

CURRICULUM VITAE

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EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS/BACKGROUND

Federal Polytechnic Auchi, Edo State

Dates: 1992 – 1994

Degree Obtained: National Diploma (Painting & General Arts)

Federal Polytechnic Auchi, Edo State

Dates: 1996 – 1997

Degree Obtained: Higher National Diploma (Painting Major)

Okotie Eboh Grammar School, Sapele, Delta State

Dates: 1984 – 1990

Degree Obtained: Senior School Certificate

QUALIFICATIONS & TRAINING

Osa First Care UK (OFC), Level 2 Mental Health Certificate

Date: 25 June, 2022

International Volunteering/Digital Communications

Date: 2022

La Plage Meta Verse Training Center, Level 3 Mental Health Certificate

Date: 18 Dec, 2022

WORK EXPERIENCE

International School Sapele

Dates: 1991 – 1992

700 & Preston Ltd Sapele

Dates: 1992 – 1997

Ministry of Works & Housing, Yobe State (NYSC)

Dates: 1998 – 1999

Lifestyle Art Studio

Dates: 2000 – 2005

Federal Neuro Psychiatric Hospital, Benin City (Occupational Therapy Unit)

Dates: 2005 – Present

EXHIBITIONS (SELECTIVE)

1. **Self-Expression Final Year Exhibition, Auchi** (Group)
Date: June, 1998
2. **Creative Impulse and Peace Sustenance, Appollo Presidential Hotel, Sapele** (Solo)
Date: 3rd - 13th November, 2004
3. **Open Heaven, National Museum, Benin City** (Group)
Date: 8th - 12th December, 2008
4. **Miniature Exhibition, Lessedra Gallery, Bulgaria** (Group)
Date: 9th June - 28th August, 2010
5. **Visuals of Ancient Benin Kingdom, National Gallery, Benin City** (Group)
Date: 18th - 28th October, 2011
6. **Radiance of Artistry, National Gallery, Benin City** (Group)
Date: 25th November - 5th December, 2013
7. **Arts & Heart (Charity Exhibition), Ikoyi, Lagos** (Group)
Date: October, 2015
8. **Oxford International Art Fair, London** (Group)
Date: August, 2015
9. **That Art Fair, Cape Town, South Africa** (Group)
Date: 25th February, 2016
10. **Dialogue – Beyond Frontier, Galaria Noko, Port Elizabeth, South Africa** (Group)
Date: 21st - 31st August, 2016
11. **Mangroves from the Waters (UAE)** (Group)
Date: 8th - 11th March, 2017
12. **AMP Exhibition, Abu Dhabi (UAE)** (Group)
Date: October, 2017
13. **Ota Art Fair, Ogun State** (Group)
Date: 22nd - 23rd March, 2018

14. **Mental Sanity, Cartoon Art Gallery, Dubai (Solo)**
Date: 30th March - 6th April, 2018
<https://youtu.be/GAnu5U7c3nk>
 15. **World Arts Dubai (WAD) (Group)**
Date: 3rd - 29th April, 2019
 16. **Mauritius International Art Fair (MIAF) (Group)**
Date: 6th - 10th October, 2019
 17. **Arkane Africa, Morocco International Art Fair (Group)**
Date: 9th - 23rd October, 2019
 18. **International Artists Exhibition (Online) (Group)**
Date: 15th Aug, 2021
 19. **Elixir, Sculpture Association of Nigeria Exhibition (Group)**
Date: 13th – 22nd November, 2021
 20. **A Catalyst for Sustainability, Dubai (Upcycling) (Group)**
Date: 8th June, 2021
 21. **Miniature Art Fair, Lagos, Nigeria (Group) Omina Private Beach, Victoria Island, Lagos**
Date: 1st - 3rd October, 2021
 22. **October Rain, Society of Nigerian Artists (SNA), MyDrim Gallery, Victoria Island, Lagos**
Date: 16th - 30th October, 2022
 23. **Upcycling Redefined, International Institute for Creative Development / US Embassy / Transcorp Hilton Hotels**
Date: 8th - 10th September, 2023
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WORKSHOPS (SELECTIVE)

1. **Nike Centre for Arts & Culture, Osogbo, Nigeria**
Date: 4th June - 4th July, 2006
2. **Hammered Metal Maizon Chaclizo, Aneho, Togo**
Date: 7th - 26th May, 2006
3. **Hammattan Workshop, Agbara Otor, Nigeria**
Dates: 28th February - 13th March, 2010; 4th - 17th March, 2012; 23rd February - 7th March, 2014; 8th – 21st March, 2015
4. **Drawing is Basic with Victor Ekpuk, Art House Contemporary Limited, Lagos**
Date: 15th - 25th August, 2015
5. **Junkmania (Junkman of Africa), Thought Pyramids, Abuja, Nigeria**
Date: 4th - 9th July, 2016
6. **Mable Painting (Art for Peace), Turkish International School, Lagos**
Date: 2nd September, 2017
7. **Beyond Prison, Beyond Borders, Artist Association of Nigeria, Ikoyi, Lagos**
Date: 17th - 19th October, 2018

8. **Guild of Professional Fine Artists of Nigeria, 10th Year Anniversary/Workshop**
Date: 11th September, 2018
 9. **Repousse Metal (Wyart Foundation), Lagos**
Date: 15th August, 2017
 10. **Upcycling - The New Economy, International Institute for Creative Development (IICD), Abuja**
Date: 4th - 16th May, 2019
 11. **Waste to Wealth, Thought Pyramid Gallery/Foundation for Creative Development, Oghara, Delta State**
Date: 10th - 20th April, 2021
 12. **Aluminum Metal Foil Workshop, Arty-Folks, LTB Building Coventry, UK**
Date: 14th November, 2023
 13. **Monumental Vision Workshop/Exhibition, Warwick Art Center, Coventry, UK**
Date: 29th February, 2024
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PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

1. **Society of Nigerian Artists (S.N.A., Edo State Branch), Member**
 2. **Sculpture Association of Nigeria (ScAN), Member**
 3. **Beyond Borders Artists Association of Nigeria, Member**
 4. **Society of Nigerian Artists (SNA) (Edo/Lagos State), Member**
 5. **GAIM (Global Arts in Medicine), Member**
 6. **Artis Needed Chicago, Member**
 7. **Artform UAE Member**
 8. **SPL (Society for Positive Living), Member**
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VIDEO LINKS

Mental Sanity, Solo, 2019: <https://youtu.be/GAnu5U7c3nk>

AWARDS & RECOGNITIONS

- * **Ambassador : Numatville Tourism Village Abuja Nigeria (a.k.a. Abuja Dubai)**
 - * **Ambassador : Harmattan Workshop (Bruce Onobrakpeya Foundation, BOF)**
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REFEREES

Available On Request