

CURRICULUM VITAE

A. PERSONAL DATA

1. FULLNAME: WILSON, Desmond Ephraim
2. DATE AND PLACE OF BIRTH: 9th September, 1950, Eket
3. NATIONALITY: Nigerian
4. PERMANENT HOME ADDRESS: 6 Udo Ekong Close, Uyo
5. CURRENT POSTAL ADDRESS: Department of Communication Arts,
University of Uyo, P.M.B. 1017, Uyo
6. MARITAL STATUS: Married
7. NUMBER AND AGES OF CHILDREN: Three 40 years and 29 years (male)
10 years (female)
8. DATE OF ASSUMPTION OF DUTY: 13th September, 1976
9. PRESENT STATUS: Professor
10. DATE OF PRESENT APPOINTMENT / PROMOTION: October, 2000
11. DEPARTMENT: Communication Arts
12. FACULTY: Arts
13. CURRENT POSITION: Professor of Communication Arts
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B. ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND

(a) Higher Educational Institutions Attended with Dates

- i. University of Ibadan, Ibadan 1972 – 1975
- ii. University of Ibadan, Ibadan 1980 – 1981
- iii. University of Ibadan, Ibadan 1982 – 1987
- iv. Centre for Human Rights and Peace
Teaching (CIFEDHOP), Geneva July 1990

(b) Academic Qualifications with Dates

- i. Bachelor of Arts, English 1975
- ii. Master of Arts, Language Arts 1981

- iii. Doctor of Philosophy in Communication & Language Arts 1988
- iv. Certificate in Human Rights and Peace Teaching 1990

(c) Distinctions and Awards with Dates

- i. Best graduating student MA in Language Arts, University of Ibadan, Ibadan (1981).
- ii. Defender of Human Rights Award by the Students Union Government, University of Uyo, Uyo (1991).
- iii. Fellow, Palmwine Drinkers Club, 1977
- iv. Nigeria Union of Teachers, Eket: Award of Excellence, 1994
- v. Association of Public Relations Students (APRS), Award of Excellence, 1994.
- vi. Listed in Who's Who in Nigeria 2003, 2007
- vii. Honorary Member, Board of Directors of International Biographical Centre, USA. 2005
- viii. Editorial Adviser, International Journal of Mass Communication. 2006 till date
- ix. Member, Board of Trustees, Eki People's Union 2009 till date
- x. Member, Board of Trustees, Centre for Leadership and Conflict Resolution (CLCR), 2008 till date.
- xi. Member, Nigerian Institute of Public Relations.
- xii. Member, African Council for Communication Education [Nigeria].
- xiii. Member, Nigeria Union of Journalists

C. WORK EXPERIENCE WITH DATES

(d) Work Experience Before Joining University

- i. Issues and Records Officer, West African Examinations Council, Yaba, 1971.
- ii. Reconciliation Officer/Headquarters Accounts, National Bank of Nigeria Plc. 1971 – 72

- iii. Master Grade III (NYSC), Government Teachers' Training College, Igbogbo, Ikorodu, 1975 – 76
- iv. Assistant Lecturer, The Polytechnic, Calabar, 1976 – 78 (English Language and Literature).
- v. Lecturer III, The Polytechnic, Calabar, 1978 – 80
- vi. Lecturer II, The Polytechnic, Calabar, 1980 – 83
- vii. Lecturer I, The Polytechnic, Calabar, 1983 – 85
- viii. WAEC, Examiner – English Language, 1979 – 98

a. Work Experience in University of Uyo

- i. Lecturer II, University of Uyo, 1985
- ii. Lecturer I, University of Uyo, 1990
- iii. Senior Lecturer, University of Uyo, 1993
- iv. Associate Professor, University of Uyo, 1997
- v. Professor, University of Uyo, 2000

b. Work Experience in Other Universities

- i. Teaching Assistant, Department of Communication and Language Arts, University of Ibadan, 1981 – 83.
- ii. Senior Lecturer, University of Calabar, General Studies Unit, 1978 – 80.
- iii. Instructor (Part Time) in English, Science Laboratory Technology Training Programme, University of Calabar, 1977-1980.
- iv. Director, Institute of Information and Communication Technology, Delta State University, Abraka (Feb. 2005- Jan. 2006)
- v. Consultant on the development of the Media Studies programme, University of Botswana, Gaborone, 2009.
- vi. Adjunct Professor, University of Calabar, 2014-2020
- vii. Adjunct Professor, Cross River University of Technology, Calabar, 2012-2014

viii. Convener, Grants, Research and Publications Committee, Academic Staff Union of Universities, 2012 - 2016.

b. Work Experience in the University of Uyo

- i. English Language Instructor, Science Laboratory Training Programme, University of Uyo, 1986 – 87.
- ii. Examinations/Timetable Officer, Department of Communication Arts, 1986 – 92.
- iii. Member, Students Industrial Work Experience Scheme Committee, 1986 – 92.
- iv. Member, Committee of University Ceremonial Robes, University of Uyo, 1991 – 92
- v. Member, Vehicle Refurbishing Loans Committee, University of Uyo, 1991 – 98
- vi. Member, Finance and General Purposes Committee, 1991 – 94, 1995-1999, 2009-
- vii. Member, Minor Works and Services Committee, 1992 – 94
- viii. Acting Head, Department of Communication Arts, 1990/91; 1991 – 97
- ix. Acting Director, Centre for Cultural Studies, October 1991-Dec 1991
- x. Dean, Student Affairs, 1997 – 2001
- xi. Dean, Faculty of Arts, 2008 – 2012
- xii. Member, Governing Council, 1991- 1995, 1996-2001, 2009-2012
- xiii. Director, General Studies, 2007 -2008

c. External Examinations

- i. Examiner (BA, MA) University of Nigeria, Nsukka 1992-94, 2005, 2013
- ii. Examiner, MA, Catholic Institute of West Africa, Port Harcourt 2005 - 2009
- iii. Team Leader/Examiner in English, National Secretarial Examinations, Federal Min. of Establishments 1979 – 80
- (iv) Examiner, B.Sc, MSc., Abia State University, Uturu 1996 – 2000
- (v) Examiner, Ph.D, University of Ibadan 1997 – 99, 2003
- (vi) Examiner, BA, MA, Ph.D University of Port Harcourt 2001 – 2003, 2009

- (vii) Examiner, MSc, University of Lagos 2001
- (viii) Examiner Ph.D, Covenant University, Otta 2009
- (ix) Examiner, B.Sc in Mass Communication,
Cross River University of Technology, Calabar 2008 – 2009
- (x) External Examiner (PhD Prograame), University of Nigeria, Nsukka
2014 till date
- (xi) Examiner, PhD, Ebonyi State University, Abakaliki, 2012-2015
- (xii) Examiner, Delta State University 2008 - 2010

D. MEMBERSHIP OF PROFESSIONAL BODIES

- (i) Member, National Council, Amnesty International, Nigerian Sect. 1988 -92
- (ii) President, African Council for Communication Education 1993 till date
- (iii) Member, Nigeria Union of Journalists 1993 till date
- (iv) Member, Media and Aesthetics Association 1995 till date
- (v) Member, International Executive Committee,
African Council for Communication Education 2003-2009, 2009 -
- (vi) Member, Nigerian Institute of Public Relations 2006 till date
- (vii) Editor, Journal of Media and Aesthetics, 1996 till date
- (viii) Editor-in-Chief, Nigerian Journal of Communication, 2009 till date
- (v) Editor-in-chief, ASUU Journal of Humanities 2012-2016

E. RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- i. I have carried out research into the traditional and modern systems of communication in Old Calabar from 1980 -88.
- ii. I was a Research Assistant in a Rockefeller Foundation-sponsored research on Family Planning conducted through the Department of Economics, University of Ibadan between 1973 – 74 in Benin, and Ile Ife.
- iii. I have been researching into extra-mundane forms of communication since 1988.
- iv. I have consulted on Conflict and Peace building in the Niger Delta under the auspices of the Nobel Laureates’ Commission, 2006 – 2007
- v. I have researched on the use of the mobile cinema in educational campaigns under the auspices of Unicef, 2003/2004

- vi. I am currently researching into the management of oil spillage problems by Mobil Producing Nigeria Unlimited (1997 – till date),
- vii. I have also researched into conflict in the Niger Delta (2006-2009).
- viii. I have researched on Human Rights Violation in Bayelsa State (1966 – 1999) sponsored by USAID (1997).

F. RESEARCH INTERESTS

Ethnocommunicology, textual analysis, feature writing

G. PUBLICATIONS

(a) Thesis Titles

- (i) B.A. The Drinkard as a Bunyanian Pilgrim: B.A. English Project, Department of English, University of Ibadan, 1975.
- (ii) M.A. From the Gong to Electronics: A Survey of Trado-Modern Communication in Cross River State, 1981, University of Ibadan.
- (iii) Ph.D ‘A Survey of Traditional –Modern Communication Systems in Old Calabar (1846-1986), 1988, University of Ibadan.

(b) Books and Monographs

- (i) Wilson, D. (1997). *Communication and Social Action*. Port Harcourt: Footstep Publication
- (ii) Wilson, D. ed. (2000). *Introduction to Print Media: Readings in Nigerian Journalism*, Ibadan: Stirling Horden Publishers.
- (iii) Wilson, D. ed. (2000). *Universal Declaration of Human Rights* (Ibibio, Hausa, Igbo and Yoruba translations). Lagos: Amnesty International Nigeria.
- (iv) Wilson, D. ed. (2000). *Cultism: Evil Unlimited*. Uyo: Peace on Campus Initiative, University of Uyo, Uyo
- (v) Wilson, D. (2005). *New Perspectives in Applied Communication*, Ibadan: Stirling –Horden Publishers.

- (vi) Udoyo, A. & D. Wilson (2006). *The Orthography of Ekid Language*. Lagos: Concept Publications.
- (vii) Wilson, D. ed. (2006). *Fundamentals of Human Communication*. Ibadan: Stirling –Horden Publishers
- (viii) Wilson, D. ed. (2007). *Introduction to Mass Communication Principles and Practice*. Uyo: Minders International Publishers
- (ix) Wilson, D. ed. (2009). *Communication Approaches to Peace Building in Nigeria*. Uyo: African Council for Communication Education.
- (x) Wilson, D. ed. (2011). *Communication for Social Change and Development*. Uyo: African Council for Communication Education.
- (xi) Wilson, D. & Batta, H. eds. (2013). *Science Health and Environmental Communication*. Ibadan: University Press.
- (xii) Wilson, D. (2015). *Ethnocommunicology, Trado-Modern Communication and Mediamorphosis in Nigeria*. 44th Inaugural Lecture, University of Uyo, Uyo: University of Uyo Press, Ltd.
- (xiii) Wilson D. ed. (2017). *Communication and Economic Development*. Uyo: ACCE.

(c) Chapters in Books

- (i) Wilson, D. (1986). Language skills for Mass Communication In Unoh, S. O. (ed). *Use of English in Communication*. Ibadan: Spectrum Books Ch. 12 Pp 175-201
- (ii) Wilson, D. (1988). Towards Integrating Traditional and Modern Communication Systems. In Akinfeleye, R (ed). *Contemporary Issues in Mass Media for Development and National Security*. Lagos: Unimedia Publications pp 209 – 216.
- (iii) Wilson D. (1990). Traditional Communication Media Systems in E. D. Akpan (ed) *Communication Arts: Principles, Applications, Practices*, Uyo: Modern Business Press, pp. 280 -287.
- (vi) Wilson, D. (1990). Writing Skills for the Journalist in E.D. Akpan (ed) *Communication Arts: Principles, Applications, Practices*, Uyo: Modern Business Press, pp. 57 -70
- (v) Wilson, D. (1990). Book Development and Production in E. D. Akpan (ed) *Communication Arts: Principles, Applications, Practices*, Uyo: Modern Business Press, pp.96 -115

- (vi) Wilson D. (1991). The Mass Media and Rural Development In Callix Udofia (ed) *African Journalism in Perspective*, Abak: Itiaba Publishers, ch 22 pp 201-206.
- (vii) Wilson. D. (1991). Traditional Media in Modern African Development in S. F. Boafo (ed) *Communication Teaching and Training Materials* N.5 Module on Development Communication 3, Nairobi: African Council for Communication Education pp. 23-31.
- (viii) Wilson, D & Unoh, S. O. (1991). A survey of traditional and modern mass media in cross River State In Unoh, S. O. (ed). *Topical Issues in Communication Arts* Vol. 2 Uyo: Modern Business Press pp 18 – 40.
- (ix) Wilson, D. (1998). A Taxonomy of Traditional Media in Africa in Kwasi- Ansu-Kyeremeh (ed). *Perspectives on Indigenous Communication in Africa. Vol. 1. Theory and Applications*. Lagos: School of Communication Studies. Ch. 3 pp. 27-50.
- (x) Wilson, D. (1998). ‘Towards Effective Communication Policies and Strategies for Africa’ in Kwasi Ansu-kyeremeh (ed) *Perspectives on Indigenous Communication in Africa. Vol. 2 Dynamics and Future Directions*. Lagos: School of Communication Studies Ch. 14 pp. 233-243.
- (xi) Wilson, D. (1999). News Personification: The News as a Metaphor of Life. In David S. M. Koroma, Hilary Nwaozuzu and Abubakar Muazu (eds). *Mass Communication and Nation Building in the Developing World*. Vol. 1 Maiduguri: University of Maiduguri Printing Press. Ch. 12 pp. 188-207.
- (xii) Wilson, D. (2002). Human Rights, Academic Freedom, University Autonomy and Trade Unionism: The Challenges of a Transitional Society. Keynote Address. *Proceedings of the 17th Annual Congress of the Academy of Education* held at the University of Uyo, November. Okon E. Ekpo and U. M. O. Ivowi (eds) pp xi- xxxv.
- (xiii) Akpan, E. D, **Wilson, D. E.** & Mboho, N. A. (2004). Basic and Modern Communication Systems in Nigeria. In Abasiattai, N. B., Ukpong, I. I. & Esenowo, G. J. Uyo: University of Uyo Press, ch. 17 pp 281 - 294
- (xiv) Wilson, D. (2006). Basic African Communication Systems. In Wilson, D (ed) *Fundamentals of Human Communication* Ibadan: Stirling Horden Publishers pp 1 – 20.

- (xv) Wilson, D. and Ekanem, I. (2006). Communication Arts: Some basic facts. In Wilson, D (ed). *Fundamentals of Human Communication*. Ibadan: Stirling – Horden Publishers pp 20 – 34.
- (xvi) Wilson, D. and Itek, M. (2006). Psycholinguistic Foundations of Communication. In Wilson, D (ed) *Fundamentals of Human Communication*. Ibadan Stirling Horden Publishers pp 35 – 58.
- (xvii) Wilson, D. & Itek, M. (2006). Traditional Communication: The Encoding and Decoding Processes. In Nwosu, I. E. & Nsude (eds) *Trado-Modern Communication Systems*. Enugu: Immaculate Publications Ltd, pp. 57 – 64.
- (xviii) Wilson, D. (2007). Information Technology in a Traditional Society: In search of Relevance. In Nwosu, I. E & Soola, E. O. (eds). *Communication in Global, ICTs & Ecosystem Perspectives: Insights from Nigeria*. Enugu: Precision Publishers Limited pp
- (xix) Wilson, D. (2009). Traditional Communication and Peace Building in the Niger Delta in Wilson, D (ed). *Communication Approaches to Peace Building in Nigeria*. Uyo: African Council for Communication Education.
- (xx) Wilson, D. (2012). The Nigerian Third Term Project: A Public Relations Practitioner’s Phantasm in Wilson, D. Ettefit A. and Udoakah, N. (eds). *Critical Issues in Public Relations and Communication*. Uyo: Nigerian Institute of Public Relations, Akwa Ibom State Chapter.
- (xxi) Wilson D. and Ekpe, E. (2016). An Assessment of the Campaign Messages of Nigeria’s Two Major Political Parties during the 2015 General Elections. In Wilson, D. (ed) *Mass Media and the Electoral Process in Nigeria*. Uyo: BSM Resources Ltd.
- (xxii) Wilson, D. (2017). Communication for National Economic Development in Nigeria. In Wilson, D. (ed). *Communication and Economic Development*. Uyo: ACCE.
- (xxiii) Wilson, D. and Agbasimelo, Chioma (2020). Ethnocommunicology, Neo-African Communication System and Mediamorphosis in Nigeria in Okunna Chinyere S,(ed) *Communication and Media Studies: Multiple Perspectives*. Enugu: New Generation Educare.

(d) Journal Articles

- (i) Wilson, D. (1987). 'Traditional System of Communication in Modern African Development: An Analytical Viewpoint' *Africa Media Review*, Vol. 1, No.2 pp. 87 -104.
- (ii) Wilson, D. (1987). 'Organizing a Television Service for Rural Areas', *Africa Media Review*, Vol.1 No.3 pp.36-48
- (iii) Wilson, D. (1989). 'Towards a Diachronic-synchronic View of Communication Policies in Africa', *Africa Media Review* Vol. 3 No. 2 pp. 26 -39
- (iv) Wilson, D. (1992). 'The Teaching of Human Rights in Nigeria: A Multi-Media Approach', in *Social Education: The American Journal of National Council for the Social Studies*, April/May Vol. 56, No. 4, pp. 227-228.
- (v) Wilson, D. (1992). 'Dimensions of Meaning in Nonverbal Communication' *Journal of Humanities*, Vol.2 September pp 92-99.
- (vi) Wilson, D. (1996). Traditional Media Arts: An Aesthetic Appreciation of the Town Crier, *Journal of the University Media and Aesthetics*, Vol. 1, No. 1.
- (viii) Wilson, D. (2000). 'Review of Aesthetics: Artistic and Philosophical Dimension' in *Journal of University Media and Aesthetics* Vol. 1 No. 2 pp. 77 87.
- (ix) Wilson, D. (2003). The Mass Media and the Participatory Democratic Process: Mobilizing Nigerians for Elections. In *Journal of Communication*. Vol. 2. Nos.1 & 2.
- (x) Wilson, D. (2006). Indigenous – Modern Communication Interface for Sustainable Environmental Development. *The Nigerian Journal of Communications* vol. 4 Nos. 1 & 2 pp 7 – 17.
- (xi) Wilson, D. (2008). Mass Media Promotion of Biodiversity, Biotechnology, Bio-safety and Food Security Knowledge for Sustainable Development in Africa in *International Journal of African Culture, Politics and Development*. Vol. 3 No. 2 Sept pp 172 – 187.
- (xii) Wilson, D. (2008). Research on Traditional Communication in Africa: The development and future directions. In *African Communication Research* Vol. No.1 Faculty of Social Sciences and Communication, St Augustine University of Tanzania, Mwanza – Tanzania pp 47 – 59.
- (xiii) Wilson, D. Ogri, Eric Ugor (2017). Mass Media, Indigenous Language Broadcasting and National Development: A study of Selected Broadcasting Stations in Calabar Metropolis, *TNJC* Vol. 14, No. 1.

(e) Conference and other Papers Presented

- (i) Wilson, D. 'Traditional System of Communication in Modern African Development: An Analytical Viewpoint' Biennial Conference of the

- African Council of Communication Education (ACCE) held at the International Conference Centre, Harare, Zimbabwe, October 1986.
- (ii) Wilson D. 'Towards a Diachronic-synchronic View of Communication Policies in Africa' Paper presented at the Biennial Conference of the African Council on Communication Education (ACCE), held at Jos Hill Station Hotel, October, 1988.
 - (iii) Wilson, D. 'Traditional Media Arts: An Aesthetic Appreciation' Paper presented at the Inaugural Conference of the University of Media and Aesthetic Association at the University of Uyo, Uyo, June 1-6, 1995.
 - (iv) 'Formal and Informal Channels of Mass Mobilization', Paper presented at the NIMCA Conference at the University of Cross River State, May 26-28, 1988.
 - (v) 'Developing and Promoting Nigeria's Cultural Artefacts for National Economic Self-Reliance' Akwa Ibom State Paper presented at the 8th National Festival of Arts and Culture, Economy and National Development held in Bauchi, 13-16 December, 1989.
 - (vi) 'Development Journalism and the Prospect for Rural Transformation in Nigeria', Paper Presented at the 1st Akwa Ibom Council Chapter of the Nigerian Union of Journalists Symposium held at the State Library, Uyo, on October 10, 1989.
 - (vii) 'The Mass Media, Rural Development and Cultural Domination in Nigeria' Paper presented at the Month of June Lecture, GRASAS Week 1990, the Graduate Students Association, University of Calabar, June 13, 1990.
 - (viii) 'Structural Mental Adjustment: Persuasion in a Technological Society' Keynote Paper presented at the Launching of the N 1m ultra-modern Consultancy Research and Craft Centre Equipment on Thursday, October 21, 1993 at the Multipurpose Hall, Governor's Office Annex. Uyo.
 - (ix) 'Community Relations and Development in Nigeria's Industrial Sector' Paper Presented at the National Public Relations Workshop on Effective PR inputs in private and public sectors held at the Concord Hotel, Owerri, 8 -10 December, 1993.
 - (x) 'Evaluating Public Relations Programmes' Paper presented at the National Public Relations Workshop on Effective PR inputs in Private and public sectors held at the Imo Concorde Hotel, Owerri, 8 -10 December, 1993.

- (xi) 'Communication and Social Change in Africa' Paper presented at the Department of Communication Arts Staff Seminar at the Postgraduate Seminar Room on Thursday 27 April, 1995.
- (xii) African Council for Communication Education (ACCE) AGM/Annual Conference, University of Uyo, Uyo August, 2003.
- (xiii) African Council for Communication Education (ACCE) AGM/Annual Conference, University of Ibadan, Ibadan 2004.
- (xiv) African Council for Communication Education (ACCE) AGM/Annual Conference, Benue State University, Makurdi, August, 2005.
- (xv) African Council for Communication Education (ACCE) AGM/ Annual Conference, Imo State University, Owerri, 2006.
- (xvi) African Council for Communication Education (ACCE) AGM/Annual Conference, Delta State University, Abraka August, 2008.
- (xvii) African Council for Communication Education (ACCE) AGM/Annual Conference, University of Maiduguri, November/ December, 2009.
- (xviii) International Conference of the African Council for Communication Education, University of Ghana, Legon, August, 2009.
- (xix) 40th Anniversary Lecture of the AKS Council of the Nigeria Labour Congress: Nigeria Labour Congress at 40: Its Yesterday, Today and Tomorrow.

H. EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

(a) Responsibilities within the Faculty of Arts

- (i) Chairman, Examination Misconduct Committee (2001 – 2008)
- (ii) Director, Centre for Cultural Studies, (1990)
- (iii) Member, Divisional Research Committee and Faculty Representatives (1991 -97).
- (iv) Member, Conference Organizing Committee Centre for Cultural Studies (1986 -89).
- (v) Chairman, Constitution Drafting Committee, Senior Staff Club
- (vi) Author of the words of the University of Uyo Anthem (1996).
- (vii) Staff Adviser, Association of Communication Arts Students (ACAS) 1988 – 91.
- (viii) Vice Chairman, Academic Staff Association, ASA, UNICROSS, 1988 – 90.
- (ix) Vice Chairman, Academic Staff Union of Universities (ASUU-UUB) 1990 – 91; Chairman, 1991 – 94
- (x) Acting Chairman, University of Uyo, Micro Finance Bank, 2010.
- (xi) Member, Board of Trustees Academic Staff Multi-purpose Co-operative Society, University of Uyo, Uyo.

(b) Responsibilities within the University of Uyo

- i. Chairman, Examination Misconduct Committee
- ii. Member, Senate Panel on Examination Malpractice in the Faculty of Law (1992).
- iii. Ag. Head of Department, Communication Arts (1991-97)
- iv. Member, Advisory Committee, Centre for Cultural Studies (1991-93)
- v. Dean, Student Affairs, 1997 -2001
- vi. Dean, Faculty of Arts 2008 till date
- vii. Director, General Studies, 2007 – 2009
- viii. Member, 2010 Convocation Panning Committee and Chairman, Subcommittee on Convocation Lecture/Addresses.
- ix. Member, Governing Council, Univeristy of Uyo, 1991-2000, 2009 -

(c) Responsibilities and Services outside the University of Uyo

- i. Secretary, Uyo and District Group, Amnesty International (1988)

- ii. Member, State Festival Subcommittee on National Festival of Arts and Culture, NAFEST, 1989 Bauchi
- iii. Member, TV Panel that interviewed the Governor of Akwa Ibom State on his First Hundred Days, April 1992
- iv. Member, Akwa Ibom Technical Committee on Privatization and Commercialization (1995-97)
- v. Chairman, Akwa Ibom Broadcasting Corporation (AKBC) 1999-2001).
- vi. Member, National Executive Council, Amnesty International Nigeria (1988-92, 1993-2001)
- vii. National Coordinator, Human Rights Education Programme, Amnesty International Nigeria (1998-2001).
- viii. Chairman, Good Governance Award Committee, Akwa Ibom State, 2005/2006.
- ix. Member, Advisory Council, Eket Traditional Rulers Council, 2003- 2006.
- x. Consultant to United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) on AK-SEEDS, 2005.
- xi. Communication Consultant, South South, UNICEF, 2003 Nigeria.
- xii. Member, Advanced Team of Commission of the Nobel Laureates on the Niger Delta 2006 – 2007.
- xiii. National Coordinator, African Council for Communication Education (ACCE) 2008 till 2012.
- xiv. Member, Editorial Board/Columnist, Sensor Newspaper 2007.
- xv. Chairman, FGN/TETFund Committee on needs assessment at Ebonyi State University, Abakaliki and Chukwuemeka Odumegwu Ojukwu University, Igbariam.

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