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Educational Institutions Attended

University of Ibadan, Ibadan, Nigeria, 2003 - 2008 University of Ibadan, Ibadan, Nigeria, 1995-1997 University of Lagos, Lagos, Nigeria, 1984-1987 Ibadan Polytechnic, Ibadan, Nigeria, 1981-1983

Certificates/Degrees

Ph.D, Peace and Conflict Studies, 2008 M.A, Communication and Language Arts, 1998 B.sc (Hons.) Mass Communication, 1987 GCE Advanced Level, 1983

Current Positions:

Senior Research Fellow, Peace and Conflict Studies Program, Institute for Peace and Strategic Studies, University of Ibadan, Nigeria, (2008 to Date)

Adjunct Senior Lecturer, Dept. of Communication and Media Studies, Ajayi Crowther University, Oyo, Nigeria.

Previous Appointments:

Executive Director/CEO, Independent Journalism Center, Ikeja, Lagos, Nigeria, 2001-2004

Staff Reporter, Sketch Newspaper, Ibadan, Nigeria, 1989-1991

Lecturer, Dept. of Media and Mass Communication, Redeemer's University, Mowe, Ogun State, Nigeria 2006 to 2008.

Current Faculty Responsibilities

- -Post-graduate Teaching and Research
- -Post-graduate students Supervision (Supervised about 45 MA students and currently advising 8 Ph.D students)
- Sub-Dean (Post-graduate) Institute for Peace and Strategic Studies, University of Ibadan
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Area of Research Interests

- Media and conflicts
- Peacebuilding
- Security Studies

SOME PUBLICATIONS

Published Books

Isola, O. Olusola and Popoola Muyiwa (2015). *Journalism Practice and Terrorism in*

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- Akintayo, M.O; O. Karimu and Isola O.O. (2013). Managed Care: Concepts and Strategies for Quality Assurance. *International Journal for Research in Management and Pharmacy.*_Vol. 2 Issue 2, February. (ISSN 2320-0901). (www.raijmr.com).

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