**CURRICULUM VITAE**

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CURRENT JOB POSITION : Lecturer

CURRENT PLACE OF WORK : Department of Nursing, Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology

 a) **INSTITUTIONS ATTENDED WITH DATES**

1. North-West University, South Africa (2022-ongoing)
2. Ghana College of Nurses and Midwives, Accra (2018-2019)
3. Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology, Kumasi (2016 -2018)
4. University of Cape Coast, Cape Coast (2014 - 2015)
5. University of Cape Coast, Cape Coast (2008 - 2010)
6. University Ghana, Legon-Accra (May 2008 – July 2008)
7. Presbyterian Nurses Training College, Agogo-A/A (2001-2004)
8. Anglican Secondary School, Kumasi (1998-2000)

b) **ACADEMIC DEGREES /PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATES EARNED WITH DATES**

* Registered Dietitian 2021
* Associate Member (Paediatric Nurse) 2019
* Master of Science (Human Nutrition and Dietetics) 2018
* Master of Science (Advanced Nursing Practice) 2015
* Bachelor of Science (Nursing) 2010
* Diploma in Nursing 2008
* Registered General Nursing 2004
* Senior Secondary School Certificate 2000

**c)** **Professional Membership**

1. Member of Good standing, Nursing and Midwifery Council of Ghana
2. Fellow by Election, Ghana College of Nurses and Midwives
3. Member, University Teachers Association, Ghana
4. Member, Sigma Theta Thau International Honor Society of Nursing, Upsilon Xi at Large Chapter
5. Member, Ghana Registered Nurses and Midwives Association
6. Member, Women in Science, Engineering, Technology and Mathematics (WISTEM), KNUST
7. **ADMINISTRATIVE /PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCES**

October 2018 – August 2020: Full-Time Faculty (Lecturer), Ghana College of Nurses and Midwives-Paediatric Nursing Education Partnership, Tamale Site

August 2018-September 2018: Principal Nursing Officer-in-charge of Mother and Baby’s Unit, Kumasi South Hospital

2017- July 2020: Part-time Lecturer, Department of Nursing, Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology

September 2012 - July 2018: Senior Nursing Officer-in-charge of Mother and Baby’s Unit, Kumasi South Hospital

 **Previous working experiences Held with dates**

October 2018 – August 2020: Full-Time Faculty (Lecturer), Ghana College of Nurses and Midwives-Paediatric Nursing Education Partnership, Tamale Site

Aug.2018-Sept.2018: Principal Nursing Officer, In-charge of Mother and Baby’s Unit, Kumasi South Hospital

Sept. 2012- July 2018: Senior Nursing Officer, In-charge of Mother and Baby’s Unit, Kumasi South Hospital

Aug. 2010 – Aug. 2012: Senior Nursing Officer, males, and females medical ward/isolation ward, Presbyterian Hospital, Agogo-A/A.

Dec.2008- May 2010: Senior staff nurse, Presbyterian hospital, Agogo-A/A

May. 2006 – April 2008: Staff Nurse, Accident, and Emergency department, Presbyterian Hospital, Agogo-A/A.

Dec.2005 – April 2006: Staff Nurse, Chronic ulcer ward (Ward U), Presbyterian hospital, Agogo-A/A.

Dec. 2004 – Nov 2005: Rotation nurse, Presbyterian hospital, Agogo-A/A

**SERVICE OTHER THAN SCHEDULE OF DUTIES**

August 2021-To-date: Moderator, Sunyani Nursing and Midwifery Training College; Holy Family Nursing and Midwifery Training College-Techiman, Kenten; Seikwa Nursing Training College; and Nursing Training College, Techiman Drobo.

October 2020- To-date: Part-time faculty, Ghana College of Nurses and Midwives

July 2019: Member, curricular review of Block 1 curriculum of the Pediatric Nursing Education Partnership by SickKids (Canada) and GCNM in Kumasi

February, 2019: Member, curricular review on Block 2 curriculum of the Pediatric Nursing Education Partnership by Sickids and GCNM in Kumasi

Feb-April, 2018: Preceptor, Ghana College of Nurses and Midwives, Pediatric nursing Program, Kumasi Campus.

2017- July, 2020: Part-Time Lecturer, Department of Nursing, KNUST

Sept 2016-Feb.2017: Facilitator, Helping Babies Breath (HBB) and Essential Care for Every Baby (ECEB) at Komfo Anokye Teaching Hospital

2015-2018: Trainer of Trainees in newborn care and resuscitation for Kumasi Metropolis and Ashanti Region

March 2015-2016: Facilitator, Helping Babies Breath (HBB) and Essential Care for Every Baby (ECEB) for Nurses and midwives at Ejisu-Juaben Municipal (Ejisu), Atwima Nwabiagya district (Nkawie), Asante-Akim North district (Konongo), Bosomtwe district (Kuntanase and ST. Michael’s Hospital, Jachie-Pramso) and Mamponteng

2013 Facilitator, workshop for health workers on HIV/AIDS patients’ stigmatization, organized by Focus Region Health Project(FRHP) at Konongo Government hospital, Kumasi South Hospital and St. Patrick’s Hospital, Offinso.

February 2011: Facilitator, workshop on Infection Prevention and Control organized by Presbyterian hospital, Agogo-A/A.

**Other services provided to the Kumasi South Hospital**

Feb-Mar.2017: Leader in Training of 3 nurses and midwives who have set up and managing a neonatal intensive care unit at the Manhyia Government hospital in Kumasi.

2016-Sept 2018: Coordinator, Quality Management Team

2016- Sept 2018: Member, Perinatal/Neonatal death audit committee

Sept-Oct.2016: Leader in Training of 3 nurses and midwives who have set up and managing a neonatal intensive care unit at the ST. Michael’s hospital, Jachie-Pramso

2015- Sept 2018: Supervisor, during weekdays and weekends at the various wards/units.

2015: Leader in Training of four nurses and midwives who have successfully set up a mother and baby’s unit at the Ejisu Government Hospital.

Dec.2014-July2016: Member, Quality Management Team

2014: Leader in Training of two nurses who have set up and managing a mother and baby’s unit at Aninwaa medical center, Emena- Kumasi.

 2014: Member, Quality Improvement committee

Trainings

12th-13th October: participant. Flexible Learning: Responding and Reimagining Education in Ghana TRAIN THE TRAINER PROGRAM. Organized by Texas International Education Consortium and KNUST

**Service to the KNUST community**

Member, Faculty of Allied Health Sciences Quality Assurance Committee

Member, College of Health Sciences Wellness coordination committee

Member, College of Health Sciences first Excellence awards, 2022

Member, public health nursing curriculum development, Department of nursing

Member, Department of Nursing clinical coordination committee

**RESEARCH AND PUBLICATIONS**

WOMEN'S ADHERENCE TO IRON SUPPLEMENTATION DURING PREGNANCY IN KUMASI, GHANA. 2020. Owusu Lydia Boampong & Emikpe Abigael Omowumi. Published Online:8 Jan 2021https://doi.org/10.12968/ajmw.2020.0008

KNOWLEDGE, PERCEPTION AND PRACTICE OF PRECONCEPTION CARE AMONG HEALTH WORKERS IN PRIMARY HEALTHCARE SETTINGS IN IBADAN, NIGERIA by Benedict Berabari-Age Karalolo, Abigael Omowumi Emikpe, Lydia Boampong Owusu. Published: 2 October 2021. African Journal of Midwifery and Women's Health, Volume 15, pp 1-12; https://doi.org/10.12968/ajmw.2020.0016

Abigael Omowumi Emikpe, Lydia Boampong Owusu, Catherine Dwumfour, Veronica Dzomeku. (2021). Case Study *Ensuring Quality Midwifery Education through digital learning amid the COVID 19 Pandemic:* The case of Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology (KNUST), School of Nursing and Midwifery, Kumasi-Ghana. WHO:ICM:UNFPA. Feb. 2021.

ASSOCIATION BETWEEN IRON SUPPLEMENTATION AND ANAEMIA IN PREGNANCY AMONG WOMEN IN GHANA by Lydia Boampong Owusu, Charles Apprey, Abigail Kusi-Amponsah Diji, Atinuke Adebanji. Emerald Nutrition & Food Science. ISSN: 0034-6659. Published: 13 October 2021. https://doi.org/10.1108/NFS-03-2021-0105

PAPER UNDER REVIEW

MORBIDITY AND OUTCOMES OF PREGNANCY AMONG WOMEN WITH SICKLE CELL DISEASE: A CROSS SECTIONAL STUDY IN GHANA by Lydia Boampong Owusu, Abdul-Fatawu Suglo Zakaria, Priscilla Fordjour, Gifty Dede Dzangmah, Abigael Omowumi Emikpe and Catherine Kroamah Dwumfour. International Journal of Africa Nursing Science.Manuscript Number: IJANS-D-21-00157R1

**ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL MERITS**

 Winner of the Global Research Nurses Qualitative Research Methods Course Competition. Available at [Qualitative Research Methods Course Competition • Global Research Nurses (tghn.org)](https://globalresearchnurses.tghn.org/opportunities/)/ <https://globalresearchnurses.tghn.org/opportunities/>. From this grant, I have completed a course dubbed “Learning with the Book: An Introduction to Qualitative Research Methods for Health Research” from the 12 Jan – 02 March 2022. Organized by the Medical Sociology & Health Experiences Research Group at the Nuffield Department of Primary Care Health Sciences, University of Oxford.

Winner, College of Health Sciences Maiden research grant award, 2021. The award was GHS10,000 to support a project on “Challenges associated with attaining higher education among post-diploma graduate nurses and midwives in Kumasi, Ghana”

**SUPERVISION**

Supervised over 50 undergraduate research thesis both as a part-time lecturer and full-time lecturer at the Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology.