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BIO

Elijah Chibueze ODII (ECO friendly); Chinese Government Scholar; doctoral research fellow at Fudan University's Environmental Science and Engineering department and Scholar of the Federal Government of Nigeria's Gifted Education Programme is an environmental physiologist/manager. He is mentored by a British professor, Marie Harder, a China Thousand Talent Professor; Prof. Joseph E. Eyo, former dean of Biological Science, University of Nigeria and Prof. Isaac U. Asuzu, former Vice Chancellor of Federal University, Oye-Ekiti, Nigeria.

His research interests include global issues that relate to Environmental Valuation of Ecosystem Goods and Services and probing into deleterious impacts of environmental agents and pollutants on physiological systems. Elijah is associated with Global Universities Partnership on Environment and Sustainability (GUPES) and speaks eloquently in style, cogency and grace on UN Environment's Green Lifestyle and Environmental Sustainability issues.

Elijah has a multidisciplinary spread of academic efforts, with a bachelor degree in Zoology, master degree in Physiology; participated in authorship of 8 peer reviewed journal papers, presented papers in academic conferences and now conducting PhD research in environmental science and management. The following words capture a major driving force for Elijah's overall academic activities: *"In a world of evolving economics, industrialisation and insatiable technological advancements; re-education of the educated, education of the uneducated, governmental policy adjustments and deliberate behavioural changes are capable of saving us from the implications of unsustainable lifestyles and consequent environmental vulnerabilities shown in an ever-changing climate- we are all involved! ELIJAH CHIBUEZE ODII (ECOfriendly).*

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Recent Activities

Booked for Keynote Speech at The Sino-British College, USST Second Annual Conference and Learning and Teaching Forum, In association with British Council and Greenleaf Publishing **Thursday 26th – Friday 27th October, 2017** SBC Campus, Shanghai <http://www.sbc-usst.edu.cn/en/AboutSBC/AnnualConferences/2017Conference>

Co-Panellist representing **Global Universities Partnership on Environment and Sustainability (GUPES)** during the Summit 2017 International Students Conference on Environment and Sustainability (ISCES) with **Ms. Clarice Wilson (Ag. Head of the Policy Coordination Office, UN Environment)** and **Mr. Nick Nuttal (Spokesperson/Director of Communications at the UN Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC))**

Keynote Speaker at University of Shanghai for Science and Technology (USST) Shanghai, China (May 27, 2017) during The 3rd International Collegiate Conference. Title of Paper: Facilitation of Zero Carbon, Zero Poverty Processes through Emphasis on Global Environmental Shared Values

Education

PhD in View

Fudan University, Shanghai, China
Sustainable Behaviour Research Group
Environmental Sciences, Environmental Management

M.Sc. Animal Physiology [2013]

University of Nigeria Nsukka, Enugu State, Nigeria
Physiological and Biomedical Research Unit

Postgraduate Diploma in Education (PGDE) [2010]

College of Education, Azare in Affiliation with
University of Maiduguri, Nigeria

B.Sc. Zoology [2008]

University of Nigeria Nsukka, Enugu State, Nigeria

High School [2003]

Federal Government Academy Suleja,
Center for the Gifted and Talented, Niger State,
Nigeria

Strengths

Ability to learn fast and work well under little or no supervision with high personal motivation

Ability to organize and work in groups/teams with a high commitment to results

Communicative competence, strong interpersonal relationship and network builder

Grants and Awards

[2017] **First Prize** UN Environment-Tongji University, International Conference on Environment and Sustainability Speech

[2017] **First Prize** Fudan International Students Writing Competition

[2016] Chinese Government Scholar

[2013] EIA 560, 000 NGN in Association with MacBenuze Enviros Nigeria

[2008] Ademola Segun Educational Foundation Research Grant 40, 000 NGN

[2008] Best Graduating Student of the Department of Zoology, University of Nigeria Nsukka, Enugu State, Nigeria

[2008] Most outstanding member of the National Association of Zoology Students, University of Nigeria

[1997 – 2003] **Scholar of the Federal Government of Nigeria** for the Gifted Children Education Programme, Nigeria

[1996/1997] Best Graduating Student from Ndiagu Community Primary School, Okposi

Consultancy Service

Team Leader, Environmental Impact Assessment in Collaboration with MacBenuze Enviros Limited

Volunteer Services

[2017 - 2019] Coordinator of English Speaking Students Recruitment, Department of Environmental Science and Engineering, Fudan University, Shanghai

[2017 - 2019] International Students Office Volunteer Service Program for Students and Orientation, Fudan University, Shanghai, China

2009-2010 1 Year National Youth Service

2009-2010 Millennium Development Goals (MDGs) Advocacy

Career Objectives

To distinguish myself in any duties; official or unofficial which I may be called to handle, by the instrumentality of educational skills, analytical thinking, creativity, independent thought, team work, interpersonal relationship skills, management skills and communicative competence for the benefit of a highly professional establishment with a view to achieving maximum results.

Computer Expertise

ITOCA-Trained under the Leadership of United Nations Food & Agricultural Organisation in Electronic Library Resources, Databases (**TEEAL, AGORA, HINARI, ARDI**), 2015

-Data entry and basic statistical analysis

-Microsoft Office Proficiency

-Internet Applications etc

Employment Experience

2014-Present Lecturer II, University of Nigeria, Nsukka

2013- 2014 Assistant Lecturer, University of Nigeria, Nsukka, Nigeria.

2010 – 2013 Graduate Assistant, University of Nigeria, Nsukka, Nigeria

2004 – 2008 Quality Control Personnel, Lord'smint Technology Ltd, Ogun State, Nigeria

Interests

Learning New Languages
Environmental Advocacy (Education for Sustainable Development and Lifestyles, Sustainable Consumption and Production)

Hobbies:

Meeting People, Singing

Peer Reviewed Papers

Vincent C. Ejere, Chinedu E. Chukwuezie, Emmanuel I. Nnamonu, Christian O. Chukwuka, Paul C. Echi, Godwin C. Ugwu, **Elijah C. Odi**, Anthony O. Ejim (2015). Effect of Vernonia amygdalina Ethanolic Root Extract on the Hepato-and Nephro-Protective Properties of Albino Rats (*Rattus norvegicus*). *Advances in Life Science and Technology*, 30: 34-40.

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Christian O. Chukwuka, Vincent C. Ejere, Chinweike N. Asogwa, Emmanuel I. Nnamonu, Ogochukwu C. Okeke, **Elijah C. Odii**, Godwin C. Ugwu, Loretta C. Okanya, Chidinma A. Levi (2014). Eco-physiological adaptation of the land snail *Achatina achatina* (Gastropoda: Pulmonata) in tropical agro-ecosystem. *The Journal of Basic & Applied Zoology*, 67: 48-57.

Eyo, J. E., Levi, C. A., Asogwa, N.A., **Odii, E. C.**, Chukwuka, C.O., Ivoke, N., Onoja, U. S. and Onyeke, C. C. (2013). Toxicity and Effect of *Carica papaya* Seed Aqueous Extract on Liver Biomarkers of *Clarias gariepinus*. *International Journal of Indigenous Medicinal Plants*, 46 (3): 1301-1307.

Akah, P. A., Osonwa, U. E., Okorie, N. A., Udobre, A. S., **Odii E. C.** (2012). Effect of the crude extract and fractions of *Occimum gratissimum* on cat blood pressure, *World Journal of Applied Science and Technology*, 4 (2): 238-242.

Ivoke, N. and **Odii, E. C.** (2010). Larvicidal effect of essential oil from leaves of *Lantana camara* (Verbanaceae) against *Aedes aegypti* (Diptera: culicidae) *BioResearch*, 8(1): 646–650.

Elijah C. Odii, Augustine N. Okorie, Vincent C. Ejere, Chinweike N. Asogwa Christian O. Chukwuka and Joseph E. Eyo. Antihypertensive effect of fractions of methanolic extract of Drumstick Tree (Moringaceae) leaves on *Cricetomys gambianus* (Muridae) (Manuscript).

Conferences

ODII E. C., ENEH, C. C., AGUZIE, I.O. N. and ODII, B. C. (2017). Live and Let Live: Benthic Faunal Inventory Prior to Possible Developmental Hydropower Dam Project in a South-Eastern Nigerian Local Government Area, 2017 International Students Conference on Environment and Sustainability (ISCES) June 2 – 7, 2017. Tongji University, Shanghai China.

ODII, E. C. (2017). Facilitation of Zero Carbon, Zero Poverty Processes through Emphasis on Global Environmental Shared Values. The 3rd International Collegiate Conference, May 27, 2017, University of Shanghai for Science and Technology (USST), Shanghai, China.

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