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### ACADEMIC APPOINTEMTS

2021 – Current	Senior Lecturer, University of Education, Winneba
2014 - 2020	Lecturer, University of Education, Winneba
2012 – 2013	Lecturer 11, National Open University of Nigeria
2010 – 2013	Adjunt Lecturer, University of Lagos, Nigeria
2006 – 2010	Graduate Fellow, University of Lagos, Nigeria
2002 – 2004	Receptionist, Maxdon Computers, Port Harcourt, Nigeria

## **EDUCATION**

### **2015** PGDE

University of Education, Winneba, Ghana

Dissertation: A syntactic analysis of language of advertisement in selected Nigerina advertisement

## 2012 Ph.D. English

University of Lagos, Nigeria

Thesis: A lexico-syntatic analysis of errors in selected textbooks written by Nigerian authors

## **2005** M. A. English

University of Lagos, Nigeria

Dissertation: Exploring collocational usage in Nigerian English

# 1999 B. A. English/Literature

Abia State University Uturu, Nigeria

Project: Diction, imagery and symbolism in M. J. C. Echeruo's Mortality

#### RESEARCH INTERESTS

Discourse Analysis/Pragmatics, English as a Second Language (ESL), Grammar, Communication studies

# PUBLICATIONS Articles

- **2023 Israel, P. C.**, Adi, W. P; Anafo, C. & Atigdiroma, A. M. (2023). A Study of Modification in President Nana Akudo-Addo's 7th State of the Nation Address. *Veda's Jornal of English language and Literature*. https://doi.org/10.54513/JOELL.2023.1030
  - **Israel, P. C.** & Semordzi, E. G. K. (2023). An impersonal analysis of President Nana Akufo-Addo's 2016 victory speech. *Kaduna Journal of Postgraduate Research* Vol. 4 No1. http://journal.kasu.edu.ng/index.php/kjpr
  - **Israel, P. C.,** Naakpi, B. R., Yahaya, M. & Ibunan, R. (2023). A Lexico-pragmatic Analysis of the Ghanaian National Anthem. *Journal of Language and Linguistics*. Vol 8 No 1. www.jolledu.com.ng
  - **Israel, P. C.** & Dumfeh, H. A. (2023). Syntactic Choices in Selected Ghanaian Daily Newspaper Headlines. *Journal of Language and Linguistics*. Vol 8 No 1. www.jolledu.com.ng
  - **Israel, P. C.**, Boadu, N. & Johenson. R. (2023). Classroom Graffiti: Investigation Language and Cognition. *Veda's Journal of English Language and Literature*. <a href="https://doi.org/10.54513/JOELL.2023">https://doi.org/10.54513/JOELL.2023</a>
  - **Israel, P. C.**, Atigdiroma, M. A., Agyapong, I. D. & Anokye, E. F. (2023) Exploring communicative effectiveness in President Nana Addo Danquah Akufo-Addo's address on Ghanaian economy. *Open Access Library Journal*, 10: e9675. <a href="https://doi.org/10.4236/oalib.1109675">https://doi.org/10.4236/oalib.1109675</a>
  - **Israel, P. C.,** Dumfeh, H. A., Amakyewa, J. O. & Bekoe, E. (2023). A semiotico-pragmatic analysis of President Nana Addo Danquah Akufo-Adoo's Address on Ghanaian economy. *Advances in Social Sciences Research Journal* Vol. 10, No. 1: DOI:10.14738/assrj.101.13752.
  - **Israel, P. C.**, Baba, M., Abusah, E. & Ayine, D. N. (2023). Discursive functions of monosyllabic responses in online friendly conversations. *Kampala International University Journal of Humanities* ISSN: 2415-0843; 7(4): 127–135
- Asiamah, F. & Israel, P. C. (2022). Exploring cohesive devices in religious discourse. Kampala International University Journal of Humanities ISSN: 2415-0843; 7(3): 75-84

- **Israel, P. C.** (2022). Sentential styles in students' writing. Kampala International University Journal of Humanities ISSN: *2415-0843*; 7(2): 181–188
- Boateng, O. D. & **Israel, P. C.** (2022). A critical discourse analysis of the language on the homepage of selected universities in Ghana. *International Journal of Arts, Languages, Linguistics and Literary Studies*, 11(3). <a href="http://jolls.com.ng/v2/index.php/jolls/article/view/63">http://jolls.com.ng/v2/index.php/jolls/article/view/63</a>
- **Israel, P. C.** (2022). Communicative competence in discourse: A universal pragmatic analysis of President Nana Akufo-Addo's Update No 26: Measures taken to combat spread of coronavirus. *International Journal of Literature, Language and Linguistics* 5(1), 69-85. DOI: 10.52589/IJLLL-GID94V3K.
- **2021** Kantorgorje, C. K., **Israel, P. C.,** & Mwinwelle, P. (2021). Epistemic modality in selected presidential inaugurals in Ghana. *Open Journal of Social Sciences*, 9, 154-168. https://doi.org/10.4236/jss.2021.96013.
  - **Israel, P. C.** & Echendu, N. F. (2021). A survey of "new Englishes" in African literature: A revisit of Achebe's *Things Fall Apart. International Journal of Literature, Language and Linguistics*, Volume 4, Issue 1, 2021 (pp. 21-28).
  - **Israel, P. C.** and Afunanaya, P. N. (2021). An analysis of sentence structures in Mariama Ba's So Long a Letter: A stylistic approach. *International Journal of Literature, Language and Linguistics*, Volume 4,Issue 1,2021(pp. 1-20).
- **2020** Ugoala, B. and **Israel, P. C.** (2020). Practs in first official speeches of Presidents Muhammadu Buhari and Nana Akufo-Addo on coronavirus pandemic. *Open journal of modern linguistics*, **10**, 740-764. doi: 10.4236/ojml.2020.106045.
  - **Israel, P. C.** (2020). Exploring grammatical errors in teaching materials. *Open journal of modern linguistics*, **10**, 620-633. doi: 10.4236/ojml.2020.105038.
- **2019 Israel, P. C.** (2019). Collocational challenges of undergraduate learners of English as a second language at the University of Education, Winneba: *Journal of Language and Linguistics*. No. 6. July, 2019.
- **2018** Awukuvi, E. M. & **Israel, P. C.** (2018). An onomastic study of selected churches in Ghana. *Journal of Language and Linguistics*. No. 4. November, 2018.
  - **Israel, P. C**. (2018). Mechanical skills in writing. Communication and Language Skills, Iyabode Omolara Akewo Dainal (Ed) Cambridge, Scholars Publishing
  - **Israel, P. C.** (2018). A stylistic analysis of Edgar Allen Poe's The Bells. *Journal of languages, Linguistics and Literary Studies (JOLLS)*, Vol 6. September, 2018.

- **Israel, P. C.** & Botchwey, E. (2017). Language and politics: A study of presidential speeches of selected Ghanaian leaders. *WORD Journal of the International Linguistic Association* Vol. 63, Number 1. Routledge, Taylor & Francis Group.
- **Israel, P. C.** & Nutakor, A. E. (2016). Language, social media and students' academic writing. Samuel O. Aje, Gbenga Solomon Ibileye, Upah Nahum Butari, Onah El-kanemi Patrick & Oreoluwa Abraham Solomon (eds.) *Linguistics, Language and Literature a Festschrift for Taiwo Olufunto Gani-Ikilama*; Department of English and Literary Studies, Ahmadu Bello University, Zaria.
  - **Israel, P. C.** & Echendu, F. N. (2016). Lexico-grammatical errors and their implications in the language of selected senior secondary school students in Abia State, Nigeria. Olatunde, A. Upah, N. B. Onah, P. Oreoluwa, A (eds.) *Linguistics, Language and Literature a Festschrift for Gbenga Solomon Ibileye*; Kaduna State, Nigeria; Izymac Fontz.
- **2015 Israel, P. C.** (2015). Lexico-grammatical deviance and deviations in the language of senior secondary two students in Abia State, Nigeria. *The Social Educator* Vol. 4 Issue 3, Department of Social Studies Education, University of Education, Winneba.
- **Israel, P. C.** (2014). Imagery appeal in Nigerian poetry: a study of M.J.C. Echeruo's mortality. *The Social Educator* Vol. 4 Issue 2, Department of Social Studies Education, University of Education, Winneba
  - **Israel, P.** C. (2014). Linking literature, language and English in Nigeria: a survey of M. J. C. Echeruo's Mortality. *International Journal of Educational Research and Development*: Vol. 3, Institute of Educational Development and Extension, University of Education, Winneba.
- **Israel, P. C**. (2012). A lexico-syntactic analysis of errors in selected textbooks written by Nigerian authors: an unpublished Ph.D thesis, University of Lagos.
- **Israel**, **P. C**. (2005). *Exploring collocations in Nigerian English*: An unpublished masters dissertation, University of Lagos.

#### **Books**

- **Israel, P. C.,** Afful, P. K. & Ghampson, E. (2021). Modern English structure and usage IV. Winneba: CDe-L, University of Education, Winneba
- Okoh, H., **Israel, P. C.** & Opoku, K. (2019). *Stylistics for 4yr Bachelor of English language Education*. Winneba: IDEL, University of Education, Winneba

- **2018 Israel, P. C.** & Okoh, H. (2018). *Advanced composition for Bachelor of Arts (English) Language*). Winneba: IDEL, University of Education, Winneba
- **2017 Israel, P. C.** & Adjei, A. A. (2017). *Extensive reading*. Winneba: IDEL, University of Education, Winneba
- **2013 Israel, P. C.** (2013). *Basic tools in English grammar and usage*: Lagos, Nigeria; Prince of Peace Publications.

#### INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES/WORKSHOPS

- 33rd West African Linguistic Congress (WALC) and 29th Congress of the International Federation for Modern Languages and Literatures (FILM), 23 26 October, 2023: University of Ghana, Legon. *Deixis in Most Rev. Dr. P. K. Boafo's Address on the 50<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the Methodist Church Ghana*.
  - Erasmus+ sponsored International Staff Training Week/Workshop of the Language Centre of Europa-Universität Flensburg, Germany 2023. May 14 20 2023.
- 2022 AfPCon2022: The 2nd African Pragmatics Conference: Nairobi, Kenya, February 2-4, 2022: Communicative Competence in Discourse: A Pragmatic Analysis of President Nana Akufo-Addo's Update No 26: Measurers Taken to Combat Spread of Coronavirus
- **2021** 4<sup>th</sup> School of Languages Conference (SOLCON IV) 3 -5 November, 2021, University of Ghana, Legon: *Sentential Styles in Students' Writing*.
- **2020** International E-Conference on Covid-19 Global Impacts: 20 21 July, 2020.
- 2019 35<sup>th</sup> Annual National Conference of English Scholars' Association of Nigeria, at National Open University of Nigeria, Abuja, September 16 19, 2019: *Using Reader Response among Tertiary Students in Two ESL Countries*
- 2018 11th Linguistics Association of Ghana (LAG), University of Ghana, Legon. 30 July, 2018
  - Conference of the Linguistic Association of Nigeria (CLAN), Lokoja 2018: *Onomastic Peculiarities of Selected Charismatic Churches in Ghana* Nov 2 6 2018
  - $11^{th}$  Linguistic Association of Ghana Conference, Accra 30 July  $2^{nd}$  August, 2018
- 8<sup>th</sup> Linguistic Association of Ghana Conference, KNUST 2015: Exploring Collaocational Usage and Selectional Restriction Rules in Nigerian English July 27 -29, 2015
   1<sup>st</sup> International Conference on Language, Literature & Communication, South Campus, UEW 3 5 February, 2015

2014 International Conference on Emerging Trends for Sustainable Development and Human Capacity Building in the Third World Nations (ICETSDHCB 2014) held at J.H.K Nketia Conference Hall, The Institute of African Studies, University of Ghana, 28 – 31 May, 2014: Effects of Goal-Setting Skills and Peer-Modelling on Human Capacity Development: A Study of SS11 Students in Enugu State, Nigeria

#### UNIVERSITY CONFERENCES/WORKSHOPS

2023 One-day Workshop on *Expectations of Exanimation Officers and Graduate Coordinators* organised by Division of Human Resource in collaboration with the Division of Academic Affairs at North Assembly Hall, UEW, 6 December, 2023

Grant-Sourcing Workshop and Proposal Writing for Faculty of Foreign Languages Education by Directorate of Research, Innovation and Development (DRID) UEW, 9 October, 2023

One-day Faculty Workshop for Academic and Administrative Staff of the Faculty of Foreign Languages Education (FFLE) Students Centre, UEW, 16 August, 2023

2022 One-day Workshop on *Digital Humanities: Emerging Trends in Research* for Academic Staff of the Faculty of Foreign Languages Education (FFLE) Students Centre, UEW, 16 September, 2022

One-day Workshop on *Effective Supervision: The Role of the Supervisor* for Academic Staff of the Faculty of Foreign Languages Education (FFLE) Central Campus, UEW, 15 July, 2022

One-day Mentorship Workshop for Academic and Administrative Staff of the Faculty of Foreign Languages Education (FFLE) Central Campus, UEW, 11 March, 2022

Student Internship Programme (SIP) Supervision Training Workshop for Lecturers Embarking on Internship Supervision – 2022 Academic Year Organised by ITECPD, at Gloriaka Hotel, Winneba, 17 January, 2022

- 2020 One-day Workshop and Socialisation Programme for Staff of the Faculty of Foreign Languages Education and Communication (FFLEC) on Faculty Professional Development: Emerging Trends in Pedagogy and Research: Central Campus, UEW, 17 December, 2020
- **2018** "Accustic Analysis of Speech Sounds of Ghanaian Languages Using Praat" College of Languages Education, Ajumako, 26 28 February, 2018
- **2016** "Use of OSIS: Organized by Management Information System Office", UEW, March, 2016

2015 "Improving the Quality of Teaching and Learning Through the Use of Educational Technology": Organized under the Educational Technology Initiative, UEW, March 11 – 17, 2015

Improving the Quality of Teaching and Learning Through the Use of Educational Technology: Organized under the University of Education, Winneba, Ghana (UEW's) Educational Technology Initiative, March 11 – 17, 2015

### TEACHING EXPERIENCE

## 2014 - Current Department of English Education, University of Education, Winneba

# Courses Taught

ENG112 Introduction to English Language Studies

ENG121 Modern English Structure and Usag

ENG 124 The Use of English

**ENG233 Advanced Composition** 

ENG241 Varieties of English

ENG353 Linguistic Application in English

EDP361 On-campus Teaching Practice

**ENG362 Stylistics** 

ENG503 Studies in Writing and Research

**ENG528 Stylistics** 

ENG 541 Advanced Studies in English Pronunciation

ENP711: Theories of Grammar

ENP719: Business English

**ENP722 English Stylistics** 

ENP923 English for Specific Purpose

# 2012 – 2013 Department of English, National Open University of Nigeria

## Courses Taught

ENG121 Structure of Modern English 1

ENG122 Structure of Modern English 11

ENG151 Introduction to English as a Second Language

ENG201 Analysis of English Sentence Structure

ENG221 Introduction to Syntactic Models

ENG222 Advanced English Syntax

ENG226 English Morphology

ENG251 Language and Society

**ENG311 Research Methods** 

**ENG316** Communication for Business

ENG321 Contemporary English Usage

ENG401 Modern English Grammar and Usage

## 2006 – 210 Department of English, University of Lagos, Nigeria

# Course Taught

ENG101 Use of English

#### STUDENT SUPERVISION

### Ph.D.

**Mr Hamidu Alhassan:** Collocation in Long Essays by Ghanaian Students: A Corpus Study of Selected Colleges of education in Ashanti Region, Ghana (**On-going**)

#### **M.PHIL**

**Emmanuel Gordon Kofie Semordzi:** An Analysis of Small-talks in Business Letters: Language, Form Massage

**Helena Asantewaa Dumfeh:** A Graphostylistic Analysis of Musariri's *Only Once Are You Immaculate* 

**Juliana Apeletey:** A Multimodal Analysis of "About Us" Section of Webpages of Selected Banks and Insurance Companies in Ghana

**Beatrice Obeng:** Codeswitching in Formal Discussions on Social Media: A Discourse Analysis of Selected Teachers Association

**Mr Frank Asiamah:** Cohesion in Spoken Discourse – A Study of Selected Church Sermons

**Mr Oliver Dankwa Boateng:** Representation of Universities in Ghana: A Critical Discourse Analysis of the Language of Websites of Universities in Ghana

**Mr Cletus Komudayiri Kantorgorje:** An Epistemic Modality Analysis of Selected Inaugurals of Ghana Presidents in the Fourth Republic

**Mr Enoch Mensah Awukuvi:** Onomastic Peculiarities of Selected Christian Congregational Place Names in Ghana

**Mr Hamidu Alhassan:** A Corpus-based Analysis of Verb-Noun Collocations in Newspaper Editorials in Ghana

Mercy Naa Oyoo Quartey: Silent Spokes Person: Linguistic Landscape in Four Hospitals in Accra Metropolis

**Mr John Adokpo:** An Analysis of Register and Lexical Cohesion in Selected Political Manifesto in Ghana

**Mr Philip Boateng Ansah:** A morphological and Semantic Analysis of Selected Towns/Villages Names in Kwahu, Eastern Region, Ghana

**Mr Emmanuel Kwesi Asiedu:** Language, Power and Ideology: A Critical Discourse Analysis of Selected Christian Sermons

**Mr Philip Boateng Ansah:** A Morpho-Semantic Analysis of Towns/Villages Names in Kwahu, Eastern Region, Ghana

**Ms. Afi Enyo Nutakor:** The Effects of Social Media on Students' Academic Writing: A Study of Selected SHS Three Students in Agona-West Municipality, Central Region, Ghana

**Mr Emmanuel Botchwey:** A Speech Act Analysis of Selected Presidential Inaugural Addresses in the 4<sup>th</sup> Republic of Ghana

### M.A.

**Nonu Joyce:** Investigating the Vocabulary Acquisition Skills and Their Effects on Academic Writing of SHS1 Students of Ashiaman Senior High School in the Greater Accra Region

**Rexford Dwemoh Botchwey:** The Teaching of Oral English in Senior High school: A Case of Ajumako Senior High school, Ajumako

**Ms Victoria Opoku-Gyamfi:** An Analysis of Subject-Verb Agreement Errors in the Narrative Essays of Second Year Students of Ghana Senior High School, Koforidua

Ms Martha Comoe Blay: An Analysis of Primary Auxiliary Verbs Errors in the Language of Konongo Odumase Senior High School Students in Ashanti Region, Ghana

**Ms Margaret Mavis Egyir-Hagan:** The Use of Tenses: A Study of Second and Third Language Students of English at the Ghana Institute of Languages

**Mr Anthony Amponsah Akyireh:** A Syntactic Error Analysis of 2016 General Election of the New Patriotic Party in Ghana

**Ms Mawuena Akakpo:** The Effects of Social Media on English Proficiency: A Study of Selected Senior High Schools in Kpando Municipality, Ghana

**Ernest Nyarkoh:** A Study of Tense Errors in the Essays of Form Two Students of Fettehman Senior High School in Gomoa East District, Central Region, Ghana

**Mr Stephen Prince Tandoh:** An Analysis of English Language as a Medium of Instruction for the Lower Primary Pupils in Ghana

Mr Ricky Jonathan Kwesi Addor: An Analysis of the Language Used in Summarization by Senior High Students in Ghana: A Study of Prestea Senior High Technical School

**Mr Enoch Mensah Awukuvi:** Onomastic Peculiarities of Selected Charismatic Churches in Ghana

**Ms Ivy Ama Wilson:** The Use of Politeness Strategies: A Study of Political Debates on Radio and Television

Ms Beauty Enyonam Atsu: Exploring Summary Writing Skills of Senior High School Two of Students of Evangelical Presbyterian Senior High School, Hohoe, Volta Region, Ghana

**Ms Comfort T. Azasu:** An Analysis of Concord Errors among SDA Senior High School Students of Bekwai Municipality in Ashanti Region, Ghana

**Ms Gifty Osei-Bonsu:** A Study of Paragraphing in Selected Compositions of SHS 1 Students of Kumasi Girls' Senior High School, Ashanti Region, Ghana

**Ms Belna Patience Nana-Akwaah:** Concord Relations in English: A Study of Language of SHS Two Students of Bishop Herman College in Kpando Municipality, Volta Region Ghana

### SELECTED UNDERGRADUATE

**Charles S. Ntadi:** An Analysis of reading Problems among Form 1 Arts 1B Students in Saboba E. P. SHS, Saboba District of Northern Region, Ghana

**Dorothy Asnah:** Using Dramatization to Spank the Interest of Poetry among Students: A Case of Form 2 General Arts Students of Ahantaman Girls' SHS, Sekondi, Western Region, Ghana

**Alembilla A. A.Danladi:** Using the Process Writing Approach to Help Students Improve their Writing Skills: A Case of Form 2 Home Economics B Students of Bowku SHTS

**Jacqueline Nti:** Strategies to Improve Summary Writing Skills of Form2 General Arts 2 Students of Potsin TI Ahmadiyya SHS, Central Region, Ghana

**Ms. Concilia Ogechukwu Onye:** Punctuation Errors in Letter Writing of Secondary School Students: A Study of Selected SS2 and SS3 Students in Iju Grammar School, Lagos

## EXAMINED M.PHIL, M.ED AND POSTGRDUATE DEPLOMA THESIS

**Marvelous Lamptey-Tetteh:** The Use of Pidgin English among Students of Technical Vocational Institutes: The Case of Four Institutes

**Evans Attah:** Assessment of Teaching Strategies in Reading Comprehanson in a Technical Institute in Ghana (UCC)

**Robert Atsu Okor:** A Rhetorical Analysis of Mock Examination Essays in Three Disciplines – The Case of Ve Senior High School Students

Edward Baidoo: Pitch and Intonation of Ghanaian English Advertisement: A Study of Radio Adverting Discourse

**George Ametefe:** The Use of Cohesive Devices: A Study of English Compositions of Adonten Senior High School Students' Essays

**Hayford Lem:** The Impact of Extensive Reading on the Performance of SHS Students in Sagnarigu Municipality

**Beatrice Ankomaa:** Style in the Ghanaian Print Media: A Study of the Editorials of the Daily Graphic

**Emmanuel Ntiamoah Tuffour:** Code-mixing among Twi and English Speakers in Akumadan at Offinso North Dristrict of Ashanti Region of Ghana: A Case Study of Two Churches (**M.ED**)

**Asante Eunice:** The Role of the Supernatural in African Literature: A Study of Kwakuvi Azasu's *The Stool* and Amma Darko's *Faceless* (M.ED)

**Grace Achiaa Enning:** Misspellings on Posters and Their Effects on the Vocabulary Development of Students: The Case Study of Kumasi Anglican SHS2 Students (**M.ED**)

**Kumi Yaw Yeboah:** Investigating the Use of Code-switching in Informal Conversations among Teachers and Students: The Case of Assin State Collegein the Assin North District in the Central Region (**M.ED**)

**Elizabeth Ofori-Ampofoa:** The Use of Mechanical Techniques to Assist SHS One Students at Pentecost and Ghana Senior High schools to Overcome Poor Handwriting (**PGDE**)

**Kwabena Fofie Nimoh:** The Impact of Code-switiching in the English Language Classroom: A Case Study of Selected Senior High Schools in Techman Municipality (**PGDE**)

**Elikplim Ellen Atsakpo:** The Representation of the Child in Amma Darko's *Faceless* and Lawrence Darmani's *Grief Child* (**PGDE**)

**Pamela Aggrey-Fynn:** Using Phonics and Syllabic Methods to Improve Learners' Pronounciation Skills: A Case Study of Basic Six Pupils of Takoradi Presbyterian Primary School (**PGDE**)

**Fauzia Issah:** Factors Affecting the Attitudes of Students towards Learning the English Language in Senior High Schools: A Case Study of O'Reilly Senior High School in the Ledzokuku Municipality (**PGDE**)

**Augustine Kwabena Boateng:** Assessing the Attitudes of Parents towards the Teaching and Learning of French in Private Schools: A Case Study of the Tema Municipal, Ghana (**PGDE**)

**Antwi Fabio Isaac:** Challenges in Summary Writing among Second Year Students of Three-Town Senior High school (**PGDE**)

**Ali Saaka Sulley Koora:** Improving the Performance of Literature Students: The Case of Okajakrom Senior High Technical and Bueman Senior High Schools (**PGDE**)

**Afinana Kwame Obeng-Mensah:** Using Activity-based Method to Improve the Performance of Students in English Language: A Case Study of Basic 5 Students at Talented Royals International School (**PGDE**)

**Eric Annor Tetteh:** Challenges Confronting the Teaching and Learning of Literature in Ghanaian Pre-tertiary Schools (**PGDE**)

Elizabeth Tiakua Abbey: The effects of Social Media on Students' Writing (PGDE)

**Felix Chaku:** Factors Inhibiting the Speaking of English Language in Public Basic Schools: A Case Study of Apenteng Fosu M/A Junior High school (**PGDE**)

**Elias Afrim Kofi:** English Tense and Aspect Use – A Critical Analysis of Students' Writing in Ketu-South Municipality, Denu Volta region, Ghana (**PGDE**)

**Salomey Frimpong:** Students' Low Proficiency in Spoken English in Public Schools in Ghana: A Case Study of Pokuase Mayera Basic School (**PGDE**)

**Aaron Amoah Asare:** Investigating the Effect of Reading Habit on Students' Academic performance in Fafraha Community day Senior High School (**PGDE**)

**Irene Ofori:** Using the Writing Process Approach to Improve Mankessim D/A Basic Six Pupils' Composition Writing (**PGDE**)

## **EXAMINED M. A. DISSERTATIONS**

**Patience Mifetu:** An Error Analysis of news items Posted on Websites of Selected Radio Stations in Ghana

**Mariam Yakubu:** An Analysis of Concord Errors among S.H.S. Three (3) Students of Hwidiem Senior High School

**Innocentia Odoom-Poku:** Paragraphing in the Writings of Senior High School Students – A Study of Selected Writings of Tepa SHS Students

**Dorothy Pieterson:** An Analysis of Concord Errors among Methodist High School Students of Mfantsiman Municipality in the Central Region, Ghana

**Benjamin Fordjour Ankamah:** Assisting Students to Appreciate the Concept and Structure of the Noun Phrase: A Case Study in Berekum - Presec

**Emmanuela Akorfa Hamenoo:** Use of English Tense and Aspect and Its Effects on Students Writing Standard English: A Case Study and Analysis of Presbyterian Senior High School - Adeiso

**Patricia Mensah:** Students' Knowledge and Usage of Subordinate Clauses: A Case Study in Odorgonno Senior High School at the Ga Central Municipality

Carlos K. Ballans: Summary Writing Challenges: The Case of Students of Wa Senior High School

### JOURNAL REVIEWER

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### **Reviewed Articles**

- Problems of Translation in the English-Kiswahili Religious Translated Texts
- J. K. Rowling's Harry Potter Series as a Contemporary Fantasy Text
- Interactional Coherence in Twitter Messages on the Anglophone Crisis in Cameroon
- Reduplication in Urban Hijazi Arabic Dialect Spoken in the Western Region of Saudi Arabia
- Code-switching and Construction of Identity in *Where Are We Going, Dad? Season V* from the Socio- psycholinguistic Perspective
- Testing & the Impact of Item Analysis in Improving Students' Performance in End of Year – Final Exams
- Consonantalized Nasal and Lateral Vowel /ə/ Versus Nasal and Lateral Syllabic Consonants
- English for Science and Technology (EST): Learning and Teaching Strategies
- Towards a Multiple Language Shift in Cameroon
- A Linguo-Pragmatic Study of Kofi Awoonor's 'Songs of Sorrow'
- Chatting on-line: An assessment of bilingualism and the social contexts of language in Lebanon
- Nigerian English usage in literature: A sociolinguistic study of Wole Soyinka's *The beautification of area boy*
- A cognitive analysis of poems in A Dream of Red Mansions from the perspective of image schema

• Transition to Latin alphabet (20s of the twentieth century) modern reality is a result of historical events

### PROFESIONAL EXPERIENCE

**Consultant/Facilitator,** West African Institute for Financial and Economic Management (WAIFEM) 2010 - Current

Consultant/Facilitator, Lagos School of English and Mmathematics 2009 - Current

## UNIVERSITY ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

**2022 – Current Graduate Coordinator**, Department of English Education, University of Education, Winneba, August 22, 2022 – current

Faculty Peer-review Policy Committee – **Member** 

**Academic Counsellor** L100, Department of English Education, University of Education, Winneba, April 1, 2022 – 31 July, 2022

Departmental Creative Writing Committee charged with the task of getting detailed descriptions of courses to be run in the Creative Writing Programme – **Member** 

Departmental Accreditation Committee that restructured all the departmental programmes – B.A, M.A, M.Phil. and Ph.D., and introduced three tracts in the M.Phil. and PhD programmes (Language, Literature and Pedagogy) – **Member** 

- **2018 Current** Committee constituted at the instance of the Ag Vice-Chancellor for response programme for French speaking students from Mali in English, UEW, February, 2018 date, **Member**
- 2017 Current National, Regional and International Partnerships for Development Committee
   College of Languages Education, UEW, September, 2017 date, Member
- **2017 2018 Ag Head**, Department of English Education, University of Education, Winneba, August 1, 2017 September 30, 2018.

Academic Board, UEW, August 2017 – 2018, Member

Faculty Enrolment Drive Committee, UEW, October, 2017 – 2018, Member

**2016 – 2017 Graduate Programme Coordinator**, Department of English, University of Education, Winneba, August 1, 2016 – July 31, 2017

**Graduate Programme Coordinator**, Department of English, University of Education, Winneba, March 1, 2016 – July 31, 2016

- **2015 2016** Academic Counsellor MPhil 1 & 11, Department of English Education, University of Education, Winneba, August 1, 2015 July 31, 2016
- **2014 2015 Academic Counsellor** M. A. 1 & 11, Department of English Education, University of Education, Winneba, August 1, 2014 July 31, 2015
- **2013 2014 Examination Officer, English Unit**, National Open University of Nigeria 2013 2014

Examination Committee of the School of Arts and Social Sciences, National Open University of Nigeria, 2013 to 2014 – **Member** 

Committee for the Preparation of Detailed Programme Proposal (DPP) for Nigerian Languages in National Open University of Nigeria in 2013 – **Member** 

I prepared the Igbo Detailed Programme Proposal (DPP) in National Open University of Nigeria in 2013

### PUBLIC SERVICES/COMMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

2023 I was the Chief Judge at the Department of Special Education students' Beauty Pageant titled *Miss SESA 2023* held at North Assembly Hall on 18 August, 2023

A guest speaker on the topic: *Hone Your English Language Skills* to students of the Department of English as part of the activities for their "Homecoming Week" celebration on 11 August, 2023

I chaired the Department of English Education students' Beauty Pageant titled *Face of ASSENS: Beauty with Brains and Attitude – Pride Redefined* on 28 July, 2023

A guest speaker at Radio Windy Bay 98.3FM on the programme *The Literary Hour Show* on the topic: *Ghanaian English: The Way Froward* -24 July 2023

**Executive Cabinet Member** of the Palace of Eze Ndi Igbo (Nigeria) Central Region, Ghana, conferred with the Chieftaincy title: **Nmuta Bu Ihe** by HRH Eze Dr. Igwe Kinsley Chinedu JP; Obi Oganihu Central Region, Ghana, 7 May, 2023

A guest speaker on the topic: *How to Manage Stress and Depression* to students of the Department of English on the "Akwaaba" ceremony to welcome fresh students of the Department on 3 February, 2023

Member of the Coordinators, School of Graduate Studies Programme in the Organisation of Inter-University Conference for Doctoral Studies, titled *Promoting Staff Development* 

through Collaborative Research and Quality Teaching in Education held at UEW: 17 – 19 January 2023

2022 Member of the Circuit Choirs Council of Patrons: Association of Methodist Church Choirs, Ghana (GHAMECC), Winneba Diocese, Winneba Circuit Choir – 4 December, 2022 till date

One-day workshop for GRASAG, UEW chapter on *Effective Business Writing Skills in Digital Industries* at North Assembly Hall, UEW on 22 September, 2022

A guest speaker at Radio Windy Bay 98.3FM on the programme *The Literary Hour Show* on the topic: The Curriculum Vitae – 15 September 2022

A guest speaker at Radio Windy Bay 98.3FM on the programme *The Literary Hour Show* on the topic: The Cover Letter and Its Components – 25 August 2022

Association of Students of English Writers, Drama and Debaters Club (ASSENS WDDC) UEW, 24 April, 2022 to date – **Patron** 

I participated as a judge in a debate organised by the Association of Students of English (ASSENS) and Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Sports Students Association (HPERSSA) UEW to mark their Fresher's Akwaaba Programme on 21, March 2022

**2019** The 1<sup>st</sup> Winneba Boys' and Girls' Brigades, Ebenezer Methodist Cathedral, Winneba, Ghana from 6 January, 2019 to date – **Patron** 

I participated as a judge for Miss UEW Beauty Pageant in April 2019.

I participated as a judge for Face of South Beauty Pageant, South Campus, University of Education, Winneba, April 2019.

**2018** I participated as a judge for Miss UEW Beauty Pageant in April 2018.

I participated as a judge for Face of South Beauty Pageant, South Campus, University of Education, Winneba, April 2018.

Under my headship/supervision, a one-day in-house training for teachers of English Language of Assin Nsuta Senior High School and Adankwaman Senior High School at Assin Nsuta Senior High School premises, Central Region, Ghana on effective ways of teaching English Language/Literature on 5 April, 2018.

Under my headship/supervision, a one-day in-house training for teachers of English Language of Assin Nsuta Senior High School and Adankwaman Senior High School at Assin Nsuta Senior High School premises, Central Region, Ghana on effective ways of teaching English Language/Literature on 20 March, 2018.

Under my headship/supervision, a two-day in-house training for the teachers of English Language at Senya Senior High School, Senya Breku, Central Region, Ghana on effective ways of teaching English Language/Literature, 5&6 February, 2018

- 2016 2131 Club, UEW Chapter: A social organization for students/members to network for moral, mental and charitable improvement for mutual helpfulness and rational recreation: From 5 February, 2016 to date **Patron**
- **2016 2021 Vice-Chairman** of the P.T.A, Uncle Rich Preparatory/Junior High School, Winneba, Ghana, from June, 2015 December, 2021
- 2010 2013 General/Financial Secretary of Erastus Akingbola Postgraduate Hall, University of Lagos (a PG hall designated for doctorate students) from 2010/2011 to 2012/2013 sessions
- 2006 2010 Public Relations Officer of Erastus Akingbola Postgraduate Hall, University of Lagos (a PG hall designated for doctorate students) from 2006/2007 to 2009/2010 sessions
- **1997 1999 Health Editor** of *Campuswatch Press Club* (Independent Press Organisation) Abia State University, Uturu from 1997/1998 to 1998/1999 sessions

#### PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

International Society for Development and Sustainability (ISDS)

Pragmatics Association of Nigeria (PrAN)

The African Pragmatics Association

Linguistic Association of Nigeria (LAN)

Linguistic Association of Ghana (LAG)

International Reading Association (IRA)

Reading Association of Nigeria (RAN)

### REFERENCES

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