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EDUCATION

Ph.D., Howard University, Washington, DC, May 1990. Dissertation Title: "Attitudes Toward National Integration in Nigeria 20 Years Since the Civil War: An Empirical Investigation of Two Igbo Localities." Specializing in Research Methodology, International Relations (Africa), and Comparative Government and Politics (Africa).

M.A. International Affairs, The American University, Washington, DC, May 1983. Specializing in International Relations, Comparative Government and Politics (Africa).

B.S. Political Science (with Honors), University of Wisconsin, River Falls, November 1980.

EMPLOYMENT

Associate Professor of Political Science, Saint Louis University, Missouri, Fall 1996-Present. Teach Methods in Political Science, African Politics, International Relations of Africa, Political Systems of Sub-Sahara, Politics of Health, America Political System, Introduction to Political Science.

Instructor: Bowie State University, Department of History, Geography, and Political Science. Taught Methods in Political Science, and Political Systems of Sub-Sahara, Seminar in Selected Political Problems, and U.S. Foreign Policy, Fall 1987-Fall 1989

Special Research Affiliate, United States Department of Housing and Urban Development, February 23, 1987-August 1988; collecting and analyzing data on homeless people and how people can move from welfare dependency to self-sufficiency

PUBLICATIONS

ARTICLES: EDITED VOLUMES

“Conducting Survey Research in an African country: Suggestions for Other Researchers” in Research Methodology and African Studies, edited by Abdul K. Bangura, Lanham: University Press of America, Inc., 1994.

“Determinants of Attitudes Toward National Integration in Nigeria 20 Years Since the Civil War: An Empirical Investigation of Two Igbo Localities,” in The Challenge to Racial Stratification, edited by Matthew Holden, Jr., New Brunswick: Transaction Publishers, 1994.

PROFESSIONAL JOURNALS

With Chad Williams, “The Role of Political Culture in the Implementation of International Statute in an Unstable State: The Case of Somalia”, National Social Science Association Proceedings Fall Conference St. Louis, October 2-4 2016:77-87

An Empirical Investigation of Attitudes and Beliefs toward the Resurgence of Traditional Titles and Honors among the Igbos. *International Journal of Humanities and Social Sciences*, Vol. 4 No. 13, November 2014: 22-29.

Refugee Resettlement in St. Louis, Missouri: Race, Religion, and Identity, with Matuo, H., Kuhn, K., Wessel, C., Almostadi, W., & Rucco, C. (2014). *International Journal of Humanities and Social Sciences*. 4(11):207-216

Attitude toward Immigrants: Test of Contact Theory and Protestant Work Ethic, Egalitarianism, Social Contract, and Ethnic Origin, with Matsuo, H., Willoughby, L., McKintyre, K. (2013). *International Journal for the Social Sciences*, 1(1): 11-21.

Americans' Perceptions toward Immigrants: Test of Contact Theory and Protestant Work Ethic, with Matsuo, H., Willoughby, L., McKintyre, K., and Wang, E. (May 2012). *Proceedings of the Asian Conference on the Social Sciences*, Osaka, Japan. Pp. 159-166.

The Church and HIV/AIDS in Nigeria: The Case of Two Dioceses. Published in the strictly refereed *National Social Science Journal*, Vol, 27:2 (2007).

Impact of Knowledge, Attitudes, and Beliefs about AIDS on Sexual Behavior Change among College Students in Nigeria. *West African Review*, Vol. 3, No. 2, 2002.

Attitudes toward Salient Public Issues Twenty Years After the Nigerian Civil War: The Igbos of Nigeria. *The National Social Science Perspectives Journal*, vol. 7, no. 1 (1991): 100-114.

Attitudes toward Salient Public Issues Twenty Years After the Nigerian Civil War: Report on a Survey Among the Igbos of Nigeria. Published in *The National Social Science Journal*, Vol. 8, No. 1, Spring 1994.

PAPERS PRESENTED

With Chad Williams, “The Role of Culture in Implementing International Statute,” National Social Science Association: National Fall Professional Development Meeting, St. Louis, MO October 2-4, 2016.

Working Paper on “The Role of Traditional Institutions in Peace Building and Development: The Case of the Loya Jirga (Afghanistan) and Clan Elders (Somalia).” African Studies Association, 58th Annual Meeting November, 10-22, 2015 San Diego, California

“International Law and Somali Refoulement.” National Social Science Association Conference, San Francisco, California October 5-7, 2014

“Refugee Resettlement in St. Louis, Missouri: Race, Religion, and Identity.” Uwalaka, E., Matsuo, H., Kuhn, K., Almostadi, W., Do, T., Ruocco, C, & Wessel, C. Paper presented at Ethnographic and Qualitative Research Conference, Las Vegas, NE. (February 2014).

“Liminality of Muslim Refugees in American Society: Legal Acceptance and Cultural Ambivalence.” Matsuo, H., Uwalaka, E., Kuhn, K., Ruocco, C., Do, T., Almostadi, W., Wessel, C., Grover, S., & Githinji, D. Presented at the Center for Intercultural Studies Conference, Translating Culture, Negotiating Difference: Religion, Law, and Business, St. Louis University, March 28, 2014.

“An Empirical Investigation of Attitudes and Beliefs toward the Resurgence of Traditional Titles and Honors among the Igbo,” International Conference on Africa and the Diaspora in the New Millennium, October 30 – November 1, 2012.

“Implementation of the United Nations Convention against Torture (CAT) in a Failed State: The Case of Somalia,” 55th Annual Meeting African Studies Association Philadelphia, PA November 29 – December 1, 2012.

“Americans’ Perceptions toward Immigrants: Test of Contact Theory and Protestant Work Ethic,” with Matsuo, H., Willoughby, L., McKintyre, K., and Wang, E. (May 2012).

“The Church and HIV/AIDS in Nigeria: The Case of Two Dioceses,” The National Social Science Association Conference, Seattle, Washington, October 2005

“Impact of Knowledge, Attitudes, and Beliefs about AIDS on Sexual Behavior Change Among Nigerian College Students.” Poster session at the annual meeting of the American Psychological Association, Toronto, Canada, August 2003 (with Kevin McIntyre and Hisako Matsuo).

“Impact of Knowledge, Attitudes, and Beliefs About AIDS on Sexual Behavior Change Among College Students in Nigeria”, The Annual Conference of American Sociological Association, August 2001, Anaheim, California (with Hisako Matsuo).

“The Application of Structural Equation Models to the Study of Sexual Behavior Change of Nigerian College Students: Impact of Attitude, Beliefs, and Knowledge about AIDS”, Annual Meeting of International Psychometric Society, Osaka, Japan. July 2001.

“Knowledge, Attitudes, and Beliefs Related to AIDS in Nigerian Students”, The 23rd Annual Third-World Studies Conference, October 5-7, 2000 Omaha, Nebraska.

“The 1985 Nigeria IMF Loan Debate: A Democratic Responsiveness to Public Opinion or Manipulation by the Babangida Administration?” The National Social Science Association Conference, November 11-13, 1992, Orlando, Florida.

“Conducting Survey Research in an African Country: Suggestions for Other Researchers”, The 34th Annual Meeting of African Studies Association, November 23-26, 1991, St. Louis, Missouri.

“Determinants of Attitudes Toward National Integration in Nigeria 20 Years Since the Civil War: An Empirical Investigation of Two Igbo Localities”, The Sixty-Third Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, November 7-9, Tampa, Florida, 1991.

“Attitudes Towards Salient Public Issues Twenty Years After the Nigerian Civil War: The Igbos of Nigeria.” The National Social Science Conference, El Paso, Texas, October 17-19, 1991.

“Survey Research in Africa: The Case of Nigeria”, The 5th Annual Midwest Social Science Conference, March 14-16, 1991, St. Louis, Missouri.

SELECTED PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

PANEL CHAIR/DISCUSANT/Roundtable

“Mavuno: Grassroots Development Approaches to Ending Extreme Poverty in Eastern Congo,” April 5, ATLAS Week, St. Louis University 2016

Organized the panel on “Immigrants and Refugees in St. Louis,” April 16, ATLAS Week, St. Louis University 2015

Organized on panel on “The Politics of Health,” April 14, ATLAS Week, St. Louis University 2015

“Media and Democratization” Midwest Political Science Association Conference Chicago April 14, 2012

“Leadership, Governance, and Development: An Exploration into Africa’s 50-Year Journey”, 54th Annual Meeting African Studies Association, Washington, D.C. November 16-19, 2011

“In Defense of Victims of Persecution: Asylum and Protection under the UN Convention against Torture,” ATLAS Event, St. Louis University 2011

“Protest and Democracy,” ATLAS, SLU 2011.

“Teaching of African Politics: University Perspective on Pedagogy,” at The African Studies Association’s 53rd Annual Conference, November 18th - 21st, 2011 San Francisco, California.

Organized the panel “Global and Local Research in the Politics of Healthcare” ATLAS 2010

“Ethnicity and Identity in Africa,” Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago, 2007.

“Past and Future in International Affairs,” International Studies Association Midwest (ISA-MW) St. Louis, Missouri November 3-5, 2006

“Migration, Diversity, and Integration,” “The Law and Democracy in Africa” Conference, 24-28 September, 2003 in Washington DC, sponsored by Africa Legal and Civil Rights Center.

“Developing Strategies and the Environment,” Third-World Studies Conference, October 7-9, 1999, Omaha, Nebraska.

Co-Chair, Sub-Saharan Africa: The 50th Annual Student Conference on United States Affairs (SCUSA 50), United States Military Academy West Point, New York November 18-21, 1998.

“Race, Ethnicity, and Politics in Comparative Perspective,” The Sixty-Third Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, November 7-9, 1991, Tampa, Florida.

BOOK REVIEW(S)

Proposing Empirical Research – 6e, by Mildred L. Patten, Pyczak Publishing, 2016

The Political Economy of Sugar Production in Colonial Kenya: The Asian Initiative in Central Nyanza by Godriver Wanga-Odhiambo, Lexington Books: An Imprint of Rowman & Littlefield, 2016

Research and Writing in International Relations, Roselle, Laura and Spray, Sharon. 2012. Longman.

Fundamental of Political Science 2, Cambridge University Press, 2011

Research and Writing in International Relations by Laura Roselle and Sharon Spray, Pearson Education, Inc., 2008

Political Science Research Methods, 6th edition by Janet B. Johnson and H. T. Reynolds for CQ Press, 2008.

American Government, brief version, 7th edition by James Q. Wilson for the Houghton Mifflin Company, 2003.

Senegambia: The Rise and Fall of a Shotgun Confederacy, for *The National Political Science Review*, July 1993.

INVITATION

Guest Speaker, “Terror in Africa: Government Crackdown on Terror,” African Students Association, Washington University, St. Louis, September 15, 2016

“African Renaissance: Success Stories, Optimism and the Future,” The Wednesday Club of St. Louis, March 21, 2012.

“Impact of Economic Environment and Political Structure on Health in Africa,” at the inauguration of Pan-African Organization for Health, Education and Research April 29, 2006 St. Louis, Missouri.

“AIDS and Africa,” United Nations Association of Greater St. Louis April 2006

February 2006 was a guest-speaker at Murray State University, Kentucky on “Multiple Strategies to Facilitate Political Solution to the Darfur (Sudan) Crisis.”

February 2006 at the Missouri Historical Museum spoke on the documentary film “Invisible Children,” under auspices of United Nations of Greater St. Louis and Young Professionals for International Cooperation (YPIC).

White House Conference on Faith-Based and Community Initiatives September 14, 2004 St. Louis, MO.

“The National Foreign Policy Conference for Leaders in Higher Education,” at the U.S. Department of State at the invitation of the Secretary of State, Warren Christopher April 18, 1994.

EXPERT WITNESS

Engaged by The Legal Services of Eastern Missouri, Inc. (“Legal Services”) as an independent contractor and consultant on deferral against removal based on UN Convention Against Torture (RE: Jama, Dahir Abdi) 2011.

Testified on behalf of “Legal Services” to win two asylum cases one from Uganda and the other from The Democratic Republic of the Congo at the Immigration Court in St. Louis, Missouri 2002

INTERVIEWS

Have been interviewed by the following media outlets on African issues: *The St. Louis Post-Dispatch*, St. Louis American, Fox 2News, KMOX-TV, KSDK-TV, and KTVI-TV, *African Newbreed* magazine. *The Belleville News Democrat* and the BBC-London.

AWARDS, HONORS & FELLOWSHIPS

Culturally Responsive Teaching Fellow, Reinert Center for Transformative Teaching and Learning 2016

Innovative Teaching Fellowship for Fall 2012 from the Paul C. Reinert, S. J. Center for Teaching Excellence to teach International Relations of Africa in the Learning Studio.

A recipient of Beaumont Faculty Development Fund Award (\$1,500), Fall 2004 for sabbatical research in Nigeria

A recipient of College Arts & Sciences Faculty Development Fund (\$1,700), Fall 2004 for Sabbatical research in Nigeria

Received the 2003 Faculty Excellence Award for the Associated Students of Saint Louis University (Student Government Association).

Was selected for inclusion in the eight edition of *Who's Who Among America's Teachers*, 2004.

Recipient of The Kathy Humphrey Award for Diversity, November 19, 2002.

Received in the Spring of 1995 the sum of \$2,041 from the highly competitive Beaumont Faculty Development Fund. This fund will help me to develop a research instrument for the project: "The Proliferation of Traditional Titles and the Survival of the Nigerian State: The Case of the Igbos".

Received the Arts & Sciences Faculty Development Fund award (\$700) to assist me in attending a professional meeting to present a paper at the National Social Science Association Conference, November 11-13, 1992, Orlando, Florida

A recipient of Beaumont Faculty Development Fund (\$700), Summer 1991 for the development of a research paper

Received internal University funding totaling \$1659 in 1991 to present papers at two different professional meetings (The Sixty-Third Annual Meeting of the Southern Political Science Association, November 7-9, 1991, Tampa, Florida, and the National Social Science Association Conference, El Paso, Texas, October 17-19, 1991). \$300 of this fund was from the Beaumont.

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

Re-elected to a third term of two years as an Executive Committee member of the Center for Intercultural Studies

Coordinator of the 1-8-1-8 Program in Political Science, 1993-Present

2014 - 2016 The Presidential Fellowship selection committee

Faculty Council Representative 2016

Faculty Advisor and Consultant for the Model Organization of African Unity (OAU) 1992-2002. As Faculty Advisor, I was responsible for ensuring that student delegates to the Model were intimately familiar with the history and current circumstances of their adopted country and most importantly of its government, the positions of their government on the issues at hand, and the nature of the OAU. I ensured, also, that students were thoroughly familiar with the Rule of Procedure and program of the Model OAU.

Campus representative for the Harry S. Truman Scholarship Foundation, 1993 and 1994

BOARD MEMBERSHIP

Gitana Productions

Nigerian Cultural Association of St. Louis, Missouri

Pan-African Organization for Health, Education and Research

RESEARCH IN PROGRESS

The Role of culture in the implementation of an international statute: The case of Somalia
The Role of Traditional Institutions in Peacebuilding and Development: The Case of the
Loya Jirga (Afghanistan) and Clan Elders (Somalia)