

Review of: "Post-Pandemic Reflections from Sub-Saharan Africa: What We Know Now That We Wish We Knew Then"

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The manuscript entitled "Post-Pandemic Reflections from Sub-Saharan Africa: What We Know Now That We Wish We Knew Then" well written and structurally well organized. It meanwhile presents a timely issue mainly for the Sub-Saharan region which made to inspire about the work. Good job.

Coming to the specific remarks from my side, here below:

The title a bit confuses because of many personalized speech...., "we....,"

Who is "George Santayana" in the abstract. Either we have to avoid from the abstract or mention him/her in detail

I am afraid separating Science from Politics will work while defeating pandemics such as COVID-19. Governments of countries have the highest and of course the most responsible role to take immediate actions for such scenarios. The science however, needs more time to investigate and manage pandemics.

The concluding remark is good but misses a kind of model and/or decision eco-system while countries or regions are suddenly attacked by pandemics such as COVID-19. This is because the eco-system could be considered as post-conflict reflections.