

## Dr. Monica Kerretts – Makau’s Extensive Research Work

### 1. Institutional Governance

Dr. Kerretts – Makau’s most recent applied work in this area includes: Change Advisor to the Judiciary Transformation Secretariat (2013/2014) in the office of the Chief Justice Office. She continues to support the work of transformation through the Judiciary Training Institute as part of her contribution to the Nation: In 2014/15 Dr. Kerretts - Makau got involved in the Kenya Police Reform Program where she was Technical Change Advisor under the UNODC Police Reform Program. From this she produced the *Transformation Framework for the Police* after several workshops with the senior police officers led by the IG: In 2016 Dr. Kerretts - Makau was asked to support the work of the Westminster Foundation who were working with the Senate. From this she conducted research on *The Role of the Senate and the Way Forward*. One of her MPPM program student – Sahil Seth Shah, supported her with the Project. The Research was presented to the Senate and also debated at closed door meetings.

Dr. Kerretts-Makau is finalizing on editing a book on the *Judiciary Transformation 2012 to 2016 – Unpacking the Journey*. She hopes that it will be published at the end of this year. Other reports Dr. Kerretts has researched and authored which were launched by the former Chief Justice Dr. Willy Mutunga included: Report Judiciary Working Committee on Election Preparation 2012 to 2015 available online [here](#).

Dr. Kerretts together with Tom Mogeni also researched on public opinion both internally, in the Judiciary, and all over the country, on the election preparation committees’ work. The report *Evaluation of the Judiciary Working Committee on Election Preparation* (Available online [here](#)) which was led by Justice Maranga who is now the Chief Justice of Kenya, was launched in 2016.

In 2009 after joining Strathmore University Business School, Dr. Kerretts-Makau published her first chapter in the book *NRA Websites*. Her chapter is called *Benchmarking National Authority Websites in Africa* – it covers research on regulator websites in Africa. The book can be found [here](#).

### 2. Critical and Applied Thinking in Education

In the area of Education and teaching Dr. Kerretts - Makau co-edited a book titled *New Perspectives in Management Education* (2012), published by Excel publishing in Europe. The book is available at Strathmore library and online for purchase [here](#).

She is also an author and editor of the book *Youth Unemployment in Kenya –A Ticking Time Bomb* (2015) (Editors: H. Danner/B. Ndemo/J.M. Nebe) her chapter is titled “An education System in Bondage” and focuses on the need for re-evaluation on the issues of critical thinking and innovation which are the bedrock for education that is to produce entrepreneurs. The book was launched by Dr. Fred Matiang’i who also wrote the forward for the book, and is currently the Minister for Education in Kenya. The book is available [here](#).

### 3. ICT and Policy

In 2012 she also published on Internet Governance with Dr. David Souter who was one of her External Examiners for her PhD in 2006. *Internet Governance Arrangements in Kenya*, ISOC is available [here](#).

Dr. Kerretts-Makau was appointed to the Advisory Board of the World Banks World Development Report 2016 focusing on the role of ICT and Development. The panel is chaired by the President of Estonia. The Report Digital Dividends which has been presented across most countries globally including to the Kenyan Cabinet can be found [here](#).