

CURRICULUM VITAE

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KEY STRENGTHS AND SKILLS

- ✓ A Good Team Player
- ✓ Physical Stamina
- ✓ Researching, Learning and Application of New Ideas and Skills
- ✓ Ability to Accomplish Multi-Tasks
- ✓ Adapting to Changing Situations

EDUCATION AND QUALIFICATION

2015: Postgraduate Diploma in Teaching and Learning in Higher Education, University of Education, Winneba (UEW)

2007: Master of Philosophy (Economics); University of Cape Coast.

2001: Bachelor of Arts (Economics); University of Cape Coast.

1996: G. C. E "A" level (Business); Winneba Secondary School, Winneba.

1994: G. C. E "O" level (Business); Winneba Secondary School, Winneba.

CAREER HISTORY

2013 – Date: Economics Lecturer, Department of Economics Education, University of Education, Winneba (U.E.W).

Responsibilities: Teaching, research and community service

2010 – 2013: Principal Administrative Assistant, University of Education, Winneba (U.E.W).

Responsibilities: Secretary to Departmental Board, Supervisor of Supporting Staff, Keeping of Staff and Students records, Drafting of routine letters, etc.

2004 – 2009: Senior Administrative Assistant, University of Education, Winneba (U.E.W).

Responsibilities: Secretary to Departmental Board, Supervisor of Supporting Staff, Keeping of Staff and Students records, Drafting of letters and memos, etc.

2002 – 2003: Teacher, Don Bosco Catholic Junior High School, Winneba.

Responsibilities: Teaching, marking of exercises, etc.

PUBLICATIONS

- Ampah, I.K., Abotsi, A.K., and **Abbam A.** (2022). Does aid for innovation foster innovation? Empirical evidence from sub-Saharan Africa. *International Journal of Innovation Management* 26 (04), 2250026. <https://doi.org/10.1142/S1363919622500268>
- Carsamer, E. and **Abbam, A.** (2021). Bank capital, liquidity and risk in Ghana. *Journal of Financial Regulation and Compliance*. 1358-1988. DOI 10.1108/JFRC-12-2020-0117
- Koomson, I., Abdul-Mumin, A., & **Abbam, A** (2021). Effect of Financial Inclusion on Out-of-Pocket Health Expenditure: empirics from Ghana. *The European Journal of Health Economics*. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10198-021-01320-1>
- Carsamer, E. and **Abbam, A.** (2020). Religion and tax compliance among SMEs in Ghana. *Journal of Financial Crime*. 1359-0790. DOI 10.1108/JFC-01-2020-0007
- Abbam, A.** (2019). Paying for Health Care by Households in Ghana: The Effects of Poverty Status and Location. *Journal of Economics, Management and Trade*, 24(3),1-14. <https://doi.org/10.9734/jemt/2019/v24i330163>
- Abbam, A.** (2018). Investigating life satisfaction of women: does religious affiliation matter? *The Social Educator*, 5(1), 52 – 67.
- Abbam, A.** (2018). Household and contextual factors influencing payment of education by households in Ghana. *European Scientific Journal*, 14(1), 258 – 270.
- Abbam, A.** (2018). A multilevel analysis of factors influencing child mortality in Ghana. *The International Journal of Social Sciences and Humanities Invention*, 5(02), 4425 – 4432.
- Abbam, A.** (2017). Household preferences for cooking fuel in Ghana. *International Journal of Humanities & Social Studies*, 3(6), 12 – 23.
- Abbam, A.,** and Casarmer, E. (2017). Household choice of safe drinking water in Ghana. *Ghana Journal of Economics*, 5, 81 – 95.
- Abbam, A.** (2017). Smallholder farmers' group membership satisfaction in Ghana. *International Journal of Applied Research and Studies*, 6(9), 12 – 22.
- Carsamer, E. and **Abbam, A.** (2016). Religion-corruption nexus in Ghana: A micro level evidence. *Journal of Global Policies and Governance*, 5(1), 57 – 70.
- Ngaaso, C. K. and **Abbam, A.** (2016). An appraisal of students' level of satisfaction of support Services of Distance Education at the University of Education, Winneba, *Research in Humanities and Social Sciences*, 6(10), 168 – 173.
- Abbam, A.,** Say, J. and Casarmer, E. (2015). An analysis of choice of commercial banks among University students in Ghana. *International Journal of Economics, Commerce and Management*, 3(2), 1 – 14.
- Abbam, A.,** Dadson, I., and Say, J. (2015). An empirical analysis of customer choice of banks in Ghana. *European Journal of Business and Management*, 7(12), 49 – 55.

CONFERENCES ATTENDED

As a Presenter

March, 2024

(26th – 27th) Presented a paper on The Effect of Digital Technology on Educational Inequality at the 7th Biennial Social Science Conference on the theme “**Bringing the Gown to Town: Governance, Society and Post Pandemic Adjustment**”, organized by Faculty of Social Science Education, University of Education, Winneba.

March, 2018

(14th – 15th) Presented a paper on Household Characteristics and Contextual Factors Associated with Paying for Education in Ghana: A Multilevel Analysis at 5th Social Science Conference on the theme “*Education and National Development: Government, Universities, and Industry*”, organized by Faculty of Social Science Education, University of Education, Winneba.

March, 2016

(15th – 16th) Presented a paper on Religion – Corruption Nexus in Ghana-A Micro Level Evidence at 4th Social Science Conference on the theme “*Developing Society Through Human Security and Social Justice*”, organized by Faculty of Social Science Education, University of Education, Winneba.

As a Participant

March, 2014

(12th – 14th) Participated in the 3rd Social Science Conference on the theme “*Bringing the Gown to Town: Academic Voices in a Global Village*” organized by Faculty of Social Science Education, University of Education, Winneba.

June, 2014

(6th – 7th) Participated in a Round Table Discussion on the theme “Africa’s Recent Enviably Economic Growth: Realities, Myths and Role of Effective Structures and Policies”. organized by University of Cape Coast, Strategic Hedge Capital, United Nations University and African Economic Research Consortium (AERC).

CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT

2016: IDeL course modules on Principles of Microeconomics and Principles of Macroeconomics (By Dr. Emmanuel Carsamer, Mr. Anthony Abbam, Dr. Anselm K. Abotsi, Dr. Theophilus E. Richardson and Mr. Joy Say)

2017: IDeL course modules on Elements of Microeconomics and Mathematics for Economists I (By Mr.

Anthony Abbam, Dr. Anselm K. Abotsi and Dr. Emmanuel Carsamer)

2018: IDEL course module on Economy of Ghana (By Dr. Emmanuel Carsamer Mr. Anthony Abbam and Dr. Anselm K. Abotsi)

MEMBERSHIP OF PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION

2013 – Date: Member, University Teachers Association of Ghana (UTAG)

INSTITUTIONAL SERVICE

Member of Housing Committee from 2010 to 2013 as FUSSAG Representative.

COMMUNITY SERVICE

2022 – Date: Ag. Head of Department, Department of Economics Education, U. E.W.

2020 – 2022: Departmental Internship Coordinator, Department of Economics Education, U. E.W.

28/05/18 – 04/06/18: Acting Head of Department, Department of Economics Education, U. E.W.

11/07/16 – 15/07/16: Acting Head of Department, Department of Economics Education, U. E.W.

07/08/15 – 19/08/15: Acting Head of Department, Department of Economics Education, U. E.W.

26/05/15 – 02/06/15: Acting Head of Department, Department of Economics Education, U. E.W.

2013 – 2020: Departmental Examinations Officer, Department of Economics Education, U. E.W.

2013 – Date: Academic Counsellor, Department of Economics Education, U.E.W.

SELECTED MPHIL THESES SUPERVISED (2022 – Date)

1. The Effect of Digital Technology on Educational Inequality. **By Nicholas Pergrino Palma**
2. Effects of Trade Regulations and Digital Technology on Service Trade in Sub-Saharan Africa. **By Eliza Esi Appiah Boateng**
3. Effects of Remittances and Democracy on Inequality in Sub-Saharan Africa. **By Benjamin Adusei Ansiah**

SELECTED MSc DISSERTATIONS SUPERVISED (2018 – Date)

1. Bank Capitalisation and Bank Lending in Ghana. Does corporate governance matter? **By Opoku Agyapong**
2. Effect of Exchange Rate Volatility on the Agriculture Sector of Ghana. **By Samuel Asare**
3. The effect of social capital on the health status and the subjective wellbeing of older people in Tamale municipal. **By Bertha Abako**

4. The Influence of Internet and Social Media Use on Academic Performance of University Students.
By Erica Obimpeh
5. The Effect of Social Capital on Health Status and Subjective Well-Being of Senior High School Students. **By Roger Acquah**

KNOWLEDGE IN STATISTICAL SOFTWARE

- ✓ SPSS
- ✓ STATA

KNOWLEDGE IN COMPUTING

- ✓ Ms Word
- ✓ Ms Excel
- ✓ Ms Power Point

INTERESTS

Reading, singing, playing and watching football.

REFEREES

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