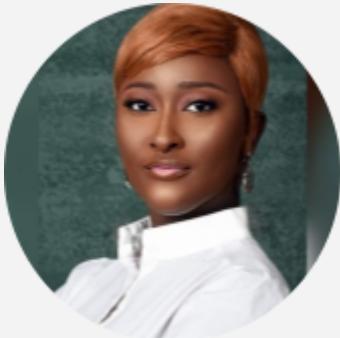


MYP/DP English Educator | ESL & Diction Specialist | IB-Inspired Teaching Professional



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Profile :

Multilingual educator with 8+ years of experience in English language instruction, diction, and cross-cultural communication, now transitioning into IB MYP/DP English Language and Literature education. Proven ability to foster inclusive, inquiry-based learning environments, develop student voice, and integrate literary analysis, critical thinking, and real-world communication skills. Committed to collaborative teaching, pastoral care, and holistic student development in international school settings.

Hobbies

- Hiking
- Traveling
- Art
- Teaching

Skills

- IB-Aligned Teaching
- Language & Literature
- Student Engagement
- Differentiated Instruction
- MYP/DP Curriculum Familiarity
- Digital Learning Platforms
- Collaboration & Leadership
- Global Citizenship Education
- Team Teaching & Co-Planning
- Public Speaking & Presentation

WORK EXPERIENCES

Primary School Teacher, International Bilingual Schools of Africa

Côte D'Ivoire | Abidjan

Sep. 2025 - Till Date

- Implement student-centered, inquiry-driven lessons in a bilingual setting, fostering critical thinking and communication across subjects.
- Facilitate collaborative projects that integrate language arts, social studies, and expressive arts, promoting interdisciplinary learning.
- Use formative assessments and digital tools to monitor progress and personalize instruction for diverse learners.
- Actively contribute to school community events, parent workshops, and cross-cultural activities.

- Mentoring & Pastoral Care
- Broadcast-Ready Diction & Vocal Coaching
- Bilingual/Multilingual Presentation
- Educational Content Development
- Cross-Cultural Audience Engagement
- Voice Training & Performance
- Cyber-Security

WORK EXPERIENCES

ESL/Diction Instructor, MindSpring International School

Côte D'Ivoire | Abidjan

Feb. 2025 - July 2025

- Designed and delivered ESL and diction curricula focusing on fluency, pronunciation, and real-world communication.
- Integrated IPA phonetics, intonation, and stress patterns to enhance oral clarity and confidence in non-native speakers.
- Conducted listening and speaking simulations to prepare students for academic and social English contexts .

ESL/ Diction Instructor, Edufort International School

Nigeria | Port Harcourt, Rivers

Sep. 2020 - Apr. 2024

- Taught English language and communication skills to secondary-level students using differentiated strategies
- Developed digital assessments and automated feedback systems to track language acquisition and progress
- Led small-group tutorials that improved student performance in writing, speaking, and comprehension
- Coordinated school-wide pronunciation workshops and speech competitions to promote oracy.

Diction Instructor, Chokmah International School

Nigeria | Port Harcourt, Rivers

2015 - 2016

- Facilitated professional development workshops on English diction, elocution, and effective communication for teachers and students
- Curated innovative teaching resources, including digital and print materials, to support language acquisition
- Advised school leadership on integrating spoken English skills across the curriculum

Diction Instructor/ Marketer, Peter Piper Promotions

Nigeria | Port Harcourt, Rivers

2013 - 2015

- Professional Training & Development

Developed and delivered specialized diction and elocution training programs for educators and students across multiple client schools, enhancing communication skills institution-wide

- Educational Resource Management

Curated and marketed comprehensive learning materials (print and digital) to optimize instructional delivery and student engagement

- Student Performance Evaluation

Implemented a robust assessment system utilizing both standardized tests and customized evaluations to track and measure student learning outcomes

Anchor, Atlantic Television Network, Startimes Channel 198

Nigeria | Port Harcourt, Rivers

Present

- Anchor daily prime-time news program with consistent #1-2 market ratings
- Conduct live field reports and breaking news coverage with poise under pressure
- Mentor junior reporters on on-camera presence and script delivery

On Air Personality, Radio Nigeria Treasure FM

Nigeria | Port Harcourt, Rivers

2020 - 2023

- Hosted daily/weekly Radio Nigeria Treasure FM shows, delivering high-energy entertainment, music, and talk segments to a diverse audience.
- Increased listener engagement and call-ins by 30% through interactive segments, contests, and audience participation.
- Developed and produced original radio scripts, jingles, and promo materials, ensuring fresh and engaging content.
- Curated playlists and themed shows tailored to audience preferences, boosting station ratings.

News reporter and writer internship, Plus TV Africa

Nigeria | Lagos, Victoria Island

2020

On Air Personality (Presenter, The Limelight show), Excel FM

Nigeria | Port Harcourt, Rivers

2018 - 2020

Client Relations and Project supervisor, Stephano Integrated services Ltd

Nigeria | Port Harcourt, Rivers

2018 - 2020

EDUCATION :

M.Sc Peace, Conflict and Security Studies

Rivers State University

2024

Certificate in Cybersecurity Awareness

HP Life / HP Foundation

2024

Certificate in Digital Journalism

Reuters

2024

Certificate in Presentation

National Broadcast Academy, Lagos, Nigeria

2020

National Youth Service Corps

Jan 2019

B.Sc.ED Political Science (second class upper division)

Ignatius Ajuru University of Education, Nigeria

Jan 2018

MEMBERSHIP

Member, Association of Diction Coaches, Nigeria.

Member, National Broadcast Academy Alumni, Nigeria.

FELLOWSHIP

HIGA - Summit 2025 - Spain Vitoria-Gasteiz

REFFEREES

Available on request.