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EDUCATION

2015– 2016: MSc. Advanced Clinical Practice (Midwifery), University of Southampton, UK.

2010 –2013: BSc Nursing, University of Cape Coast, Ghana.

2010: Diploma in Midwifery (Top-Up), Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology, Ghana.

2003 – 2006: Diploma in Midwifery, Nursing and Midwifery Training College, Korle Bu formerly Midwifery Training School, Korle-Bu, Ghana.

PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATION

2007: Registered Midwife (RM) with the Nursing and Midwifery Council (NMC) of Ghana

WORK EXPERIENCE

2020 to date: Assistant Lecturer, KNUST

2018-2020: Senior Midwifery Officer, Korle Bu Teaching Hospital, Accra

2018-2020: Part-Time Lecturer, Valley View University, Accra

2015-2018: Midwifery officer, Korle Bu Teaching Hospital, Accra

2010-2015: Senior Staff Midwife, Korle Bu Teaching Hospital, Accra

2007-2010: Staff Midwife, Korle Bu Teaching Hospital, Accra

TEACHING AND RESEARCH SUPERVISION

I teach various nursing courses for undergraduate nursing and midwifery students. I am currently supervising seven (7) Emergency Nursing, Midwifery and Nursing Undergraduate research project.

Kwame Nkrumah University of Science And Technology, Kumasi- Courses taught

- Application of Anatomy and Physiology in Midwifery
- Community midwifery
- Puerperium
- Obstetric and Gynaecological Nursing I and II
- Family planning I
- Current Issues in Health
- Labour II

Valley View University, Accra- Courses Taught

- Maternal and newborn nursing I and II

RESEARCH INTEREST

Midwifery and Nursing practice

High risk pregnancy

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Midwifery and Nursing education

AWARD AND HONOURS

2015-2016: Won a Commonwealth shared scholarship to pursue an MSc in Advanced Clinical Practice (Midwifery) at the University of Southampton, UK.

2013-2014: Nominated as the best Nurse in my ward and department (Obstetrics department, Korle Bu Teaching Hospital)

VOLUNTEERING OPPORTUNITIES

October 2020: I served as a committee member and participated in a breast cancer awareness and screening programme for residents around Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology.

September 2017: I gave a presentation on 'Modern care plan / Monitoring the first stage of labour' to the staff of the Obstetric Department at the Korle Bu Teaching Hospital.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP

- Ghana Registered Nurses and Midwives Association
- National Association of Registered Midwives, Ghana
- University Teachers Association of Ghana
- Women in Science and Technology (WiSTEM)

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Sustaining Midwifery Education in a Pandemic to be published by the WHO-ICM-UNFPA policy framework and was presented and LAUNCHED at the ICM Congress at a Panel presentation on 9th June, 2021.

CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS ATTENDED

2021 BSUIII KNUST Writeshop (Scientific Writing) Timetable held at Golden Bean Hotel, Kumasi; August 2021.

2021 Research Philosophies, Approaches and Strategies Virtual Workshop organized by the Office of Grants and Research in collaboration with WABER Conference; July 2021

2021 Introduction to Mendeley Reference Management Tool Webinar, AFREhealth Library and Informative Science Technical working Group; June 2021

2021 Introduction to Academic Publishing-Writing, Submission, and Successful Publication Webinar, Enago Academy; June 2021

2021 Sexual Reproductive Health Rights for All, University of Michigan School of

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Nursing

- 2021 Global Summer Institute Webinar; May 2021
- 2021 British Journal of Midwifery 19th Annual Conference, Virtual Conference; March 2021
- 2020 Respectful Maternal Care (RMC) Webinar, Action on Preeclampsia Ghana (APECGH) and the Severe Preeclampsia Adverse Outcome Triage(SPOT-Study) in collaboration with mDoc and Quick Medical Consult; November 2020
- 2020 Psychosocial support training, Obs and Gynae Conference room Korle Bu Teaching Hospital (KBTH), Ghana; June 2020
- 2020 First Symposium on Antimicrobial Resistance (AMR) and official launch of National AMR Awareness campaign, New NAT Hall in Accra, Ghana; February 2020
- 2019 Commonwealth Disability Event, organised by the Commonwealth Commission at the British council Ghana; December 2019
- 2019 The healthcare Worker and the Law: the Right of the Patient, the Worker and Professionalism, organised by the Catholic Professional Health Guild at the Mary Mother of Good Counsel Catholic Church; August 2019
- 2019 Customer Care Training, Obs and Gynae Conference room KBTH, Ghana; August 2019
- 2019 Supervision for Senior Nursing Officers, organised by the Training and Research Unit, KBTH, Ghana; July 2019
- 2019 Neonatal Resuscitation and Essential Newborn Care, organised by the Nestle Nutrition Africa at the Obs and Gynae Conference room KBTH, Ghana; April 2019
- 2019 Proposal Writing and Basic Data Analysis, organised by the Training and Research Unit KBTH, Ghana; January 2019
- 2018 Early Childhood Development (ECD), organised by UNFA and Ghana registered Midwives Association at the Korle Bu Nursing and midwifery training College (NMTC), Ghana; November 2018
- 2017 Modern management of labour and it's complication (Facilitator), Obs and Gynae Conference room KBTH, Ghana; September 2017
- 2016 Leadership in innovation and development, organised by the Commonwealth Commission at Aston University, UK; June 2016
- 2016 Improving Safety in Maternity Services, organised by the British Journal of Midwifery at Birmingham Botanical Gardens, Birmingham, UK; June 2016
- 2016 Healthy Mother, Healthy Baby workshop organised by the British Journal of Midwifery at the Novotel Hotel in Southampton, UK; March 2016
- 2013 CTG/Maternal and Foetal heart rate monitoring and Obstetric manoeuvres for

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- Obstructed labour, organised by Philips Healthcare at the Movenpick Hotel, Accra, Ghana; July 2013
- 2013 Comprehensive Contraception Update, Korle Bu Teaching Hospital, Ghana; July 2013
- 2011 Innovative approaches in Perinatal and Postnatal Care; Strategies for Reducing Maternal and Neonatal Morbidity and Mortality, organised by West African College of Nursing (WACN) at the GRNA Hostel in Accra, Ghana; November 2011
- 2011 Comprehensive Care in Haemophilia, Obs and Gynae Conference room KBTH, Ghana; October 2011
- 2009 Basic life support skills organised by NYU-UGMS at the Surgical and Emergency Unit KBTH, Ghana. August 2009
- 2009 Active management of the Third stage of labour organised by the Obstetric Department of the Korle Bu Teaching Hospital, Ghana; July 2009

REFERENCES

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