

Ruth Khasaya Oniang'o

Board of Directors

Elected to the Board 2015

Date of birth: 1946

Nationality: Kenyan



Career

- **Present:** Adjunct Professor, Friedman School of Nutrition Science and Policy, Tufts University, Boston, USA
- **2003 - 2007** Member of Parliament and Shadow Minister for Education, National Assembly of Kenya
- **1990 - 2003** Professor of Food Science and Nutrition, Jomo Kenyatta University of Agriculture and Technology, Nairobi, Kenya
- **1978 - 1990** Associate Professor - Senior Lecturer - Lecturer - Assistant Lecturer, Kenyatta University, Nairobi, Kenya

Education

- **1983** PhD in Food Science and Nutrition, University of Nairobi, Kenya
- **1973** MSc Human Nutrition, Washington State University, Pullman, USA
- **1971** BSc Food and Nutrition (with distinction), Washington State University, Pullman, USA

Mandates

- Trustee of the Board, CABI - Centre for Agriculture and Bioscience International
- Board member, USTADI Foundation, Kenya
- Chair of the Board, Sasakawa Africa Association
- Founder and Executive Director, Rural Outreach Program Kenya
- Founder and Editor-in-Chief, African Journal of Food, Agriculture, Nutrition and Development