

Tribute to the Editor-in-Chief of the West African Journal of Applied Ecology



The late Professor Seth Kofi Akyea Danso
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The late Professor Seth Kofi Akyea Danso was the pioneer Director of the Ecological Laboratory Project, a joint project with the University Copenhagen housed at the Department of Geography and Resource Development of the University of Ghana. He served from 1995 to 2008. During his tenure, he initiated the establishment of the West African Journal of Applied Ecology in the year 2000 and became its first Editor-in-Chief. He continued to be the Editor-in-Chief until his passing. The journal has run continuously from 2000 to date. Professor Danso was a member of many International Scientific Associations including the Soil Science Society of Ghana, Ghana Science Association, Soil Science Society of America, Crop Science Society of America, American Society of Agronomy and International Soil Science Society. Before joining the Soil Science Department, he was at the International Atomic Energy Agency in Vienna, Austria. He was an expert in Biological Nitrogen Fixation and also acted as a consultant for the Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO) of the United Nations.

He passed on 2nd April 2015 after a short illness. May he rest in perfect peace with the Lord.