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Profile: I am a recent masters graduate of International Development from the University of East Anglia. I work well with others and I possess quantitative and qualitative research skills with knowledge of SPSS, NVivo and secondary research analysis. I also have organisational and administrative skills developed through my education, work experiences and volunteering. I endeavor to achieve the best results in every area responsibility in a dynamic work environment.

EDUCATION

University of East Anglia, UK

2018-2019

MA International Development (Merit)

- **Dissertation:** 12,000 words on 'The Impact of Conflict on Teachers and the Implications for Education in North East Nigeria'
- **Modules:** Critical Issues in Development Practice, Research Techniques and Analysis (Audit), Educational Policy and Practice for Development, Health and Development.

Afe Babalola University Ado-Ekiti, Nigeria

2012-2016

BSc International Relations and Diplomacy (4.35/5 CGPA)

- **Dissertation:** 'Nigeria's Africa- Centered Foreign Policy: The Implications for Regional Stability and Economic Development'
- **Best GPA** on the course for 3 out of 8 semesters
- **Modules:** Political Analysis, World Politics, Government and Politics in Nigeria, Peace and Conflict Studies, History of Political Thought and Research Methodology

KEY EXPERIENCE

Global Research Forum on Diaspora and Transnationalism

April 2021- Present

Research Intern

- Reviewing and assessing articles submitted to the GRFDT migration journal.
- Participating in research training and seminars.

Dataville Research, LLC

November 2019-Feb 2020

International Development Intern (Training internship)

- Acquired competencies data collection methods and management in development research and programme implementation of donor funded projects.
- Gained working knowledge of SPSS and STATA.

OpenContact Ltd, Norwich, UK

May 2019-June 2021

Contact Centre Agent (Part-time)

- Providing personalised customer service for multiple clients at high standards.
- Providing accurate product and sales information to customers as escalation queries to the relevant departments.

National Polio Emergency Operations Centre, Nigeria

December 2016- Nov 2017

Programme Support Assistant

- Monitored states such as Kano, Edo, Plateau and Taraba during National Immunisation Days.
- Assisted the Project Manager with budget proposals and report.
- Effectively assisted in day-to-day administration and management of the operations centre.
- Assisted in the configuration of over 80 smartphones with Open Data Kit (ODK) used to upload data during immunisation campaigns.

World Health Organisation, Nigeria

June 2014-September 2014

Health Systems Strengthening Intern

- Assisted in data input on SPSS for on the WHO human resources for health research project
- Assisted in management and administration of the Health Systems Strengthening team
- Organised large meetings of WHO Nigeria and stakeholders

LEADERSHIP &

VOLUNTARY WORK

Africa Health Organisation

October 2020 – June 2021

Policy and research volunteer

- Conducting research on basic health and social indicators and trends in Africa.
- Completed a policy brief on overweight and obesity among women in Nigeria.

Norfolk County Council (Syrian Resettlement Scheme)

April 2019-June 2021

Volunteer with the People from Abroad Team

- Assisting migrant and refugee families integrate into and navigate Norfolk.
- Supporting Adults and children in English language lessons and activities.

Nigerian Red Cross Society

November 2016 – October 2018

Volunteer

- Organised community sensitisation on first aid and in Internally Displaced Persons camps in Abuja and responded to emergencies the national youth camp of a paramilitary nature.

OTHER QUALIFICATIONS

School of International Development, UEA

November 2018

Introduction to Impact Evaluation

- Learnt about the changing context and practice of evaluation, including quantitative, qualitative and combined approaches for rigorous impact evaluation.

Global Research Forum on Diaspora and Transnationalism

September 2020-March 2021

Global Compact for Migration (16 credit certification)

- Gained understanding of the interdisciplinary nature and the various facets of migration.
- Produced a policy brief, two book reviews and GCM course unit on migration issues.

Project Management Academy

June 2017

Graduate Certificate in Project Management

- Acquired knowledge on application of the principles of project management and the ability to manage non-complex projects.

ADDITIONAL SKILLS &

ABILITIES

Languages – English (Fluent) - Idoma (Fluent) - French (Beginner) – Chinese (Beginner)

IT- Competent use of Microsoft packages, NVivo and SPSS and Stata.

INTERESTS

Volunteering, Travelling, Research, Chess and Table Tennis.