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### VALUES & CORE COMPETENCIES

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- Dedication to duty
- Team Spirit
- Conscientiousness
- Prudence & Accountability
- Attention to details
- Innovative problem-solving approach
- Results-oriented and clients-focused
- Timeliness with deliverables
- Strong analytical background
- Data analytics knowledge
- Accumulated field (survey) experience
- Excellent writing & communication skills
- Receptive to new ideas & opportunities

### EDUCATION

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2013 – 2019	University of Ibadan	PhD in Agricultural Economics
2006 – 2008	University of Ibadan	MSc (Agric. Economics)
1998 – 2004	University of Ibadan	BSc (Agric. Economics)

### AWARDS & DISTINCTIONS

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2020	National Research Fund (NRF) grant of Nigeria's Tertiary Education Trust Fund (TeTFund) worth over \$40,000 in conjunction with Dept. of Agricultural Economics, University of Ibadan. 2020/2022
2018	Grant worth \$3,000 for paper presentation at the International Conference of Agricultural Economists (ICAE-IAAE) Conference held in Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada.
2004	Departmental Prize, Department of Agricultural Economics, University of Ibadan.
2003	(Chief Raymond) Zard Scholarship Award, Dept. of Agricultural Economics, U.I
2002	Federal Government of Nigeria University Scholarship Award.

### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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**Jan. 2022 – Date** Pristine R&D Consults Ltd, Abuja, Nigeria (RC: 1879576)  
(Research Management & Data Analytics Services Company)

- Founder.
- Chief Research Officer (CRO) coordinating internal and collaborative Research Management & Data Analytics activities and services.
- Chief Training Officer (CTO) functioning as the Team Lead for the various training activities in Research Management and Data Analytics.

**Feb. 2022 – Date** The World Bank Country Office, Abuja, Nigeria. (Contract)  
Impact Evaluation Field Coordinator (Africa GIL- Nig. PHI IE Project)

- General: Survey design, data collection management & intervention implementation support.
- Participated in the coordination of the survey firm appointed to collect second follow-up (FU2) data.
- Conducted the pre-FU2 Short Trainers Survey (Quantitative & Qualitative) for Adamawa & Bauchi States.

**July 2023 – Date** The World Bank Country Office, Abuja, Nigeria. (Contract)

Data & Statistics Support Consultant (National Agricultural Sample Census – NASC)/ National Agricultural Sample Survey (NASS)

- Attendance of weekly project's internal and expanded technical meetings.
- Participated in the validation of NASS data.
- Participated in the review of the NASS report.
- Attended workshop on data anonymization for microdata dissemination.

**Feb. 2023 – June 2023** Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO) (Contract)

Statistician (ESS) – *The 50x2030 Initiative Technical Support*

(NG National Agricultural Sample Census/Survey (NASC/NASS))

- Contributed to the review of NASS incoming dataset during survey
- Contributed to the preparation of the tabulation plans for NASC and NASS
- Cleaned and finalized the NASC community data sets
- Prepared the community data tables for discussion
- Presented the community data tables at the first data validation workshop

**April 2022 – Oct. 2024** Department of Agricultural Economics, University of Ibadan/Tertiary

Education Trust Fund (TeTFund), Abuja.

Corresponding Investigator - National Research Fund (NRF/HSS/EDG/0055) Project

- Secured the approval of Ethical Review Board for the research.
- Coordinated the appointment of survey firm, training of field staff and conduct of field work.
- Headed the technical team in charge of producing the survey instruments.
- Conducted data collation/cleaning.
- Conducted research analysis and wrote reports.

**Feb. 2022 – Jan. 2023** The World Bank Country Office, Abuja, Nigeria

Data Support Consultant (National Agricultural Sample Census – NASC)

- Participated in the drafting, review, revision and finalization of questionnaires and relevant manuals for the NASC
- Contributed to the development of a data quality monitoring system and implement consistency and completeness checks
- Contributed to data cleaning, analysis and report writing

**July 2021 – Jan 2022** The World Bank Country Office, Abuja, Nigeria.

Consultant and Member of NG Governance GP Team

- Provided technical assistance with the business sample census data cleaning, analysis and report writing
- Provided technical assistance to the client on the design and implementation planning of the agricultural sample census
- Liaised with the World Bank's DEC-LSMS team and FAO on the agricultural sample census

**Sept. 2019 – June 2021** The World Bank Country Office, Abuja, Nigeria.

Consultant and Member of NG Poverty and Equity GP Team

- Produced reports on capacity training programs of Borno Statistical Project and M&E.
- Prepared report on poverty footprint of World Bank projects in Nigeria.
- Produced questionnaires for market access and farmer-herder conflict phone surveys.
- Cleaned and analyzed data for the market access and farmer-herder conflict surveys.
- Reviewed institutional assessment methodology & report for Borno Statistical Project and M&E System.
- Coordinated with technical experts for statistical capacity building & training modules.
- Collaborated with other technical experts to generate instruments for the 2021 Borno Youth Employment Survey.

**May-Sept. 2019** State Operations Coordinating Office (SOCU), World Bank Assisted Youth Empowerment and Social Support Operation (YESSO), Oyo State, Nigeria.

Management Information System (MIS) Consultant

- Advised the OYOSOCU MIS Unit on issues related to the downloading of data from the web-server.
- Gave professional advice on improving the process of data enumeration.
- Instituted the process of assessing the competence of enumerators through tests.
- Produced clean data set in the required formats from the data collected by the CAPI enumerators.

**2016 – 2019** Dept. of Agricultural Economics, University of Ibadan.

Research Assistant

- Took part in the data collection surveys for various sponsored projects domiciled in the department.
- Analyzed data and wrote reports/journal articles to disseminate findings from the projects.
- Co-supervised Bachelor's and Master's degree projects.

**2012 – 2015** Data entry & transcription jobs and writing research papers.

- Transcribed audio data collected during the Council for the Development of Social Science Research in Africa (CODESRIA)-sponsored research work on sexuality education in Nigerian secondary schools.
- Entered questionnaire data and conducted analysis for various postgraduate research projects.

**2008 – 2011** Little Scholars Schools, Malali, Kaduna (Full time)

- Form teacher, then Headteacher

**2006 – 2008** Agricultural Credit Corporation of Oyo State (ACCOS). (Full time)  
Agricultural Officer in the public service

- In charge of agricultural credit disbursement to smallholder farmers in two local government Areas (LGEAs) of Kajola & Iwajowa in the northern part of Oyo State.

## RESEARCH PUBLICATIONS

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<https://scholar.google.com/citations?user=KUEOxUMAAAAAJ&hl=en>

<https://www.researchgate.net/profile/Olaide-Akin-Olagunju/research>

## PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP

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- Member, International Association of Agricultural Economists (IAAE)
- Member, African Association of Agricultural Economists (AAAE)
- Member, Nigerian Association of Agricultural Economists (NAAE)
- Member, Rural Sociological Association of Nigeria (RuSAN)

## HANDS-ON EXPERIENCES

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1. **Team Representative**, Nigeria National Agricultural Sample Survey (NASS) Workshop on Data Validation, Data Anonymization and Report Writing. Sept. – Oct. 2024
2. **Technical Team Member**, NG National Agricultural Sample Census/Survey (NASC/NASS) Supervisory Committee. The 50x2030 Initiative (FAO, WB, IFAD). 2022- Date
3. NG National Agricultural Sample Census (NASC). National Bureau of Statistics (NBS)/World Bank/FAO  
**Role:** Supervising Consultant for the Training of Trainers (ToT) in Abuja Dec. 2022
4. NG National Agricultural Sample Census (NASC). National Bureau of Statistics (NBS)/World Bank/FAO  
**Role:** Supervising Consultant for the Training of Enumerators (ToE) in Kwara State 2022
5. **Field Coordinator**, Africa Gender Innovation Lab (GIL) - Nigeria Pro-Health International (PHI) Vocational Training Impact Evaluation Project for Vulnerable Women in Northern Nigeria 2022-24
6. NG National Agricultural Sample Census (NASC). National Bureau of Statistics (NBS)/World Bank/FAO **Joint Technical Team Membership** & Translation of the Listing and Community Questionnaires for the Nationwide Survey into the Yoruba Language 2022
7. **Team Member/Corresponding Investigator**, TeTFund/FGN Sponsored Research Project on Institutional and Governance Factors in International Standards Compliance for Enhanced Cocoa Export in Nigeria 2021/2022
8. Quantum Analytics NG Data Analyst Fellowship (DAF) Program (March Cohort 2022) Virtual Internship with the practical experience of building many dashboards with Excel, PowerBI and Tableau using life datasets March – August 2022
9. Borno Youth Employment Survey 2021 [Borno Governance Reform Project] WB/NBS, Abuja.  
**Role:** Production of proposal and design of instrument in conjunction with other technical experts.
10. National Business Sample Census (NBSC)/2021 National Survey of Establishments (NSE) [Fiscal Governance & Institutions Project] World Bank/NBS, Abuja. s  
**Role:** Supervising consultant for data entry, cleaning and report production 2021/2022

11. Capacity Building Training Program for the Staffers of the Borno State Statistical System and M&E. World Bank (WB)/National Bureau of Statistics (NBS)  
**Role:** Coordinator and resource person 2020
12. Nigerian State Survey on COVID-19 World Bank (WB)/National Bureau of Statistics (NBS)  
**Role:** Supervision/Monitoring of phone survey for FCT, Kano, Lagos and Rivers States 2020
13. Phone Survey on Effects of Farmer-Herder Conflict on Agricultural Production and Food Security in North-central Nigeria World Bank /National Bureau of Statistics  
**Role:** Questionnaire design & data analysis 2019/2020
14. Market Access Survey of Farming Households in Nigeria The World Bank/NBS HQ  
**Role:** Questionnaire design, data cleaning/analysis 2019/2020
15. Large Data Handling: Management of OYOSOCU Single Register (SR) data of the poor and the vulnerable comprising 49,500 members from about 11,000 households. 2019
16. Cassava Biomass Web field survey on Productivity Differentials and Cassava Actors' Vulnerability to Food Insecurity in Southwest Nigeria (Kwara and Ogun States, 2018) – BMBF/BMZ/IITA  
**Role:** Supervised field officers during data collection
17. Research work on 'Analysis of Cocoa Marketing System in Ghana' to assess the position of Ghana among other producing countries and assist in making informed policy decision in the sector 2019  
**Role:** (a) Review of literature on cocoa production and marketing characteristics  
(b) Analysis of cocoa beans production and trade in cocoa products  
(c) Full report writing
18. COMPRO-II (Commercial Products II) Survey on the Adoption of Improved Technologies by Farmers in Kano and Benue States (2016) – IITA- sponsored.  
**Role:** Field officer for data collection in two states
19. High Quality Cassava Flour (HQCF) Project funded by the International Institute for Tropical Agriculture (IITA). 2018  
**Role:** Contributed to report/paper writing and oversaw paper publication in international journal.
19. Regulatory Impact Assessment (RIA) of The Fertilizer Quality Control Bill (FQCB) executed by AGRA (Alliance for Green Revolution in Africa). 2017  
**Role:** Field officer for data collection in Lagos; co-preparation of report & production of PowerPoint for report presentation at the National Assembly, Abuja.
20. 'Feed-the-Future Nigeria Livelihood Project' to lead vulnerable households out of poverty in Northern Nigeria (Sokoto, Kebbi and FCT) – USAID-supported 2017  
**Role:** Co-preparation of proposal for submission to Catholic Relief Services (CRS)

## **SKILLS**

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Development Consulting • Research Analysis • Impact Evaluation • Agricultural Policy • Time Series  
International Trade Standards • Panel Data • Data Analytics • Data Visualization • Graphics Design

## **TOOLS**

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STATA • SPSS • EViews • R-Programming • PowerBI • Tableau • SQL • Canva • CorelDraw  
Microsoft Office • Survey Solutions • SurveyCTO • SurveyBe • Kobo ToolBox • ArcGIS

## LICENSES & CERTIFICATIONS

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- Introduction to Data Science – Cisco Networking Academy (2024)
- ArcGIS Online Basics – Esri (2024)
- Group 2 – Investigators – Human Research (CITI Program) - (2024-26)
- Nigerian National Code for Health Research Ethics – NHREC (CITI Program) - (2022-25)
- Manage Successful Field Research (DIME Analytics, World Bank) - 2023
- Foundations of Python for Data Science (DIME Analytics, World Bank) - 2022
- Manage Successful Impact Evaluation Surveys (DIME Analytics, World Bank) - 2022
- Project Management Training (DexNova Learning) - 2022
- Microsoft PowerBI Data Analyst Associate (PL-300) – 2023/2024
- Quantum Analytics Data Analyst Fellowship – 2022
  - *Excel, PowerBI, Tableau, SQL*
  - *Problem-Solving Skills*
- Google Data Analytics Courses 1-4 (Coursera) - 2022
- Basic Computing with MATLAB (MathTech Thinking Foundation, India)
- HTML and CSS Courses (Queen of Web) - 2023
- Fundamentals of Digital Marketing (Google) - 2022
- Duolingo Arabic Language Course - 2023
- Graduate Workshop in R Programming (UI/Pepperdine University, USA) - 2016
- Introduction to STATA (Feed-the-Future Program) - 2016

## LANGUAGES

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- English (Full professional proficiency)
  - Arabic (Professional working proficiency)
  - French (Elementary proficiency)
  - Yoruba (Native Proficiency)
  - Hausa (Limited working proficiency)
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