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ACADEMIC QUALIFICATION

2013-2017 Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) in Political Science (Thesis: Public Financial Management)
University of Ghana, Legon

1998 – 2001: Master of Philosophy (MPhil) in Political Science: University of Ghana, Legon

1993 – 1997: BA (HONS) Political Science: University of Ghana, Legon

1990 – 1992: ‘A’ Levels (4) Subjects: Presbyterian Boys Secondary School.

PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATION

2020 Post Graduate Diploma in Teaching and Learning in Higher Education: University of Education, Winneba (UEW)

2018 Post Chartered Diploma in Public Financial Management: Institute of Chartered Accountants, Ghana (ICAG)

2005-2007 Master of Business Administration Heriot-Watt University-Scotland

2002-2004 Diploma in Management Accounting (CIMA) Financial Training Company, London

RANK AND WORK EXPERIENCE

December 2024- Present: Associate Professor, University of Education, Winneba (UEW)

- Vice-Dean: Student Affairs
- Supervision of PhD Thesis

May 2020- November 2024: Senior Lecturer- University of Education, Winneba (UEW)

- Head, Department of Political Science
- Teaching Undergraduate and Postgraduate Courses in Public Financial Management, Public Personnel Management, Politics and Development, Politics in Ghana, Industrial Relations, Public Sector Budgeting and Comparative Politics
- Faculty Research Coordinator, Faculty of Social Science Education

- Graduate Coordinator, Department of Political Science Education
- Academic Counsellor, Level 200
- Supervision of MPhil Dissertations

June 2010 –December 2019: Lecturer - University of Professional Studies, Accra (UPSA)

- Lecturer in Principles of Accounting, Public Sector Accounting, Public Administration, Accountant in Business, Governance, Risk and Ethics (ACCA)
- Consultancy and Training Services on Public Financial Management Systems to various Stakeholders Centre for Public Accountability (CPA)
- Researcher and Lead Supervisor for over 100 students' Thesis and Dissertations

November 2017-December 2019: Lecturer (P/T) Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology (KNUST)

- MPA, Public Administration: Graduate School
- MPA, Public Policy Analysis: Graduate School
- MPA, Human Right Issues: Graduate School

October 2009- May 2010 Lecturer – Entrepreneurship Training Institute (ETI)

- Lecturer in Research Methods, Strategic Entrepreneurship and Marketing
- Supervision of undergraduate and postgraduate project work/dissertation
- Offering academic counselling to students
- Member of Academic Programmes Development Committee
- Engagement in community activities that enhances social responsibilities

February 2004- November 2007 Researcher (P/T) – University of Essex, Colchester UK

- Design of questionnaires
- Review of primary data
- Drafting of final reports

January 2002 – January 2004 Accounts Assistant (P/T) GP Management Services, London.

- Preparation of monthly management accounts, meeting deadlines consistently
- Processing of monthly salaries and balance sheet reconciliation for fifty employees
- Reconciliation of cash book and bank statements

October 1998 – January 2001 Teaching/Research Assistant University of Ghana, Legon.

- Teaching Assistant in Political Science in the areas of Research Methods, Public Administration, and Comparative Politics
- Organization of tutorials and counseling materials for students

September 1997 – September 1998: Administrative Officer (All Africa Students Union, State House, Ghana)

- Responsible for the preparation of the organization's budget
- Responsible for Organizing Exchange Programmes for over thirty African Universities

September 1992–September 1993: Teaching (Adukrom Methodist Junior High School)

- Social Science and English teacher, preparing forty (40) final year students for Senior Secondary School Exams.

CONSULTANCY AND RESEARCH PROJECTS

Centre for Public Finance and Governance (CPFG), January 2019-Date, Director.

- Consultant on Public Financial Management related issues for the ICGFM
- Research in Public Finance
- Advisory and technical assistance on PFM issues
- Executive training of Public Officials on PFM related issues

Centre for Public Accountability (CPA), UPSA, 2015-2019

- Consultancy and Training Services on Public Financial Management Systems to various Stakeholders

The Institute of Economic Affairs (IEA) Oct, 2014- July, 2015: (PhD Research)

- Research and data collection on Petroleum Transparency and Accountability Index Report
- PhD research: Public Financial Accountability and Independent Oversight Institutions in Ghana (1993-2016).

Centre for Democracy and Development (CDD), 1998-1999

- World Bank Projects on Poverty Alleviation and Corruption in Ghana
- Research assistant / interviewer

University of Ghana, Political Science Department, Legon 1999-2000

- Part of the team that surveyed and researched on Ghana's presidential and parliamentary elections for 2000

PUBLICATIONS

Book

Gabriel-Wettey, F & **Pimpong, S.** (2024) *Organisational Development and Contemporary Issues in Higher Education: Kumasi*, HASRAF Publishers.

Book Chapters

Pimpong, S & Agbavade, E. (2024) “The Audit Service as a Supreme Audit Institution in Ghana’s Fourth Republic: An Assessment” in Ayee, J.R (eds) *Public Sector Management and Economic Governance in Ghana*. London: Springer Nature- Palgrave Macmillan. Pp 153-168

Manteaw, S.O. & **Pimpong, S** (2024) “Constitutional Provisions and Development: Are Indigenous Institutions Relevant?” in Ayee, J.R (eds) *Political Institutions, Party Politics and Communication in Ghana*. London: Springer Nature- Palgrave Macmillan. Pp 21-39

Journal Articles

Akpeko, A, Tweneboah-Koduah, D & **Pimpong, S** (2025) The Motivation for Election Petitions in Ghana’s Electoral Politics, *African Journal of Public Administration and Environmental Studies*, Vol. 4, No. 1 Pp 271-288

Pimpong, S (2024) Trends in Political Communication on Air: Implications for Democratic Consolidation in Ghana. *Cogent Arts and Humanities*, Taylor & Francis, Volume 11 No. 1. <https://doi.org/10.1080/23311983.2024.2438505>

Pimpong, S (2024) Rent Tax Compliance in Ghana: A Case Study of the Tema Metropolitan Assembly. *Journal of Arts and Social Sciences* Vol. 21 No. 4 (9)

Pimpong, S & Mojom, S. (2024) Digital Transformation in Ghana’s Public Sector: An Indepth Analysis of E-Governance Strategies and Service Delivery in Contrasting Institutions *ADRRI Journal of Arts and Social Sciences* Vol. 21 No. 3 (9)

Pimpong, S & Mojom, S, (2024) Assessing the Determinants of Decision-Making in Public Sector Organisations: A Study of the Kumasi Metropolitan Assembly (KMA) *Irish Journal of Educational Practice* Vol. 7 No. 3

Pimpong, S. & Tei, F. (2023) Politicians’ Reactions to Election Results in Ghana’s Fourth Republic: A Model to Democratic Acquiescence? *African Journal of Social Sciences Education* Vol.2 No.2

Pimpong, S. & Tei, F. (2022) Fiscal responsibility legal framework: new paradigm for fiscal discipline during elections in Ghana? *International Journal of Political Science and Governance*

Pimpong, S. (2020) Addressing Challenges of Supreme Audit Institutions: The Case of the Office of the Auditor-General in Ghana *International Journal on Governmental Financial Management* Volume XX, No 1, 20-28

Pimpong, S. (2018) Public Accounts Committees: Do They Really Enhance Public Financial Accountability in Africa? *International Journal on Governmental Financial Management* Volume XVIII, No 2, 71-79

Pimpong, S. (2018) Public Financial Accountability and Independent Oversight Institutions in Ghana, 1993-2016; Published PhD Thesis, University of Ghana, Legon, April, 2018 ugspace.ug.edu.gh/handle/123456789/23337

Pimpong, S. (2017) Public Financial Accountability: The Case of the Financial Administration Courts in Ghana. *International Journal on Governmental Financial Management* Volume XVII, No. 2, 19-25

Amponsah, N., & **Pimpong, S.** (2016) The Case of an Entrenched Balanced Budget Constitutional Provision in Ghana: *International Journal on Governmental Financial Management* Volume XVI, No. 2, 34-39.

Tettey, I., & **Pimpong, S.** (2016) Examining Waste-to-Resources Potential from Municipal Solid Waste: Evidence from Pantang Dumpsite in Accra, Ghana. *International Journal of Economics, Commerce and Management* 4(12) 533-548.

Pimpong, S., & Laryea, H. (2016) Budgeting and its Impact on Financial Performance: The Case of Non-Bank Financial Institutions in Ghana: *International Journal of Academic Research and Reflection* 4 (4) 12-22.

Pimpong, S., & Bi, V.K (2016) Public-Private Partnership and Environmental Sanitation in Ghana: A Case Study of the Accra Metropolitan Assembly (AMA) and Zoomlion Company Ltd (ZL): *International Journal of Economics, Commerce and Management (IJECEM)* Vol. 4, (6) 776787

INTERNATIONAL AND NATIONAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS AND SEMINARS

Pimpong, S. (2025) Gender-Based Violence and Discrimination in the Context of Equality, Diversity and Inclusivity in Tertiary Institutions: A Case Study of the University of Education, Winneba. Paper presented at the 82nd Annual Midwest Political Science Association, Conference, Chicago, USA, April 3-6, 2025.

Pimpong, S. (2025) Unpacking the Concept of Inclusive Development in Ghana: A Critical Review of Governance and Multilateral Donor Support. Paper presented at the 82nd Annual Midwest Political Science Association, Conference, Chicago, USA, April 3-6, 2025.

Pimpong, S. (2024) The Impact of Mind Education Leadership on Organizational Culture and Employee Performance: Paper presented at the World University Leaders Forum, at Busan, South Korea, July 21-28, 2024.

Pimpong, S. (2020) Legal Aid Institutions and the Pursuit of Social Justice in Africa. Conference Paper Presented at the Access to Justice to End Violence Conference at Mumbai, India (Virtual) December 8-9, 2020.

Pimpong, S. (2019) The Youth and Politics under Ghana's Fourth Republic (2008-2018) Conference Paper Presented at the Global Young Political Scholars Forum, Shanghai, China, November 22-23, 2019

Pimpong, S. (2018) Fiscal Responsibility Laws, Experiences and Results: A Case Study of Ghana Conference Paper Presented at Miami, Florida, USA on the Theme, Creating a Citizen and Business Enabling Environment, May 13-18, 2018

Pimpong, S. (2016) Addressing Challenges of Supreme Audit Institutions: Case of the Office of the Auditor-General in Ensuring Accountability in Ghana. Paper presented at the International Monetary Fund (IMF) USA, Conference on "The Macroeconomic Benefits of Strong PFM Practices, December 5-7, 2016.

Pimpong, S. (2015) Public-Private Partnership as a tool for Increasing Environmental Sustainability. Paper presented at the Conference for Interdisciplinary Approaches to Politics (CIAP), University of Leeds, U.K. October, 16, 2015.

Pimpong, S. (2014) The Role of Government in Enhancing African Sustainable Development and Economic Growth" (www.culturaldiplomacy.org/participation-papers). Paper presented at the World Conference on Cultural Diplomacy, Berlin-Germany (Institute for Cultural Diplomacy) August 2014.

Pimpong, S. (1998) The Problems of Tertiary Education in Africa: Ghana as a case study. Seminar paper presented at the World Conference on Higher Education, Paris, France. October, 1998.

Pimpong, S. (1998) Poverty Eradication in Africa, the way Forward; Seminar Paper Presented at the World Youth Forum in Lisbon, Portugal, August 1998

Pimpong, S. & Manteaw, S.O. (2017) Talent is not Enough: Managing Intellectual Property in the Creative Industry; International Conference on Business Management and Entrepreneurial Development organized by University of Professional Studies, Accra. April 20-21, 2017,
Pimpong, S. (2015) Independent Oversight Institutions and Public Sector Accountability in Ghana, a paper presented at the fifth Departmental Research Seminar, Department of Accounting, Faculty of Accounting and Finance, University of Professional Studies, Accra on October 7, 2015

Pimpong, S. (2014) Public-Private Partnership as a tool in Enhancing Environmental Sustainability. 7th Annual Colloquium, Faculty of Social Science, University of Ghana, Legon. May 15-16, 2014.

Attendance

St Albans District Council Business Meeting, United Kingdom (UK), February 2025.

7th Biennial Faculty of Social Science Education Conference, University of Education, Winneba (UEW) 26-27 March 2024. Discussant

Seminar on Academic Publications. Publish or perish: The Relevance of Publications for Academia, held at the University of Education, Winneba, May 2023

6th Biennial Faculty of Social Science Conference: Bringing the Gown to Town: Reflections on Africa's Development in the face of Pandemics, UEW, July 2022.

Politics Amidst a Pandemic: Ghana's Responses to the Outbreak of Covid-19, Colloquium organised by the Department of Political Science Education, Winneba, January 28, 2021

Fourth Annual Toronto Political Behaviour Workshop, held at University of Toronto, Canada. November 11-12, 2016

International Symposium of University Professors, held at Sapienza University, Rome, Italy. September 7-11, 2016

Participation in High Level Dialogue on Ghana's Public Financial Management System organised by the University of Professional Studies and the Institute of Chartered Accountants, Ghana on 23rd June 2016 at Movenpick Hotel

Teaching and Learning in Higher Education Workshop, held at University of Professional Studies, Accra. August 11-14, 2015

PhD Workshop, Qualitative Methodology Course, held at University of Ghana Doctoral School, Legon. January 12-15, 2015

PhD Workshop, Quantitative Research Methods Course, held at University of Ghana Doctoral School, Legon. January 6-8, 2015

PhD Workshop, Managing the Doctoral Process, held at University of Ghana Doctoral School, Legon. January 21-23, 2014

ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE

2025 to date Vice-Dean, Student Affairs

2023- to 2025 Head of Department: Department of Political Science Education, UEW

2023- to date Assessor of Educational Programmes on behalf of the Ghana Tertiary Education Commission (GTEC)

2023- to date Assessor of Test Items on behalf of the National Teaching Council (NTC)

2023 -to date Curriculum Reviewer for National Council for Curriculum and Assessment (NaCCA)

2024-to date Reviewer, Science Publishing Group (SPG), USA

2024-to date Reviewer, Adonis & Abbey Publishers Ltd, U.K.

Board/Committee

2017 Sessional Chair at the 3rd International Conference on Business Management and Entrepreneurial Development (ICBMED),
20-21st April, 2016

2017-2020 Board of Director, The International Consortium on Governmental Financial Management, USA

INSTITUTIONS ATTENDED

University of Education, Winneba- 2020

University of Ghana, Legon-2013-2017

Institute of Chartered Accountants, Ghana 2017

Heriot-Watt University, Scotland 2005 - 2007

Financial Training Company, London - 2002 – 2004

University of Ghana, Legon - 1998 – 2001

University of Ghana, Legon - 1993- 1997

Presbyterian Boys' Secondary School - 1990 - 1992

St. John's Grammar Secondary School - 1984 – 1989

Achimota Primary School - 1978-1983

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