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#### **PROFILE**

Passionate and motivated biochemistry graduate with a strong interest in bioinformatics and computational biology. Possesses a Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Biochemistry from the University of Cape Coast with a track record of academic excellence. Extensive research experience in computational methods, laboratory work, and data analysis. Proven abilities in interdisciplinary and collaborative research, and hands-on experience in experimental methods. Adept at using various bioinformatics tools and software applications. Eager to contribute to scientific advancement through a PhD in Bioinformatics and Computational Biology, focusing on the development and application of computational methods in biological and health sciences.

#### **EDUCATION**

**BS** University of Cape Coast, Biochemistry

 $Central\ Region,\ Cape\ Coast-Ghana$ 

Graduated Cum Laude

WASSCE Dwamena Akenten Senior High School

General Science (Pure Science)

Ashanti Region, Offinso – Municipal, Ghana

November 2022

May 2017

#### HONORS AND AWARDS

Program Representative of the year Ghana Biochemistry Students Association (GHABSA) University of Cape Coast, Cape Coast – Ghana

2019/2020

#### AREA OF EXPERTISE

Research and Laboratory Skills

- Experimental design, Data interpretation.
- PCR, Gel electrophoresis, Sequencing Bioinformatics Tools and Software
  Project Management and Collaboration

Data Analysis and Visualization Programming and Scripting Languages Machine Learning, Artificial Intelligence Databases and Data Management Software Development and Version

# **Undergraduate Research Project**

University of Cape Coast, Department of Biochemistry, Biochemistry Lab

Conducted a comprehensive study investigating in silico studies of bioactive compounds of azadirachta indica on phospholipase a2 as a potential target for snakebite treatment.

Designed and executed experiments to analyze the potential of some phytochemicals from azadirachta indica as targets for phospholipase A2 protein in snake venom.

Collaborated with a team of researchers to interpret results, analyze data using bioinformatics tools, and present findings at the University of Cape Coast, Department of Biochemistry, earning recognition for the project's innovation and potential impact on Biochemistry.

**Advisor / Supervisor:** Professor Michael B. Adinotey November 2022

# **Undergraduate Research Mini - Project**

University of Cape Coast, Department of Biochemistry, Biochemistry Lab

Conducted a comprehensive study on compiling brain enhancers of *shox 2* using the enhancer browser and published data.

Designed and executed experiments to compile all brain enhancers of *shox 2* from both published data and enhancer browsers.

Collaborated with a team of researchers to interpret results, analyze data using VISTA Enhancer Browser, PDB, Published data / articles, and present findings at the University of Cape Coast, Department of Biochemistry, earning recognition for the project's innovation and potential impact on Biochemistry.

Advisor / Supervisor: Dr. Samuel Abassah Oppong October 2021

### RESEARCH INTEREST

**Project:** Structural-based virtual screening to identify potential inhibitors of sars-cov-2 main proteases (m-pro or 3-chymotrypsin-like and papain-like) from both natural products and synthetic drugs.

**Project:** Investigate the genomics of cancer, including the identification of driver mutations, biomarker discovery, and personalized medicine approaches.

**Project:** Advancements in Diabetes Care, harnessing interdisciplinary synergy between Gene therapy, bioinformatics, and precision molecular interventions.

**Project:** In vitro and in silico studies of natural products as potential targets of Hepatitis C virus and Hepatitis B virus to minimize cirrhosis and liver cancer and promote liver health.

### **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

#### **Divaid International School**

April 2017 – July 2018

Ashanti Region, Ghana.

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Teacher and Head of Students Leadership Association

- Taught the Pupil of Class five (5) as well as Junior High School
- averaging 43 students per semester / term, covering the following topics: Integrated science, Mathematics
- Developed guizzes, exams, and homework
- Revised the syllabus to meet accreditation standards
- Coordinated grading with a team of 3 teaching assistants

#### WORK EXPERIENCE

### **Laboratory Scientist (Attachment)**

Kintampo Health Research Centre Bono East Region, Kintampo North, Ghana

May 2021 – July 2021

### **Medical Laboratory Scientist (Internship)**

Tetteh Quarshie Memorial Hospital Laboratory Eastern Region, Akuapem North, Ghana

November 2022 – October 2023

#### **EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

# **Program Representative**

**Biochemistry** 

University of Cape Coast

August 2018 – November 2022

### **Events Coordinator**

Ghana Biochemistry Students Association (GHABSA)

University of Cape Coast

2021 - 2022

# **Service Personals Representative**

Tetteh Quarshie Memorial Hospital Laboratory

2022 - 2023

### PROFESSIONAL TRAINING AND SERVICE

# **Field Officer (Enumerator)**

Population and Housing Census (PHC) 2021 Ghana Statistical Service (GSS)

Suame Municipal, Ashanti Region, Ghana.

July 2021

### **COMMUNITY SERVICE**

# Tetteh Quarshie Memorial Hospital (TQMH) Laboratory

• Blood Screening and Donations

J. G. Knol Technical Institute, Adukrom, Eastern - Ghana

August 2023

Blood Screening and Donations

I.C.G.C. Akropong, Eastern - Ghana

June 2023

• Screening and Education on Diabetes, Hepatitis B and C and HIV

Tinkong, Eastern – Ghana

August 2023

# Women Organizer, New Patriotic Party (NPP)

 Blood Glucose, Hepatitis B and C, Malaria and HIV Screening Tinkong, Eastern – Ghana

July 2023

#### **General Skills:**

- Cell culture
- Microscopy
- Bioinformatics
- Communication
- Tissue Processing
- Data Collection and Analysis
- Quality Control and Assurance
- ELISA, PCR and Gel Electrophoresis
- Sample Preparation, Collection And Processing
- TB Diagnosis with Real Time PCR (Gene Xpert)
- Database Management System, Web Development and Ethical Hacking

## **Computer Skills:**

**Programming**: Python (Django, Biopython), C++, R, JavaScript (JQuery, REACT), PHP (Laravel), Linux, PowerShell, SQL (MySQLi), HTML, CSS, SCSS

**Applications**: Microsoft Word, Access, Excel, VBA, PowerPoint, Pyrx, Rasmol, Pymol, Cytoscape, VMD, Avogadro, Chemsketch, Lig Plot Plus, AutoDock Vina, BioVia Studio

**Platforms**: PDB, EMBL, Blast, GenBank, Swiss-model, Swiss-Adme, PubChem, Swiss-Port

**Administrative Management Systems**: Hospital Administrative Management System (HAMS), Lightwave Health Information Management Systems (LHIMS)

### LANGUAGES

Ghanaian Language (Twi): Native Language

**English (Official Language):** Advanced Listener, Intermediate Speaker, Advanced Reading and Writing

French: Intermediate Listener, Novice Speaker, Intermediate Reading and Writing

#### **OTHERS**

**Interest / Hobbies:** Coding and Programming, UI, UX and Graphic Designing, Reading and Writing, Culture and Languages Learning, Community Service, Sports (Football and Basketball)

### REFERENCES

# Dr. Ibrahim Munkaila, Head of Laboratory

Tetteh Quarshie Memorial Hospital

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# Mr. Eli Dzandu, Principal Medical Laboratory Scientist

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