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CURRICULUM VITAE

Name:	Ekere, Justina Ngozi (Dr.)
Current Post	Principal Librarian
Date of Birth	15 th June 1969
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Permanent Home Address	Umuekwule, Afugiri, Umuahia North L.G.A Abia State
Contact Address	Nnamdi Azikiwe Library, University of Nigeria, Nsukka
Nationality	Nigerian
Marital Status	Married
No of Children	Two Ekere Uchechukwu M-----18+ Ekere Emmanuel Chinonso----15+

Educational Qualifications

Ph.D (2010)-----University of Nigeria , Nsukka
M. L. S (2002)-----University of Nigeria, Nsukka
B.Sc (Lib and Information Science (1996)_____U.N.N
N.C.E (Lib.Sc/Biology) 1989_____College of Education Nsugbe

Career Profile

More than 15 years as a librarian. Experienced librarian specialist with extensive organization & management skills. Highly organized and independent; able to effectively coordinate tasks to accomplish projects with timeliness & creativity. Diverse exposure within my chosen field.

Present Employment Status

Head Reference Section	2011-
Principal Librarian	2011-
Senior Librarian	2008-11
Librarian I	2005
Librarian II	2002
Assistant Librarian	1997-1999

Work Experience

Circulation librarian	1997-2000
Cataloguer	2000-2006
Head United Nation Depository library	2007-2011
Presently Head of Reference Section	2011-

Years Of Working Experience: 16 Years (1997-date)

Awards Received

Listed by the American Biographical Institute (ABI) as one of the Great Women of the 21st Century 2004.

Presidential Recognition, University of Nigeria (ALUMNI ASSOCIATION) ABUJA, 2005

Vision Statement

To be a successful Librarian in an academic setting with special interest in library management.

To contribute to realization of the aims and objectives of the Library.

Current Research

Entrepreneurship in Library and Information Industry.

Research and Scholarly Interest and Activities

1. Mobile Learning Technology in Libraries
2. Reference Services and the New Technology
3. Human Resource Management.

Professional Experience - 17 yrs

Administrative Experience

Head of United Nations Document section - 2006-2011

Reference Librarian(Head) -----2011-

Personal Profile; Professionally minded, energetic, dynamic and intelligent, sound interpersonal skills. Ability to work under pressure with minimal supervision. Well developed logical and analytical skills and stress tolerant.

Computer Skills- Microsoft Office suit(Word, Excel, Powerpoint)

Courses Taught In University of Nigeria

GSP111-Use of the Library and Study Skills

Major Accomplishments

National

Chaired a plenary session during the 27th Annual Cataloguing ,Classification and Indexing Seminar/ Workshop held in Minna 2007.

Contributions to University of Nigeria Nsukka

1. Member Board of Governors University of Nigeria Nsukka Staff School. 2004-2011
2. Member committee on funding of the University of Nigeria Staff School-2005
3. Hall Warden Block C Ziks Flat Female Hostel University of Nigeria, Nsukka 2004-2009
4. Hall Warden Okpara hall female hostel University of Nigeria Nsukka,2009-2014
5. Member University of Nigeria Student Union Electoral Commission2004-
6. Library Representative to Faculty Board of Social Sciences, University of Nigeria Nsukka 2006-date
7. Library Representative to Faculty Board of Biological Sciences 2003- 2006
8. Library Rep. to Faculty Board of Vet. Medicine 1999-2003
9. Information Research Consultant to the Faculty of Pharmaceutical Sciences, University of Nigeria, Nsukka , 2008---
10. Member Library Senior Administrative and Technical Staff (SATS) Appraisals Committee 2009--
11. Member Children Centre Committee, U.N.N(2000-)

12. Financial Secretary Association of Women Librarians in Nigeria(AWLIN) 2006-2012
13. Assistant Secretary University Women's Association University of Nigeria Nsukka 2010-2012
14. Member Fund Raising Committee for the 2nd Professional Summit Organised by Nnamdi Azikiwe Library, University of Nigeria Nsukka May 201
15. Member Senate Research Grant –Library Sub- Committee 2012-
16. Member security sub-committee for 2013 West African University Games(WAUG) Football and Hockey Championship, U.N.N 2012-
17. Library Liaison Officer with ICT department University of Nigeria Nsukka 2012
18. Member Committee on Impact Factor(IF) and other Evaluation Points of Journals for Academic Assessments and Promotions in University of Nigeria, Nsukka 2013
19. Member Committee on the computation of Earned allowance for Library Academic staff 2014
20. Chairman Library committee on Revitalization of Nnamdi Azikiwe library Bindery section 2014-
21. Member Committee on Selection of Impact Factor System of University of Nigeria Nsukka September 2014
22. Member/Secretary Committee for 100 days in office celebration for the new Vice-Chancellor Prof. B.C .Ozumba September 2014
23. Member Library Committee on the Expansion of the Divisions of the University Library System 2014.
24. Member Senate Ceremonials Committee, University of Nigeria, Nsukka 2014-
25. Member Inaugural Lecture sub-Committee of Senate Ceremonial Committee, University of Nigeria Nsukka 2014-
26. Hall Warden Okeke hostel 2014-
27. Member Committee on the Creation of More Divisions in the Nnamdi Azikiwe Library, University of Nigeria Nsukka 2014
28. Member/Library Rep. Of the Library Distance Learning/Online Education Committee, a sub- committee of the University of Nigeria Nsukka Online Education Feb. 2015-

Professional Membership

Nigerian Library Association (NLA)	-	Member
Association of Women Librarians in Nigeria (AWLIN)	-	Asst. Fin. Secretary
University Women Association	-	Assistant Secretary
Nigerian Association of Women Academics (NAWACS).	-	Member
African Library & Information Associations & Institutions(AFLIA)--		Member

International Council on Education for Teaching(ICET)	-	Member
International Research and Capacity Building Foundation South-Africa. (IRCAB)	-	Member

Online Professional Membership:

- Active member, NLA Forum
- Member Cat.& Class. Online Forum

Hobbies

Researching; Surfing the web; Travelling; Reading

Referees

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PROFESSIONAL TRAINING AND WORKSHOPS ATTENDED

International

International Leadership Training Workshop for Library Consortia, organized by African Library and Information Associations and Institutions (AFLIA) in collaboration with the International Network for the Availability of Scientific Publications (INASP), 27th-29th May 2015, GIMPA, ACCRA, GHANA.

International Workshop on Librarianship and the Demands for New Leadership Skills, held at the Balme Library Seminar Hall, University of Ghana, Legon, Accra, Ghana, April 14th-16th, 2014

Managing University Libraries For Online Education, a training programme that took place at the Galilee International Management Institute (GIMI), Israel between 14-27 November, 2013

Partnership Mentoring Programme at Michigan State University, East Lansing U.S.A August – Sept. 2006.

National

First Conference of Certified Librarians in Nigeria organized by Librarians' Registration Council of Nigeria (LRCN), held at the National Universities Commission Abuja, Nigeria from 18th-23rd May, 2014

Science Technology Workshop and Exposition on Scientific Mobile-Learning. A workshop organized by UNESCO in Collaboration with ICTP-Science Dissemination Unit (SDU) in Trieste Italy at the University of Nigeria, Nsukka, 17th- 20th June, 2013

Workshop on the 'Impact of Information on Entrepreneurship: The Role of Women. A national Workshop Organized by Association of Women Librarians In Nigeria (AWLIN), held at the Nigerian Law School Yenagoa, Bayelsa State, From 8th-9th May, 2013

Workshop on the "Current Trends in Research" organized by the Department of library and Information Science, University of Nigeria Nsukka at the Children Center Library, on 30th July, 2012.

Grant Writing Skills and Funding Sources for Librarians. A workshop organized by the Nigeria Library Association Lagos State Branch at the Ignatius Agua Lecture Theater, NIALS Library, University of Lagos on Wednesday, 22nd June, 2011.

Entrepreneurship in Library and Information Science. A Seminar organized by the Association of Women Librarians in Nigeria at the National Library of Nigeria, Alagomeji Lagos, 12th-15th October, 2010.

UNN Train the trainers workshop on Course Management and e-Learning for special e-learning drivers team, Nov. 2008..

Universities Connect Library workshop in Training on Sabicat, Basic ReQuest and Interlibrary Loans. Organized by MTN Foundation at the University of Lagos from 2nd-4th July 2008.

Train the Trainers workshop on Course Management and e-learning for Special e-learning Drivers Team. Organized by Curriculum Development and Instructional Materials Center (CUDIMAC), University of Nigeria Nsukka, November 2008.

Modern Cataloguing and Classification Workshops (July 15 – 19th 2002 Port Harcourt.) 27th Annual Cataloguing, Classification and Indexing Seminar/Workshops Minna 2007.

Nigerian Library Association Annual Conferences at Abeokuta 2004

NLA Conference Abuja 2006

NLA Conference Uyo 2007

NLA Conference Abuja 2010

Book

Ekere, J.N (2011). Motivational Factor As a Correlate of Librarian's Job Satisfaction. Dudweiler Landstr: LAP LAMBERT Academic Publishing AG& Co. KG

Chapters

Michael, O Okoye & Justina N. Ekere (2009). Arrangement of Library Materials In; Introduction to the Use of Library and Study Skills. Nsukka, Awemark Publishers

Indexed Works

Co-indexing of Introduction to the use of the library and study skills. Edited by C.O.Omekwu, M.O Okoye & C.N. Ezeani. Ibadan: Awemark publishers.

Editorial Works

Managing Editor: Journal of Applied Information Science and Technology vol.4, 2010. Published by International Technology Application Group (ITAG) International.

Institutional Journal Publications

Ekere , J.N , Ugwu, C.I & Ekere F.C.(2014) KNOWLEDGE MANAGEMENT ROLES OF LIBRARIANS FOR TRANSFORMATIVE USER-CENTRED SERVICES IN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA, NSUKKA LIBRARY. *The Information Technologist Journal*,11(1), June,p.1-13

Ekere,F.C, Ugwu, C.I & Ekere, J.N(2014).Status of ICT Enabled Library & Information Servicesin University ofNigeria ,Nsukka Library System. . *The Information Technologist Journal*,11(1), June,P.166-181

Ugwu, C .I, Ekere, J.N & Ekere, F.C (2014) . Knowledge Processes For Successful Application of Knowledge Management in University Libraries in Nigeria. International Journal of Library and Information Science(IJLIS). Journal Impact Factor(2013):5.1389(Calculated by GISI),www.jifactor.com, 3(1), jan-june,p.32-48

Otagburuagu N.C & Ekere J.N(2013). Working Environment as a Motivator For LibrariansJob Performance in Public Libraries in South-East Nigeria. *The Information Technologist Journal*,10(2), P.119-130

Doosuur Ashaver & Ekere J.N(2013). Utilization of Web-Based Information Resources for Researchers in Nigerian Universities: A case Study. *The Information Technologists Journal* ,10(2),P.73-82

Ekere, J.N(2012). Impact of Motivation on Librarians' Job Satisfaction in University Libraries in Nigeria. Journal of Home Economics Research(JHER). Journal Impact Factor calculated by Thomson Reuters

Ekere, J.N & Ugwu, C.(2012). Critical Success Factors for Metadata and Cataloguing Education in Nigerian Universities: A case study. *International Journal of Arts and Education(IRCAB South Africa)*,2(1).

Okore, A.M & Ekere, J.N(2012). Strategies for Repositioning Libraries in the Information Society .*International Journal of Social & Management Sciences, South Africa*2(1),p252-261

Ugwu, C.I, Charles O. Omekwu & J.N.Ekere(2012). Processes, Enablers and Roles for Knowledge Management Applications in Libraries. International Journal of Research in Arts and Social Sciences(IJRASS), vol.4, p.60-78

Ekere, J.N & Okechukwu, L. Nwabuko (2011). Model for Capacity Building for Sustainability of Rural Projects. Journal of Social Science and Management Sciences(IRCAB) South Africa, 1(1); p.39-54

- .Ekere, J.N & Ugwu,C.I (2011). Influence of age, gender and working experience on Librarians' Job Satisfaction in University Libraries in Nigeria .Information Impact: Journal of Information and Knowledge Management 2(1), june 2011
- Ezeani,C.N &.Ekere, J.N (2011). Use of ICT's and Professional Output of Librarians in Nigeria: Issues, Challenges and Imperatives. Journal of Applied Information Science and Technology (JAIST),5(1),2011
- Ugwu, C.I. &Ekere, J.N (2010). Training Needs of Librarians for Digital Library Projects In University Libraries in Nigeria: A case study. Journal of Information and Knowledge Management (Information Impact) Dec.1 (3)27-38
- Ekere, F.C & Ekere, J.N (2009). Contemporary Challenges Facing Library and Information Science Professionals in Nigeria. Journal of Information Resource Management(JIRM) 2(1),June ,50-61.
- Ezeani, C.N &Ekere, J.N. (2008). ICT Use by academic Librarians in Nigeria: Implications for the Library and Information Science Curriculum. Global Review of Libarary and Information Science vol.2,June, 71-79
- Ekere,F.C & Ekere, J.N (2009). Repackaging Indigenous Knowledge and Cultural Resources for Knowledge Societies. Global Review of Library and Information Science Vol.5
- Ekere, Justina N. (2008). Facilities and Services for Effective Utilization of Library Resources by Undergraduates of Nigerian Universities. Nigerian Library Link, a Bi-Annual Journal of Enugu State University of Science and Technology Library,Oct. 6(1),100-107.
- Ifeanyi J Ezema & Ekere, Justina N (2008). Strategies for promotion of Reading Culture among Nigerian Children by Teacher-Librarian. Nigerian Library Link, Journal of Enugu State University of Science and Technology,Ap[ril 6(1),73-82
- Okore,A.M & Ekere, J.N (2008). Information and Communication Technology Tools for Promoting Indigenous Knowledge: Libraries' roles. Journal of Information resource Management (JIRM). Nigerian Library Association, Niger State Chapter 1(2),97-107.
- Ekere,,J. N (2006). Community –based Libraries and Mass mobilization of the rural populace in Nigeria. Nigerian Journal of Library and Information Science vol.2 p65-77

Papers Presented at Conferences and Workshops

Ekere,J.N, Akanwa Pearl & Oyemike Victor Benson(2015). Use of Social Media Tools(SMT) As a Marketing Strategy for Bringing Back Users of Library and Information Centres (LICS). A paper presented at the 15th Annual Conference of the Nigerian Library Association, Enugu State Chapter at the National library of Nigeria , Independence layout ,Enugu, 25th -27th November 2015

Ekere, J.N &Ugwu, C.I (2015). Challenges in the Education and Training of Library and Information Science Students in Nigeria. A Poster paper presented at the 3rd African Library Summit & 1ST AFLIA Conference, 30th May -2nd June2015, GIMPA Accra Ghana.

Ekere, J.N (2014). Plagiarism and Intellectual Property/Right in Nigerian Universities. A paper presented at the 4th Africa Network for Information Ethics(ANIE) International Conference held at the Metropole Hotel Kampala, Uganda, 2nd-4th July 2014

Ugwu C.I.& Ekere J. N.(2014). knowledge management roles of librarians for

transformative user-centred Services in university of Nigeria, Nsukka library. A

paper presented at the 52nd Annual Conference of The Nigerian Library Association

(NLA), 22-27TH June, 2014at Golden Royal Hotel, Enugu

Ekere,J.N(2013). Impact of Motivation on Librarians' Job Satisfaction in University Libraries in Nigeria. A paper presented at the 12th Annual Conference of the Nigerian Library Association, Enugu State Chapter,21-23rd November

Felix C. Ekere & Justina N. Ekere(2012). Exploring the Potentials of Information Brokering in Nigeria as an Alternative Career to Librarianship. A paper presented at the 50th National Conference of the Nigerian Library Association ,15th-20th July ,2012, @ the International Conference Center, Abuja.

Okore,A.M &Ekere,J.N(2012). Strategies for Repositioning Libraries in the Information Society in Nigeria. A paper presented at the International conference on African Indigenous Research and Development Initiatives held at the Goodnews Convention Centre, Muldersdrift, Johannesburg, South Africa ,14th-16th March,2012.

Ugwu.C.I & Ekere,J.N(2012). Critical Success Factors for Metedata and Cataloguing Education in Nigerian Universities: A Case Study. A paper presented at the International conference on African Indigenous Research and Development Initiatives held at the Goodnews Convention Centre, Muldersdrift, Johannesburg, South Africa ,14th-16th March,2012.

- Linus, O. Nwabuko & Justina Ngozi Ekere (2012). Adult Education Strategies for Revitalizing Vocational Training Through Indigenous Research in Nigeria .A paper presented at the International conference on African Indigenous Research and Development Initiatives held at the Goodnews Convention Centre,Muldersdrift, Johannesburg, South Africa ,14th-16th March,2012.
- Ekere,J.N & Dr.L.O.Nwabuko(2011) . Model for Capacity Building for Sustainability of Rural Projects. A paper presented at the International Conference on Research and Capacity Building held at University of Ghana, Accra, Ghana, 15th-16th September,2011
- Ekere, J.N. & Anibueze,Onuigbo A.U(2011) . Re-packaging Guidance and Counselling Curriculum for Peace and Conflict Resolution: The Niger Delta Option. A paper presented at the 2011 International Council On Education for Teaching(ICET) World Assembly,11th-14 July 2011,University of Glasgow, Scotland, U.K
- Felix C. Ekere & Justina N. Ekere(2012). Exploring the Potentials of Information Brokering in Nigeria as an Alternative Career to Librarianship. A paper presented at the 50th National Conference of the Nigerian Library Association ,15th-20th July ,2012, @ the International Conference Center, Abuja.
- Ugwu,C.I & Ekere, J.N.(2010). Training Needs of Librarians for Digital Library Projects in University Libraries in Nigeria: A case study. A paper presented at the 2nd Professional Summit held at the Nnamdi Azikiwe Library ,University of Nigeria Nsukka,3rd -7th May, 2010.
- Ekere, J.N. Mentoring of Librarians in Nigerian University Libraries. A paper presented at the 1st Professional Summit of the Nnamdi Azikiwe Library, University of Nigeria Nsukka,2008
- Okore,A.M, Ekere,J.N & Eke,H.N. Promoting Access to Indigenous Knowledge in the Digital Age; librarians as Facilitators. A paper presented at the 47th Annual National Conference of the Nigerian Library Association held in Ibadan,26th-31st July 2009
- .Ekere, F.C & Ekere, J.N. Repackaging Indigenous Knowledge and Cultural Resources for Knowledge Societies. A paper presented at the 14th Nigerian Association of Library and Information Science Educators(NALISE) Coference held at the University of Nigeria Nsukka,2nd-5th June 2009.
- Ezeani,C.N.& Ekere,J.N. Use of ICT and Professional Output of Librarians. A Use by A paper presented at the 14th NALISE Conference held at the University of Nigeria Nsukka,2nd-5th June 2009.
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- Ekere, J.N.(2008). Mentoring of Librarians in Nigerian University Libraries. A paper presented at the First Professional Summit of the Nnamdi Azikiwe Library, University of Nigeria Nsukka, 2008.
- Okore A. M, & Ekere J. N.(2008). Information professionals and Knowledge Management in Global Library and Information Services. A paper presented at the Nigerian Library Association Annual Conferences at Arewa –House, Kaduna from 1st—6th June 2008
- . Ekere, F.C & Ekere, F.C (2008). Contemporary Challenges Facing Library and Information Professionals in Nigeria. A paper presented at the International Conference organized by the Faculty of Education University of Nigeria Nsukka., 17th-21st June 2008.
- Ekere, J. N. & Ohaji, Isaac K (2006). Nigerian University Today: Structural Reforms, Information Revolution: Problems and Prospects being a special Brown Bag Seminar presented at the African Studies Centre of Michigan State University, East Lansing, U.S.A on August 31, 2006.