

CURRICULUM VITAE

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EDUCATION

- July 2012 – Dec. 2016 **PhD Nursing Studies** – University of Nottingham: Supervised by Dr Linda East and Dr Catrin Evans
Thesis Title – ‘Decision Making in End Stage Kidney Disease (ESKD) in Ghana: Exploring Patient Perspectives’
- Sep. 2009 – Dec. 2010 **MSc Advanced Nursing** – University of Nottingham: Distinction
Dissertation – ‘The impact of dialysis modality on quality of life in adult ESRD patients: a systematic review’
- Aug. 2004 – Jun. 2008 **BSc Nursing** – Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology: First Class (Honours)
Dissertation – ‘Effects of preterm birth on bonding: a study at KATH MBU’
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PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATION

Registered Nurse (RN) with the Nursing and Midwifery Council (NMC) of Ghana since 2009

EMPLOYMENT

- October 2015 – present **Lecturer** (Department of Nursing, Faculty of Allied Health Sciences, College of Health Sciences, Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology, Ghana)
- May 2011 – September 2015 **Assistant Lecturer** (Department of Nursing, Faculty of Allied Health Sciences, College of Health Sciences, Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology, Ghana)
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PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE

- May 2011 – present University Lecturer, (Department of Nursing, Faculty of Allied Health Sciences, College of Health Sciences, Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology, Ghana)

May 2010 – June 2010	Renal Nursing training and affiliation, Nottingham University Hospitals Trust, City Campus, UK
Nov. 2008 – Aug. 2009	Nursing Officer/National Service Personnel, Komfo Anokye Teaching Hospital (KATH), Ghana
Feb. 2008 – March 2008	Juaben Government Hospital (Public Health), Ghana
Jan. 2008 – Feb 2008	AngloGold Ashanti Hospital, Obuasi (General Nurse), Ghana
May 2007 – Aug. 2007	Technical Associate, Baystate Medical Center, Springfield, MA, USA

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Aug. 2016 – present	Foundation Fellow – Ghana College of Nurses and Midwives
Mar. 2013 – present	Member – Ghana Nephrology Nurses’ Association (GNNA)
May 2011 – present	University Teachers Association of Ghana (UTAG)
Jan. 2010 – Dec. 2016	Member – Centre for Evidence Based HealthCare (CEBHC) – The University of Nottingham

AWARDS AND HONOURS

March 2015	Graduate School Travel Prize, The University of Nottingham Award of £600 to fund conference attendance
March 2015	Research Training Grant Award, School of Health Sciences, The University of Nottingham Award of £612 to fund conference attendance
March 2013	Wellcome Trust, Ethics & Humanities Small Grant programme Award of £3,600 (with my supervisor, Dr Linda East) to fund travel expenses to research sites in Ghana
July 2012	Joint KNUST/UoN Special Scholarship Awarded full tuition and maintenance fees for PhD studies in the University of Nottingham

September 2009 **Commonwealth Shared Scholarship Scheme (CSSS) Award**
Awarded full tuition and maintenance fees for MSc studies in the
University of Nottingham

May 2007 **University of Massachusetts School of Nursing/Baystate Medical
Centre Summer Program for Clinical Excellence, USA**

POSITIONS HELD

August 2018 – present **Faculty Examinations Officer**, Faculty of Allied Health
Sciences, KNUST

March 2017 – July 2018 **Deputy Faculty Examinations Officer**, Faculty of Allied
Health Sciences, KNUST

Sep 2016 – July 2018 **Examinations Officer (Off-Campus Programmes)**,
Department of Nursing, KNUST

May 2011 – July 2012 **Examinations Officer**, Department of Nursing, KNUST

RESEARCH & PUBLICATIONS

Oduro, E., Diji, A.K-A., Kusi, G., Amagyei, A., Kyei-Dompim, J., Lomotey, A., Boateng, E.A. and Budu, H.I. (2020) Children's Nurses' Knowledge and Attitudes on Paediatric Pain: A Descriptive Cross-Sectional Survey in a Developing Country. *Nurse Media Journal of Nursing* 10(3):222-233. doi:10.14710/nmjn.v10i3.32457

Sarfo-Walters C. and Boateng E.A. (2020) Perceptions of patients with end-stage kidney disease (ESKD) and their informal caregivers on palliative care as a treatment option: a qualitative study. *BMC Palliative Care* 19(1):133.

Nyantakyi, R.A., Okyere, P., Boateng, E.A., Okyere, I., Osei, F.A., Odoom, S.F., Micah, F. and Attakorah, J. (2020) Factors influencing knowledge levels among hypertensive patients receiving treatment at the Komfo Anokye Teaching Hospital in Kumasi, Ghana: a cross-sectional study. *African Journal of Current Medical Research* 4(1). <https://doi.org/10.31191/afrijcmr.v4i1.52>

Onaolapo, E.S., Boateng, E.A., Apiribu, F. and Dzomeku, V.M. (2020) Experiences and coping strategies of perinatally bereaved mothers with the loss. *International Journal of Nursing and Midwifery*, 12(2): 71-78.

Kyei, E. F., Boateng, E. A. and Diji, A. K-A. (2019) "I Experience Very Sharp Pain but It's On and Off": A Phenomenological Study of Postoperative Pain Experiences of Patients in Ghana. *Journal of Advocacy, Research and Education* 6(1), p. 20–27.

Boateng, E. A., Kumi, L. O. and Diji, A. K-A. (2019) Nurses and midwives' experiences of using non-pharmacological interventions for labour pain management: a qualitative study in Ghana. **BMC Pregnancy and Childbirth** 19(1), p. 168. doi: 10.1186/s12884-019-2311-x.

Boateng, E.A., East, L. and Evans, C. (2018) Decision-making experiences of patients with end-stage kidney disease (ESKD) regarding treatment in Ghana: a qualitative study. **BMC Nephrology** 19(1), p. 371. doi: 10.1186/s12882-018-1175-z.

Brown, M., Boateng, E.A. and Evans, C. (2016) Should I stay or should I go? A systematic review of factors that influence healthcare students' decisions around study abroad programmes. **Nurse Education Today** 37: pp. 63 -71.

Boateng E.A., East L. (2011) The impact of dialysis modality on quality of life: a systematic review. **Journal of Renal Care** 37(4): pp.190-200. *(Informed the NICE 2012 evidence update on peritoneal dialysis)*

Boateng, E.A. (2010) **The impact of dialysis modality on quality of life in adult ESRD patients: a systematic review.** MSc Dissertation. University of Nottingham

CONFERENCES/SEMINARS AND WORKSHOPS AT WHICH PAPERS WERE READ

Boateng, E.A., Owusu, M., Abonee, P., and Boakye, S. (2019) Prevalence and risk factors of hypertension among individuals at the Bantama market. *(Presented at the 8th CHS and 12th CoBREG Scientific Conference, Jul 30 – Aug 1, 2019, Kumasi, Ghana)*

Asante, G.A., Adusei, M. and Boateng, E.A. (2017) Pain management in patients on life support at the Accident and Emergency Department of Komfo Anokye Teaching Hospital, Kumasi, Ghana. *(Presented at the AFREhealth Symposium, 1 – 3 August, 2017, Accra, Ghana)*

Diji, A.K-A., Boateng, E.A., Obeng-Yeboah, M., Osei-Gyimah, S. (2016) Attitudes and perceptions of nurses toward drug-abused trauma patients. *(Presented at the 1st Scientific Conference of the Ghana College of Nurses and Midwives, 1 – 5 August 2016, Pentecost Convention Centre, Ksosa, Ghana)*

Diji, A.K-A., Antwi-Kusi, A., Boateng, E.A., Awuku, E.K. and Toboh, C.K. (2016) Perceptions of patients with sickle cell disease-associated pain on in-hospital pain management. *(Presented at the 1st Scientific Conference of the Ghana College of Nurses and Midwives, 1 – 5 August 2016, Pentecost Convention Centre, Ksosa, Ghana)*

Boateng, E.A., East, L. and Evans, C. (2015) Initiating treatment for end stage kidney disease (ESKD): choices of the Ghanaian patient *(Presented at the World Congress of Nephrology, 13 – 17 March 2015, Cape Town, South Africa [SUN-191])*

East, L., Royal, J., Marshall, J., McLuskey, J., and Boateng, E.A. (2014) Evaluating shared mixed level module delivery at degree and masters level in nursing and midwifery. *(Presented at the 5th International Nurse Education Conference, 22–25 June 2014, Noordwijkerhout, The Netherlands [O13.5])*

Boateng, E.A. (2014) Anaemia in Chronic Kidney Disease (*Presented at the 1st Annual Symposium of the Ghana Nephrology Nurses' Association – Kumasi*)

Boateng, E.A. (2014) Decision Making in Ghana: Exploring Patient Perspectives (*Presented at the School of Health Sciences' Research Saturday Seminar – The University of Nottingham*)

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2013 – present	Member – Ghana Nephrology Nurses' Association (GNNA)
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2010 – 2016	Member – Centre for Evidence Based HealthCare (CEBHC) – The University of Nottingham

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