**CURRICULUM VITAE**



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**POSTAL ADDRESS:**

Department of Finance and Banking, Faculty of Management Sciences

University of Port Harcourt, PMB 5323, Choba, Port Harcourt

Rivers State, Nigeria

**ACADEMIC AREA**: Finance and Banking

**RESEARCH INTERESTS**

Banking and Bank Management; Corporate Governance; Financial Management and Policy; and Management Financial Institutions and Markets.

**ACADEMIC DEGREES**

**2020 -** POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA IN EDUCATION (**PGDE**), UNIVERSITY OF PORT HARCOURT.

**2005**- DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY (**Ph.D.**) IN FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT TECHNOLOGY, FEDERAL UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY, OWERRI (**FUTO**), IMO STATE, NIGERIA

**1999**  MASTER OF SCIENCE (**M.Sc.**) IN BANKING & FINANCE, FUTO.

**1991**  MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (**MBA**) IN BANKING AND FINANCE, IMO STATE UNIVERSITY, OKIGWE (NOW ABIA STATE UNIVERSITY, UTURU, ABIA STATE,) NIGERIA.

**1987** BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (**B.Sc.** HONOURS) DEGREE (MANAGEMENT) IMO STATE UNIVERSITY, OKIGWE.

**MEMBERSHIP OF PROFESSIONAL BODIES**

Member, The Academy of Management Nigeria (TAMN) (2006) and Executive Member of the Academy (2015-2017).

Elected Fellow, Institute of Management Consultants (FIMC) Nigeria, (2017)

Admitted Fellow (Research), International Academy of Business and Behavioral Sciences (FIABBS) (2017)

Fellow, Institute Industrial Administration- FIIA (2008)

Fellow, Nigerian Institute Sales Management- FNISM (1995)

**WORK EXPERIENCE**

1. **Date -Director,** University of Port Harcourt Business School

**2017- Certified Management Consultant**

**2016- Member, Faculty Post Graduate School Committee,** Ignatius Ajuru University of Education, Port Hacourt**.**

**2016- Visiting Lecturer,** University of Port Harcourt Business School, Port Harcourt

**2014- 2016 Member, Academic Advisory Board,** University of Port Harcourt Business School, Port Harcourt

**2014- 2016 Dean,** Faculty of Management Sciences, University ofPort Harcourt**.**

**2012 – Professor of Finance and Banking,** DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND BANKING, UNIVERSITY OF PORT HARCOURT, RIVERS STATE.

**2011-Independent Monitor,** Universal Basic Education (UBEC) in collaboration with Federal Ministry of Education Teachers’ Professional Development Programme, Ekiti State.

**2009- Reader,** DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND BANKING, UNIVERSITY OF PORT HARCOURT, RIVERS STATE.

**2010- 2012. Associate Dean,** Faculty of Management Sciences, University ofPort Harcourt**.**

**2010- June 2012: CO-ORDINATOR**, ACIB/B.Sc. LINKAGE PROGRAMME, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE & BANKING, UNIVERSITY OF PORT HARCOURT.

**2007 – March 2010: Head of Department,** Finance and Banking, University of Port Harcourt.

**February –March 2007: Acting Dean,** Faculty of Management Sciences, UNIPORT

**2005 – April, 2009:** **SENIOR LECTURER**, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND BANKING, UNIVERSITY OF PORT HARCOURT, RIVERS STATE.

**2004 – 2007: CO-ORDINATOR**, ACIB/B.SC LINKAGE PROGRAMME,

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE & BANKING, UNIVERSITY OF PORT HARCOURT.

**December 2004 – Jan. 2005; February 2004; Dec. 2002 - Jan. 2003,** **ACTING HOD**.

**1999 Lecturer I** DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND BANKING, UNIVERSITY OF PORT HARCOURT, RIVERS STATE.

**1998 – 2002 : CO-ORDINATOR**, DIPLOMA PROGRAMME, FACULTY OF MANAGEMENT SCIENCES, CCE, UNIPORT.

**1995 LECURER II** DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND BANKING, UNIVERSITY OF PORT HARCOURT, RIVERS STATE.

**1994** **COURSE FACILITATOR**, UNIPORT INVESTMENTS LTD, CHOBA

**1993- ASST.** **LECTURER**, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND BANKING, UNIVERSITY OF PORT HARCOURT, RIVERS STATE.

**1992-1993:** ADMIN. OFFICER, FEDERAL POLYTECHNIC NEKEDE, OWERRI, IMO STATE.

**1992**  ACCOUNTANT/ANALYST, ALTIMA SYSTEMS TECH. LTD. (**COMPUTER CONSULTANT**). RUMUKRUSHI, PORT HARCOURT.

**1989-1990:** **CLIENT SERVICES EXECUTIVE/BRANCH MANAGER**,

POTOMAC NIGERIA LIMITED (MANAGEMENT CONSULTANTS). 13 AJOKU STREET, OWERRI. IMO STATE.

**SERVICE TO PUBLIC BODIES**

**Project Leader,** European Business Competence\* License, Austria.

**Member, Board of Trustees,** proposed NEW-WORLD INT’L UNIVERSITY, Onitsha, Anambra State.

**Lead Financial Consultant** to many companies in resolution of toxic assets with Asset Management Corporation of Nigeria (AMCON)

**Advisor**, HELP Fellowship Nigeria

**Member, Board of Trustees**, HUTZPA Centre for Innovation and Development

**Advisor/Coordinator,** African Programs, Alpha Zomax Consultants, Inc., Chicago, USA. 2015-Date.

**Chairman and Member,** Ad-Hoc Accreditation Panel to Evaluate the Undergraduate Programmes in Administration ‘C’ Discipline, National Universities Commission (NUC), Abuja-Nigeria.

**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

* **External Examiner,** Ph.D. Candidates,Department of Banking and Finance,Madonna University, Nigeria. February, 2023
* **External Examiner, Post Graduate School,** Federal University of Technology, Owerri (FUTO), Imo State. 2021 -
* **External Examiner, Post Graduate School,** Ignatius Ajuru University, Port Hacourt - 2021 - Date
* **Resource Person,** Pre-retirement Workshop on RESOURCEFUL RETIREMENT organized by University of Port Harcourt Entrepreneurship Centre, Held at Ebitimi Banigo Auditorium, University Park, 17th- -19th February, 2021. [Personal Financial Planning (Planning for your Financial Future)].
* **Professor on Sabbatical Leave**, Department of Financial Management Technology, School of Management Technology, Federal University of Technology, Owerri (FUTO), Imo State 2012/2013
* **Adjunct Professor,** Department of Banking and Finance, Faculty of Business Administration, Imo State University, Owerri. 2012/2013 - 2014/2015.
* **Adjunct Professor,** Department of Accounting, Banking and Finance, Faculty of Management Sciences, Niger Delta University, Wilberforce Island, Bayelsa State. 2015/2016.
* **Certified Management Consultant (CMC)** under the authorization of the International Council of Management Consulting Institute (ICMCI), Zurich, October 2017.
* **International Committee Board Member**, 33th, 34th, 36th and 37th IBIMA Conferences 2018, 2019, 2020 and 2021 respectively.
* **External Examiner**, Postgraduate Programmes, Department of Banking and Finance, University of Uyo, May, 20017- Date.
* **External Examiner**, Postgraduate Programmes, Department of Accounting, Banking and Finance, Faculty of Management Sciences, Delta State University, Abraka, Nigeria. 20016-2017
* **Member,** Post-Graduate School Committee, Faculty of Business Studies, Department of Accounting, Ignatius Ajuru University of Education. 2016-2017
* **External Examiner,** Postgraduate Programmes, Department of Banking and Finance, College of Management Sciences, Michael Okpara University of Agriculture Umudike, Umuahia, Abia State.
* **External Examiner,** Postgraduate programmes, Department of Banking and Finance, Faculty of Management Sciences, University of Benin. 2013/2014 – Date
* **Assessment Expert/External Examiner**, Ph.D Thesis in Finance, School of Postgraduate Studies, University of Lagos Akoka, Lagos Nigeria. 2012/2013 - 2015/2016 Academic Session.
* **External Examiner,** Undergraduate Programme, Department of Accounting and Finance, Edwin Clark University Kiagbodo, Delta State May 2016- 2022.
* **External Examiner,** Undergraduate Programme, Department of Finance and Accountancy, University of Uyo 2010/2011- 2014/2015 Academic Sessions.
* **External Examiner,** Undergraduate Programme, Department of Finance and Accountancy, Niger Delta University (NDU) for 2007/2008 and 2008/2009; 2017/2018-2020.
* **Supervision** of Undergraduate, Masters (MBA and MS.c); Doctor of Business Administration (DBA) and Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D) Students/Candidates

**PROFESSORIAL ASSESSOR** to many Universities in Nigeria including

\*University of Benin, Benin City;

\*Michael Okpara University of Agriculture Umudike, Umuahia, Abia State.;

\*Ebonyi State University, Abakiliki;

\*University of Maiduguri, Maiduguri;

\*University of Lagos, Akoka;

\*Enugu State University (ESUT);

\*Federal University of Technology, Owerri (FUTO),

\*Chukwuemeka Odumuegwu Ojukwu University (Former Anambra State University), Igbariam Campus, Awka

\*Federal University of Agriculture Abeokuta, Nigeria

\*Ekiti State University, Ado Ekiti.

\*Imo State University, Owerri.

\*University of Uyo, Uyo

\*Nnamdi Azikiwe University, Awka

\*Niger Delta University, Wilberforce Island

\*Madonna University, Nigeria

\*Ambrose Alli University, Ekpoma.

\*Federal University of Petroleum Resources, Effurun

**UNIVERSITY ADMINISTRATION**

**2020 - Date Director,** University ofPort Harcourt Business School (UPBS)

**2014- 2016 Dean,** Faculty of Management Sciences, University ofPort Harcourt**.**

**2010- 2012. Associate Dean,** Faculty of Management Sciences, University ofPort Harcourt**.**

**2010- June 2012: CO-ORDINATOR**, ACIB/B.Sc. LINKAGE PROGRAMME, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE & BANKING, UNIVERSITY OF PORT HARCOURT.

**2007 – March 2010: Head of Department,** Finance and Banking, University of Port Harcourt.

**February –March 2007: Acting Dean,** Faculty of Management Sciences, UNIPORT

**2005 – Apr il, 2009:** **SENIOR LECTURER**, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND BANKING, UNIVERSITY OF PORT HARCOURT, RIVERS STATE.

**2004 – 2007: PIONEER CO-ORDINATOR**, ACIB/B.SC LINKAGE PROGRAMME, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE & BANKING, UNIVERSITY OF PORT HARCOURT.

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**1998 – 2002 : CO-ORDINATOR**, DIPLOMA PROGRAMME, FACULTY OF MANAGEMENT SCIENCES, CCE, UNIPORT.

**1994** **COURSE FACILITATOR**, UNIPORT INVESTMENTS LTD, CHOBA

**At different times served as Member,** Senate Committee on Academic Policy, **Member,** University Council Budget Monitoring Committee representing Senate and **Member,** Governing Board College of Continuing Education (CCE), and currently serving as **Member** of University Senate, among others.

**TEACHING AND SUPERVISION**

***Undergraduate:***Principles of Finance, Entrepreneurship Development, Money and Banking, Financial System, Project Evaluation, Financial Information System, Corporate Finance, Financial Policy, Marketing of Financial Services, and Financial Management.

Project Supervision

***Graduate:*** Management of Financial Institutions and Markets, Theory of Financial Institutions and Markets, Advanced Corporate Finance, Financial Intermediation, Theory of Financial Intermediation, Advanced Theory of Financial Intermediation, Seminar in Finance, Seminar in Banking, International Business Finance, Management of Financial Institutions, Theory and Management of Financial Institutions and Markets.

Project, Thesis and Dissertation Supervision.

**PUBLICATIONS**

**BOOKS**

1. Okereke E.J **(2020)** *Balancing the Marriage/Family Equation: 1 + 1 = 1*, Owerri: ROIK Divine Publishers.
2. Okereke E.J., Osuala A. and Nwakanma P. C. (**2013**) *Investment in Financial Asset: Basic Analysis and Management*, Owerri: JESO International.
3. Okereke E.J. and Ifionu E.P. (**2011**) Financial Policy: Principles and Cases Owerri: JESO International.
4. Okereke E.J**.** *et al* **(2009**). *Money and the Nigerian Financial System 3rd Ed.,* Owerri: JESO International.
5. Okereke E.J. **(2008**) *Dimensions of Project Evaluation Second Edition*, Owerri: JESO International.
6. Okereke E.J**. (2003**) *Banking in Nigeria: Practice and Management,* Owerri: JESO International.
7. Ezirim, A.C, Okereke E.J, et al **(2003)**, Eds., *Service Marketing with Professional Approaches,* Owerri: Kosoko Press Ltd.
8. Osiegbu P.I., Okereke E.J and Ezirim B.C **(2002).** *Foundations of Insurance,* Port Harcourt: Harey Printing and Publishing Company.
9. Okereke E.J. and Ofurum C **(1999)** *Entrepreneurs’ Success in Finance and Accounting.* Oliverson Industrial Publishing House (OIPH).
10. Osugwu O. and Okereke, E.J **(1996)** *Financial Information System: A Practical Approach,* Owerri: Oliverson Industrial Publishing House (OIPH).

1. Okereke C.D, Okereke E.J. and Sikoki B.S. **(1995)** Eds. *Planning and Management of Tertiary Institutions in Nigeria*. Oliverson Industrial Publishing House (OIPH), Owerri.

**JOURNAL ARTICLES**

**FOREIGN**

1. Weli, C.I., Okereke E.J andOfierohor E.O **(2019)**. Financial inclusion and economic growth in Nigeria, *GE-International Journal of Management Research*

#### Emeka Okereke & Ufuoma Ofierohor (2018) Health Finance and Economic Growth in Nigeria, Proceedings of Business and Management Conferences 6810240, International Institute of Social and Economic Sciences.

1. Ezeaku, H. C., Anyalechi, K. C., Onwumere, J. U., & Okereke, E. J. **(2018)**. The Drivers of International Financial Integration and their Implications on the Nigerian Economy: An Error Correction Model Approach. *International Journal of Economics and Financial Issues*, *8*(6), 30-34.
2. E. Okereke and N. Ebulison **(2016)** Determinants of Foreign Direct Investments in Nigeria: An Empirical Analysis (1970-2011). Available at SSRN 2756975, papers.ssrm.com
3. Okereke, E. J., & Ifionu, E. P. **(2013)**. Financial Intermediation and the Nigerian Economy: A Time Series Analysis. *West African Journal of Industrial and Academic Research*, *6*(1), 154-170.
4. Osuala A.E, Okereke J.E and Nwansi G.U (**2013**) Does Stock Market Development Promote Economic Growth in Emerging Markets? A Causality Evidence from Nigeria, World Review of Business Research, Vol.3 No.4. November Pp. 1-13.
5. Okereke, Emeka. J. ; Ezeji E Chigbu; Ofili. Obinna Augustine (**2013**) Impact of Money Supply on Exchange Rate in Nigeria:1980- 2011.

*The South Asian Academic Research Journals,* Vol. 3, Issue. 7, July <http://www.saarj.com>

1. Okereke E.J and Arewa A. (**2011**) “Effects of Globalization on the Third World Emerging Markets: The Nigerian Experience” *International Journal of Management Science*, Vol. 3, No.4 Pp.43-50.
2. Okereke E.J and Arewa A. (**2011**) “Efficient Risk Management Techniques and Optimium Portfolio Size: The Case of Deposit Money Banks in Nigeria, *International Journal of Management Science*, Vol. 3, No. 6. Pp.11-16.
3. Okereke E.J, Abu, S and Anyanwu.G.I (**2011**) “Impact of Corporate Governance on the Performance of Nigerian Deposit Money Banks”, *Indian Journal of Corporate Governance*, Vol.4, No. 2, December. Pp. 15-26.
4. Okereke E.J and Arewa A. (**2011**) “Debt-Equity Trade-off and Optimal Dividend Policy in an Emerging Market : The Experience of Nigerian Quoted Firms”, *International Journal of Social Science*, Vol. 3, No. 5. Pp.15-21.
5. Nwakanma, P. C., Okereke, E.J. and Arewa, A. **(2011)**. An empirical evaluation of corporate governance mechanism in banking sector: Impact and implication in Nigeria. Asian *Journal of Business and Management Sciences,* 1 (2), 202-236.
6. Nzotta S. M and Okereke E. J. **(2009)** “Financial Deepening and Economic Development of Nigeria: An Empirical Investigation” *African Journal of Accounting, Economics, Finance and Banking Research, Vol. 5, No. 5, December.*
7. Awujo A.C, Okereke E. J and Nzotta S.M **(2009)** “An Evaluation of the Implementation of Nigerian Public Projects Based on Basic Success Factors” *International Journal of Finance and Policy Analyst*, Vol. 2 Number 1: Spring-Autumn.
8. Okereke E.J (**2006**) ‘Commercial Bank Performance and Monetary Policy Performance in Nigeria: A Causality Treatment (1995-2005)’, *International Journal of Management Sciences,* Vol.2, No 1, July, Pp22-30.
9. Okereke E.J (**2005**) ‘Exchange Rate Fluctuations and Macroeconomic Stability’, *The Journal of Applied Finance*. Vol. 11, No. 11 & 12 Dec. A publication of the Institute of Chartered Financial Analysis of India, ICFAI University Press, India. Pp26-36

**LOCAL**

Mgbataogu, I.S. & Okereke, E.J. (2021). Financing Strategies for the Survival of Micro, Small and Medium Scale Entreprises (MSMEs) in Nigeria. *African Journal of Management, Business Administration & Entrepreneurship, 5(1), 49-62.*

Okereke E. J., Abraham L.N. and Ofierohor E. U. (2020) Education Financing and Economic Development in Nigeria, *Nigerian Academy of Management Journal*, Vol. 15, No. 3, September

Okereke, Emeka. J.and Kurotamunobaraomi T. (**2015**) Corruption in Deposit Money Banks and Economic Growth, *Nigeria Journal of Accounting and Finance Management*, Vol.1 No.2 Pp1-9.

Okereke E.J (**2011**) “Risk Management For Small/Medium Enterprises”, *African Journal of Entrepreneurship*, Vol.3 No.2, September. Pp. 1-13.

E. J. Okereke and N. B. Saale (**2011**) Dealing with the Financing Problems of Entrepreneurs in Nigeria, *African Journal of Entrepreneurship*, Vol.3 No.2, September. Pp.83-91.

Okereke E.J and Nwachukwu U. **(2009)** “Global Financial Crisis and Nigerian Financial Institutions: Strategies for Survival”, *Journal of Financial Research (NJOFIR),* Vol. 7, No. 2.Pp145-158.

Okereke E.J, Nzotta S. M and Anyanwu G. I. **(2009)** “Exchange Rate Fluctuations and Government Influence on the Economy: A Causality Survey (1970-2006)” *Journal of Finance, Banking and Investment,* Vol.3, No.1, April. Pp. 162-172.

Okereke E.J, Nwachukwu U. and Anyanwu G.I **(2008)** “Macroeconomic Behaviour and Deposit Money (Commercial) Banks’ Lending in Nigeria (1970 – 2008)”, *Journal of Financial Research (NJOFIR),* Vol. 6, No. 1.Pp167-186.

Okereke E.J (1999) ‘Techniques for Evaluating Projects in Nigeria Tertiary Institutions’, *Journal of Education in Developing Areas (JEDA),* Vol. 12, pp134-139

Okereke E.J (1999) ‘Factors Affecting the Implementation of Projects in Nigerian Tertiary Institutions’, *African Journal of Applied and Theoretical Economics (AJATE)*, Vol. 3.2, pp 71-79

Okereke E.J (1999) ‘Corporate Concept Approach to Stock Selection in the Nigeria Capital Market: Lessons for the Emerging Markets’, *African Journal of Applied and Theoretical Economics (AJATE)*, Vol. 3.1, pp75-84

Okereke E.J (1998) Public Relation Events and Fund Generation For Nigeria Tertiary Institutions’, *Journal of Educational in Developing Areas (JEDA)*. Vol. xii, Pp 69-75.

Okereke E. J. **(2008)** “Unethical Practices in Deposit Money Banks (DMBs) and the Nigerian Economy: A Statistical Treatment (1990-2005)”, *Nigerian Academy of Management Journal*, Vol. 2 No. 2, June. Pp. 85-95.

Okereke E.J (2007) ‘Relevance of Capital Structure Theories to the Capital Structure of Selected Firms in Nigeria’, *The Nigerian Journal of Financial Research (NJOFIR)* Vol. 5, No. 1, Pp.19-30

Okereke E.J and Adebajo R U (2007) ‘Is the Altman Z-score Model Relevant in Predicting Corporate Failure in Nigeria? - An Empirical Study of Selected Manufacturing and Non-manufacturing Companies’ *The Nigerian Journal of Financial Research (NJOFIR)* Vol. 5, No. 1. Pp.41-51

Okereke E.J and Uwaechie E.(2005) ‘Nigerian Stock Exchange and Selected African Stock Exchanges: A Performance Appraisal’, *Journal of Industrial and Business Research (JIBER),* Vol. 9.No 1, Pp.73-88.

Okereke E.J (2005) ‘The Multiple Stock Exchange in Nigeria: A Critic’, The *Enterprise*, Vol. 7, No. 3, Sept.-Dec. pp61-67.

Okereke E.J and Nzotta S.M (2004) ‘Exchange Rate Policies and Economic Growth: An Investigation of the Nigerian Experience (1970-2001)’. *The Nigerian Journal of Financial Research (NJOFIR)* Vol. 2, No. 1, pp.63-75.

Okereke E.J (2004) ‘Portfolio Selection Models in Nigeria Capital Market: Lessons for the Emerging Markets, *Journal of Industrial Business and Economic Research* (*JIBER)*, Vol. 8.1 pp117-126.

Okereke E.J (2003) ‘Managing Risk in Nigerian Commercial Banks’, *Journal of Industrial Business and Economic Research*  (*JIBER)*, Vol. 7.2, Pp62-75

Okereke E.J (2002) ’Efficacy of Bank Management Performance Tools (BMPTS)’, *Journal of Industrial Business and Economic Research*  (*JIBER)*, Vol. 2, No. 2. pp1137-1152

Okereke E.J (2002). ‘Effect of Sanction on the Nigeria Economy’, *The Enterprise,* Vol.4, No. 1, Pp28-33.

Okereke E.J (2000) ‘Problems and Prospects of Central Securities and Clearing System (CSCS) in the Nigerian Capital Market’, *Journal of Business and Social Sciences (JBSS),* Vol. 1, No. 3 pp 59-68.

Okereke E.J (2000) ‘Derivatives Instruments and Capital Market: An Investigation’, *African Journal of Applied and Theoretical Economics (AJATE)*, Vol.4, No.2. Pp229-245.

Okereke E.J (1997) ‘Strategies for Effective Management of Bank Frauds in Nigeria’ *Journal of Business and Social Sciences (JBSS)* Vol. 1 No. 1, March. Pp53-60.

**CHAPTERS IN BOOKS**

1. Okereke E.J**. (2003**) “Marketing of Bank Services” in Ezirim A.C, Okereke E.J et al (2003) Service Marketing With Professional Approaches, Owerri: Kosoko Press Ltd.
2. Okereke E.J**. (1997**) “Financial Analysis” in Onuoha B.C (1997) *Foundations of Finance and Financial Management,* Port Harcourt: EBI Ltd.
3. Okereke E.J**. (1997**) “Investment in Financial Assets” in Onuoha B.C (1997) *Foundations of Finance and Financial Management,* Port Harcourt: EBI LTD.
4. Okereke E.J**. (1995**) “Risk Management and Insurance” in Baridam D. (1995) *Business: Management Approach*, Port Harcourt: Paragraphics.
5. Okereke E.J**. (1995**) “The Concept of Planning in Tertiary Institutions” in Okereke C.D, Okereke E.J. and Sikoki B.S. (1995) Eds., *Planning and Management by Tertiary Institutions in Nigeria*, Owerri: OIPH.
6. Okereke E.J**. (1995**) “Information flow and Dissemination in the Management of Tertiary Institutions in Okereke C.D, Okereke E.J. and Sikoki B.S. (1995)Eds. *Planning and Management by Tertiary Institutions in Nigeria,* Owerri: OIPH.

**CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS ATTENDED**

2022 5-Day Workshop on Intellectual Property Management, Technology Transfer and Entrepreneurship approved by the VC and organized by ACE-PUTOR, ACE-CEFOR, IPTTO and Centre for Entrepreneurship, University of Port Harcourt (7th- 11th Nov.)

**2022** WORKSHOP ON MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES AND NATIONAL DEVELOPMENT organized by UNIVERSITY OF PORT HARCOURT BUSINESS SCHOOLAugust 10 and 12, 2022 at **Swiss Spirit Hotel & Suites Danag, No. 79 Ken Saro Wiwa (Stadium Road)**, Port Harcourt, Rivers State

**2021** WORKSHOP ON NIGERIAN AILING ECONOMY: SURVIVAL STRATEGIES organized by UNIVERSITY OF PORT HARCOURT BUSINESS SCHOOL**,** July 27 - 29, 2021 at **Swiss Spirit Hotel & Suites Danag, No. 79 Ken Saro Wiwa (Stadium Road)**, Port Harcourt, Rivers State.

**2020** WORKSHOP ON POST- COVID -19 NIGERIAN ECONOMY: ISSUES AND CHALLENGES organized by UNIVERSITY OF PORT HARCOURT BUSINESS SCHOOL, 10TH -12TH NOVEMBER**,** at **UPBS Conference Hall,** Plot F/24 B1, Chinua Worlu Drive, Off Abacha Road, GRA Phase III, Port Harcourt, Rivers State.

2018-2019 The Global Leadership Summit on EVERYONE HAS INFLUENCE organized by Global Leadership Network at First Love Assembly, Owerri, Nigeria.

**2019** 21st Century Teaching and Learning Skills Workshop, organized by Faculty of Management Sciences in Collaboration with Institute of Higher Education, University of Port Harcourt, Rivers State, Nigeria April 2nd -3rd.

**2018** National Conference on Institutional Restructuring and Reforms for National Development, Faculty of Management Sciences, University of Port Harcourt, Rivers State, Nigeria. August 27th -28th.

**2017** 11th Annual Conference of Academy of Management Nigeria on Service Delivery for a new Nigeria held at Nnamdi Azikiwe University Awka, Anambra State, Nigeria 25th – 26th October.

**2017** The Institute of Management Nigeria (IMC-Nigeria), CMC (Certified Management Consultant) Certification Workshop, Chinese Restaurant, Airport Hotel, Ikeja, Lagos, Nigeria, October 11.

**2016** 2nd National Conference on Educators in Banking and Finance in Nigeria with the theme “Dynamics of Stabilizing the Nigerian Economy Through Banking and Finance Education” held at University of Ibadan, Nigeria April 28-29.

**2015** 9th Annual Conference of Academy of Management Nigeria on Resource Management for Sustainable Development held at University of Benin, Benin City, Nigeria 29th – 30th July.

**2011** The 5th Annual Banking and Finance Conference on The Future of Banking : The Next Fundamental Steps Organized by Chartered Institute of Bankers of Nigeria (CIBN), Congress Hall, Transcorp Hill, Abuja, 27-28 September.

**2011** 4th National Conference on Globalization, The Global Financial Meltdown and The Nigeria Economy Organized by The Academy of Management (AMN) at University of Port Harcourt , May, 12-14. Presented Paper on “Global Financial Crises and Nigerian Financial Institutions: Strategies for Survival”.

**2008** 3rd National Conference on Ethics, Accountability and Integrity in Management in Nigeria Organized by The Academy of Management (AMN) at University of Benin, October, 21-22. Presented Paper on “Dealing with Financing Problems of Entrepreneurs”.

**AWARDS AND HONOURS**

1. *From Academic Activities*

(i) Certificate of Achievement, The Global Leadership Summit on EVERYONE HAS influence issued by Global Leadership Network, 2019, 2021.

(ii) Honourable Mention, Award for Participation in the Six Reviews of NUC Accreditation Instruments, 2019.

(iii) Academic Noble International Award Conferred by Institute of Industrial Administration of Nigeria, 24th May 2008.

(iv) Certificate of Achievement issued after completing a course on Fund Raising Fundamentals, sponsored by the Education Trust Fund / University of Port Harcourt and presented by the University Advancement Centre May – June 2007.

(v) Golden Service Award by Association of Banking and Finance Students (NABAFS), University of Port Harcourt Chapter 2006-2007.

(vi) 2003 Best Paper Award IAABD Conference in London, United Kingdom: Westminster Business School Sponsored by John Peters at Emerald/MCB University Press and Alan Pulford at MultiMedia Marketing.Com

(viii) Certificate of Excellence Award by National Association of Banking and Finance Students (NABAFS), University of Port Harcourt Chapter, 7th November, 2000.

(iv) Certificate of Honour as the Most Dedicated Lecturer in 1997/1998 Academic Session Award by Association of Banking and Finance Students (NABAFS), University of Port Harcourt Chapter.

*b) From Extra-Curriculum Activities*

(v) UMUCHOKE HOME AND ABROAD WOMEN ASSOCIATION Award of Honour in Recognition of Selfless Services and Contributions to the Association and Umuchioke Community, 17th August, 2019.

(vi) Dedicated Leadership Award by Nneji Brothers Association Umuodiri Umuchioke Umunumo, Ehime Mbano Imo State, Nigeria. December, 2009.

**HOBBIES**

\*Reading \* Traveling \* Photographing.

**Referees**

Prof. E. C. Nduka

Former DVC (Administration)

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