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## WORKING EXPERIENCE

### **Ministry Of Youth and Humanitarian Affairs, Edo State Government.**

Executive Assistant to the Honourable Commissioner; March, 2022 – Till Date

### **Nigerian Youth Parliament, National Assembly, Three Arm Zone, Garki, Abuja**

Minority Leader & Edo South Senatorial District Representative; May, 2019 – May, 2021

- Sponsor and drive youth policies that are adopted by the House of Representatives and Senate for example the “Not too Young to Run Bill” that was submitted by my administration to the floor of the House of Representatives and was adopted in 2019.
- Organize constituency programmes/projects.

### **Ministry of Youth and Special Duties, Edo State Government.**

Special Assistant on Youth Affairs; May, 2018 - May, 2019

- Engaged youth stakeholders at multiple levels and organised regular town hall meetings. Executed skill acquisition trainings and youth empowerment schemes.

### **KOKO NEWS Publications. University of Benin, Edo State, Nigeria.**

Founder / CEO May 2012 – March 2016

- Significantly enriched students with quality information essential to their social lives.
- Founded the publication with little capital and ran it while on campus until it could sustain itself and afford stipends for up to 5 (five) student volunteers.

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## SOCIAL EXPERIENCE

**SPEAKER: UN-Habitat 11<sup>th</sup> World Urban Forum (WUF11) ~ Katowice, Poland. 26<sup>th</sup> – 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2022.**

**SPEAKER: Africa-Asia Youth Forum ~ Addis Ababa, Ethiopia. 27<sup>th</sup> – 31<sup>st</sup> July, 2022.**

**NIGERIAN DELEGATE: UN-Habitat 10<sup>th</sup> World Urban Forum (WUF10) ~ Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates (UAE). 8<sup>th</sup> – 11<sup>th</sup> February, 2020. Paid a working visit to the Nigerian Ambassador to the UAE, H.E Amb. Mohammed Rimi and made a paper presentation**

**NIGERIAN DELEGATE: All African Student and Youth Summit ~ Rabat, Morocco. 20<sup>th</sup> – 23<sup>rd</sup> December, 2019.**

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## SKILLS

- Good computer skills (Proficiency in Microsoft Office package, Word, Excel and Power Point).
- Exceptional communication skills – oral, written and verbal.
- Good team player.
- Excellent in time management.
- Able to maintain strong human relationship.

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## **ACADEMIC BACKGROUND**

**UNIVERSITY OF BENIN**, B. Sc. Physiology

**UNIVERSITY OF BENIN**, M. Sc. (In view) Environment

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## **PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATIONS**

**General Outsourcing Skills Human Development** -Training Heights, Akwa Ibom, Nigeria.  
2021

**Effective Leadership and Good Governance** - Centre for Citizenship and Training, Lagos,  
Nigeria.  
2018

**Workshop on Sustainability in Business Governance and Education** - Plymouth Business  
School, University of Plymouth, London, UK.  
2022

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## **PERSONAL INTERESTS**

Meeting new people, problem solving, sharing ideas, learning and travelling.

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## **HONOURS AND AWARDS**

- **Letter of Commendation** - Federal University of Petroleum Resources Effurun, Delta State 2016
- **ZI Prize for Youth leadership** - Thinking Tom Initiative 2019
- **Valedictory Award** - Honourable Minister, Federal Ministry of Youth and Sport Development 2021
- **Edo State Ambassador for SDG 11** - Edo State Government 2021
- **Award of Recognition** - National Youth Council of Nigeria, Edo State Chapter 2022

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## **VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES**

### **African Union Ambassador Agenda 2063 Youth Envoy**

Program Coordinator on Youth Affairs: January, 2022 – Till date.

### **Western Iyamu Global Foundation (WIGF)**

Programme Manager: March 2018 – January, 2021. Managed volunteers and resources within project scope in ensuring project sustainability and promoting community engagements.

### **Federal Ministry of Health**

Independent Evaluator: 29th April – 9th May, 2019. Coverage Evaluation survey project on Neglected Tropical Diseases (NTDs).

**Volunteered for the Edo State COVID19 Awareness Campaign (2020)**

**Volunteered at the Clean up Benin by Edo youths (Nov 2020)**

**Volunteered at the Community Campaign for Cholera Outbreak (2016)**