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CURRICULUM VITAE FOR TENDAI ZIHOVE

QUALIFICATIONS

- BA in Archaeology and History- (University of Zimbabwe).
- BSc Special Honours in Social Anthropology- (Great Zimbabwe University).

Languages: English and Shona

- Masters in World Heritage Studies-(University of Birmingham, United Kingdom)
- Currently studying PhD in Heritage Studies (Makerere University, Uganda)

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

INSTITUTION: NATIONAL MUSEUMS AND MONUMENTS OF ZIMBABWE

Great Zimbabwe World Heritage Site (July –August 2009)

Natural History Museum, Bulawayo (September 2009 to January

2016)

Great Zimbabwe World Heritage Site (February 2016 to present)

Position: Curator of Archaeology

Duties

- Management and Conservation of Archaeological and Cultural Heritage sites
- Documenting collections and cultural sites.
- Exhibition of anthropological and archaeological artefacts at heritage sites, agricultural shows and cultural events.
- Carrying out periodic audits of the departmental collections.
- Organizing and carrying out research work

Projects Worked on:

- ◆ Restoration of dry stone wall structures at Khami World Heritage site -2009 to 2013.
- Participated in the drafting of management plans for Great Zimbabwe and Khami World Heritage Sites in July 2011 and September 2013 respectively.
- ◆ Management of the Shona Village (traditional village) at Great Zimbabwe World Heritage site from August 2016 to September 2016.
- ◆ Documentation of collections at Great Zimbabwe World Heritage site (2016-2018).
- ◆ Participated in the restoration of walls at Great Zimbabwe from 2016 to 2022.
- ◆ Participated in the excavation programs at Great Zimbabwe World Heritage Site from 2016 to 2019
- ◆ Participated in the drafting of management plan for Great Zimbabwe in July and August 2023.
- ◆ Site Manager responsible for UNESCO- Third Cycle Periodic reporting for Great Zimbabwe World Heritage site (2019-2020).

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