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RESEARCH

Areas: Political Science and International Relations · Sociology and Political Science · Urban Studies · Accounting · Building and Construction · Demography

RESEARCH SUMMARY

9	87	5	4	3.34	44%
Publications	Citations	h-index	i10-index	Field-weighted impact	World top 10%

Counted from the 9 publications listed below, 2016–2025. Field-weighted impact is the mean over the 9 works scored for it; 1.00 is the world average for works of the same field, type and year. 4 of the 9 papers scored for it are among the world's most cited tenth for their field, type and year.

PUBLICATIONS

Journal articles 9

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2. Godfred Asante, Isaac Horsu, **David Essaw**, Doris Fiassergbor (2025). Migration and Development: Investigate the Impact of Remittances on Poverty Reduction, Economic Growth, and Household Welfare in Origin Countries. *Integrated Economies and Policy Insights*. https://doi.org/10.64229/pttxwt07
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4. John Victor Mensah, **David Wellington Essaw**, Musah Dankwah, Adom Baisie Ghartey, Charles Asare Bamfo (2024). Three decades of decentralisation in Ghana: operationalisation of sub-district structures in three selected regions. *Cogent Social Sciences*. https://doi.org/10.1080/23311886.2024.2381318
5. **David Wellington Essaw**, John Victor Mensah, Nana Amma Anokye, Emmanuel Yamoah Tenkorang, Janet Serwaa Boateng, Harriet Murriel Dzifa Potakey (2023). Governance for Sustainable Sand Mining in Two Selected Local Government Areas in the Central Region of Ghana. *Society & Natural Resources*. https://doi.org/10.1080/08941920.2023.2169799
6. John Oti Amoah, Akua O. Britwum, **David W. Essaw**, Justice Mensah (2023). Solid waste management and gender dynamics: Evidence from rural Ghana. *Research in Globalization*. https://doi.org/10.1016/j.resglo.2023.100111
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9. Augustine Tanle, **David Wellington Essaw**, Gregory Titigah (2016). Decentralization and conflicts: A case study of the KassenaNankana West District of Ghana. *Ghana Journal of Geography*.