



2015 BHEARD Scholar
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Profile

Country of Study:	United States of America
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Research Area: *Agricultural and Applied Economics*

BHEARD PROGRAM START DATE: August 2015

UNDERGRADUATE EDUCATION: B.Sc., Agricultural Education and Extension, Egerton University, Kenya

GRADUATE EDUCATION: M.Sc., Agricultural and Applied Economics, Egerton University

RESEARCH INTERESTS: Because agriculture is a key driver of most African economies, Walter will concentrate his research on market analysis and its implications on food security as well as the dynamics of agricultural commodity markets.

PERSONAL STATEMENT: Walter is a curious and passionate student ready to contribute to the alleviation of underdevelopment in Africa through research.

WHEN I AM NOT WORKING I ENJOY: Walter enjoys reading history books, particularly on political movements and economic factors that shaped great nations of the world.