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## *BRIEF BIOGRAPHY*

Dr Andrew Kavulya Mullei, a citizen of Kenya, was born in 1939 and grew up at Kalamani village in Mutitu Location of Mbooni West District in Kenya. He attended Mutitu Primary School in 1947, transferred to Karura Intermediate School in 1952 and proceeded to Uganda in 1954 for his secondary education at Bugema Missionary College. He received his Senior School Diploma and a University of Cambridge Overseas School Certificate A in 1958. After graduating from High School, he worked for two years (1959 and 1960) as sales representative for Sterling Winthrop International in Nairobi.

## *UNIVERSITY EDUCATION*

Dr Mullei went to Prague for his university education in 1961 and left to join the University of Erlangen Nurnberg in 1962. He transferred to the University of Munich in 1963 where he obtained the equivalent of a first degree in 1967. He moved to Howard University in 1968 to study for a Masters degree in economics which he received in 1969. He then went to Illinois in 1970 to study for a PhD in economics at Northern Illinois University which he was awarded in 1973. Dr Mullei was a Rockefeller Scholar from 1970 to 1973 and Otto benecke Scholar from 1963 to 1967.

## *APPOINTMENTS*

Dr Mullei was appointed Chairman of Sofgen Africa Limited in 2011, Chairman of Kenya Seed Company in 2010 and served as Governor of the Central Bank of Kenya from 2003 to 2007; Regional Director for Africa at the International Centre for Economic Growth in San Francisco from 1992 to 2000; Director General of the African Centre for Monetary Studies in Dakar Senegal from 1987 to 1992; Economic Advisor at the International Monetary Fund in Washington D.C from 1978 to 1981; Trade Policy advisor at the United Nations Economic Commission for Africa in Addis Ababa from 1977 to 1978; Executive Director for the African Centre for Economic Growth in Nairobi from 2000 to 2003. and Director of Research, Counselor to the Governor and Secretary to the Board of the Central Bank of Kenya from 1981 to 1987.

## *OTHER ENGAGEMENTS*

Dr Mullei was privileged to serve in Boards and Committees of many organizations at home and abroad including the Scientific Advisory Committee of the United Nations Initiative on Regional Integration, the Expert Group of Advisors for the Non-aligned Movement on External Debt, the Editorial Board of the African Review of Money, Finance and Banking, the Kenya National Economic and Social Council, the Kenya National Anti-Corruption Advisory Committee and the Advisory Committee of the African Economic Research Consortium. He was also a member of the Board of Directors of the K-Rep Bank, the Institute of Public Policy Analysis and Research, and the Kenya Gatsby Charitable Trust.

## *EMPLOYMENT HISTORY*

Chairman, Sofgen Africa Limited  
2011-present

Chairman, Kenya Seed Company Limited  
2010-present

Chairman, Epass International Limited  
2007-present

Chairman, Akay Investments Limited  
1993-present

Executive Director, African Centre for Economic Growth  
2000-2003 and 2007-present

Governor, Central Bank of Kenya  
2003-2007

Chairman, Kenya Deposit Protection Fund  
2003-2007

Director for Africa Region, International Center for Economic Growth  
1992-2000

Director General, African Center for Monetary Studies and Secretary, Association  
of African Central Banks  
1988-1992

Director of Research, Counselor to the Governor, and Secretary to the Board, Central Bank  
of Kenya  
1981-1987

Advisor and Alternate Executive Director, International Monetary Fund  
1978-1981

Trade Policy Advisor, United Nations Economic Commission for Africa  
1977-1978

Technical Assistant to Executive Director, International Monetary Fund  
1974-1977

Research Economist, Economic Research Service, United States Department of Agriculture  
1973-1974

## *MEMBERSHIPS*

Member, Board of Directors of K-Rep Bank  
2000-2003

Member, Advisory Committee, Kenya/UNDP Cooperation Program  
1999-2003

Member, Steering Committee, National Anti-Corruption Strategy for Kenya  
2000-2001

Member, Scientific Advisory Committee, United Nations University  
2000-2001

Member, Ad hoc Committee of Economic Advisors to the President of Kenya  
1998-1999

Member, Advisory Committee, African Economic Research Consortium  
1990-1997

Member, Advisory Group of Experts for the Non-Aligned Movement on External Debt  
1992-1994

Member, Committee on Development of Money and Capital Markets in Kenya  
1987

Member, Steering Committee of 6th Kenya National Development Plan.  
1987

Member, Kenya Delegation to the 8th and 9th Meetings of the Clearing and Payments  
Committee of the Eastern and Southern African Countries  
1986-1987

Member, Committee on Monetary Operations and policies, Central Bank of Kenya  
1986 -1987.

Member, Coordinating Committee on Debt Analysis and Balance of Payments, Central Bank  
of Kenya and Ministries of Finance and Development Planning.  
1986-1987

Member, Working Party of African Governors of the IMF and the World Bank.  
1982-1986

## *PUBLICATIONS*

Improving Financial Sector Performance in Kenya edited by Andrew Mullei and Wafula Masai (African Centre for Economic Growth, Nairobi, Kenya, September 2006)

Steering East Africa Towards a Customs Union: Suggestions from a Pilot Study, edited by Andrew K. Mullei, African Centre for Economic Growth, Nairobi, Kenya, February 2003.

Growth and Transformation of Small Manufacturing Firms in Africa: Insights from Ghana, Kenya and Zimbabwe, edited by Andrew K. Mullei, African Centre for Economic Growth, Nairobi, Kenya, February 2003.

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"Policies for Export Growth and Economic Development: The African Experience" in Policies for Export Growth and Economic Development: African and Asian Perspectives, NCEMA/ICEG, Ibadan, October 1994.

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"Adaptation to Composite Basket Pegging in African Countries" in Eastern Africa Economic Review, June 1991.

"Evolution, Structure and Performance of Kenya's Financial System Since Independence", in Savings and Development, Quarterly Review No 4, 1990.

"Policy Considerations in the Mobilization of Human and Financial Resources for Development in Africa" in Proceedings of a Joint ADB and AACB Symposium on Problems and Management of Development Finance in Africa, African Center for Monetary Studies, Dakar, June 1990.

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"External Debt Initiatives and the Case for Further Relief for African Countries" in ACMS Financial News Analysis, September 1989.

"The Challenge of Economic Management in Africa" in A.A. Kwapong and B. Lesser (eds) Capacity Building and Human Resources Development, Lester Pearson Institute for International Development, Dalhousie University, September 1989.

"Exchange Rate Management and Trade Policy", in E.J. Wilson and D.F. Gordon (eds) Economic Reform in Africa, Center for Research on Economic Development, The University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, July 1989.

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"Determinants of the Effects of Economic Integration Among African Countries", in Eastern Africa Economic Review, June 1987.

Central Bank of Kenya Staff Papers, edited by Andrew K. Mullei, Central Bank of Kenya, Nairobi, 1983-1987

"African Experience with Multilateral Trade Agreements of the EEC: A Statistical Evidence" in Eastern Africa Economic Review, June 1986.