

CURRICULUM VITAE

PERSONAL DATA

Full Names: Sheidu Danjuma Asaka, B.Sc, M.Sc, PGDE, PhD
Email Address: sheiduasaka@gmail.com
Phone Contacts: 08032869917
Date of Birth: 25th August, 1984
Town: Atsagba-Gboloko
State of Origin: Kogi
Nationality: Nigerian
Current Postal Address: P.M.B 1008, Prince Abubakar Audu University, Anyigba
Permanent Home Address: Behind the King's Motel, Abuja Area, Anyigba
Marital Status: Married
Name of Spouse: Asaka Monoyiji Sadiya
Address of Spouse: Behind the King's Motel, Abuja Area, Anyigba
Name of Next of Kin: Asaka, Ayemlo Hameedat
Address of Next of Kin: Behind the King's Motel, Abuja Area, Anyigba

EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS ATTENDED WITH DATES

Institutions	Dates
i. Ahmadu Bello University, Zaria	2015- 2021
ii. National Teachers Institute, Kaduna	2014-2015
iii. Ahmadu Bello University, Zaria	2011- 2014
iv. Kogi State University, Anyigba	2001-2005
v. Government Secondary School, Emi- Guni, Kogi State.	1994-2000
vi. L.E.A Primary School, Gboloko, Kogi State.	1989-1994

ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS WITH DATES

Academic Qualifications	Dates
i. PhD Sociology (Criminology)	2021
ii. PGD (Education)	2015
iii. M.Sc Sociology (Criminology)	2014
iv. B.Sc Sociology (Second Upper)	2005
v. Senior School Certificate Examination	2000
vi. First School Leaving Certificate	1994

WORK EXPERIENCE

- i. **Lecturer II/Examination Officer**, Department of Sociology, Prince Abubakar Audu University, Anyigba from 2021 to Date.

Duties

- a. Lectures undergraduate sociological courses
- b. Undertakes both empirical and theoretical researches
- c. Coordinates departmental examinations
- d. Prepares and computes departmental results
- e. Ensures the approval of all undergraduate (Sociology Department) results are approved by the Departmental and Faculty Boards as well as the University Senate.

- ii. **Assistant Lecturer**, Department of Sociology, Prince Abubakar Audu University, Anyigba from May, 2018 to 2021.

Duties

- a. Lectured undergraduate Sociological courses
- b. Undertook researches

- iii. **Special Adviser on Media** to former Administrator of Bassa Local Government Area of Kogi State between May, 2016 and April, 2018

Duties

- a. Served as the spokesman of the Administrator
- b. Projected the image of the Local Government Area
- c. Created a platform for interface between the Administrator and the public

- iv. **Project Coordinator**, Kogi State University Library Building, a contract executed by TMCH Group Limited, from 2015 to 2017.

Duties

- a. Coordinated the entire activities of the project ranging from financial contribution to site workers and procurement of materials used for the building
- b. Served as a link between the TMCH Group Limited and Kogi State University Management.

- v. **Vice-Principal**, Silverbird International School, Agip Estate, Port Harcourt, from February, 2012 to July, 2014
Duties
 - a. Taught Government, Civic Education and Social Studies
 - b. Assisted the Principal in the implementation of the rules and policies of the school
- vi. **Head of Department (Art)/ Exam Officer**, Silverbird International School, Agip Estate, Port Harcourt, Rivers State between September, 2007 and June, 2011.
Duties
 - a. Taught Social Studies and Government
 - b. Coordinated all the Art teachers in the school
 - c. Coordinated all examinations (both internal and external) undertaken by the school.

ROUTINE ADMINISTRATIVE DUTIES WITH DATES

- i. Examination Officer in Sociology Department, Prince Abubakar Audu University (PAAU), Anyigba (1st June, 2020- date).
- ii. Chairman, Welfare Committee, Sociology Department, PAAU, Anyigba (2018-date)
- iii. Member, Pre-Post Graduate Presentation Committee, PAAU, Anyigba (2019-2020)
- iv. Chairman, Sub-Committee on Environment/Sanitation for Accreditation Exercise for Sociology Department, PAAU Anyigba (2020)
- v. Secretary, Sub-committee on Staff/Students' Support for Accreditation Exercise for Sociology Department, PAAU, Anyigba (2020)

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE/HONORS SOCIETIES

- i. Distinguished Service Award by Bassa Nge Youth Association (BNYA), 2017.
- ii. Certificate of Service as Secretary of Bassa Nge Online Community (BNOC), 2016.
- iii. Letter of Commendation by TMCH Group Limited, 2015.
- iv. Award for Best Graduating Sociology Student (2005) by Kogi State University, Anyigba
- v. Award for Overall Best Academic Performed Sociology Student by Sociology Department, Kogi State University, Anyigba 2005
- vi. Award for Excellent Leadership as President, Bassa Nge Students' Association (BNSA), Kogi State University, Anyigba 2005
- vii. Award for Financial Prudence as Treasurer, Nigerian Sociological and Anthropological Students Association (NSASA), 2005
- viii. Merit Award as a Favoured Quintessential Speaker in a Debate between Sociology and Mass Communication Students held on the 30th November, 2004 at Kogi State University, Anyigba by The Bliss Foundation
- ix. Anlele Brand Ambassador Award by Anlele Media News Channel, 2018
- x. Member, Nigerian Anthropological and Sociological Association (NASA)
- xi. Member, International Advisory Editorial Board for Indonesian Journal of Social and Environmental Issues

COMMUNITY SERVICES/LEADERSHIP POSITIONS:

- i. Participated in the National Youth Service Corps Scheme (NYSC) between 2006 and 2007.
- ii. Served as secretary of Bassa Nge Online Community (BNOC) between 2014 and 2018
- iii. Coordinator, National Youth Council of Nigeria (NYCN), Bassa Local Government Chapter, Kogi State from 2017 to 2021
- iv. President, Bassa-Nge Students Association (BNSA), Kogi State University Chapter, Anyigba between 2004 and 2005
- v. Protem Chairman, National Association of Bassa Local Government Students (NABLOGS), Kogi State University, Anyigba between 2004 and 2005
- vi. Pioneer Director of Welfare, National Association of Kogi State Students (NAKOSS), Kogi State University, Anyigba between 2004 and 2005
- vii. Treasurer, Nigerian Sociological and Anthropological Students Association (NSASA), Kogi State University, Anyigba between 2004 and 2005
- viii. Financial Secretary, Nigerian Sociological and Anthropological Students Association (NSASA), Kogi State University, Anyigba between 2003 and 2004

CONFERENCES ATTENDED/ORGANIZED WITH DATES

- i. 1st Annual Conference Organized by the Faculty of Social Sciences, Kogi State University, Anyigba from 11th to 13th March, 2020
- ii. National Conference held at Federal University, Lafia, Nigeria, from 22nd to 25th September, 2019.
- iii. National Conference organized by the Faculty of Arts and Humanities, Kogi State University, Anyigba from 21st to 24th July, 2019.

PUBLICATIONS/ARTICLES:

Peer Reviewed Journals

- i. Asaka, D. S. and Oguiche, G. U. (2022). "A Sociological Analysis of Good Governance: An Explanation to Insecurity in Nigeria", Gusau Journal of Sociology
- ii. Asaka, D. S.; Gyong, J. E and Maliki A. S. (2021). "Crude Oil Theft and Its Corresponding Actors in Delta State, Nigeria", Journal of Social Sciences University of Port Harcourt.

- iii. Asaka, D. S. and Awarun, O. (2020). "Understanding Mechanistic Explanation as a Strategy of Analytical Sociology". *Journal of Social and Environmental Issues*, 1 (3): 192-198
- iv. Owoyemi, J. O. and **Asaka, D. S.** (2018). "The Usage of Mobile Phone Device and Contemporary Antisocial Behaviour among Nigerian Youths", *Yar'Adua University Journal of Sociology (YUJOSO)*, 2(2):35-50
- v. **Asaka, D. S.** and Audu, M. (2018). "Philosophical Foundation to Social Research and the Understanding of Strategic Thinking in Sociological Enterprise", *Kogi Journal of Sociology (KOGJOURN)*, 3(1): 65-75
- vi. **Asaka, D. S.** (2017). "The Utilization of Social Media Platforms Using Mobile Phones among Secondary School Students in Bassa-Nge Land", *Kwararafa Journal of Contemporary Research*, 4(2): 299-311
- vii. **Asaka, D. S.** (2016). "The Relevance of Safety and Security for Effective Learning among Secondary School Students in Lokoja Local Government Area of Kogi State", *African Journal of Management, Social Sciences and Humanities*, 5(1):101-119.
- viii. **Asaka, D. S.** (2016): "A Primer to Social Theory: Towards Understanding Theory Construction and Application in Sociological Discourse", *IOSR Journal of Humanities and Social Science (IOSR-JHSS)* 21 (5), Ver. 6: 79-86
- ix. Gyong, J. E. & **Asaka, D. S.** (2014) "The Socio-Economic Implications of Kidnapping in Port Harcourt, Nigeria, *Dutse Journal of Humanities and Social Sciences*, 1: 206-242

Books/Chapter in Books

- i. **Asaka, D. S.** (2012) "Bassa Nge in a Global Village: Challenges and Prospects in the Nigerian State" Port Harcourt, Tozim Ventures Nigeria
- ii. **Asaka, D. S.** (2019). "Computer Application in Sociology" in A. Ocheja, J.O. Owoyemi and V.V Kakwagh (eds) *Topical Issues in Sociology*, Makurdi, Opashi Press

Papers Presented at Conferences

- i. **Asaka, D. S.** and Awarun, O. (2020). “Understanding Mechanistic Explanation as a Strategy of Analytical Sociology”. A Paper Presented at the 1st Annual Conference Organized by the Faculty of Social Sciences, Kogi State University, Anyigba from 11th to 13th March, 2020
- ii. **Asaka, D. S.** (2019). “The Plight of Victims of Kidnapping in the Nigerian Criminal Justice System”. A Paper Presented at a National Conference held at Federal University, Lafia, Nigeria, from 22nd to 25th September, 2019.
- iii. **Asaka, D. S.** (2019). “The Security Implication of Drug Abuse among Youths in Bassa Local Government Area of Kogi State, Nigeria”. A Paper Presented at a National Conference organized by the Faculty of Arts and Humanities, Kogi State University, Anyigba from 21st to 24th July, 2019.

Lectures Delivered at Seminars/Workshops

- i. Asaka, D. S. (2019). “The Importance of Youth Inclusiveness in Politics: The Bassa Nge Perspective”. A Paper Presented at Bassa- Nge Day Celebration Organized by Bassa Nge Students Association (BNSA), Kogi State University Chapter, Anyigba on the 19th of October, 2019
- ii. Asaka, D. S. (2019). “Understanding Functional and Qualitative Education as a Tool for Self-Actualization: Involving the Young Minds in Action Taking”. A Paper Presented at Education Seminar Organized by Bassa Nge Online Community (BNOC) at Gboloko Town hall on the 23rd of March, 2019
- iii. Asaka, D. S. (2018). “The Implications of Dropping Out of School in the 21st Century”. A PowerPoint Presentation at Educational Sensitization Seminar Organized by Bassa-Nge Online Community (BNOC) at Gboloko Town Hall on the 3rd of March, 2018.
- iv. Asaka, D.S (2015): “The Role of Students in the Development of Bassa Nge Land”. A Paper Presented at Bassa Nge Day Celebration Organized By Bassa Nge Students Association (BNSA) at Kogi State University, Anyigba on the 7th of November, 2015.

HOBBIES

Reading, Exploration (Research) and Sports (Football and Tennis).

REFEREES

- i. **Prof. J.E Gyong,**
Department of Sociology,
Ahmadu Bello University, Zaria.
08034533701
- ii. **Dr. J. O. Owoyemi**
Head of Department,
Department of Sociology,
Kogi State University, Anyigba.
08032251337
- iii. **Dr. B. N. Adams**
Head of Department,
Department of Urban and Regional Planning,
Federal Polytechnic, Idah
07036077717