committee
Investigated alleged case of staff misconduct, Centre for Plant Medicine Research, Mampong-Akuapem, Ghana

July 2023 – Ongoing	<u>Chair, Product Improvement Committee</u> Further research, development, and improvement of the products and services of the Centre for Plant Medicine Research, Mampong-Akuapem, Ghana
March 2024 – Ongoing	<u>Member, Financial Sustainability Committee</u> Ensure the financial sustainability of the Centre for Plant Medicine Research, Mampong-Akuapem, Ghana
Jan 2025 – ongoing	<u>Member, Product Development and Commercialization Committee</u> Product development and commercialization of research outcomes of Centre for Plant Medicine Research, Mampong-Akuapem, Ghana
Jan 2025 – ongoing	<u>Member, Research Grants and Publications Committee</u> Review and propose awards for internal research and publication grant for the Centre for Plant Medicine Research, Mampong-Akuapem, Ghana
March 2020– July 2021	<u>Member, COVID-19 Technical Committee</u> Research and develop products for COVID-19, Centre for Plant Medicine Research, Mampong-Akuapem, Ghana

INNOVATION/TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER

Product Development/Innovation

2021	Alfred Appiah, Kofi Donkor , Maxwell Sakyiamah, Doris Kumadoh, Mary-Ann Acher. Development and commercialization of Ampoforte Tincture, a herbal medicine for the treatment of COVID-19 and malaria.
2021	Kofi Donkor , Alfred Appiah, Maxwell Sakyiamah, Doris Kumadoh. Development and commercialization of Immunim Tincture, a herbal medicine for the treatment of COVID-19 and upper respiratory infections.
2024	Alex Asase, Kofi Donkor , David Agyare. Development and commercialization of MW concentrate, a herbal product for Kasapreko Company Limited, for the production of herbal beverages.
2024	Kofi Donkor , Genevieve Yeboah, Doris Kumadoh, Alex Asase. Formulation and commercialization of COA plus capsules from COA plus mixture concentrate, a herbal medicine for COA Research and Manufacturing Company Limited for the treatment of hypertension and diabetes.

Technology Transfer

2025	<u>Training Coordinator, Training of Staff of AHRI on Herbal Medicinal Products & Advanced Instrumental Analysis for Ministry of Health (MOH)-Ethiopia from 18th August to 5th September, 2025 at the Centre for Plant Medicine Research, Mampong-Akuapem.</u>
2025	<u>Training Coordinator, Training of Graduate Students and Early Career Scientists on applications of flow cytometry from 3rd and 10th to 12th November 2025 at Fiesta Royale Hotel, Accra, and the Centre for Plant Medicine Research, Mampong-Akuapem.</u>
2024	<u>Training Coordinator, Training of Herbal Medicine Producers and Students of Herbal Medicine on Optimizing efficiency and quality in herbal medicine production through</u>

innovative consultation strategies held from March to June, 2024 at Ebenage Production and Consult, Kumasi, Ghana.

- 2021 Training Coordinator, Training of Herbalists on Quality Management Techniques in Herbal Medicine Practice held from 16th to 27th August, 2021 at the Centre for Plant Medicine Research, Mampong-Akuapem, Ghana.
- 2019 Training Coordinator, Training of Herbalists on Clinical Techniques in Herbal Medicine Practice Held from 10th to 21st June, 2019 at the Centre for Plant Medicine Research, Mampong-Akuapem, Ghana
- 2019 Training Coordinator, Training of Herbalists on Basic Techniques in Herbal Medicine Production Held from 10th to 22nd March, 2019 at the Centre for Plant Medicine Research, Mampong-Akuapem, Ghana

JOURNAL EDITORIAL ROLES

- 2025-2028 Editorial Board Member, Journal of Integrative Medicine Research, Elsevier.

GRANTS, FUNDING & AWARDS

Competitive Research Grants

- 2025 **Kofi Donkor**. *Provision of Training on Herbal Medicinal Products & Advanced Instrumental Analysis for Ministry of Health (MOH)-Ethiopia- PO # 3234198*, United Nations Office for Project Services (UNOPS), Multi Country Office, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, USD\$35,000.00
- 2025-2027 **Kofi Donkor**, Martin Yevu, Mavis Boakye-Yiadom, Stephen Antwi, Alex Asase. *Clinical Trial on Efficacy and Safety of URO 500 Used in the Management of Benign Prostate Hyperplasia. PharmaVax Programme, GIZ, Accra, Ghana, €285,307.45.*
- 2025-2026 Donatus Adongo, **Kofi Donkor**, Charles Benneh. *Neurobiological mechanisms of antidepressant compounds from indigenous medicinal plants: Building neuroscience research capacity in Ghana through UK-Ghana collaboration.* Wellcome/IBRO, Brussels, Belgium, USD\$59,850.00.
- 2025-2026 Patwardhan Bhushan, Sarika Chaturvedi, **Kofi Donkor**, El Sayed Nessma, Sebastian Garcia Marti, Khan Ikhlas, Lee Meyong Soo, Mathpati Mahesh, Carolina Ung, Upton Roy, Dennis Chang. *To strengthen the global evidence base and strategic positioning of Traditional Medicine through an interdisciplinary review, development of an evaluation framework, and targeted stakeholder engagement.* WHO Purchase Order: 203691658 to the Global Consortium for Safe and Effective Traditional Medicine (GEM). USD\$266,069.
- 2024 – 2025 **Kofi Donkor**, Alex Asase. *Equipping the advanced instrumentation laboratory of the Centre for Plant Medicine Research, Mampong-Akuapem.* Seeding Labs, Boston, USA USD\$400,000
- 2023 – 2025 Doris Kumadoh, Alex Asase, **Kofi Donkor**, Genevieve Yeboah, Michael Kyene. *Enhancing the quality and production of plant medicines for improved healthcare*

and sustainable employment. GSDf/CI/00230/W4, Ghana Skills Development Fund, Accra Ghana, USD\$230,000

- 2022 – 2023 **Kofi Donkor**, Alex Asase. *Collaborative and Concerted Approach to the Development of Herbal Products against SARS-CoV-2 Virus and COVID-19.* COVID-19 National Trust Fund, Ghana USD\$260,000
- 2024 – 2025 **Kofi Donkor**, David Abrakwah, Ebenezer Agyemang, Doris Kumadoh. *Optimizing efficiency and quality in herbal medicine production through innovative consultation strategies.* Ghana Skills Development Fund, Accra, Ghana USD\$185,000.
- 2006 – 2007 Laud Okine, **Kofi Donkor**, Stephen Antwi, Jerry Asiedu-Larbi. *Chronic toxicity studies of 6 selected herbal products for the management of HIV/AIDS in Ghana.* World Health Organization, Ghana USD\$10,000

Industry Research Funding

- 2024 – 2026 **Kofi Donkor**, Alex Asase, Stephen Antwi. *Equipping the Animal Experimentation laboratory of the Centre for Plant Medicine Research, Mampong-Akuapem, for vaccine potency testing.* GIZ, Ghana, through the PharmaVax Program, €170,000.
- 2023 -Ongoing **Kofi Donkor**, Alex Asase, Kwabena Safo. *Sub-chronic and chronic toxicity studies of Immulate Herbal supplement.* Kantanka Herbal Pharmaceutical and Research Centre, Accra, Ghana. USD\$25,000
- 2025-Ongoing **Kofi Donkor**, Stephen Antwi, Alex Asase. *Feasibility studies for the establishment of Snake Farm at Centre for Plant Medicine Research.* GIZ, Ghana, through the PharmaVax Program, €45,000.00.
- 2025 **Kofi Donkor**. *Encapsulation of Alive Herbal capsules.* Alive Herbal Centre, Tamale, Ghana. USD\$3,253.50
- 2024 –Ongoing **Kofi Donkor**, Alex Asase, Kwabena Safo. *Phytochemical and efficacy studies of Immulate Herbal supplement.* Kantanka Herbal Pharmaceutical and Research Centre, Accra, Ghana. USD\$90,000
- 2023 – 2024 **Kofi Donkor**, Genevieve Yeboah, Alex Asase. *Formulation of COA plus mixture into capsules.* COA Research and Manufacturing Company Limited, Cape Coast, Ghana USD\$8,500.
- 2024 – 2025 **Kofi Donkor**, Genevieve Yeboah, Alex Asase. *Formulation of COA MT mixture into capsules.* COA Research and Manufacturing Company Limited, Cape Coast, Ghana USD\$8,500.

Research Scholarships

- 2011 – 2014 Centre for Plant Medicine Research, Mampong-Akuapem, Postgraduate research award, USD\$7,800.

Fundraising for programs

- 2022 First COAM International Conference, held at AH Hotel, Accra, Ghana. USD\$56,213.00

2023	Second COAM International Conference, held at AH Hotel, Accra, Ghana. USD\$74,522.00
2025	Third COAM International Conference, held at Fiesta Royale Hotel, Accra, Ghana. \$90,535.00

TEACHING & SUPERVISION

Teaching manual and curriculum development

2025	Training Manual on Herbal Medicinal Products & Advanced Instrumental Analysis for Ministry of Health (MOH)-Ethiopia. Centre for Plant Medicine Research, Mampong-Akuapem.
2024	Comprehensive manual on current Good Manufacturing Practices for producers and students of herbal medicine. Centre for Plant Medicine Research, Mampong-Akuapem.
2021	Quality Management Techniques in Herbal Medicine Practice. Centre for Plant Medicine Research, Mampong-Akuapem.
2019	Clinical Techniques in Herbal Medicine Practice. Centre for Plant Medicine Research, Mampong-Akuapem.
2019	Basic Techniques in Herbal Medicine Production. Centre for Plant Medicine Research, Mampong-Akuapem.

Selected postgraduate thesis assessment

2024	<u>External Examiner</u> ; Mangoato I.M. <i>Investigating the anticancer and possible resistant reversal effects of cannabis sativa l. Extracts in cervical cancer cell lines and modulation of abc transporters</i> . Doctor of Philosophy (Pharmacology). African Medicines Innovation and Technology Development Platform, Department of Pharmacology, School of Medicine, Faculty of Health Sciences, University of the Free State, South Africa.
2025	<u>External Examiner</u> ; Raseasala A.M. <i>The potential immunomodulatory and anti-diabetic effects of Manayimmune extracts in vitro mechanistic studies</i> . Master's in Medical Science (M.Med.Sc.) in Pharmacology. African Medicines Innovation and Technology Development Platform, Department of Pharmacology, School of Medicine, Faculty of Health Sciences, University of the Free State, South Africa.

Selected Academic Supervision

2023 –2024	<u>External supervisor</u> : Caleb Opone. <i>Isolation and Characterization of Anti-Hypertensive Constituents from selected Nigerian Medicinal Plants Traditionally used in Managing Hypertension</i> . Master of Science. Pan African University, Life and Earth Science Institute, University of Ibadan, Nigeria.
2024 –Ongoing	<u>Co-supervisor</u> ; Akua Safo. <i>Investigation of immunomodulatory activity of Immulate herbal supplement using in vivo and in vitro models</i> . Doctor of Philosophy.

Department of Pharmacology and Toxicology, School of Pharmacy, University of Health and Allied Sciences, Ho, Ghana.

2025 –ongoing External supervisor; Joana Nana Serwaa Akrofi. *Developing Afrocentric Occupational Therapy Practice Using Indigenous Knowledge Systems in Sub-Saharan Africa: A Case Study of Ghana*. Doctor of Philosophy. Department of Occupational Therapy Steinhardt School of Culture, Education, and Human Development, New York University, USA.

RESEARCH OUTPUTS

Journal Publications – Selected Peer-reviewed Journals

1. **Kofi Donkor**, Genevieve Yeboah, Emelia Oppong Bekoe, Michael Kyene, Doris Kumadoh, Maxwell Sakyiamah, Frederick Ayertey, Emmanuel Kumatia and Alex Asase (2025); Standardization of Immunim Tincture, an Immune Booster from *Azadirachta Indica* for the Treatment Of Covid-19, and its Formulation Into Tablets. *Int. J. of Adv. Res.* (Dec). 1263-1276.
2. Bhushan Patwardhan, Sarika Chaturvedi, Roy Upton, Jennifer Hunter, L Susan Wieland, Nessma El-Nabawy, Anchalee Chuthaputti, Chunyu Wei, **Kofi Donkor**, Kim Sungchol, Evelyn Wolfram, Geetha Krishnan Gopalakrishna Pillai & Shyama Kuruvilla (2025). A global approach to safety assessment of medicinal plants. *Bull World Health Organ* 2025; 103:741–743. doi: <http://dx.doi.org/10.2471/BLT.24.292879>
3. Bekoe, E.O., Orman, E., Offei, N.A., **Donkor, K.**, and Aikins, A.R. (2024). Phytochemical analysis, elemental content, and fibroblast proliferation activity of the hydroethanolic extract of *Moringa oleifera* lam leaves. *Int J Pharm Sci & Res*; 15(3): 813-21. doi: 10.13040/IJPSR.0975-8232.15(3).813-21.
4. **Donkor K**, Woode E, Okine LK. Immunoregulatory activity of root bark of *Cassia sieberiana* D.C. in modified adjuvant-induced arthritis in rat (2017). *Journal of Medicinal Plant Research* 2017. 11(39):613-620
5. Saka P, Osafo KE, Antwi S, Martey ON, Quasie O, Antwi-Adjei M, Asiedu-Larbi J, Takyi NK, **Donkor KN**, Okine LKN. The anti-dyslipidemic effects of milled root bark ethanolic extract of *Capparis erythrocarpus* in Sprague-Dawley rats: implications for obesity and cardiovascular diseases 2018:
6. **Donkor K**, Okine LNK, Abotsi WKM and Woode E. Acute and Sub-Chronic Toxicity Studies of aqueous extract of root bark of *Cassia sieberiana* D.C. in Rodents (2014). *J App Pharm Sci.* 2014. 4(4):84-89.
7. **Donkor K**, Antwi S, Aseidu-Larbi J, Takyi N and Okine LKN. Sub chronic toxicity studies of Asena, a poly-herbal formulation for the treatment of arthritis in rat (2014). *Med Aromatic Plants Res J.* 2014. 2(1):18-27.
8. Sarkodie JA, Appiah AA, Edoh DA, Aboagye FA, Asiedu-Larbi J, Tandoh M, Sakyiamah M and **Donkor K (2014)**. Antihyperglycaemic and Antioxidant effects of *Croton*

membranaceus mull. arg (euphorbiaceae). *Inter J Pharma Sci Res.* 2014. 5(1): 110-115.

9. **Donkor K**, Okine LNK, Abotsi WKM and Woode E (2013). Anti-inflammatory and Antinociceptive Effects of Ethyl Acetate Fraction of Root Bark of *Cassia sieberiana* D. C. in Murine Models. *Pharmacologia*, 4:301-310.
10. **Donkor K**, Antwi S, Asiedu-Larbi J, Takyi N, Martey N O and Okine LNK (2013). Analgesic and anti-inflammatory activities of Asena, a herbal preparation for treatment of arthritis, using rodent models. *Med Aromatic Plants Res J.* 2013 1(2): 20-29.
11. W .K.B.A. Owiredu, N.K. Takyi, L.K.N. Okine, A.A. Sittie, N. Amidu, K.A. Boateng, S. Antwi, **K. Donkor**, O. Addai-Mensah (2011). Safety Evaluation of BF001, an Anti-diabetic Herbal Preparation in Sprague-Dawley Rats. *West African Journal of Pharmacy* 2011. 22 (1)
12. Antwi S., Martey O.N., **Donkor K.**, Okine L.N. Anti-diarrhoeal activity of *Blighia sapida* (Sapindaceae) in rats and mice. *Journal of Pharmacology and Toxicology*, Volume 4, Issue 3, Year 2009

Selected peer-reviewed oral abstracts

1. Frederick Ayertey, James Odame Aboagye, Sylvester Kaminta, Prince Peter Wormenor, Araba Abaidoo-Myles, Christopher Zaab-Yen Abana, Anthony Twumasi Boateng, Prince Adom Nartey, Charlotte Borteley Bortey, Dzidzor Attoh, Helena Lamptey, Evelyn Yayra Bonney, **Kofi Donkor**, Alex Asaase, George Boateng Kyei. Anti-SARS-CoV-2 Activity of Immunim™ and Partitioned Fractions. 2nd Centre's Oku Ampofo Memorial Conference, Accra, Ghana, November 2023.
2. Kwabena Safo, Festus Buobu, Akua Safo, **Kofi Donkor**. Case Report: Immulate Herbal Supplement reduces Hepatitis B Virus Infection. 2nd Centre's Oku Ampofo Memorial Conference, Accra, Ghana, November, 2023.
3. Emelia Oppong Bekoe, Emmanuel Orman, Nicholas Awuku Offei, **Kofi Donkor**, Anastasia Rosebud Aikins. Phytochemical analysis, elemental content, and fibroblast proliferation activity of the hydro-ethanolic extract of *Moringa oleifera* Lam leaves. 2nd Centre's Oku Ampofo Memorial Conference, Accra, Ghana, November, 2023.
4. Michael O. Kyene, Mary-Ann Archer, Doris Kumadoh, Genevieve N. Yeboah, Olga Quasie, **Kofi Donkor**, Stephen Antwi, Emmanuel Kumatia, Daniel Boamah, Alex Asase. Formulation and evaluation of Sirrapac, monoherbal capsules, containing hydroethanolic extract of *Capparis erythrocarpos* Isert. 2nd Centre's Oku Ampofo Memorial Conference, Accra, Ghana, November, 2023.
5. Reuben Tettey Agbo, Vincent Tettey, Orleans Martey, Jerry Asiedu-Larbi, Olga Quasie, Stephen Antwi, **Kofi Donkor**. Chronic toxicity evaluation of *Prostat-60*, herbal medicine for bph and urine retention, in Sprague Dawley rats. 2nd Centre's Oku Ampofo Memorial Conference, Accra, Ghana, November, 2023.
6. Martey O., Quasie O. Antwi S. **Donkor K.** Safo K. Asase A. Subacute Toxicity Studies of Immulate: Herbal Supplement for Chronic Disease Conditions. 2nd Centre's Oku Ampofo Memorial Conference, Accra, Ghana, November, 2023.

7. Kwabena Safo, Festus Buobu, Akua Safo, Fidelis Atia, **Kofi Donkor**. Immulate, an herbal supplement, reverses secondary isotretinoin/itraconazole-induced liver injury in a 30-year-old patient. 2nd Centre's Oku Ampofo Memorial Conference, Accra, Ghana, November, 2023.
8. **Kofi Donkor**, Olga Quasie, Stephen Antwi, Appiah Kubi, Bobi Barimah. Attitudes and Opinions of Ghanaians towards COVID-19 Vaccine. First Centre's Oku Ampofo Memorial Conference, Accra, Ghana, November, 2022.
9. Sylvester Kaminta, Prince Peter Wormenor, James Odame Aboagye, Araba Abaidoo-Myles, Christopher Zaab-Yen Abana, Anthony Twumasi Boateng, Character Forfoe, Prince Adom Nartey, Charlotte Borteley Bortey, Dzidzor Attah, **Kofi Donkor**, Helena Lamptey, Evelyn Yayra Bonney, George Boateng Kyei. The antiviral effect of Ghanaian Herbal Extracts and Isolated Compounds on SARS-CoV-2. First Centre's Oku Ampofo Memorial Conference, Accra, Ghana, November, 2022.
10. O. Quasie, S. Antwi, O. Martey, J. Yeboah, S. Abubakari, **K. Donkor**, A. Asase. Preliminary Safety Evaluation of Immunim Used as an Immune Booster. First Centre's Oku Ampofo Memorial Conference, Accra, Ghana, November, 2022.
11. **Kofi Donkor**, Orleans Martey, Steven Antwi, Olga Quasie. Chronic Toxicity Evaluation of COA, an Herbal Preparation used for the Management of HIV/AIDS, Hepatitis, Cancer and Blood Related Diseases: First Centre's Oku Ampofo Memorial Conference, Accra, Ghana, November 2022.
12. Kwabena Safo, Festus Buobu, Akua Safo, **Kofi Donkor**. Ameliorative Effect of Immulate Herbal Supplement on Hepatitis B Virus Infection: Case Report. First Centre's Oku Ampofo Memorial Conference, Accra, Ghana, November, 2022.

CONFERENCES & PUBLIC SPEAKING

Selected International Invited Speaker

- 2025 **Kofi Donkor**. Ghana's Traditional Medicine System: Moving Indigenous Knowledge From Bench to Bed in Regulatory Environment. *Annual Scientific Conference on Ethiopian Traditional Medicine, organized by AHRI in collaboration with MoH, June 18 & 19, 2025 "Towards Evidence-Based Integration", Debel View International Hotel, Adama, Ethiopia.*
- 2025 David Katerere, John Igoli, **Kofi Donkor**, Denzil Philips. Panel discussion on Indigenous Medicinal Plants of Africa. Africa Wellness Summit 2025, organized by the Africa Wellness Initiative.
- 2024 **Kofi Donkor**. Overcoming Biases for the Integration of Traditional Medicine in Ghanaian Public Health System – Ghanaian Experience in Integrative Health. *IP and Traditional Medicine Project in Botswana: Launching Event and Stakeholders Engagement "Unlocking the power of Intellectual Property for Traditional Medicine Practitioners." Organized by the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO). Gaborone, Botswana, July 24 to 26, 2024.*

- 2022 **Kofi Donkor.** Traditional Medicines Research: Case of Centre for Plant Medicine Research, Mampong, Ghana. *Indigenous Knowledge & Bio-Trade Indaba. 24 – 25 NOVEMBER 2022. University of Free State, Bloemfontein, South Africa.*

Selected International Invited Guest

- 2025 Second WHO Global Summit on Traditional Medicine from 17 to 19 December 2025. New Delhi, India.
- 2025 7th Global Mental Health Summit from 10th to 12th November 2025, Cape Town City Hall, Darling Street, CBD, Cape Town, South Africa.
- 2024 The 3rd edition of International Arogya 2024, 22-25 February 2024, Lucknow, India
- 2023 First WHO Traditional Medicine Global Summit. 17 and 18 August 2023 in Gandhinagar, Gujarat, India.

Selected Plenary Speaker

- 2022 **Donkor K.,** Asase A. Immunim, an Herbal Medicine as a Potential Drug Candidate for the Treatment of COVID-19: A Progress Report. First Centre's Oku Ampofo Memorial Conference, Accra, Ghana, November, 2022.
- 2019 **Donkor K.** collaboration in the development of Nibima, a herbal medicine for the treatment of malaria. WANNPRESS/CPMR conference on 18th September, 2019, at the British Council, Accra.
- 2019 **Donkor K,** Appiah A, Boakye-Yiadom M. Collaboration in research and development of herbal products for the management of malaria and benign prostatic hyperplasia in Ghana. The 4th International Conference of the Society for Medicinal Plants and Economic Development from 26th to 29th August, 2019, in Abuja, Nigeria.
- 2018 **Donkor K,** Woode E, Abokye W. Immunoregulatory activity of root bark of *Cassia sieberiana* D.C. in modified adjuvant-induced arthritis in rat. The 3rd International Conference of the Society for Medicinal Plants and Economic Development from 27th to 30th August, 2018, in Johannesburg, South Africa.
- 2017 **Donkor K,** Woode E. Anti-inflammatory Activity of Root Bark of *Cassia sieberiana* in a Novel Adjuvant-induced Arthritis in the Rat. The 30th biennial scientific Conference of the Ghana Science Association at Koforidua Technical University from 24th to 27th July, 2017.

REFEREES

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