

## Review of: "Answer to Ph.D. Viva Voice Questions by Doctoral Candidates: In the Case of the Ph.D. Thesis Entitled "Determinants of Entrepreneurship Sustainable Development in Africa": Short Communication"

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I believe the way the questions were answered by the researcher was generally very good and inclusive. It reflects a full understanding and awareness of all the aspects related to the topic of the thesis under investigation. I have a few comments to make:

- 1. Regarding Q1; the originality of the work should have been addressed especially when such a question is being asked
- 2. Regarding Q2; research implications should have been addressed especially when such a question is being asked by the examiners.
- 3. Regarding Q3; the contribution to knowledge; both theoretical and practical should have been addressed more explicitly in your answer.
- 4. Regarding Q5; it is worthy to mention your personal tendency and motive(s) to undertake this research, not only the drivers from the academic literature. Gap analysis should also be provided (in brief).
- 5. Regarding Q8; the answer is a little bit summarised. Typically, researchers need to elaborate further in this regard.
- 6. Regarding Q9; the methodology section, which usually represents one of the most important chapters in any thesis, the researcher need to elaborate further in this concern.
- 7. Finally, the contextual factors need to be more explicitly defended and explained early from the beginning; i.e. why did you pick this specific context? What is attractive about it? The pros and cons which might result in some research limitations, etc...

These are my general comments as an academic who have examined several postgraduate candidates, but again, I found the responses of the researcher direct to the point, effective and comprehensive. The reason I have addressed these issues was that I believe they are, more or less, typical in a Viva Voce session. All in all, well done and best of luck.