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KEY AREAS OF EXPERIENCE AND RESEARCH INTEREST

- Macroeconomics
- Development Economics
- Agriculture and Labour Economics
- International Economics
- Institutional Economics

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Econometric and statistical modelling
- Research proposal development
- Project management and execution

WORK HISTORY

12/2017 to Current

Professor

Department of Economics, Covenant University (CU) – Ota, Nigeria

- Teaching Fields: Macroeconomics, International Economics, Resource and Energy Economics
- Research Fields: Development Economics, Institutional Economics, International Economics, Agricultural and Land Economics
- Others: Since December 2018- Leading the collaboration between Covenant University, Ota, Nigeria & Witten/Herdecke University, Witten, Germany

03/2018 to Current

Director

Centre for Economic Policy & Development Research – (CEPDeR): Ota, Nigeria

- Coordinate the collaboration and linkages between CEPDeR Fellows and International Visiting Scholars
- Lead research collaboration between scholars in Nigeria and overseas
- Develop and execute research proposals for external funding (E.g., July 2019, I won 17,350 Euros as Equipment Subsidy Grant from the Alexander von Humboldt Foundation-AvH for CEPDeR & May 2020, also won 43,350 Euros AvH's *Grant for Research Linkage Programme*)

10/2018 to Current

Director

Regional Centre of Expertise (RCE Ogun) – Ota, Nigeria

- Pioneer the coordination of the UNU-IAS [United Nations University Institute for the Advanced Study of Sustainability] Regional Centre for Expertise (RCE Ogun), Covenant University, Ota, Nigeria
- Coordinate the partnership between RCE Ogun and Zenith Bank PLC (In 2019, lead RCE Ogun team to win grant of 11,886,500 Naira from Zenith Bank PLC).

12/2017 to 07/2018

Professor of Economics & Head of Department

Covenant University – Ota, Nigeria

- Coordinating the collaboration between Covenant University, Ota, Nigeria & German

- Development Institute, Bonn Germany, February 2015- Date
- Coordinating the cooperation between UNCTAD Virtual Institute & Covenant University, November 2014-Date

- 04/2019 to Current **Adjunct Professor of Economics**
Anchor University – Lagos, Nigeria
 -Teaching: Macroeconomics and International Economics
 -Other Activities: Mentoring of Students and Young Faculty
- 06/2020 to Current **Visiting Scholar**
Institute of Business Research, University of Economics Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam
 -Mentoring, Review and Research Collaboration
- 07/2018 to 09/2019 **Alexander von Humboldt Visiting Professor**
Witten/Herdecke University – Witten, Germany
 -Teaching: Seminar Series
 -Research: Agricultural Land Investments and Employment Outcomes in Africa

AFFILIATIONS

- American Economic Association
- Nigerian Trade Experts Forum, Abuja, Nigeria
- Nigerian Economic Society
- African Growth and Development Policy Modelling Consortium (AGRODEP), IFPRI-Dakar, Senegal
- Founding Member and Assessor, African-German Network of Excellence in Science (AGNES), University of Cape Town, South Africa
- Royal Economic Society, London, UK
- Council for the Development of Social Science Research in Africa (CODESRIA), Dakar, Senegal
- Young African Researchers in Agriculture (YARA), Cape Town, South Africa
- European Studies Association for Sub-Saharan Africa (ESA-SSA), University of Pretoria, South Africa
- African Economic Research Consortium (AERC) Network, Nairobi, Kenya
- United Nations Conference on Trade & Development (UNCTAD) Virtual Institute, Switzerland
- Society for Institutional and Organizational Economics (formerly International Society of New Institutional Economics-INSIE), United States
- Association of African Young Economists (AAYE), Cameroun
- African Finance and Economic Association (AFEA), United States
- Global Trade Analysis Project-GTAP Purdue University, Indiana, USA

EDUCATION

- 06/2011 **Ph.D.: Economics**
Covenant University - Ota, Nigeria
- 07/2006 **M.Sc.: Economics**
Covenant University - Ota, Nigeria
- 07/2013 **B.Sc.: Economics**
Ambrose Alli University - Ekpoma, Nigeria

01/2014	German Course for Guest Researchers <i>International Centre, University of Bonn</i> - Bonn, Germany
07/2013	Certificate Course in Institutional Analysis <i>Higher School of Economics, National Research University</i> - Moscow Region, Russia
12/2012	German Language Course <i>Goethe Institut</i> - Hamburg, Germany
02/2010	Advanced Course in Mathematical Statistics <i>Lund University</i> - Lund, Sweden

RESEARCH

Selected Publications

Books

- Osabuohien, E. (2015). Handbook of Research on In-Country Determinants and Implications of Foreign Land Acquisitions (pp. 1-430). Hershey, PA: IGI Global. DOI: 10.4018/978-1-4666-7405-9.
- Osabuohien, E. (2020). The Palgrave Handbook of Agricultural and Rural Development in Africa, Geneva: Palgrave Macmillan (ISBN 978-3-030-41512-9).

Selected Articles (Only 2013 Upwards)

- **Osabuohien, E.** (2020). Guest Editorial: Labour Issues in Africa's Agricultural and Rural Transformation, *African Journal of Economic and Management Studies [Emerald]*. DOI: DOI: 10.1108/AJEMS-06-2020-406.
- Osabohien, R., Matthew, O., Ohalete, P & **Osabuohien, E** (2020). Population-Poverty-Inequality Nexus and Social Protection in Africa. *Social Indicators Research*. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1007/s11205-020-02381-0>.
- Karakara, A. A. & **Osabuohien, E.** (2020). ICT Adoption, Competition and Innovation of Informal Firms in West Africa: Comparative Study of Ghana and Nigeria. *Journal of Enterprising Communities*. DOI: 10.1108/JEC-03-2020-0022.
- Adeleye, N., **Osabuohien, E.** & Asongu, S. (2020). Agro-Industrialisation and Financial Industrialisation in Nigeria. *African Journal of Economic and Management Studies*. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1108/AJEMS-02-2019-0078>.
- Osabohien, R., Osuagwu, E., **Osabuohien, E**, Ekhatior-Mobayode, U., Matthew, O. & Gershon, O. (2020). Household Access to Agricultural Credit and Agricultural Production in Nigeria: A PSM Model. *South African Journal of Economic and Management Sciences*, 22(1), a2688. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.4102/sajems.v22i1.2688>
- Beecroft, I, **Osabuohien, E**, Efobi, U., Olurinola, I. & Osabohien, R (2020). Manufacturing Export and ICT Infrastructure in West Africa: Investigating the Roles of Economic and Political Institutions. *Institutions and Economies*, 12 (1), 1-37.
- Asongu, S.A., Efobi, U.R., Tanakem, B.V. & **Osabuohien, E.** (2020). Globalisation and Female Economic Participation in Sub-Saharan Africa. *Gender Issues*, 37, 61-89. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1007/s12147-019-09233-3>.
- Egbetokun, S., **Osabuohien, E.**, Onanuga, O., Akinbobola, T., Gershon, O. & Okafor, V. (2020). Environmental Pollution, Economic Growth and Institutional Quality: Exploring the Nexus in Nigeria. *Management of Environmental Quality*, 31 (1), 18-31 [Emerald ISSN: 1477-7835]. DOI: 10.1108/MEQ-02-2019-0050.

- **Osabuohien, E.**, Efobi, U., Odebiyi, J, Fayomi, F. & Salami, A. (2019). Bilateral Trade Performance in West Africa: Gravity Model Estimation. *African Development Review*, 31 (1), 1-14. DOI:10.1111/1467-8268.12359
- **Osabuohien, E.**, Efobi U.R., Herrmann R. & Gitau, C.M. (2019). Female Labor Outcomes and Large-scale Agricultural Land Investments: Macro-Micro Evidence from Tanzania. *Land Use Policy*, 82, 716-728. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.landusepol.2019.01.005>
- Akinyemi, O., Efobi, U., Asongu, S., & **Osabuohien, E.** (2019). Renewable energy, trade performance and the conditional role of finance and institutional capacity in sub-Saharan African Countries. *Energy Policy*, 132 , 490-498. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.enpol.2019.06.012>
- Akinyemi, O, Efobi, U., **Osabuohien, E.** and Alege, P. (2019) Regional Integration and Energy Sustainability in Africa: Exploring the Challenges and Prospects for ECOWAS. *African Development Review*, 31(4), 517-528. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1111/1467-8268.12406>.
- Ejemeyovwi, J. O. & **Osabuohien, E. S.**, Johnson, O.D & Bowale, E.I.K. (2019). Internet Usage, Innovation and Human Development Nexus in Africa: The Case of ECOWAS. *Journal of Economic Structures*, 8(5), DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1186/s40008-019-0146-2>
- Asongu, S.A., Nting, R. T. & **Osabuohien, E.S.** (2019). One Bad Turn Deserves Another: How Terrorism Sustains the Addiction to Capital Flight in Africa. *Journal of Industry, Competition and Trade*, DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10842-019-00303-6>
- Karakara, A. A. & **Osabuohien, E.S.** (2019). Households' ICT Access and Bank Patronage in West Africa: Empirical Insights from Burkina Faso and Ghana. *Technology in Society*, 56, 116-125. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.techsoc.2018.09.010>
- **Osabuohien, E.S.**, Obiekwe, E., Urhie, E., & Osabohien, R. (2018). Inflation Rate, Exchange Rate Volatility and Exchange Rate Pass-Through Interactions: The Nigerian experience. *Journal of Applied Economic Sciences*, XIII, Spring 2(56), 574-585
- Ejemeyovwi, J. O. & **Osabuohien, E. S.** (2018). Investigating the Relevance of Mobile Technology Adoption on Inclusive Growth in West Africa. *Contemporary Social Science*, 15(1), 48-61. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1080/21582041.2018.1503320>
- **Osabuohien, E.S.** & Karakara, A. A. (2018). ICT Usage, Mobile Money and Financial Access of Women in Ghana. *Africa growth Agenda Journal*, 15(1), 14-18. DOI: <http://hdl.handle.net/10520/EJC-dc947bee3>
- Ejemeyovwi, J. O., **Osabuohien, E. S.**, & Osabohien, R. (2018). ICT Investments, Human Capital Development and Institutions in ECOWAS. *International Journal of Economics and Business Research*, 15(4), 463-474. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1504/IJEER.2018.092151>
- **Osabuohien, E.S.**, Beecroft, I. & Efobi, U. R. (2018). Global Trade and Trade Protection in a Globalised. *Transnational Corporations Review*, 10(1), 43-52. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1080/19186444.2018.1436650>
- Egbetokun, S., **Osabuohien, E.S.** & Akinbobola, T. (2018). Feasible Environmental Kuznets and Institutional Quality in North and Southern African Sub-regions. *International Journal of Energy Economics and Policy*, 8 (1), 104-115.
- Osabohien, R. A., **Osabuohien, E.S.** & Urhie, E (2018). Food Security, Institutional Framework and Technology: Examining the Nexus in Nigeria using ARDL Approach. *Current Nutrition and Food Science*, 14(4),154-163. DOI: 10.2174/1573401313666170525133853.
- Herrmann, R.; Jumbe, C.; Bruentrup, M. & **Osabuohien, E.S.** (2018). Competition between Biofuel Feedstock and Food Production: Empirical Evidence from Sugarcane Outgrower Settings in Malawi. *Biomass and Bioenergy*, 114(July),100-111. DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.biombioe.2017.09.002>
- Adeleye, N., **Osabuohien, E.S.**, Bowale, E., Matthew, O., & Oduntan, E. (2018). Financial Reforms and Credit Growth in Nigeria: Empirical Insights from ARDL and ECM Techniques. *International Review of Applied Economics*, 32(6),807-820. DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/02692171.2017.1375466>

- Akinyemi, O., **Osabuohien, E.S.**, Alege, P. & Ogundipe, A. (2017). Energy Security, Trade and Transition to Green Economy in Africa. *International Journal of Energy Economics and Policy*, 7(3), 127-136.
- Adeleye, N., **Osabuohien, E. S.** & Bowale, E. (2017). The Role of Institutions in the Finance-Inequality Nexus in Sub-Saharan Africa. *Journal of Contextual Economics*, 137, 173-192. [Duncker & Humblot, Berlin]
- **Osabuohien, E. S.**, Soogun, A & Urhie (2017). Examining the Relative Roles of Domestic and Foreign Direct Investments in Nigeria. *International Journal of Economics & Financial Issues*, 7 (4), 365-371.[ISSN 2146-4138]
- Akinyemi, O., Alege, P., **Osabuohien, E. S.** & Ogundipe, A. (2016). Energy Security and the Green Growth Agenda in Africa: Exploring Trade-offs and Synergies. *Mediterranean Journal of Social Sciences*, 7(No.1 S1), 375-382. DOI:10.5901/mjss.2016.v7n1s1p375
- Alege, P.O. & **Osabuohien, E.S** (2015). Trade-Exchange Rate Nexus in Sub-Saharan African Countries: Evidence from Panel Co-integration Analysis. *Foreign Trade Review*, 50 (3), 151-167. DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1177/0015732515589440>
- **Osabuohien, E.S.**, Efobi, U. R. & Gitau, C.M .W. (2015).Environmental Challenges in Africa: Further Dimensions to the Trade, MNCs and Energy Debate. *Management of Environmental Quality: An International Journal*, 26(1), 118- 137.DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1108/MEQ-04-2014-0058>
- Efobi, U. R, **Osabuohien, E.S.** & Oluwatobi, S. (2015).One Dollar, One Bank Account: Remittance and Bank Breadth in Nigeria. *Journal of International Migration and Integration*, 16 (Issue 3), 761-781.DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1007/s12134-014-0358-0>
- Efobi, U. R, Beecroft, I. & **Osabuohien, E.S.** (2014). Access to and Use of Bank Services in Nigeria: Micro-econometric Evidence. *Review of Development Finance*, 4,104-114. DOI: 10.1016/j.rdf.2014.05.002
- **Osabuohien, E.S** (2014).Large-scale Agricultural Land Investments and Local Institutions in Africa: The Nigerian Case. *Land Use Policy*, 39 (July), 155-165. DOI: 10.1016/j.landusepol.2014.02.019
- **Osabuohien, E.S.** & Efobi, U. R. (2014).Assessment of Trade Performance of OIC African Members in the Face of Global Economic Crisis. *Journal of Economic Cooperation and Development*, 35(1), 1-22.
- **Osabuohien, E.S.**, Efobi, U. R. & Gitau, C.M .W. (2014). Beyond the Environmental Kuznets Curve in Africa: Evidence from Panel Cointegration. *Journal of Environmental Policy & planning*, 16(4), 517-538. DOI: 10.1080/1523908X.2013.867802
- Olayiwola, W.K., Okodua, H & **Osabuohien E.S.** (2014). Finance For Growth and Policy Options for Emerging and Developing Economies: The Case of Nigeria. *Asian Development Policy Review*, 2(2): 20-38.
- George, T., Olayiwola, W.K., Adewole, M.A. & **Osabuohien, E.S.** (2013). Effective Service Delivery of Nigeria's Public Primary Education: Role of Non-State Actors. *The Journal of African Development*, 15(1), 221-245.
- **Osabuohien, E.S.** & Efobi, U. R (2013). Africa's Money in Africa. *South African Journal of Economics*, 81(2), 292-306. (Wiley ISSN: 1813-6982). DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1111/saje.12012>
- Alege, P.O. & **Osabuohien, E.S** (2013).G-Localization as a Development Model: Economic Implications for Africa. *International Journal of Applied Economics and Econometrics*, 21 (1), 41-72.

SELECTED CONFERENCES (ONLY 2016 UPWARDS)

2020

- Keynote Speaker, Workshop on Writing Research Proposal and Sourcing Research Grant, Institute of Managerial Economist of Nigeria and Hallmark University, 11-12th June 2020.

- Presenter, Engaging in Rewardable Research Endeavours in Business, Social Sciences and Humanities, CBSS/CLDS Virtual Seminar Series, 4th June 2020.
- Panel Discussant at Virtual Conference on Sustainable Rural Transformation in the Context of Increased Commercialisation and Resource Scarcity, MIASA, University of Ghana, May 26-27, 2020.
- Organised 2020 National Budget Roundtable and Panel Discussion on ‘The Art of National Budgeting and Nigeria’s Debt Profile: Sectoral and Demographic Implications’, CEPDeR, Covenant University, 20th March 2020.
- Presenter at the *Kick-off Workshop on Sustainable Rural Transformation* of the 3rd Interdisciplinary Fellowship Group (IFG), MIASA, University of Ghana, Accra, 3rd -7th February 2020.
- Workshop on ‘Sex and Money for Grade: Implications for Human Capital Development’, Organised by Centre for Leadership and Gender Studies, Crawford University, Igbesa, Ogun State, Nigeria, 31st January 2020.

2019

- Presenter at the 3rd Annual Meeting of the Nigerian Tax Research Network (NTRN) on ‘Revenue Challenges Online and Offline: Bridging the Digital Divide in an Analogue Economy’, FIRS Training School, Abuja, 5-6th December 2019.
- Team Leader at CODESRIA-MRI Networks Publication and Dissemination Workshop organised by CODESRIA and Centre for Conflict Management, University of Rwanda, Kigali, Rwanda, 28-30th November 2019.
- Track Session Chair and Presenter, UNU-WIDER Development Conference in Partnership with UNESCAP on Transforming Economies for Better Jobs, United Nations Conference Centre, Bangkok, Thailand, 11-13th September 2019.
- 9th African Regional Centre of Expertise (RCE) Meeting on ‘Accelerating Progress towards the Achievement of Sustainable Development Goals in Africa’, University of Eswatini, Luyengo Campus, Eswatini, 5th -7th August 2019.
- International Conference on Sustainable Development in Africa, Covenant University, Ota, Nigeria, 20th- 21st June 2019.
- African-German Implementation Workshop on an “African-German network for synergies in research, transfer, innovation and employability, Berlin, Germany, 18-19th June 2019.
- Track Session Chair, Panel Discussant and Presenter, 1st International Conference on African Entrepreneurship and Innovation 2019, De Montfort University, Leicester, UK, 13-14th June 2019
- Keynote Speaker, Jan Walliser Memorial Lecture, Organised by Alexander von Humboldt Foundation & German Development Institute, Bonn, Germany, 4th June 2019.
- Invited Speaker, Pre-departure event organised by the Embassy of Sweden, Lagos 3rd May 2019.
- Presenter and Discussant, Mid-Review Workshop on Rethinking Regional Integration in Africa for Sustainable and Inclusive Development, Organised by African Economic Research Consortium (AERC), Nairobi, Kenya, 8-9th April 2019.
- Discussion Paper Presenter, Nigerian Enterprise Research Workshop Organised by De Montfort University, Leicester, UK and Centre for Entrepreneurship & Innovation, University of Ibadan, 25th March 2019.
- Track Chair, 3rd Covenant University International Conference on Entrepreneurship (CU-ICE), CEDS, Covenant University, 20-22nd March 2019.
- Lead Presenter at the Policy Dialogue and Roundtable on the Economic Viability of APC's and PDP's Manifestos organised by Konrad Adenauer Stiftung, Fraser Suites, Abuja, Nigeria, 12th February 2019.
- Organised a Roundtable and Panel Discussion on 2019 National Budget themed ‘2019 National Budget: Pertinent Issues and Sectoral Impacts’ on the platform of CEPDeR (Centre for Economic Policy & Development Research), Covenant University, Ota, Nigeria, 8th February 2019.

- Organised Climate Change Convention and Official Launch of Regional Centre of Expertise (RCE) Ogun themed 'Climate Change Action for Africa We Want' on the Platform of RCE Ogun, 4th February 2019.
- Organised a Panel Session (with Jann Lay, GIGA) at International Conference on 'Africa and Europe Moving Forward Together-Evidence-based Solutions for African Development', Leuphana University, Lueneburg, Germany, 24-26th January 2019.
- Led CEPDeR's team to the inaugural workshop of the African Action Research Community (AARC) on 'Indigenous Knowledge in Integral Global Knowledge System, Lagos, Nigeria, 17th January 2019.

2018

- Workshop on 'Research beyond the Shelf: The Interdependence of the University, the Industry and Investor, CUCRID Building, Covenant University, 13th November 2018.
- Workshop on Rethinking Regional Integration in Africa for Sustainable and Inclusive Development, Organised by African Economic Research Consortium (AERC), Nairobi, Kenya, 26-29th September 2018.
- Invited Discussant, Public Lecture organised by Department of Economics, University of Lagos with the Governor of Osun State (Rauf A. Aregbesola) as the Guest Speaker 24th July 2018.
- Presenter & Discussant, 9th Annual Conference on Regional Integration in Africa (ACRIA 9), Banjul, The Gambia, 9-11th July, 2018.
- Facilitator, 2nd Covenant University International Conference on Entrepreneurship (CU-ICE), CEDS, Covenant University, 13-15th June 2018.
- Led a team to 2018 Business Day "AgriBusiness and Food Security Summit on "Evolving Actionable Models to Make Agribusiness More Viable", Lagos, Nigeria, 27th April 2018.
- Facilitator, Faculty Training on Successful Grant Writing and Execution, Centre for Learning Resources, Covenant University, Ota, Nigeria, 22nd March 2018.
- Panel Discussant, Workshop and Roundtable Discussion on Trending Issues on Trade Negotiations, Covenant University, Ota, Nigeria, 1st March 2018.
- Made Presentation and participated at CODESRIA's Meaning-making Research Initiatives (MRI) Methodology and Scholarly Writing Workshop, Harare, Zimbabwe, 19-24th February, 2018.

2017

- Presented paper and served as rapporteur at the Conference on Land Policy in Africa (CLPA 2017), organized by African Union Commission (AUC), United Nations Economic Commission for Africa (UNECA) & African Development Bank (AfDB), Conference Centre, UNECA, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, 14-17th November, 2017.
- Served as Paper Presenter & Discussant at 8th Annual Conference on Regional Integration in Africa (ACRIA 8), Lomé, Togo, 3-5th July, 2017.
- Participant at National Roundtable on Inflation and Presentation of the Book titled 'Inflation and Structure of Aggregate Output', Sheraton Hotel, Abuja, Nigeria, 29th June, 2017,
- Served as Session Chair & Panel Discussant at the 1st Covenant University International Conference on Entrepreneurship (CU-ICE), 12 -14th June, 2017.
- Inaugural Conference of Young African Researchers in Agriculture (YARA), Cape Town, South Africa, 6-8th February, 2017.

2016

- Organized a Session and participated in Roundtable Discussant at the 3rd Witten Conference on Institutions in Development Research, Witten/Herdecke University, Witten, Germany, 1st-2nd December, 2016.
- Workshop on Loses along Food Value Chain, organized by African Growth and Development Policy Modeling Consortium (AGRODEP)/International Food Policy Research Institute (IFPRI), Accra, Ghana, 17-19th October 2016.

- 1st Nigeria Agricultural Policy Project (NAPP) Conference organized by IFPRI & Michigan State University (MSU), Abuja, 27-28th September 2016.
- Organized workshop on 'Open debate: What agricultural and rural transition is needed and likely in sub-Sahara' (with Michael Bruentrup) & Two Poster Presentations at TROPENTAG 2016 Conference, University of Natural Resources and Life Sciences, Vienna, Austria, 18th -21st September 2016.
- Workshop on Decomposing Price Distortions along the Value Chain: Africa Case Studies, organized by IFPRI at IFPRI Headquarters, Washington DC, USA, 23rd -24th May 2016.

CONSULTANCIES/RESEARCH PROJECTS/ AWARDS [ONLY 2015 UPWARDS]

- *Grant for Research Linkage Programme* from Alexander von Humboldt Foundation (with Dr Magdalene Silberberger, Witten/Herdecke University, Germany), July 2020- March 2023 [**43,350 Euros**].
- *Recognised as one of the 6 Youngest Professors Nigeria Ever Had*, Opera News, May 2020
- *Top 10 Downloaded Paper 2018-2019 Award*, Wiley Publishers for 'Bilateral Trade Performance in West Africa: A Gravity Model Estimation' in African Development Review, April 2020.
- Research grant on Tax Morale and Public Service Provision in Different States of Nigeria (with Belinda Archibong & Tom Moerenhout), International Centre of Tax and Development, UK, November 2019.
- Research Grant, Large-Scale Land Acquisitions, Rural Change and Social Conflict (LARCC)', award by GIGA (German Institute for Global and Area Studies), July 2019 [**26,000 Euros**].
- Equipment Subsidy Grant, the Alexander von Humboldt Foundation, July 2019 [**17,350 Euros**].
- Research Fellowship from the Alexander von Humboldt Foundation (AvH), at Faculty of Management & Economics, Witten/Herdecke University, Witten, Germany, July 2019 [**9,450 Euros**].
- Overall Best Conference Paper Award, 1st International Conference on African Entrepreneurship & Innovation 2019, De Montfort University, Leicester, UK, June 2019.
- Zenith Bank PLC's Grant for RCE Ogun 2019 Activities, January 2019, [**11,886,500 Naira**].
- African Economic Research Consortium (AERC)'s Collaborative Project on 'Rethinking Regional Integration in Africa for Inclusive and Sustainable Development, November 2018 [**USD 15,000**].
- Alexander von Humboldt Visiting Professor, at Faculty of Management & Economics, Witten/Herdecke University, Witten, Germany, under the Alexander von Humboldt Foundation's 'Renewed Research Stay Fellowship Programme', August 2018 [**9,450 Euros**].
- Research Grant, from the African Capacity Building Foundation (ACBF)/National Institute for Legislative and Democratic Studies (NILDS) for a Research Project on Developing an African Growth and Opportunity Act (AGOA) Country Strategy for Nigeria, June 2018 [**USD 20,000**].
- Award of Excellence for Contribution towards Students' Development and Advancement of Education in Nigeria, Nigerian Economics Students Association (NESAS), March 2018.
- Council for the Development of Social Science Research in Africa (CODESRIA)'s 2017 Meaning-making Research Initiatives (MRI) Competition Award to carry out research project on 'Large-scale Land Investments and (Un)Employment Questions in Africa: Quantitative and Qualitative Insights from Nigeria', December 2017 [**USD 30,000**].
- Appointed as the Director of Mentorship Programme, by the African Finance and Economic Association, October 2017.
- Lecturer of the Year, Nigerian Economics Students Association, April 2016.

- Research Project with IFPRI on Cocoa & Maize Value Chain and Computation of Natural Rate of Protection for Nigeria, April- December 2016 [**USD 5,000**].
- Research Project with DTT Farms on Background Study on Rice Production, Processing and Marketing in Ogun State, Nigeria, April – August 2016 [**500,000 Naira**].
- Innovative Research Grant awarded by African Growth and Development Policy Modelling Consortium (AGRODEP)/International Food Policy Research Institute (IFPRI), USA, April 2015 [**USD 15,000**].

SELECTED REFEREE SERVICES

1. Guest Editor, African Journal of Economic and Management Studies (AJEMS) on 'Labour Issues in Africa's Agricultural and Rural Transformation'. Since 2018
 2. Assessor, Palgrave Macmillan Book Series, Since 2018.
 3. Editing 'The Palgrave Handbook of Agricultural and Rural Development in Africa' to be published by Palgrave Macmillan.
 4. Assessor, The Council for the Development of Social Science Research in Africa (CODESRIA), Book Publishing Series, since 2015
 5. Completed an Edited Book Project 'Handbook of Research on In-Country Determinants and Implications of Foreign Land Acquisitions', Published 2015.
 6. Member of Editorial Team, Global Research Forum on Diaspora and Transnationalism (GRFDT, India) Research Paper Series, since 2012.
 7. Article Review Editor, SAGE Publications, since 2012.
 8. Reviewer, Journal of Land Use Science, Taylor & Francis, ISSN: 1747-423X (Print), 1747-4248 (Online), since 2016.
 9. Reviewer, Land Use Policy, Elsevier, ISSN: 0264-8377, since 2015.
 10. Reviewer, Journal of Environmental Planning and Management, Taylor & Francis, ISSN: 0964-0568 (Print), 1360-0559 (Online), since 2013.
 11. Reviewer, Journal of Environmental Policy & planning, Taylor & Francis, ISSN: 1523-908X (Print), 1522-7200 (Online), since 2012.
 12. Reviewer, World Development (ISSN: 0305-750X), Elsevier, since 2010.
 13. South African Journal of Economics, Wiley, ISSN: 0038-2280 (Print); 1813-6982 (Online), since 2010.
 14. Reviewer, African Development Review, Wiley for African Development Bank (ISSN: 1017-6772), since 2010.
 15. Reviewer, The Developing Economies (ISSN: 1746-1049), Wiley, since 2010.
 16. Reviewer, The Journal of Developing Areas, College of Business Tennessee State University, USA (ISSN: 0022-037X), since 2010.
 17. Reviewer, Pakistan Economic and Social Review, University of the Punjab, Pakistan (ISSN: 1011-002X), since 2009.
 18. Reviewer, Economic Bulletin, USA since 2014.
 19. Reviewer, Management of Environmental Quality, [Emerald ISSN: 1477-7835], since 2014.
 20. Reviewer, Contemporary Social Science, [Taylor & Francis ISSN: 21582041; 2158205X], Since 2017.
 21. Contemporary Economics, [Online ISSN: 2300-8814]
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