**CURRICULUM VITAE**

# BIO DATA

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# PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

I am a highly motivated Political Science Professional with in-depth experience in public service, Community Development, and Union Activities. I possess strong leadership and communication skills, research and information gathering skills; problem analysis and solving, training, coaching, and mentoring.

# EMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCE

**Taraba State University - February 2013 – 2015**

**Assistant Lecturer**

* Lecture and tutor undergraduate studies in the political science department
* Perform Research and aid students’ learning abilities
* Perform other line-management functions and level coordination

# Subjects Taught:

* Introduction to Political Analysis
* The Foundation of Political Economy
* The Theory and Practice of Marxism
* Research Methodology in Political Science

# Plateau State Universal Basic Education Board - July 2007 – July 2012 Permanent Member II

* The board is the highest coordinating and supervising agency for primary education in Plateau state
* Performed duties including recruitment, training, promoting and disciplining of defaulted staff under the Plateau state Universal Basic Education Board
* Representation of the board and the state at relevant high level function at the federal level
* Coordinated and supervised various intervention projects undertaking by the Board

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# ADHOC POSITION

**Plateau State Government**

Member, Board of Governing Council of College of Arts, Science and Remedial Studies, Kurgwi

* The Highest Governing Body of the Institution
* Deciding as a member of the Board on the Appointment of Head of the Institution and other establishment matters.
* Representing the Institution at very high State Government levels on various matters of interest to the college, including recommending priority projects deserving of State Government attention/funding.

# EDUCATION AND QUALIFICATION

* MSc. International Relations and Strategic Studies November 2007 University of Jos, Nigeria
* BSc Political Science (Honors) April 2001 Second Class, Upper Division (2:1)

University of Jos, Nigeria

* Interim Joint Matriculation Board Examination (IJMBE) October 1993 School of Preliminary studies, Keffi, Nigeria
* National Teachers Grade Two Certificate July 1989 Government Teachers College, Jos
* First School Leaving Certificate July 1982 T/RCM School Kalong, Nigeria

# ACHIEVEMENTS AND AWARDS

Selected as part of the Nigeria Delegation to the International Mathematics Competition held in Chiang Mai, Thailand Oct. 1998

* Appointed Secretary Plateau State Teachers Retirement Scheme 2001–2001
* Elected president, National Association of Political Science Students, University of Jos. 2001-2002
* Elected Chairman Nigerian Union of Teachers Shendam Branch 1997 - 2001
* Automatic Member, Executive Council of the Nigerian Union of Teachers Plateau State Wing (Highest decision making organ of the union at the state level) 1997-2001
* Elected member of the central working committee National Youth Council of Nigeria, Plateau State Chapter (Member representing Shendam) 1992-1994

**SCHOLARLY WORK**

* Attended the Conference of the African Studies Association in Germany (VAD) in 2014. Theme “Future Africa” Bayreuth Graduate School of African Studies, Germany
* Presented a paper titled “The Tough Tract to State Construction and Group Claims in Nigeria” (Unpublished)
* Attended A National Conference in 2013 at the University of Jos. Also presented a paper “Understanding the Pattern of Response to Violent conflicts: A Review of Commission of Inquiry to Peace Building in Plateau State” **(Published**)
* Attended International Conference on Global Security at Jagilonian University, Krakow, Poland, Presented a Paper “Boko Haram and Identity Reconstruction in the Lake Chad Basin” **(Undergoing Review for Publication)**
* Team Member of the Research titled “The Effects of Violent Conflict on Women and Children: The Yelwa-Shendam Crises.” Coordinated and led by Professor Shedrack Best, Director Centre for Conflict Management and Peace Studies. University of Jos. Sponsored by: International Centre for Reconciliation, Coventry Cathedral, UK. 2005
* Team Member of the Research on “A Critical Investigation into the Role of Key Actor in Jos Conflict: Issues and Strategies for Security Sector Reform. Coordinated and led by Professor Oluwafunmilayo Para-Mallam at the National Institute for Policy and Strategic Studies Kuru, Jos.” Sponsored by African Peace Building Network (APN) 2013

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