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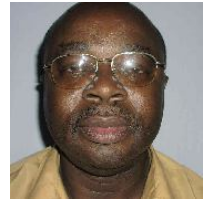
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Current Position:

Research Interest: Farmers Perception of Change Agents,
Victimology and Restitution,
Crime Modernization/Urbanization.



Detailed Resume

ACADEMIC DEGREES WITH DATE

- Ph.D., 1987
- M.A., 1983
- B.Sc., 1980

INSTITUTIONS ATTENDED WITH DATE

- University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa. USA. 1984 – 1987
- University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa. USA. 1980 – 1983
- University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa. USA. 1977 –1980

MEMBERSHIP OF PROFESSIONAL BODIES

- Member, Nigerian Sociological and Anthropology Association, 1989 to date
- Member, Nigerian Rural Sociological Association, 1989 to date:
- Member, Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development, USA.,
1983 - 1988
- Member, Correction Education Association, USA. 1978 - 1983

PRIZES, HONOURS, NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL RECOGNITION

- Nominated to 1988's "WHO IS WHO" in American education – November, 1987

COMMENDATIONS

- Letter of appreciation for service rendered during tenure as Acting Director, Centre, 2007
- Letter for Foundation Education, Bells University of Technology, Ota by the Management. 2007
- Letter of appreciation for service rendered during tenure as Chairman, Ceremonials Committee, Bells University of Technology, Ota. 2007
- Letter of appreciation for selfless service rendered during tenure as a member of the Security Committee. 2005
- Letter of appreciation for selfless service rendered during tenure as the Acting Head of the General Studies Department. 2005
- Letter of appreciation for selfless service rendered during tenure as the Warden, Kabir Umar Hostel. 2002
- Letter of appreciation for selfless service rendered during tenure as a member of the Student Industrial Work Experience Scheme. 2002

- Letter of appreciation for contributions toward the success of 3rd Annual Convention of UNAAB Alumni Association by the Alumni President. 2000
- Letter of appreciation for selfless service rendered during tenure as a member of the Student Industrial Work Experience Scheme. 1997
- Letter of appreciation for selfless service rendered during tenure as a member of the Security Committee. 1997

COURSES TAUGHT

Courses taught include: at UNAAB

- Introduction to Social Problems: GNS 103 - New
- Advanced Rural Sociology - Post Graduate Course: ARD 701
- Sociology of Development: GNS 103 - Old
- Introduction to Nigerian History and Social Structure: GNS 102 - Old
- Introduction to Rural Development: ARD 201
- Introduction to Family Relations: HSM 204
- Family Dynamics and Change: HSM 413
- Sociology of Development - PG Course: PCS 605
- Research Strategy and Methods –PG Course COM 701
- Sociology of Communication – PG Course COM 715

At Bells Univ. of Technology

- Culture and the People of Nigeria GES 103
- Culture and Civilization GES 102

STUDENT PROJECTS SUPERVISED/CO-SUPERVISED

A. POSTGRADUATE:

- Ojo, David A. Ph. D. Microbiology
- Isiaka, Babalola T. Ph. D. Agric. Extension/Communication
- Edegbai, Mary M. Sc. Home Science and Management
- “An Assessment of Video Tape Recording as an Instructional Media in Teaching Agricultural Science: A Case Study of Lagos State Secondary Schools”. M. Agricultural Communication by Isiaka, Babalola T.
- “Use of Beads and Sequins as Adornment on Traditional and Contemporary Yoruba Costumes: Case Study of Ondo State Indigenes”. M.Sc. Clothing and Textiles by Falana, Mary Y.
- “An Assessment of the Effects of the Civil War on Farming Activities in the Northern Province of Sierra Leone”. M. Agric. Agricultural Extension and Rural Development by Johnson, Jeremy

UNDERGRADUATE:

- “Influence of family Planning on Agricultural Productivity. A case Study of Abeokuta North Local government” by Alao, A. O.
- “Occupational Aspiration of students: A Case Study of the University of Agriculture, Abeokuta students’ Feelings towards a career choice in Agriculture” - by Ohaeri, Chase.

RESEARCH CONDUCTED

PUBLICATIONS**Dissertations**

- (1) M. A. Thesis: “The Social Control of Mental Illness in Nigeria.” University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa, USA. 1983.
- (2) Ph.D. Thesis: “Implementation of Citizenship Educational Goal In Secondary Schools in Ogun State, Nigeria.” University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa, USA. 1987.

BOOKS (under preparation)

- (1) Criminal Law in Action: The Nigerian Perspective.
- (2) Prevention of Crime: Advantages, Problems and Solutions

JOURNAL ARTICLES:

- (1) Shopeju, J. O. (1996): “Managing Ethnicism: The Role of Social Studies Education”. In The Bauchi Liberal Studies Series. 1(1):64-75.
- (2) Shopeju, J. O. (1998): “Examination Malpractice: A Review of Contributing Factors” South African Journal of Criminology. ACTA Criminologica. 11(1):76-84.
- (3) Shopeju, J. O. (1998) “The Victims of Crime: The Nigerian Perception of Restitution.” Crime and Justice International. 14(21) Article 76.

- (4) Shopeju, J. O. (1999) "Bridging the Gulf Between Social Studies and other Social Sciences." Lagos Notes and Records. Journal of the Humanities. University of Lagos. VIII: 149-159.
- (5) Alimi, M. M. and Shopeju, J. O. (1999): "A Thematic and functional analysis of Cartoons in the Print Media". Journal of Communication and Language Arts (JCLA). 1(1):20-31.
- (6) Shopeju, J. O. (2000) "Harmonizing Nigeria's Educational System: The Pathway to Preventing Social Problems". Bauchi Liberal Studies Series. 2:29-35.
- (7) Shopeju, J. O. (2000) "Prevention of Crime Through Social Reorganization". Journal of Health and Social Issues. University of Ado-Ekiti. 3(1): 51-58.
- (8) Mafiana, C. F. Momoh, S; Shopeju, J. O.; Dipeolu, A. O. and Amao, A. O. (2001) Structural Questionnaire as a tool for Rapid Diagnosis of Urinary Schistosomiasis; A Case Study of three Local Government Areas of Ogun state , Nigeria" ASSET. Series B. Volume 1(1):31-38.
- (9) Momoh, S.; Dipeolu, A. O.; Mafiana, C. F. and Shopeju, J. O. (2002) "Socio-Economic Perspectives of Schistosomiasis in Selected Academic Communities in Ogun State." ASSET Series B. 3:1.
- (10) Shopeju, J. O. (2002): "Attitudes Towards Crimes Against Women: Focus on Compensating the Victims of Rape and Sexual Harassment". The Nigerian Academic Forum. A Multidisciplinary Journal. Faculty of Engineering, Nnamdi Azikiwe University. 2(2):105-110.
- (11) Shopeju, J. O. (2002). "Implementation of Reflective Thinking Skills in Secondary Schools in Ogun State Nigeria." Knowledge Review. A Multidisciplinary Journal. University of Benin. 5(6):1-7.
- (12) Shopeju, J. O. (2003): "Childhood, Adolescence and Challenges of Adulthood."

World Women International: A Journal of Women in Development. Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Ado-Ekiti. 2(1):51-59.

(13) Shopeju, J. O. (2003) "Women as Opinion Leaders: Cross-Cultural Perspectives." Journal of Nigerian Studies. Olabisi Onabanjo University. Vol. 1:1:76-85.

(14) Ladebo, O. J. and Shopeju, J. O. (2004): "Sexual Harassment: Perceptions and Coping Strategies Among Undergraduate Students in Nigeria." ACTA Academica. 36(3): 223- 238.

(15) Shopeju, J. O. (2005): "Drug Abuse: Its Antecedents and Prevention in Nigeria." Journal of Interdisciplinary Studies. 15:12-26.

*(16) Shopeju, J. O. and Onifade, C. A. (2006) "Citizenship Education in Nigeria: A Comparison of The Feelings of Secondary School Professionally and Non-Professionally Trained Social Science Teachers Toward Teaching Loyalty To The Nation." Olabisi Onabanjo University Journal of Educational Studies. 6:1:81-94.

*(17) Onifade, C. A. and Shopeju, J. O. (2006): "Gender Differences in Students' Response to Ethnic Problems in Nigeria." Asset Series C. 1(1):11-20.

*(18) Shopeju, J. O. (2007) "Mitigation of the Effects of Psychological Wars in African States." Journal of Library and Information Science. Olabisi Olabisi Onabanjo University. 4(1&2):163-175.

*(19) Shopeju, J. O. (2007) "Urbanization and Crime." Asset Series C. 2(1):154-163.

*(20) Abdullahi, D. M. K.; Awonorin, S. O.; Shopeju, J. O.; Sobukola, O. P. (2008): "Influence of Frozen Storage Condition, Degree of Doneness on Quality on Quality Indices, Consumer Acceptability of Beef Roasts and Socio-cultural Implications." Journal of Food Service Systems. Food and Nutrition. Trumbull, USA. (Accepted).

*(21) Shopeju, J. O.; Onifade, C. O.; Dipeolu, A., (2008): Sociology of Mental Illness: The study of the Un-institutionalized Mentally Challenged in Abeokuta, Nigeria.

Online Articlesbase Journal. <http://www.articlebase.com/mental-health/>. Bukisa Ltd. Jabotirsky. Israel pp 1-16.

*(22) Onifade, C. A.; Ogunlade, F. O.; Shopeju, J. O. (2008): "Influence of Social Studies Education on Student's Response to Corrupt Practices." Ghana Social Studies Journal. Faculty of Social Studies, University of Ghana.

Papers in Referred Conference Proceedings:

(23) Idowu, I. A. and Shopeju, J. O. (1992): Interpersonal Relationship Skill Training: A Team Approach." In the Edited and Referred Conference Proceedings of Workshop on Strategies for Mobilizing rural women for Economic Development: the Nigeria Example, UNAAB, Conference Proceeding No. 4 pp. 83 - 92. Edited by N. O. Adedipe and C. A. Afolami

(24) Shopeju, J. O. (1993): "Phenomenal Increase in Drug Abuse: The Nigeria factor and Contradictions Inherent in Control Approaches." In: The Edited and Referred Proceedings of a National Workshop in the Drug Problems Organized by the Nigeria Union of Journalist, Western Zone in Collaboration with the National Drug Law Enforcement Agency (NDLEA). Edited by Eddie Aina.

(25) Shopeju, J. O. (1996): "Non-Rural Issues in rural Development: Focus on Rural Policy-Making". In: Sustainable Development in Rural Nigeria. Proceedings of the 8th Annual Conference of the Nigeria Rural Sociological association. Edited by Adedoyin, S. Fola J. O. and O. Y. Aihonsu. pp 31 - 35.

*(26) Shopeju, J. O. and Ojukwu, C. C. (2008): "Patrimonial Rule in Obasanjo's Nigeria." Proceedings of The Second International Conference on Development Studies. Conference Centre, University of Lagos. March pp 24-32.

*(27) Shopeju, J. O. and Ojukwu, C. C. (2008): "Exploring Social Capital for Peace-

building in Nigeria.” Proceedings of SPSA Annual Conference. pp 1-15.

*(28) Apantaku, S. O.; Onifade, T.O.; Shopeju, J. O. (2009): Radio Farm Broadcast schedule and Farmers’ Agricultural Information Seeking Habit. Proceedings of paper presented at e-learning Africa Conference. Dakar. May 27-29.

CHAPTER IN BOOK

(28) Shopeju, J. O. (2002): “Perspective on Sustainable Democratic Governance in Nigeria in the Next Millennium.” In Perspectives on Sustainable Democratic Governance. in Nigeria in the Next Millennium. Edited By Adisa, S.A., Nwanyanwu, O. J. And Adetoro, R. A. Osunleti & Co: Abeokuta. pp 1-8.

TECHNICAL REPORT/PAPERS

(29) University of Agriculture, Abeokuta. (1992) Design and Formulation of the National Agricultural Land Development Authority (NALDA) Project document for the Oke-Ako/Irele Project in Ondo State, Nigeria. List of experts involved in Project Design and Formulation: Adedipe, N. O.; Tayo, T. O.; Obigbesan, G. O.; Fawusi, M. O.; Oguntona, E. B.; Okojie, J. A.; Adetunji, M. A.; Afolami, C. A.; Ugwuzor, G. N. O.; Shopeju, J. O. et al.

(30) University of Agriculture, Abeokuta. (1994) Design and Formulation of National Agricultural Land Development Authority (NALDA). Project Document for Igboye/Iji Project in Epe Local Government Area of Lagos State, Nigeria. List of Experts involved in Project design and formulation: Adedipe, N. O.; Tayo, T. O.; Okuneye, P. A.; Adetunji, M. T.; Bello, A. B.; Afolami, S. O.; Ariyo, O. J.; Ogunlowo, A. S.; Shopeju, J. O.; and Ugwumba, A. A.

(31) South West Zone Study Group (1995); Report on the South West Zone of Nigeria for the National Agricultural Research Project (NARSP) List of Resource person.

Adedipe, N. O.; Tayo, T. O.; Fabiyi, Y. L.; Shopeju, J. O. et al.

RESEARCH PAPERS SENT FOR PUBLICATION

*(1) Shopeju, J. O.; Onifade, C. O.; Dipeolu, A., (2008): The Lifestyle of the Mentally Challenged in Abeokuta, Ogun State. Nigeria. Nordic Journal of African Studies

*(2) Shopeju, J. O. and Ojukwu, C. C. (2008): "Patrimonial Rule in Obasanjo's Nigeria." African Journal of Political Science and International Relations

*(3) Shopeju, J. O. and Ojukwu, C. C. (2008): "Exploring Social Capital for Peace-building in Nigeria." American Journal of Political Science Review

SEMINAR AND WORKSHOP PAPERS

(1) Shopeju, J. O. (1988): "Preventing and Managing Drug Abuse". Paper presented at the National Workshop on Strategies for the Control of Drug Abuse in Nigeria.

Organised by Neuro- Psychiatric Hospital, Aro, in collaboration with World Health Organisation (WHO).

(2) Shopeju, J. O. (1989): "Strategies for Controlling Drug Abuse and Road Accidents". Paper Presented during a rally organized for drivers by Lioness Club, Abeokuta.

(3) Shopeju, J. O. (1991): "Prevention of Examination Malpractice: A Review of Contributing Factors." Paper presented during a University-wide Seminar organized by the college of Agricultural Management, rural Development and Consumer Studies, University of Agriculture, Abeokuta.

(4) Shopeju, J. O. (1992): "Resettling and Integrating Offenders into Nigerian Society" Guest Lecture delivered during a Mini-Conference organized by the Nigerian Association for the Care of Offenders (NACRO) Ogun State. Branch.

(5) Shopeju, J. O. (1992): "Re-Examination of Grassroots Mobilization Strategies" (October 1992). Paper presented during a National workshop/Seminar on grassroots Communication: Role of Information and community Development Officers,

organized by Master Advertising and Public Relations Agency.

(6) Shopeju, J. O. (1992): "Drug Abuse in Nigeria: Fact or Fiction? Paper presented during a lecture organized by the Old Students of African Church Grammar School (Club 57/72), Abeokuta.

(7) Shopeju, J. O. (1992): "Essence of Information Collation and Data Preservation in Agricultural Activities". Paper presented during a Workshop on "Passing Agricultural Information" organized by Master Advertising and Public Relations Agency.

(8) Shopeju, J. O. (1996): "Developmental Challenges of childhood and Adolescence". Paper presented during the Training the Trainer's Workshop on capacity Building in Child Development, Weaning Foods and Immunization organized by GAINBOL LTD.

(9) Shopeju, J. O. (1996) "The Victims of Crime: The Nigerian Perception of Restitution." Presented during the International conference on Crime and Justice in the Nineties, 3rd - 5th July, Organised by the Criminological society of southern African IDASA), Pretoria, South Africa.

(10) Shopeju, J. O. (1997): "Mitigation of the Effects of Wars in African States". Paper presented during a one day workshop of African Peace Mission at FEAP - VISION 2010.

(11) Shopeju, J. O. (1999): "Attracting Foreign Investment to Nigeria" Presented at the Workshop on rebuilding Nigeria. An exploration of options for sustainable Development. Organised by CONTACT FORUM. May, 1999.

(12) Shopeju, J. O. and Ojukwu, C. C. (2008): "Patrimonial Rule in Olusegun Obasanjo's Nigeria." Presented at The Second International Conference on Development Studies. Conference Centre, University of Lagos. March 12-13.

(13) Shopeju, J. O. and Ojukwu, C. C. (2008): First Annual Conference and General Assembly of the Institute of Peace and Conflict Resolution (IPCR) at Sheraton

Hotels and Towers, Abuja. June 15-18.

RESEARCH INTEREST AND ACTIVITIES

- (a) Farmers Perception of Change Agents.
- (b) Ambivalence as Sociological Explanation: The Case of Cultural Explanation of Examination Malpractices.
- (c) Sociological Interpretation of Cartoons. In Collaboration with Dr. M. M. Alimi.
- (d) Victimology and Restitution
- (e) Socio-Mathematical Approach to Equi-Final Probability of Stable Marriage in collaboration with M. M. Alimi and A. A. Akinsete.
- (f) Investigation of Schistomiasis in Communities in Ogun State, and the Impact of Social, Cultural, Agricultural and other Water Related Activities on the Spread of the Disease. In Collaboration with Dr.C. F. Mafiana.
- (g) Crime Modernization/Urbanization.
- (h) Citizenship Education in Secondary Schools in Ogun state, Nigeria.
- (i) Examination Malpractice, Re-visited.
- (j) Urban and Rural Crimes.
- (k) Mental Illness