**BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH**

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**EDUCATION/TRAINING**

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| INSTITUTION AND LOCATION | DEGREE | YEAR | FIELD OF STUDY |
| James Cook University Hospital, Medical Training Initiative-RCPCH, United Kingdom | Certificate | March 2018 | Neonatology |
| West African College Of Physicians | MWACP | April 2014 | Paediatrics |
| Ghana College Of Physicians And Surgeons | MGCPS | September 2013 | Paediatrics |
| Kwame Nkrumah University Of Science and Technology | MBChB | 2007 | Medicine & Surgery |
| Kwame Nkrumah University Of Science and Technology | BSc | 2004 | Human Biology |
| St Louis Secondary School | SSSCE | 1998 |  |

**Positions Held**

September 2013 to date Paediatrician Specialist

2010 -2013 Resident, Child Health Department

2009-2010 Medical Officer, Child health department

2007-2009 Internship in Medicine, Surgery, Obstetrics and Gynaecology

And Child Health

2005 Electives at Sunrise Hospital, Las Vegas, U.S.A

2005 Rural posting at Wassa Akropong and surrounding villages, for

education and research

**Civil Service Grades**

October 2013 to date Paediatrician Specialist

2009-2013 Medical Officer

2007 – 2009 House Officer

**Research**

2007: student investigator, fever in children under five years

RTS,S Clinical Trials Partnership

Efficacy and safety of RTS,S/AS01 malaria vaccine with or without booster dose in children in Africa: Final results of phase 3,individually randomized controlled trial. The Lancet, April 2015-clinical investigator

**Awards**

President’s Special award for the best Student at Junior Secondary school for Ashanti Region

Ghana COCOBOD scholarship at senior secondary school

Margaret Opferkuch award for Best Female Science Student, Ghana Academy of Arts and Science

**Workshops/Seminars**

Medical ethics by West African college of Physicians January 2013

Update course in Neonatology, KBTH, Ghana March 2013

Paediatric Conference 2014,KATH, Ghana April 2014

Respiratory Tract Infections Conference, Egypt May 2015

Neonatal Life Support Course, JCUH, UK August 2016

Paediatric Skeletal Health, Gateshead, UK February 2017

Annual International Neonatal Conference,

University of Durham, UK June 2017

Paediatric Immediate life support December 2017

Evolving Concepts in Neonatal Nutrition, Durham UK April 2017

**Teaching/Training**

Helping Babies Breathe – Facilitator 2014-2015

Essential Care for Every Baby – Facilitator 2014 - 2015

Kumasi Nursing and Midwifery Training College, Part time Lecturer 2015

Paediatric Conference 2015 – organizer and facilitator April 2015

Clinical demonstrator, SMS, KNUST 2013 - date

**Professional Memberships**

Ghana Medical Association

Paediatric Society of Ghana

West Africa College of Physicians (Member)

Ghana College of Physicians and Surgeons (Member)

**References**

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