

Diversity Statement

My commitment to diversity, equity, and inclusion (DEI) is shaped by personal and professional experiences across different countries, cultures, and educational systems. Growing up in Nigeria and later studying and teaching in Canada and the United States exposed me to diverse perspectives and highlighted the transformative impact of inclusive learning environments.

I have taught students from Africa, Asia, Europe, North America, and the Middle East, including students with disabilities, non-traditional learners, and individuals from varied socioeconomic backgrounds. Training at the University of Wyoming strengthened my ability to support underrepresented groups, address cultural differences, and foster equitable engagement in the classroom.

My inclusive teaching practices emphasize creating welcoming classrooms, using examples that reflect students' backgrounds, ensuring accessibility through free/open tools, supporting student well-being, and designing fair and rigorous assessments. I remain committed to contributing positively to my future institution's DEI mission.