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# CURRICULUM VITAE

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## EDUCATION (SCHOOLS AND UNIVERSITIES ATTENDED)

	<b>FROM</b>	<b>TO</b>	<b>DEGREE</b>
i. University of Nigeria, Nsukka	2007	2013	Ph.D. Information science
ii. Alli University, Ekpoma	2000	2002	Master in Business Administration
iii. Bayero University, Kano	1989	1992	Bachelor of Arts
iv. Bayero University, Kano	1993	1996	Masters in Library Science
v. Project T.I.M.E. College of Education			
vi. Lagos.	1984	1987	NCE
vii. Ansar-Ud-Deen Grammar School, Lagos	1976	1981	WAEC

### **QUALIFICATIONS WITH DATES**

- i. Doctor of Philosophy in Library and Information Science (Ph.D) 2013
- ii. Masters in Business Administration (MBA) 2002
- iii. Masters in Library Science (MLS) 1996
- iv. Bachelor's of Arts in Library Science (BA.LS) 1992
- v. Certificate Course in Computer Science 1992
- vi. National Certificate in Education (NCE) 1987

### **MEMBERSHIP OF PROFESSIONAL BODIES/LEARNED SOCIETIES:**

- 1. Nigerian Library Association
- 2. Librarian Registration Council of Nigeria

### **PROFESSIONAL WORK/ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE/POSITIONS HELD WITH DATES:**

	<b>POST HELD</b>	<b>FROM</b>	<b>TO</b>	<b>EMPLOYER</b>	<b>JOB DESCRIPTION</b>
I.	Assistant Librarian	Nov. 1996	1999	University of Agriculture,	Info. Tech, Head serial unit, member Staff Disciplinary Makurdi (UAM), Committee, member Exhibition Committee
II.	Librarian I	Oct. 1999	2003	UAM	Acting Head of Readers Services
III.	Senior Librarian	Oct. 2003	2007	UAM	Head, Information Technology Division

IV.	Principal Librarian	Oct. 2007	2012	UAM	Member, College Board of Veterinary Medicine, Treasurer, Library Welfare Committee, Co-ordinator SIWES,
	v. Deputy Librarian	Oct. 2012	2016	UAM	Represented the University Librarian when away on official duties, General Administration of the Department, General Administration of the Readers Services Department and Accreditation Exercise. Administration of Outreach Libraries in Accounting/Finance and Architecture; Personnel Administration of the entire Junior Staff, Maintenance of the Library Building.
	vi. Deputy Librarian	Jan. 2016	May 2016	FUTMINNA.	Sabbatical Leave Federal University of Technology Minna Niger State Represented the University Librarian when away on official duties, General Administration of the Readers Services Department and Accreditation Exercise.
	vii University Librarian	2016 to June, 2021		AAU, Ekpoma	Responsible to the Vice-Chancellor for operational management of the Library System; Budgeting; Collection Development; Readers Services; Public Relations; Personnel Management; Committee Meetings; In Attendance at University Council Meeting;

viii. Lecturer 2016 to Date Dept of LIS, AAU, Ekpoma

In Attendance at Finance and General Purpose Committee;  
Member, Minor Works Committee;  
In Attendance Tenders Board Meeting, Member, University  
Senate; Member, Appraisal Committees; Chairperson,  
Appraisal Committees of the Library;  
Member, Appointment and Promotions Committees(A&PC)  
Lecturer, Library and Information Science  
Department, AAU. Member, Local Organizing Committee of  
Retreat for Members of Governing Council AAU, Member,  
Council Committee on Plagiarism Test, Member Endowment  
Fund Raising Committee, Member, Committee on Code of  
Conduct for Academic Staff, AAU, Member,

Management of Library Resources, Management of Libraries  
and Information Centres, Periodical Management, Principles of  
Public Relations in Libraries, Planning of New Library Building  
and Services, Rural Information Sources and Services and  
Project supervision. Member, Research Methods Book Project  
Committee. Member, Departmental Board of Library and  
Information Science. Member, SIWES in Dept., Library and  
Information Science. Course Adviser, 300 Level Dept., Library  
& Information Science, Member, Committee on Department  
Textbook on Research Methods.

#### **10. COURSES TAUGHT WITH DATES**

LIS 213 Management of Library Resources 200L  
LIS 217 Principles of Public Relations in Libraries  
LIS 302 Planning of New Library Building and Services  
LIS 402 Periodical Management 400L  
LIS 404 Management of Libraries and Information Centres  
LIS 701 Principles and Practice of Management of Libraries

(AAU, 2016- Date)  
(AAU, 2021- Date)  
(AAU, 2021-Date)  
(AAU, 2016-Date)  
(AAU, 2018-Date)

and Information Centres  
LIS 719 Rural Information Sources and Services  
LIS 605 Serials Management  
LIS 607 Computer Technologies and Library Services

(AAU, 2020-Date)  
(AAU, 2020-Date)  
(MLS, UAM, 2015)  
(MLS, UAM, 2015)

## **11. SUPERVISION OF PROJECTS**

### **A. UNDERGRADUATES (Ambrose Alli University, 2017-Date)**

1. 2017 10
2. 2018 10
3. 2019 6
4. 2020 2
5. 2021 3

### **B. POSTGRADUATES SUPERVISION**

- 5 Postgraduates (MLS, University of Agriculture, Makurdi, 2016)  
1 Postgraduates (MLS, AmbroseAlli University, 2019-Date)

## **PUBLICATIONS**

### **1. THESIS / DISSERTATION**

- 1). Aba, J. I. (2013). Application of Computer Technologies to Information Services in University and Research Libraries in the North Central Zone) of Nigeria. (Ph.D., 2013)
- 2). Aba, J.I. (2002). Implementation of Market Segmentation Strategies in the Marketing of Library Services: A survey of libraries in Makurdi Metropolis (MBA, 2002)
- 3). Okunbor, J.I. (1996) An Evaluative Study of Library and Information Science Education in Nigeria.(MLS,1996)
- 4). Okunbor, J.I. (1992) Recruitment and Development of Professional Librarians in Academic Libraries: A Case Study of Bayero University, Kano (BA.LS., 1992)

5).Okunbor, J. I.(1992) A Report on Practical Attachment of Bayero University Library, Kano.

## 2. BOOKS AND CHAPTERS OF BOOKS

1. Aba, J., Makinde, O.T & Aidenojie, E.O.(2021). Information and Communication Technologies (ICTs) as Factor for Infopreneurship in Nigeria. In ICT and Entrepreneurship In Information:Perspectives From Developing Digital Economies by Tella, A (ed). India: EssEss Publications. pp. 463-473
2. Makinde, O. T., Aidenojie, E.O,Aba, J.I. & Akosu, R.H (2021).Entrepreneurship, Infopreneurship and Small-scale Information Businesses in Nigeria: Challenges and the Way Forward. In ICT and Entrepreneurship In Information:Perspectives From Developing Digital Economies by Tella, A (ed). India: EssEss Publications. pp.453-463
3. Aba, J. I. & Makinde, O.T (2020).Utilization of Smartphones for Retrieving Research Information Resources in Libraries by Undergraduates. In Handbook of Research on Digital Devices for Inclusivity and Engagement in Libraries Global publication (IGI) by Tella, A (ed) p. 328-349. Hershey, PA: IGI Global. Doi:10.4018/978-1-5225-9034-7.ch017. USA.
4. Aba, J. I.&Makinde, O.T. (2020). Use of Social Media in Libraries and Impact on Undergraduates.In Handbook of Research on Digital Devices for Inclusivity and Engagement in Libraries Global publication (IGI) by Tella, A (ed) p. 328-349. Hershey, PA: IGI Global. Doi:10.4018/978-1-5225-9034-7.ch018.USA.
5. Aba, J. &Makinde, O.T. (2020). Relevance of Web 2.0 for Library Services in Digital Era. In Handbook of Research on Digital Devices for Inclusivity and Engagement in Libraries Global publication (IGI) by Tella, A (ed) p. 328-349. Hershey, PA: IGI Global. Doi:10.4018/978-1-5225-9034-7.ch020. USA.
6. Aba, J.I., Danjuma O. A.&Makinde, O. T.(2019) Institutional Repository: Vehicle For Research in the University. In Information and communication technologies and libraries: A basic text by Esharenana E. Adomi (ed).
7. Aba, J. (2016). Digital Librarianship. In Introductory Text To Library and Information Professions by Ochogwu, M.G., Ugah, A.D. Aba, J.I.

&Uganneya, S.A.(eds). p.57

8. Aba, J. (2016). Marketing of library and information services. In Introductory Text To Library and Information Professions by Ochogwu, M.G., Ugah, A.D.,Aba, J.I. &Uganneya, S.A.(eds). p.71.
9. Aba, J., Idoko N.A &Beetseh, K. (2015). Current Trends in Librarianship. In Library and Educational Reforms in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century: Structure of Education and Training for Library / Informational Professional by Lawal, O.O &Beetseh, A. (eds).

### 3. ARTICLES IN LEARNED JOURNALS

#### INTERNATIONAL

1. Aba, J.I, Idoko,N& Akor, P. U.(2017). Application of Computer Technologies to Reference Services in University and Research Institute Libraries in North Central Nigeria, *Journal of Balkan Libraries Union*<http://www.balkanlibraries.org/journalhttp://dergipark.gov.tr/jblu> Vol. 5(2) 8-16
2. Osawe, R. E, Ogbomo, E.F. &Aba, J. I. (2018). Impact of Information Seeking Behaviour On Effective Primary Healthcare Service Delivery In Edo State - Nigeria. *The Information Technologist: An International Journal of Information and Communication Technology*. Vol. 15(2).
3. Ozowa,V.& Aba, J. (2017). Perceived Effect of Personality Traits on Information Seeking Behaviour of Postgraduate Students in Benue State, Nigeria. *Library Philosophy and Practice (e-journal)*
4. Aba, J.I.,Abah, A.T. & Ozowa, V. (2016). Impact of Electronic Surveillance Systems on Theft and Mutilation in Francis SuleimanuIdachaba Library, University of Agriculture Makurdi*Library Philosophy and Practice (e-journal)*
5. Aba, J., Beetseh, K., Ogban, O.O &Umogbai, M.E.(2015). The use of Internet services by Postgraduate Students for Research in Francis Idachaba Library, University of Agriculture Makurdi. *IOSR Journal of Research & Method in Education (IOSR-JRME)*.Vol. 5(1): 15-23
6. Aba, J., Ezeani, C.N. &Ugwu, C.I. (2015). Application of Computer Technologies to Circulation Services in University and Research Institute Libraries in North Central Nigeria.*Journal of Information and Knowledge Management (IISTE)*, Vol. 5 (3):71-81



7. Idoko, A, Ugwu C.I &Aba J. I. (2015).Assessment of Library Resources and Programmes in Unity Schools in Nigeria. *Library Philosophy and Practice (e-journal)*
8. Aba,J., Beetseh, K. &Ahom, D. (2014). Strategies for Combating theft and vandalism in Francis SuleimanuIdachaba library, University of Agriculture Makurdi. *Erudite Journal of Educational Research Reviews and Essay (EJERRE)*, Vol. 1(1):27-39
9. Abraham,A.A.E.,Sambe, M.T. &Aba, J. (2014). Strategies for improving library user education programme in universities in Benue State.*The Information Technologies: An International Journal of Information and Communication Technologists (ICT)*. Vol. 11(2)
- 10.Orbunde A., Aba,J.I.&Umogbai, M.E.(2013). Information Communication Technology(ICT)as an Effective Management tool in Agricultural Marketing Information System (AMIS) Dissemination: Implications for the Future.*CIRSD International Journal of Development Studies Sciences*. Vol. 7(6):42-57.
- 11.Umogbai, M.E, Aba,J&Orbunde A.(2011). Managing Ethno-Religious and Political Conflicts in Nigeria: challenge for National sustainability. *CIRSD International Journal of Development Studies sciences*. Vol. 4(3):236-249.
- 12.Aba,J.I. (2011) The prospects of the Nigerian Digital Library. *International Library Movement*. Vol.33(1)12-21
- 13.Aba, J.I.& Okayi R.(2007). The Challenges of Virtual Library in University of Agriculture, Makurdi. *International Journal of Research in Education*. Vol.3(2):33-38.
- 14.Ijoyah, M.,Aba, J. I.&Uganneya, S.A. (2006). A collaborativestudy of the Dissemination of information on the effects ofseed yam TechnologyinUshongo LGA of Benue State in Nigeria.*African Journal of Biotechnology*. Vol.22:2086-2091
- 15.Okwu, O.J., Kuku A.A &Aba J.I. (2003). An Assessment of use of Radio in Agricultural Information Dissemination: A Casestudy of Radio Benue in Nigeria.*African Journal of Agricultural Research* Vol.2(1):014-018
- 16.Ugannaya, S.A &Aba, J.I.(2002). Information Needs and Information Seeking Behaviour of Postgraduate Students in University of Agriculture,Makurdi. *Library Progress*. Vol.22 (1):117-123

17. Aba, J.I. (2000). Internet for Library Services in Nigeria. *Library Progress*. Vol.20, (1):37-42

#### 4. NATIONAL

1. Aba, J. I., Ajibili, D.O., Makinde, T.O & Igbiniedion, F. (2020). "Utilization of Strengths, Weaknesses, Opportunities and Challenges (SWOC) Analysis For Library Services In Universities In Edo State, Nigeria. *International Journal of Knowledge Dissemination (IJKD)* Vol. 1(1), 1-9
2. Ajibili, D.O & Aba, J. I. (2020) Library Databank as a Panacea for E-Learning and Research Output Among Bingham University Academic Staff: A Case Of Covid-19 Lockdown. *Journal of Applied Information Science and Technology (JAIST)*. <https://www.jaistonline.org/> Vol. 13(2), 316-323
3. Osawe, R. E. & Aba, J.I. & Makinde, O. T. (2020) Information Needs of Healthcare Workers As A Factor Affecting Primary Healthcare Service Delivery In Edo State, Nigeria. *Nigerian Library Link: A Journal of Library and Information Science (NLL)*. Vol.19 (2), 36-45.
4. Makinde, O.T., Aba, J.I. & Agbonta, P. (2020). Impact of Social Media on Academic Performance of Undergraduates in Ambrose Alli University. *Heartbeat Journal of Library and Information Science*. Vol.1, 46-58
5. Aba, J.I., Ajibili, D.O. & Makinde, O. T. (2019). Awareness of Swoc Analysis for Library Services in Universities in Edo State, Nigeria, *Gateway Information Journal (GIJ)*. Vol.20(2):51-62
6. Makinde, O.T., Aba, J. & Bolade, E. (2018). Awareness and Utilization of Reference Resources by Fisheries Undergraduates in Universities in North-Central, Nigeria. *Review of Information Science and Technology (RIST)*. Vol. 4.
7. Aba, J., Igbinovia, M., Makinde, O. T. & Akhilomen, D. (2018). Information Behaviour of Medical Doctors for Healthcare Delivery Services in Esan West L.G.A. of Edo State, Nigeria. *Journal of Applied Information Science and Technology (JAIST)*. <https://www.jaistonline.org/> Vol. 11(2).

8. Adadu M, Aba, J. I. &Ugah, A. D. (2018). Effects of Disaster Management on Academic Libraries in Benue State. *Nigerian Library Link: A Journal of Library and Information Science (NLL)*, Vol. 17(1&2).
9. Makinde, O.T, Aba, J.I &Ugah A.D (2017). Accessibility and Utilization of Reference Resources by Fisheries Undergraduate Students in Universities in North- Central, Nigeria. *Journal of Applied Information Science and Technology (JAIST)*.<https://www.jaistonline.org/> Vol. 10(3).
10. Aba, J.I, Abraham,A.A.E.&Dahwa E.M.K. (2015) Application of Computer Technologies to Serials Services in University and Research Institute Libraries in North Central, Nigeria.*International Journal of Information Processing and Communication* Vol. 3 (1&2):107-121
11. Okayi,G .& Aba,J. (2005)Aquatic Macrophytes and their nutrient composition in Benue River *African Journal of Fisheries and Acquaculture*.Vol.4:52-61.
12. Aba, J.I.,Ugannaya, S.A &Ijoyah M. (2003) Associated problems of sustainable Agricultural Information Management in Nigeria. *Zaria Journal of Librarianship*. Vol. 4:52-61
13. Aba, J. (1998) "Information Network: where do Nigerian libraries stand "*Nigerian Journal of Library & Information Service*. Vol.3&4:14-19

## 5. PROCEEDINGS/ BOOK OF ABSTRACTS

1. Aba, J.I., Makinde, O. T. &Ajibili, D.O. & Osawe, R. E (2021).The Role of Library and Information Services in Digital Economy.Available at <https://www.lisvn.org/articles.php>.
2. Aba, J., Obaje A. M. & Obinyan, O.O. (2017). Communication Technology Skills and Information Service Delivery: Panacea for National Development among University Library Personnel In North Central, Nigeria. Book of Abstracts for the 1<sup>st</sup> International Conference of the National Association of Women Academics (NAWACS) held at Ambrose Alli, University, Ekpoma, Edo State. P.54
6. Aba, J., Upev, M.T. &Idachaba, J. A (2013). Compilation of Postgraduate Theses anddissertation Abstracts(1986-2010) in University of Agriculture, Makurdi, Benue State , Makurdi: Rehoboth Miracle Press, pp.1-264

7. Orbunde A., Aba, J. & Umogbai, M.E.(2013). Information Communication Technology(ICT)as an Effective Management tool in Agricultural Marketing Information System (AMIS) Dissemination: Implications for the Future.7<sup>th</sup>CIRSD International Conference held at the University of Ghana, Legon Accra p.301

#### **6. PAPERS PRESENTED IN CONFERENCES, SEMINARS AND WORKSHOPS ACADEMIC /PUBLIC SPEECH PRESENTED**

- (1) Aba, J.I.(2018). Textbook Publishing for Authors and Users. A paperdelivered byon the 26<sup>th</sup> June, 2018 at CordeliaAgbebakuAuditorium(Tetfund), Ambrose Alli, University, Ekpoma, Edo State.
- (2) Makinde, O.T.Aba, J.I.&Agbonta(2019). Impact of Social Media on Academic Performance of Undergraduates in Ambrose AlliUniversity. A paper delivered at the Annual General Meeting (AGM)/ Conference of The Nigerian Library Association-Edo State Chapter Held On Tuesday, 25<sup>th</sup> June, 2019 At Chris Oyakhilomen Auditorium Ambrose Alli, University, Ekpoma, Edo State.
- (3) Aba, J.I.(2019) An Address Delivered At The Opening Ceremony Of 2019 Annual General Meeting (AGM)/ Conference Of The Nigerian Library Association-Edo State Chapter On Tuesday, 25<sup>th</sup> June, 2019 At Chris Oyakhilomen Auditorium

#### **NEWSPAPER PUBLICATION**

Aba, J.I. (1999) "The Impact of Information Technology on Library Services."The Voice. March, 24th. 17p

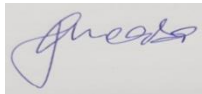
#### **EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

- a). Reading
- b). Music
- c). Cooking

**ON-GOING RESEARCH: Climatic Change as factor Affecting Availability and Usability of Resources in University Libraries in Edo State, Nigeria.**

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