

CURRICULUM VITAE

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PERSONAL INFORMATION

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EDUCATION BACKGROUND

KNUST, Ghana

PhD in Law, 2025

Researching into “*Insurance Claims Denial Based on Bad Faith: Using Enhanced Consumer Measures as an Instrument for Protection in the Ghanaian Insurance Industry.*”

Ghana School of Law, Accra, Ghana

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

Cambridge University, United Kingdom

- Master of Law (LL.M) in International Banking & Financial Law, Commercial Insurance Law, Corporate Finance Law and International Human Rights Law
October 2003
Awarded: Upper Second Class (2:1)

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

University of Science and Technology (UST) Kumasi, Ghana

- BA (Hons) Law and Sociology, June 2001
Awarded: First Class Honours

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* at the Faculty of Law and Insurance Law at the Department of Actuarial Science & Statistics
- Previously taught courses including *Ghana Legal System & Methods, Equity & Land Law*
- *Additional Responsibility:*
 - i) 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, Agribusiness and Ethics at the Department of Agribusiness
 - ii) Supervision of student Dissertations
 - iii) Examination Officer, Public Law Department, Faculty of Law. KNUST (Aug. 2011 to Aug 2015)
 - iv) LSU Patron (August 2012 to date)

**Part Time Lecturer in Company & Partnership Law & Essentials of Fiduciary Law
University College of Management Studies (2013 – 2024)**

Part Time Lecturer in Law

University College of Education (2011 – 2013)

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 (2001 – 2002)

- 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

- Ephraim Armstrong Awinbugri, Andrew Kofi Annan & **Edmund Nelson Amasah**, *Assessing the Dichotomy Between Ghana's Complex Tax Provisions and Taxpayers' Rights: Perspective of Section 42 (5) of Act 915 Mandatory Prepayment of Tax Disputes Before Commencement of Litigation*.
<https://doi.org/10.51244/IJRSI.2025.120500145>
- **Edmund Nelson Amasah** & Frederick Abu-Bonsrah, 'Building a Proactive Insurance Regime that Protects the Ordinary Ghanaian Policyholder: The Role of the State' (2023) 10 KNUST LJ 15
- **Edmund N. Amasah**; Enoch Kwabena Amoah & Joseph Bondzie Afrifa, Is there a paradigm shift from the application of caveat emptor to caveat venditor in the sale of goods in Ghana? A comparative analysis of the application of caveat emptor, *E-Journal of Humanities, Arts and Social Sciences* Vol 3 No 4 (2022) 130
- **Edmund N. Amasah**; Daniel B. Bewel & Frederick Abu-Bonsrah, Ghana's Insurance Act of 2016: The Case for a Proactive Insurance Regime, *KNUST LAW JOURNAL* Vol. 9 (2022)
- 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.
- 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
- 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

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- **Edmund Nelson Amasah** & Andrew Kofi Annan, *Insurance as a Social Inclusion Tool and the Imperative of Sustainability: Eradicating Bad Faith for Industry Growth*, COHSS-KNUST International Sustainability Conference, 5-8 November 2025

- 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.
- **Edmund N. Amasah**; Reginald Odoi & Evans Arthur, Reasonable Expectation of Privacy in the Digital Age: To what extent does Ghanaian law protect individuals' expectations in Cyberspace? 1ST KNUST Faculty of Law International Conference on Law, Science and Technology, 31st August 2022
- **Edmund N. Amasah**; Reginald Odoi, In Defence of the 1992 Constitution of Ghana: Delimiting the Boundaries of the Right to Civil Resistance in the face of Treason. GIMPA LAW CONFERENCE 14TH to 16TH March 2023
- **Edmund N. Amasah**; Andrew K. Annan & Christopher Addo, Navigating the Landscape of Policy and Regulatory Standards in E-Learning in Ghana: E-Learning International Conference, KNUST, 9TH to 12TH July 2024

RESEARCH INITIATED

- **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**; 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.

COMMITTEE SERVICE

- Member, Tender Evaluation Panel, Procurement Office, KNUST
- Legal Representative, Malpractice Committee, CANR, KNUST
- Chairman, Programmes Sub-Committee, E-Learning International Conference, 24-25 July 2025
- Chairman, Programmes Sub-Committee, E-Learning Ghana Conference. 11-12 July 2024
- Chairman, Programmes & Operations Sub-Committee, Maiden E-Learning Ghana Conference, 6-7 July 2023

OTHER PROFESSIONAL / LEADERSHIP ROLES

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

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)