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ACADEMIC HISTORY

Ph.D. Global Public Health, Nova University of Lisbon, 2024. (Distinction by unanimity)

Thesis title: Influence of contextual factors on the use of coercion in mental health services.

Supervisor: Prof. José Miguel Caldas de Almeida

Postgraduate Diploma, Mental health policy and services, Nova University of Lisbon, 2024

Specialization in Clinical Pharmacy, West African Postgraduate College of Pharmacists, 2021

Project title: The effect of classroom lectures and a movie recommendation on pharmacy students' attitudes and social distancing toward people with schizophrenia.

Supervisor: Dr. Kosisochi Chinwendu Amorha

M. Pharm, Clinical Pharmacy & Pharmacy Management, University of Nigeria Nsukka, 2018

CGPA: 4.86/5.00

Thesis title: Awareness of cervical cancer among HIV-positive women receiving care in a tertiary hospital in Nigeria.

Supervisor: Prof. Maxwell Ogochukwu Adibe

B. Pharm, Pharmacy, University of Nigeria Nsukka, 2013

Unclassified degree; Valedictorian

Project title: Evaluation of membrane stabilization properties of *Leptadenia hastata*.

Supervisor: Prof. Adaobi Ezike

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Postdoctoral researcher – Lisbon Institute of Global Mental Health, Lisbon (Aug. 2024 – Jul. 2025)

Lecturer - University of Nigeria Nsukka, Nsukka (Oct. 2017- Jul. 2025)

National service pharmacist- Abia State Specialist Hospital and Diagnostic Centre (Jan. 2016 – Oct. 2016)

Intern Pharmacist-Nnamdi Azikiwe University Teaching Hospital, Anambra state (Oct. 2014 – Oct. 2015)

SELECTED AWARDS

João Monjardino Prize 2023 (Portugal, 2023)

TedxNOVA 2023 Student speaker (Portugal 2023)

La Caixa doctoral fellowships INPhINIT' (Spain & Portugal, 2020)

NYSC Chairman's Award for distinguished Service to the Nation (Nigeria, 2016).

Vice Chancellor's prize for the Best Graduating Student, Faculty of Pharmaceutical sciences (Nigeria, 2013).

Pharmacists Council of Nigeria Award for the Best graduating pharmacy student (Nigeria, 2014).

ACADEMIC SERVICE

Associate Editor, International Journal of Mental Health Systems. Springer Nature. (2024 till date)

Co-lead, Glossary Task Force, EU COST Action, FOSTREN. (2021 - 2023)

Mentor, Incoming La Caixa doctoral fellows. (2021 - 2023)

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Associate member, Royal Society for Public Health (2025 till date)

Senior collaborator, Global Burden of Disease (GBD) Collaborator Network (2023 till date)

Member, European Violence in Psychiatry Research Group (EViPRG) (2022 till date)