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INFORMATION

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# EDUCATION

**BACKGROUND**

**KNUST, Ghana (PhD Candidate) 2019/2020**

**Ghana School of Law,** Accra, Ghana

* Qualifying Certificate in Law (Barrister-at-Law Cert.) September 2014

**Westminster University,** London, United Kingdom

* Postgraduate Diploma in Legal Practice Course, October 2008

**London Metropolitan University,** United Kingdom

* Postgraduate Diploma in Law (C. P. E) October 2005

**Cambridge University**, United Kingdom

* Master of Laws (LL.M) in Commercial Law and Human Rights, October 2003

 Awarded: Upper Second Class (2:1)

**University of Science and Technology (UST)** Kumasi, Ghana

* BA (Hons) Law and Sociology, June 2001

 Awarded: First Class

**BAR ADMISSION**

**3 October 2014:** Admitted as Barrister & Solicitor of the Superior Courts of Ghana

# WORK EXPERIENCE

**Law Lecturer**

**Kwame Nkrumah University of Science & Technology**, Kumasi, Ghana.

(November 2010 to date)

* Current teaching courses including *Commercial Law, Banking & Insurance Law*
* Previously taught courses including *Ghana Legal System & Methods, Equity & Land Law*
* *Additional Responsibility:*
1. Service courses including General Principles of Law, Law of Contract and Law of Torts at the Land Economy Department, Law of Contract at the Department of Biochemistry & Biotechnology, Ghana Legal Systems at Cultural & Tourism Department, Insurance Law at the Mathematics Department
2. Supervision of student Dissertations
3. Examination Officer, Public Law Department, Faculty of Law. KNUST

(Aug. 2011 to Aug 2015)

1. LSU Patron (August 2012 to date)

**Part Time Lecturer in Business Law & Management**

**United Training Academy** London, United Kingdom

(September 2008 – September 2010)

**Teaching Assistant at the Social Science Faculty (National Service)**

**Kwame Nkrumah University of Science & Technology,** Kumasi, Ghana

* Assisted the Law Lecturers with teaching
* Organised and conducted Tutorial Discussions in the law Department.
* Assisted Students to prepare their Research Work.

**Senior Partner – Obeng-Manu Law Firm, Kumasi Ghana**

**(October 2014 – Date)**

**RESEARCH AND PUBLICATIONS**

* Christopher Y. Nyinevi & **Edmund N. Amasah,** *The Separation of Church and State under Ghana’s Fourth Republic*, Journal of Politics & Law Vol 8 No. 4 (2015) 283
* Faisal E. Gbadegbe & **Edmund N. Amasah**, *Article 181 (5) of the 1992 Constitution of Ghana and its implications on International Commercial Transactions,* Business Law International Journal Vol 17 No 3 – September 2016
* **Edmund N. Amasah**; Elizabeth Hassan & Monica Naa Sarku Nettey, Alternative Dispute Resolution: An Examination of the Challenges and Opportunities for Conflict Resolution in Ghana, KNUST LAW JOURNAL Vol 7 2015-17
* Oswald K. Seneadza & **Edmund N. Amasah**, ‘Freedom of Speech and Human Rights in Ghana: Setting the Bounds for Government Restriction and Modes of Abridgment’, University Current Law Journal Vol 12, 2017 p1-17.
* **Edmund N. Amasah,** The Legal implications of section 13 of the Sale of Goods Act Ghana 1962 in a Sale Transaction: Caveat Emptor or Caveat Venditor, Business Law International Journal (Submitted for Review)
* **Edmund Amasah***;* Ghana’s Insurance Act of 2016: The Case for a Proactive Insurance Regime that Protects Policyholder, KNUST LAW JOURNAL, SPECIAL EDITION (Submitted for Review)
* **Edmund Amasah;**The Vulnerability of Financial Consumers in Ghana and the Search for Protection: A Critical appraisal of the Banking Crisis in Ghana and its Effect on the Socio-Economic Rights of Depositors (Work in Progress)

**CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS**

* Edmund N. Amasah (2016). The Legal implications of Section 13 of the Sale of Goods Act of Ghana 1962 in a Sale Transaction: Caveat Emptor or Caveat Venditor In: Colloquium on Law and Development, Lancaster University, Ghana, April 25-28, 2016
* Edmund N. Amasah (2017). Building a Proactive Insurance Regime that Protects the Policyholder In: Conference of Legal Academics, Kwame Nkrumah University of Science & Technology, Ghana, October 20-22, 2017
* Edmund N. Amasah (2018). The Relevance of Utmost Good Faith in Insurance Contracts in Ghana In: Good Faith in Contract Law Conference, University of Montreal, Canada, 10th to 11th May, 2018.

**OTHER PROFESSIONAL / LEADERSHIP ROLES**

* Member, Ghana Bar Association (2014 to date)
* Member, Social Club Committee – Hughes Hall (2002-2003)
* Judicial Committee Chairman, Social Science Faculty – KNUST (2000)
* Member, SRC Judicial Committee – KNUST (2000)
* Member, Audit Committee – Social Science Faculty, KNUST (1999)
* Patron, Law Students Union- Faculty of Law, KNUST (2012 to date)

**AWARDS & HONOURS**

* *DFID Cambridge Commonwealth Trust LL.M Scholar*, University of Cambridge, United Kingdom (2002-2003)
* *Best Student in Industrial Law*, Ghana School of Law, Accra (2014)
* *Faculty of Law Excellence Award* - KNUST, Kumasi, Ghana (2016)
* *NUGS Excellence Award* – KNUST, Kumasi, Ghana (2016)