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EDUCATION AND TRAINING

- 2009 **MSc module- Veterinary Communication and Extension (Extension and Veterinary).** University of Pretoria, South Africa
- 2000-05 **Ph.D. Agricultural Extension and Rural development (Gender issues),** University of Ibadan, Nigeria. Dissertation: Socio-cultural factors affecting girl child empowerment in selected agrarian communities in Nigeria.
- 1998-1999 **M.Sc. - Agricultural Extension and Rural development (rural development),** University of Ibadan, Nigeria. Thesis: Contribution of urban agriculture to income generation in Ifako-Ijaiye Local government Area of Lagos State (1999).
- 1987-1992 **B. Tech - Farm Management & Agricultural Extension (Rural development),** Federal University of Technology, Akure, Nigeria. Honours Project: Economic analysis of poultry production in Ondo State, Nigeria. Pp. 40

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT, SHORT COURSES AND CONTINUING EDUCATION.

- 2010 Scientific writing, publishing and oral communication/inception workshop, held at University of Agriculture, Abeokuta, Nigeria, 23rd -25th June, 2010
- 2009 Rural Women's Studies Association Triennial Conference, held at Indiana University, USA 24th – 27th September, 2009
- 2008 Development Of Participatory Crop Improvement To Support Small-Scale Farmers, Kumasi, Ghana. 28th April -9th May, 2008.
- 2007 Women Leaders and entrepreneurs conference. Olumo Rock Multipurpose Hall, Abeokuta. 1st – 2nd Nov
- 2006 Agricultural Extension Society of Nigeria AESON conference on changing perspectives in extension innovation system in Nigerian, held at University of Agriculture, Abeokuta, Nigeria. 3rd – 6th April.
- 2005 African Nutrition Leadership Programme, Northwest University, Potchefstroom, South Africa. November 2005.
- 2005 Integrated Pest Management, International Agricultural Centre, Wageningen, Netherlands. 23rd May – 1st July, 2005
- 2001 Children in Agriculture Conference on Research Policy for Children in Agriculture, held at University of Agriculture, Makurdi, Nigeria. 9th – 12th October .

- 2000 Workshop for Academic Staff: Extension Orientation Agricultural Media Resources and Extension Centre (AMREC), University of Agriculture, Abeokuta, 1995 Workshop on Loan Management and Recovery Among Cooperative Organisations. Ogun State University Consultancy Services, Ijeja, Abeokuta. 3rd August, 2005

Awards and Honors

- Council for Development for Social Science Research in Africa CODESRIA (2002)** Small Research Grant for Thesis Writing
- Netherlands University Foundation for International Cooperation NUFFIC / Netherlands Fellowship Programme NFP (2005).** Scholarship for African Nutrition Leadership Programme held in Northwest University, Potchefstroom South Africa
- Netherlands University Foundation for International Cooperation NUFFIC / Netherlands Fellowship Programme NFP (2005).** Scholarship for Integrated Pest Management held at International Agricultural Centre, Wageningen, Netherlands.
- Netherlands University Foundation for International Cooperation NUFFIC / Netherlands Fellowship Programme NFP (2008).** Scholarship for Development Of Participatory Crop Improvement To Support Small-Scale held at Kumasi, Ghana.
- Centre Technique de Corporation Agricole et Rurale (CTA) (2009)** Award for Online Distance Learning Course on veterinary communication and Extension

PROFESSIONAL ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

- Senior Lecturer** of Agricultural Extension and Rural Development, University of Agriculture, Abeokuta, Nigeria. Oct., 2010
- Lecturer I** of Agricultural Extension and Rural Development, University of Agriculture, Abeokuta, Nigeria. Oct., 2007 – 2010
- Lecturer II** of Agricultural Extension and Rural Development, University of Agriculture, Abeokuta, Nigeria. Oct., 2004 – Oct. 2007
- Assistant Lecturer** of Agricultural Extension and Rural Development, University of Agriculture, Abeokuta, Nigeria. Dec., 2001- Sept.2004.
- Assistant Lecturer** of Agricultural Extension and Rural Development, Olabisi Onabanjo University, Ago-Iwoye, Ogun State, Nigeria. March 2001 – Nov, 2001.

OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- Students Industrial Work Experience Scheme, Nigerian Agricultural and Co-operative Bank Limited, Akure, Nigeria. July 1990 – November, 1990.

Teaching experience

Undergraduate level

- Department of Agricultural Extension and Rural Development, University of Agriculture, Abeokuta, Nigeria 2001- present (**Undergraduate level**)
- ARD 202** Principles and Practice of Agricultural Extension And Rural Sociology, **ARD 501** Group Dynamics in Extension, **ARD 502** Rural Community Development and Social Change, **AGS 597** Seminar 1, **AGS 598** Seminar II.

Post Graduate Level

Department of Agricultural Extension and Rural Development, University of Agriculture, Abeokuta, Nigeria 2006- present (**Post graduate level**)

ARD 705 Advanced rural sociology, **AXD 703** Supervision and administration of rural development projects, **ARD 706** Comparative Extension Systems, **ARD 704** Programme planning and Evaluation

Olabisi Onabanjo University, Ago-Iwoye, Ogun State, Nigeria. 2001

Department of Agricultural Extension and Rural Development.

GNS 201 Modern Agriculture and Rural Development, **AXR 503** Diffusion of Innovation, **AXR 515** Social Psychology for Agriculture and Rural Development.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE AND ACTIVITIES

1. 1st Vice-President, Society for Peace Studies and Practice, Ogun State Chapter 2011 to date
2. Member, College Editorial Committee for e-lecture notes 2011 to date
3. Part-time Undergraduate Programme Co-ordinator, Department of Agricultural Extension and Rural Development, University of Agriculture, Abeokuta 2011 ...
4. The Post Graduate Diploma Co-ordinator, Department of Agricultural Extension and Rural Development, University of Agriculture, Abeokuta 2011 ...
5. Post Graduate Programme Coordinator, Department of Agricultural Extension and Rural Development, University of Agriculture, Abeokuta, Nigeria. 2009-2011
6. Deputy co-Chair for Africa - Rural Women's Studies Association based in USA. 2009 to date
7. Member, Post Graduate Committee Board, College of Agricultural Management and Rural Development, University of Agriculture, Abeokuta, Nigeria. 2009 - date
8. College Representative on LEMCEL, University of Agriculture, Abeokuta, Nigeria. 2009-date.
9. Assistant Post Graduate Coordinator, Department of Agricultural Extension and Rural Development, University of Agriculture, Abeokuta, Nigeria. 2008-2009
10. Member, Planning Committee of Three Decades of Extension, University of Ibadan, Nigeria. 2007 -
11. Member, Post JAMB Screening Committee, University of Agriculture, Abeokuta, Nigeria. (2007)
12. Member, Gender Mainstreaming Committee, University of Agriculture, Abeokuta, Nigeria. 2007-
13. Advisor for 200 level students, Department of Agricultural Extension and Rural Development, University of Agriculture, Abeokuta, Nigeria. 2007 -
14. Member, Welfare Committee, Department of Agricultural Extension and Rural Development, University of Agriculture, Abeokuta, Nigeria. 2006-
15. Member, Planning Committee, Agricultural Extension Society of Nigeria Conference held at University of Agriculture, Abeokuta, Ogun State Nigeria. 2006

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP

Agricultural Extension Society of Nigeria (AESON)
Children-In-Agriculture Programme (CIAP)
Rural Women's Studies Association (RWSA)

PUBLICATIONS AND PRESENTATIONS

(i) Journal Articles in Print

- * 1. **Ashimolowo O.R.** and Otufali G.A. (2010): Shocks, Safety Nets and Coping Strategies among Female Agro- Pastoralists in Ogun State Nigeria. *Journal of Applied Science Research*. Vol. 6, No 12. Pp. 2181- 2191. Published by INSINET Publications. <http://www.aensionline.net/jasr/jasr/2010/2181-2191.pdf>
- * 2. Fakoya E.O., T.O.A. Banmeke, O.R. Ashimolowo and Fapojuwo O.E. (2010): Cassava Production and Poverty Eradication Among Crop Farmers in Ondo State, Nigeria. OIDA International *Journal of Sustainable Development*. Vol 2. No. 5. Pp. 67-72. http://papers.ssrn.com/sol3/papers.cfm?abstract_id=1724686
- * 3. **O.R. Ashimolowo**, A.K. Aromolaran, S.O. Inegbedion (2010). Child Street – Trading Activities and Its Effect on the Educational Attainment of Its Victims in Epe Local Government Area of Lagos State. *Journal of Agriculture Science*. Vol. 2. No. 4. Pp. 211-219. Published by Canadian Centre of Science and Education. <http://www.ccsenet.org/journal/index.php/jas/article/view/8413/6234>
- 4. Fashina, O.O., **Ashimolowo, O.R.**, and Oluwalana, O (2009): Children involvement in household livelihood activities in the Rural Areas of Ogun State. *International Journal of Applied tropical Agriculture*. Vol. 14., Nos 1 &2. Pp. 64-70 Published by School of Agriculture and Agricultural Technology, Akure.
- * 5. **Ashimolowo, O. R.** and Ojebiyi, W. G. (2009): Effect Of Peak Season Agricultural Activities On The Educational Performance Of Rural Children In Odeda Local Government Area Of Ogun State. *Journal of Tourism, Hospitality and Home Management*. Vol. 2, Nos 1. Pp. 1-18. Published by the College of Agriculture, Olabisi Onabanjo University, Ayetoro Campus.
- * 6. **Ashimolowo, O.R.** (2009): Values placed on the roles of the girl-child and her level of empowerment in selected agrarian communities in Nigeria. *Journal of Tourism, Hospitality and Home Management*. Vol. 2, Nos 1. Pp. 168-181. Published by the College of Agriculture, Olabisi Onabanjo University, Ayetoro Campus.
- * 7. **Ashimolowo, O.R.** and Akinbile, L.A. (2008): Protection practices influencing girl-child level of empowerment in selected agrarian communities in Nigeria. *Asset International Journal*. Asset Series C. 3 (1): 1-11. Published by University of Agriculture, Abeokuta. <http://www.unaab.edu.ng/asset/articlesByIssue.php>
- * 8. **Ashimolowo, O.R.** and Akinbile, L.A. (2008): Socio-cultural factors affecting girl-child empowerment in selected agrarian communities in Nigeria. *Journal of Annals of Child and youth Studies*. Vol. 3. No. 1. Pp.1-10. Published by Children and Youth in Agriculture Programme.

- + 9. Oloruntoba, A., **Ashimolowo, O.R.** and Solomon, V.A. (2007): Rice farmers' perceptions of agricultural credit in rural Nigeria. *Journal of Agriculture And Rural Development*. Vol. 1. pp. 106-119. Published by Swaziland Printing and Publishing Company Limited, Swaziland.
10. **Ashimolowo, O.R.**, Akinbile, L.A. and Awojulu R.T. (2007): Use of indigenous knowledge in rice production in Ewekoro Local Government Area, Ogun State. *Journal of Agricultural Extension*. Vol. 10. pp. 189-203. Published by Agricultural Society of Nigeria.
<http://www.msnusers.com/aeson/aesonpublications>
- * 11. Ewete, F.K., **Ashimolowo, O.R** and Adohi, E.A. (2007). Survey of Plants used in maize storage in Abeokuta North Local Government Area and the Efficacy of a selected species against *Sitophilus zeamais* Motschulsky (Coleoptera: Curculionidae). *Nigerian Journal of Entomology*. Vol. 24. Pp. 119-126 Published by Entomological Society of Nigeria
- + 12. Adeokun, O.A. and **Ashimolowo, O.R.** (2006) "Factors influencing adoption of fishermen innovation by artisanal fishermen in coastal areas of Ogun State, Nigeria. *Journal of Applied Sciences Research, Pakistan*. Vol. 211. Pg. 966-979. Published by INSInet.
13. Akinbile, L.A., **Ashimolowo, O.R.** and Oladoja, M.A. (2006): Rural Youth Participation in Infrastructural Development of Ibarapa East Local Government Area of Oyo State. *Nigerian Journal of Rural Sociology*. Vol. 6. Nos 1 & 2. Pp. 40-48. Published by The Nigerian Rural Sociological Association.
- + 14. **Ashimolowo, O.R.**, Lawal-Adebowale, O.A., Sodiya, C.I., and Osamiluyi, B.O. (2006): Sedentarisation and livelihoods: the case of Fulani women in Abeokuta North, Ogun State Nigeria. *Journal of Social Development in Africa*. Vol. 21. No.2 Pp. 103-118. Published by school of Social Work, University of Zimbabwe
- + 15. Akinbile, L.A., Akinwale, J.A. and **Ashimolowo, O.R** (2006): Determinants of productivity level among rice farmers in Obafemi-Owode Local Government Area of Ogun State, Nigeria. *Journal of New Seeds*. Haworth Food and Agricultural Products Press USA. Vol. 8 Nos. 4. Pp. 79-89. Published by Haworth food and Agricultural Products Press.
<http://www.informaworld.com/smpp/content~db=all~content=a902797934>.
16. Apantaku, S.O. and **Ashimolowo, O.R.** (2006): Use of Participatory Extension Methods by Extension Agents in Ogun State, Nigeria. *Bowen Journal of Agriculture*. Vol. 3 (2). Pp. 118-128.
<http://ajol.info/index.php/bja/article/view/41913>
17. **Ashimolowo, O.R.** and Busari, M.A. (2006): Social Impact Assessment of

Cement Pollution among Small Scale Farmers in Cement Producing Areas of Ogun State, Nigeria. *Journal of Agricultural Extension*. Vol. 9. pp. 142-149. Published by Agricultural Extension Society of Nigeria. <http://www.msnusers.com/aeson/aesonpublications>

18. Sodiya, C.I., **Ashimolowo, O.R.**, Lawal-Adebowale, O.A., and Adamu. C.O. (2006): Analysis of the roles and selected activities of Fulani Women among Sedentary Pastoral Households in Ogun State. *The Ogun Journal of Agricultural Sciences*. Vol. 9, Pp.49-60 Published by College of Agricultural Sciences, Olabisi Onabanjo University, Ayetoro Campus.
 19. Oladapo, M. O. and **Ashimolowo, O.R.** (2005): Retail market integration of plantain and banana in Enugu State. *Nigerian Journal of Horticultural Science*. Vol. 10. Pp. 99-104. Published by The Horticultural Society of Nigeria.
 20. Adeokun, O.A., **Ashimolowo, O.R.**, Oladoja, M.A. and Adisa, B.O. (2004). Involvement in the production of small domestic ruminants in Ijebu North Local Government Area, Ogun-State, Nigeria. *African Journal of Livestock Extension*. Vol. 3. Pp. 50-54. Published by Department of Agricultural Extension and Rural Development, University of Ibadan, Nigeria.
 21. Adeokun, O.A., Ojo, S.O. and **Ashimolowo, O.R.** (2003). Towards promoting children's interest in fish production: A case study of Ogun State, Nigeria. *International Journal of Children-in-Science and Technology*. Vol. 1. No. 1, Pp 117-123. Published by Green Line Publishers.
 22. Ojo, S.O., Adeokun, O.A., Ladokun, A.O. and **Ashimolowo, O.R.** (2002). Assessment of consumer attitudes of consumption of some fish and meat types, Ibadan, Oyo State. *Journal of Educational Innovation and Development*. Vol. 1. No. 2, Pp. 277-285
- (iii) **Book article or chapter**
23. Adeyeye, V.A., Alimi, J.T. and **Ashimolowo, O.R.** (2002): Overview of poverty and its reduction in Nigeria. In: *Nigeria's Lead Issues in Poverty Reduction*. Adeyeye, V.A. and Yusuf J.O. (eds). Published by African Centre for Development Research, Abuja. Pp. 15-31.
- (iv) **Edited Conference Proceeding**
- * 24. **Ashimolowo, O.R.**, and Apata, O.(2008): Constraints and motivation of Youth participation in agricultural activities in Osun State. In: *Remedying the factors impeding children and youth development in Nigeria. Proceedings of Children and Youth in Agriculture Programme in Nigeria (CYIAP) Annual Conference*, Federal College of Education, Oyo. S.F Adedoyin (editor). pp. 20-26. Published by CYIAP
 - * 25. Fakoya, E.O., **Ashimolowo, O.R.**, Adewuyi, S.A. and Ashaolu, O.F (2008):

- Socio-economic effect of micro-credit on small scale poultry farmers livelihood in Abeokuta North LGA of Ogun State. In: *Animal Agriculture towards Millennium Development in Nigeria. Proceedings of Nigerian Society of Animal Production (NSAP – OGUN 2008)*, College of Agricultural Sciences, Olabisi Onabanjo University, Ayetoro, Ogun State, Nigeria, Adeyemi O.A., Ogungbesan A.M. Dada A.O., Eniolorunda O.O., Awojobi H.A., Oke D.B., Agunbiade J.A.(editors). Pp. 304-307. Published by NSAP.
26. **Ashimolowo, O.R.**, Akinbile, L.A and Afolayan, E.A (2005): Effect of micro-credit on small scale crop farmers in Odeda Local Government Area of Ogun State. In: *Capacity Building in Nigerian Agricultural Extension System. Proceedings of Children in Agriculture Programme (CIAP) Annual Conference*, National Cereals Research Institute (NCRI), Badeggi, Bida, Niger State. S.F Adedoyin (editor). pp. 85-91. Published by Agricultural Extension Society of Nigeria.
 27. Oladapo M.O., Momoh, S. and **Ashimolowo, O.R.** (2003). Spatial market integration test of plantain and banana in Enugu state rural and urban market. In: *The Role of Horticulture in Economic Development of Nigeria. Proceedings of Horticultural Society of Nigeria (HORTSON) Annual Conference*, School of Agriculture. Fasina, A.S., Olufolaji A.A. and Umeh, V.C. (eds). , Lagos State Polytechnic, Ikorodu, Lagos. Pp. 162-170. Published by The Horticultural Society of Nigeria.
 28. **Ashimolowo, O.R.** and Arowojolu, O. (2001): Nigerian Girl-Child involvement in Agriculture: future perspective. In: *Research and Policy Issues for Children in Agriculture*. Obinne C.P.O., Obasi M.O. and Agbulu, O.N. (eds). *Proceedings of Children in Agriculture Programme (CIAP) Annual Conference*, University of Agriculture, Makurdi. October 9-12. Pp. 316-324. Published by Children –in – Agriculture Programme.
 29. Arowojolu, O. and **Ashimolowo, O.R.** (2001). Child Labour in Agriculture: Problems and prospects. In *Research and Policy Issues for Children in Agriculture*. Obinne C.P.O., Obasi M.O. and Agbulu, O.N. (eds). *Proceedings of Children in Agriculture Programme (CIAP) Annual Conference*, University of Agriculture, Makurdi. October 9-12. Pp. 316-324. Published by Children –in – Agriculture Programme

EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Swimming, Reading and travelling.

REFEREES

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