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## PERSONAL PROFILE

A passionate medical educator, researcher and mentor with over two decades plus of higher education experience in providing the vision and leadership required to ensure high quality of training for the next generation of medical doctors, healthcare professionals and biomedical scientists for improved global health opportunities. Having a proven track record of successfully leading course programmes and managing resources and staff to improve degree programmes, thereby helping students, staff and Faculty improve their knowledge, skills and techniques in order to reach larger goals.

## EMPLOYMENT

### ***Nigerian Institute of Medical Research, Yaba, Lagos, Nigeria.***

Adjunct Research Professor and Principal, ACURET.ORG 2018 – Date

### ***St. George's International School of Medicine, Northumbria University, UK***

Professor of Anatomy, Histology and Cell Biology, 2016 – 2018  
Associate Course Director, Histology and Cell Biology,

### ***St. George's University, Grenada***

Associate/Full Professor of Anatomy, Histology and Cell Biology, 2007 – 2016

Adjunct Research Professor, School of Veterinary Medicine, 2008 – 2016

Research Fellow, Windward Islands Research and Education Foundation, (WINDREF) 2007 – 2016

Course Director, Human Anatomy and Physiology for Health Sciences

### ***Obafemi Awolowo University Ile-Ife, Nigeria***

Lecturer/Senior Lecturer 1994 - 2007

- Program Director, Anatomy Graduate Program (MSc/PhD)
- Course Director, Year III Medical and Dental Anatomy Programme
- Coordinator, Dissection and Embalming Services Unit

### ***Delta State University, Abraka, Delta State, Nigeria.***

2004 – 2005

- Pioneer Acting Director, Institute of Health Research and Postgraduate Training,
- Project Director, Laboratory Animal Center,

## EDUCATION & QUALIFICATIONS

### ***Obafemi Awolowo University, Ile-Ife, Nigeria;***

Ph.D. (Anatomy and Cell Biology) 2003

M.Sc. (Human Anatomy) 1999

MB. ChB. (Bachelor of Medicine; Bachelor of Surgery) 1990

### ***Marine Biology Laboratory Woods Hole, Massachusetts, USA.***

Certificate in Analytical and Quantitative Microscopy 2007

## RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

### ***TEACHING***

- Associate Course director (Histology and cell Biology) 2016-2018
- Course Director (Human Anatomy and Physiology) 2011-2014
- Chair Graduate Affairs Committee/Graduate Anatomy Programme director 2003-07/2013-16
- MBChB Anatomy Programme Director 1995- 2006
  - Curriculum Development, Course design, online course delivery and assessment
- Supervisor/Coordinator, Embalming and dissection programme 1996-2007

***Academic Advising:*** Seven (7) MSc (Anatomy), Three (3) PhD candidates.

### External Examiner Appointments

- University of Punjab, Lahore, Pakistan. 2018.
- University of KwaZulu-Natal, Durban, South Africa. 2019

### RESEARCH

#### Research focus:

- Laboratory bench work on Fetal alcohol Syndrome 1996- 2007
- KAP study amongst Health care Providers 2010 -2015
- Laboratory animal welfare 2011- Date
- National survey on Anatomy Education in a developing country 2018-Date

#### Research Output

- 26 Peer reviewed articles
- 15 Published conference abstracts
- 2 Monographs
- 5 dissertations
- 19 Invited Lectures and presentations
- 22 Poster Presentations
- 25 Conference/Workshop Lectures

*A complete list of my publications, including, Dissertations, Monographs, published abstracts and conference presentations, invited Lectures and presentations, conference participations and Conference leadership is provided separately*

### HONORS AND AWARDS

#### Research Grants

- Obtained over \$50,000.00 in Research, Networking and Travel grants over the last 20 years.

#### Honors & Awards

- Nigerian Community in Grenada; Appreciation Award for services to the Community. March 2016, St. George's, Grenada.
- Grenada Brain Bee Purple Pearl Award for "10 years of Supporting" the Challenge in Grenada. March 10<sup>th</sup>, 2019, St. George's, Grenada.

### PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS AND SERVICES

- Anatomical Society (Full member) 2018 – Date
- Royal Microscopic Society (Ordinary member) 2016 – Date
- Teratology Society (Full member) 2013 - Date
- Animal care and Use in Research, Education and Testing [ACURET.ORG], (Founder & Principal; Member, Board of Trustees) 2013 - Date
- Anatomical Society of Nigeria, (member) 2003 - Date
- International Society for Neurochemistry, (Member) 1999 - Date

#### Attainments

- Co-Chair: Delphi Panel on Core Syllabus for Embryology and Teratology, International Federation of Association of Anatomists (IFAA). 2013-2016
- Editorial Board, *Applied Cell Biology Journal* 2012 – 2016
- Ad Hoc reviewer, *Research Opinions in Animal and Veterinary Sciences (ROAVS)*; *Cell Biology International*; *PLoS Medicine*; *Reproductive Toxicology*; *Journal of Anatomical Sciences*, 2006-2016
- Test item writer for Cell Biology in the Pathology Primaries Examination, National Postgraduate Medical College, Faculty of Pathology, Lagos, Nigeria. 2004-2005
- Assistant Editor, *Journal of Anatomical Sciences*, official Journal of the Anatomical Society of Nigeria 2004-2007
- African Guideline on the establishment of Animal Ethics Committees 2019

#### Professional Leadership

- Course Consultant, Organizer and Workshop Facilitator, ACURET-NIMR joint 5-Days Intensive workshop on *Essentials of Responsible Animal Experimentations - RANEXT Basics*: Nigeria, Ghana, Ethiopia 2018 - Date
- Group Lead, ANATED Research Collaboration, Nigeria, 2019 – Date
- Group Lead, ZF Consortium, Nigeria 2020 - Date

#### Transferable skills

- ❖ Leadership
- ❖ Communication
- ❖ Research and Analytical Skills
- ❖ Information Management Skills
- ❖ Project Management, Training and Consultancy
- ❖ Personal Motivation, Organization and Time Management

### REFERENCES - Available on demand

Dated: Dec. 2020