## Tekeste Negash

1972. Bachelor in Laws (L.L.B.), Asmara University

- 1976. Master of Arts (M.A.), Area Studies/Africa, School of Oriental and African Studies, University of London
- 1987. Defended PHD thesis at Uppsala University

1990. PhD in History, Uppsala University

- 1998. Associate Professor, Modern History at Uppsala University
- 2007. Full Prof., Modern History, Dalarna University

## Positions held

1970-72. Law Clerk, Asmara University

- 1972-74. Lecturer in Law and ancient Ethiopian history at Asmara University, History Department
- 1979-80. Teaching Assistant, Dept. of History, Michigan State University, East Lansing, USA
- 1981-87. PHD student at Uppsala University
- 1988-92. Researcher at Uppsala University
- 1991-2004. Lecturer in Modern African History (on contract basis) at Uppsala University
- 1993-96. Consultant for the Swedish International Development Cooperation on educational policies
- 1996. Researcher at Nordic Africa Institute, Sweden
- 1998-2006. Associate Professor at Dalarna University, Falun
- 2001-2004. Research coordinator at the Department of Rural Development Studies, Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences, Uppsala, Sweden
- 2007-2011. Full Professor of Modern History, Dalarna University
- 2011-2012. Full Professor of Modern History, Uppsala University
- 2012-1013 . University of Addis Ababa, PhD advisor and teaching Dissertation advisor Dalarna University and University of Bologna

# Selected list of publications

- 1983. "Resistance and Collaboration in Eritrea, 1885-1914: Historiographic Overview" in *Quaderni di Studi Etiopici*, n. 3-4, pp. 26-54.
- 1983. "Review article on: Sherman, R., *Eritrea: The Unfinished Revolution*, 1980; Pool, D., *Eritrea, Africa's Longest War*, 1980; Davidson, B., Cliffe, L. and Bereket Habte Selassie,

Themes in Modern African History and Culture

*Behind the War in Eritrea*, 1980; Bereket Habte Selassie, *Conflict and Intervention in the Horn of Africa*" in *Northeast Afrincan Studies*, vol. 5, n. 1, pp. 67-81.

- 1984. "Resistance and Collaboration in Eritrea, 1882-1914" in Rubenson, S. (ed.) *Proceedings of the 7<sup>th</sup> International Conference of Ethiopian Studies, University of Lund, 1982,* Addis Ababa, Institute of Ethiopian Studies, Uppsala University, 1984, pp. 315-325.
- 1986. No Medicine for the bite of a white snake: notes on nationalism and Resistance in *Eritrea*, 1882-1940, Uppsala University.
- 1986. "Pax Italica and its Ethiopian Enemies, 1936-1940" in Eeckaute, D.; Perret, M. (eds.) *La guerre D'Éthiopie et L'Opinion Mondiale, 1934-1941*, Paris, *INALCO*, pp. 29-53.
- 1987. *History of the people of Ethiopia*, by Aleqä Tayyä Gäbrä Mariam, 1922, translated by Hudson G. and Tekeste Negash, Centre for Multiethnic Research, Uppsala University, 1987.
- 1987 (second printing 1997). *Italian Colonialism in Eritrea*, 1882-1941. Policies, Praxis and Impact, Uppsala University, Stockholm, Almqvist & Wiksell.
- 1990. *The Crisis of Ethiopian Education: Some implications for Nation-Building,* Uppsala, Uppsala Studies in Education, 29.
- 1994. "The Eritrean Unionist Party and its strategies of Irredentism, 1941-50" in Bahru Zewde; Pankhurst, R.; Taddese Beyene (eds.) *Proceedings of the 11<sup>th</sup> International Conference of Ethiopian Studies, Addis Ababa, 1991*, Addis Ababa University, Institute of Ethiopian Studies, pp. 299-322.
- 1995. *Dimensions of Development with Emphasis on Africa*. Uppsala, Nordic Africa Institute. [An anthology of the First Interdisciplinary Conference on Third World Studies held in Uppsala in 1994 and edited together with Prof. Lars Rudebeck]
- 1995. "Competing Imaginations of the nations" in Tekeste Negash; Rudebeck, L. (eds.) *Dimensions of Development with Emphasis on Africa*, Uppsala, Nordic Africa Institute, pp. 266-279.
- 1995. "Contradictions between Western Democracy and African Cultures: Lessons from the Past" in Melin, M. (ed.) *Democracy in Africa: On Whose Terms?* Stockholm, Forum Syd, pp. 61-78.
- 1996. Rethinking Education in Ethiopia, Uppsala, Nordic Africa Institute.
- 1996. "Colonialismo italiano e nazionalismo eritreo" in *Africa e Mediterraneo. Cultura, politica, economia, società*, vol. 1, pp. 15-21.
- 1997. *Eritrea and Ethiopia: The Federal Experience*. Uppsala, Nordic Africa Institute; New Jersey, Rutgers University Press.
- 1997. "Ideologins makt över historien om den etiopiska Zagwe-dynastin (930-1270)" in Backlund, J. *et al.* (eds.) *Historiska Etyder: en vänbok till Stellan Dahlgren*, Uppsala.
- 1997. "The unfinished quest for an equitable land tenure system: the case of Ethiopia" in *Current Issues in International Rural Development*, December, vol.15, pp. 33-40.

- 1997. "Alcune considerazioni sulle relazioni italo-africane" in *Studi Piacentini*, vol. 22, pp. 185-187.
- 1998. "Adwa and the History of Eritrea: Some Issues of Periodization" in Abdussamad H. Ahmad; Pankhurst, R. *Adwa. Victory Centenary Conference, 26 February-2 march 1996*, Addis Ababa, Institute of Ethiopian Studies, pp. 569-585.
- 1998. "The Catholic Mission and the Catholic Community in Eritrea, 1894-1950" in Getatchew Haile; Lande, A.; Rubenson, S. (eds.) *The Missionary Factor in Ethiopia*. Sonderdruck, Peter Lang, pp. 121-134.
- 2000. Brothers at War: Making Sense of the Eritrean-Ethiopian War, Oxford, James Currey; Athens, Ohio University Press [co-author with Kjetil Tronvoll].
- 2000. "The Landscape of African Constitutions. Some Concluding Remarks" in Piergigli, V.; Taddia, I. (eds.) *International Conference on African Constitutions*, Torino, Giappichelli Editore, pp. 331-349.
- 2001. "*Rim*: a form of land holding or a conceptual framework of local governance? The rise and decline of *rim* in Eritrea" in Bausi, A.; Dore, G.; Taddia, I. (eds.) *Anthropological and Historical Documents on "rim" in Ethiopia and Eritrea*", Torino, L'Harmattan Italia.
- 2001. "The Ethio-Eritrean conflict: Are there some concrete solutions forward?" in *Proceedings of Conference on Peace, Stability and Development in the Horn of Africa,* Amsterdam, Dir Foundation, pp. 35-49.
- 2003. "The Horn of Africa, Italy and After" in *Northeast African Studies*, 2003, 10, pp. 13-19 [with Papa, M.; Taddia, I.]
- 2004. "Italy and its relations with Eritrean political parties, 1948-50" in *Africa* (Rome), vol. 59, n. 3-4, pp. 417-452.
- 2005. "The ideology of colonialism: Educational policy and praxis in Eritrea" in Ben-Ghiat, R.; Fuller, M. (eds.) *Italian Colonialism*, New York, Macmillan, pp. 109-119.
- 2005. "Those who have shall have even more: Notes on the decline of development aid and the marginalisation of Africa" in *Storicamente*. *Studi e ricerche*, vol. 1 (on line).
- 2006. Of Global Concern: Rural Livelihood Dynamics and Natural Resource Governance, Stockholm, Sida Studies, vol. 16, Introduction, pp. 11-30 (with Kjell Havnevik and Atakilte Beyene).
- 2006. *Education in Ethiopia: From crisis to the brink of collapse*, Uppsala, Nordic Africa Institute.
- 2006. "Education and Development in Ethiopia: the history of dubious correlation" in Witakowski, W. *et al.* (eds.) *Festschrift* for Professor Joanna Mantel-Niecko, University of Warsaw, pp. 151-172.
- 2006. "The Zagwe Period and the Zenith of Urban culture in Ethiopia, ca. 930-1270 AD" in *Africa* (Roma), vol. 61, n. 1, pp. 120-137.

#### Themes in Modern African History and Culture

- 2007. L'Africa Orientale italiana nel dibattito storico contemporaneo, Carcangiu B.; Tekeste Negash (eds.) Roma, Carocci editore.
- 2008. "The dilemma of Eritrean identity and its future trajectories" in *Revista de Politica Internationala*, vol. 11-12, n. 1, pp. 21-34.
- 2008. "In and Out of Colonialism: The fall of development aid and the marginalisation of Africa" in *Africana. Rivista di studi extraeuropei*, pp.89-104.
- 2008. "Distressed yet confident, Ethiopia enters the third Millennium" in *International Journal of Ethiopian Studies*, vol. 3, n. 2, pp. 1-21.
- 2008. "Higher Education in Africa: some preliminary Reflections" in Jan Zàhorìk, *et al.* (eds.) *Viva Africa*, 2008, Pilsen, University of Western Bohemia, pp. 263-271.
- 2009. L'Etiopia entra nel terzo millennio. Saggio di storia sociale e politiche dell'istruzione, Roma, Aracne editore.
- 2010. "The curse of English in the Ethiopian education system" in Messay Kebede; Paulos Milkias (eds.) Politics, Education and Change in Ethiopia, Tsehai Publishers, pp. 67-97.
- 2010. "Emerging issues in Ethiopian Education. The relevance of higher education and the use of English as medium of instruction" in Järvelä, M.L. *et al.* (eds.) *Education, Ethics and Diversity*, Oulu, University of Oulu, Faculty of Education, pp. 33-53.
- 2011. "The Status of Islamic law in Ethiopia. Introduction to an unexplored research subject" in Papa, M.; Scolart, D. (eds.) *Il libro e la bilancia. Studi in memoria di Francesco Castro*, vol. 1. Roma, Edizioni Scientifiche Italiane, pp. 257-278.
- 2012. "Armed struggle and a Better Future: Dubious Connections" in *Africa Review of Books*, March, vol. 6, n. 1, pp. 4-6.
- 2012. "Transformative Values: Religion and Capitalism and the new Development Discourse in Eastern Africa" (with Taddia. I.) in *Storicamente. Dossier*, vol. 8, (on line).
- 2012. "Islamic law in Ethiopia" in *Proceeding of the international Conference, The Arab Centre for Research and Policy Studies, Doha, November 2011,* The Arab Centre for Research and Policy Studies, Doha, Qatar.

### Forthcoming

- "Ethiopic Script: A Brief History of its origin and impact" in Milev, R. (ed.) *Scripti Mundi*, Geneva, UNESCO.
- *The crisis of PhD training in Eastern and southern Africa*: co-editor with Abiye Daniel, OSSREA, Addis Ababa.
- Gendering Ethiopian history: Five Women who shaped Ethiopian History from the ancient times to the mid 20<sup>th</sup> century.