**CURRICULUM VITAE**

**PRELIMINARY INFORMATION**

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Surname: Echekoba

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| Date of First Appointment | Nnamdi Azikiwe University, Awka. | 8th September, 2005 |
| Date of Regularization of Appointment | Nnamdi Azikiwe University, Awka. | 2nd May, 2008 |
| Date of Confirmation of Appointment | Nnamdi Azikiwe University, Awka. | 21st September, 2007 |

1. **PROMOTIONS INSTITUTION DATE**

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| Senior Lecturer | Banking and Finance Department, Nnamdi Azikiwe University, Awka. | 1/10/2017 |
| Lecturer 1 | Banking and Finance Department,Nnamdi Azikiwe University, Awka. | 1/10/2009 |
| Lecturer 11 | Banking and Finance Department, Nnamdi Azikiwe University, Awka. | 1/10/2006 |
| Assistant Lecturer | Banking and Finance Department, Nnamdi Azikiwe University, Awka. | 21/09/2005 |

**D: SUBSTANTIVE RANK AND DATE**

Date of Last Promotion 1/10/2017

**E: Rank to which Promotion is sought:** Reader

**F: EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS ATTENDED**

**INSTITUTION DEGREE OBTAINED PERIOD**

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
| Nnamdi Azikiwe University, Awka  | PhD in Banking & Finance | 2008- 2017 |
| University of Nigeria, Enugu Campus | MSc Banking and Finance | 2003- 2005 |
| University of Nigeria, Enugu Campus | BSc Banking and Finance | 1996- 2001 |
| Umuoji Boys High School, Umuoji | SSCE | 1984- 1989 |
| Ifiteora Primary School, Umuoji  | FSLC | 1979- 1983 |

**G: PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP**

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| **Professional Membership**  | **Qualification** | **Date** |
| Nigeria Institute of Management | Associate Member | 2006 - Date |
| Institute of Corporate Administration | Associate Member | 2006 - Date |
| AFRIHUB ICT Solutions for Africa | Certificate of Proficiency in computer appreciation and internet utility | 2007 |

**H: RELEVANT EXPERIENCE**

Lecturer, Nnamdi Azikiwe University, Awka 2005 – Date

**I: CREATIVE OUTPUT**

 **Book Chapter**

1. Echekoba, F. N. (2019). Theory of Money, Banking and Financial Markets: A Developing Country’s Perspective. Published by Peace Concepts, Abakiliki. ISBN: 978555084, Pp 329 – 367.

**Journal Articles**

1. **Echekoba, F. N.,** Okpala, C. M. & Anachedo, C. K. (2021). Effect of inflationary Trend on Nigeria Developing Economy (2010-2019). *International Journal of Research in Education and Sustainable Development, 1*(6), 42-56.
2. **Echekoba, F. N.,**Ubesie, C. M., Osakwe, C. I. & Anachedo, C. K. (2020). Effect of Firm Attributes on Timeliness of Financial Reporting: Evidence from Quoted Companies in Nigeria. International Journal of Research, 7(5), 495-51.
3. **Echekoba, F. N.**, Obi-Nwosu, V. O. Ubesie, C. M. & Mbanefo, P. A. (2020). Effect of Treasury Single Account (TSA) on Nigerian Banks Performance. *International Journal of Advanced Academic Research, 6*(6), 18-29.
4. Asuzu, P. U., **Echekoba, F. N.,** Ubesie, C. M. & Egbunike, F. C. (2019). Inventory turnover and firm performance of quoted consumer goods manufacturing firms in Nigeria. *Journal of Global Accounting Department of Accountancy, 6*(3), 97-122.
5. Umezurike, C. M., **Echekoba, F. N.**& Ananwude, A. C. (2019). Does Monetary Policy Affect Stock Market Return? Recent Evidence from the Nigerian Stock Exchange (1986 – 2018). *South Asian Journal of Social Studies and Economics, 5*(3), 1-8.
6. Okegbe, T. O., Egbunike, C. F. &**Echekoba, F. N.** (2019). Audit Quality, Ownership Concentration and Earnings Management: Evidence from Quoted Manufacturing Firms in Nigeria. *Journal of Global Accounting, 6*(2), 1-29.
7. Oleka, D. C., **Echekoba, F. N.**, Ananwude, A. C. & Nwakobi, P. C. (2019). Financial Structure and Financial Performance of Quoted Non-Financial Service Firms on Nigerian Stock Exchange (1993 – 2015). *European Academic Research, 7*(5), 2457 – 2495.
8. **Echekoba, F. N.**, Okika, C. E. & Ubesie, C. M. (2019). Board Gender Diversity & Organizational Financial Performance: Empirical Evidence from selected Quoted Deposit Money Banks in Nigeria. *Journal of Global Accounting, 6*(1), 45-58.
9. **Echekoba, F. N**.& Ubesie, C. M. (2018). Assessment of Financial Deepening on the Growth of Nigerian Economy: 1990-2016.*International Journal of Academic Management Research, 2*(11), 70-82.
10. Ubesie, C. M., **Echekoba, F. N.**, Chris-Ejiogu, U. G. & Ananwude, A. C. (2018). Sectorial Allocation of Deposit money Banks’ Credit & the Growth of Nigerian Real Economy: A Disaggregated Analysis 2008Q1-2017Q4.*Journal of Economics Management and Trade,22*(1), 1-22.
11. Nwakobi, P. C., **Echekoba, F. N.**& Ananwude, A. C. (2018). Fiscal Deficit in an Oil Dependent Revenue Country and selected Macroeconomic variables: A time series Analysis from Nigeria (1981­­­-2015).*European Journal of Economic and Financial research, 3*(1), 126-167.
12. **Echekoba, F. N.**, Ananwude, A. C. &Lateef, O. (2018). Effect of Monetary Policy on the Performance of the Nigerian Capital Market (1986-2016): Stylized Facts from ARDL Approach.*Advances in Research, 14*(6), 1 – 15.
13. Anazonwu, H. O., Egbunike, F. C. &**Echekoba, F. N.** (2018): Agency Cost and Dividend Payout: A Study of selected listed manufacturing firms in Nigeria.*Indonesian Journal of Management & Business Economics, 1*(1), 42-51.
14. Echekoba, F. N. & Okegbe, T. O. (2017). The impact of government expenditure on Nigeria economic growth: A further disaggregated approach. Journal of Global Accounting, 5(2),
15. **Echekoba, F. N.**, Okaro, C. S., Ananwude, A. C. & Akuesodo, O. E. (2017). Monetary Policy and Capital Market Performance: An Empirical Evidence from Nigerian Data. *Research journal of Economics,* 1(3), 1-5.
16. **Echekoba, F. N.** (2017).Effects of Exchange Rate Fluctuations on the Balance of Payment in the Nigerian Economy. *International Journal of Scientific Research and Management,*5(12), 7576 – 7583.
17. **Echekoba F. N.**& Egbunike, C. F. (2017).Foreign Direct Investment as an Engine for Sustainable Economic Growth: The Nigerian Experience*. Journal of Global Accounting, 5*(2),117 – 129.
18. **Echekoba, F. N**. &Ananwude, A. C. (2017).Modelling the nexus between External Debt Burden and Economic Growth in Nigeria: The ARDL Methodology.*Open Access International Journal of Science & Engineering,* 1(2), 27-37.
19. **Echekoba, F. N.**& Amakor, I. C. (2017). The Impact of Government Expenditure on Nigeria Economic Growth: AFurther Disaggregated Approach. *NG Journal of social Development, 6*(3), 34 – 48**.**
20. **Echekoba, F. N.**& Amakor, I. C. (2017). The Impact of Capital Structure on the Performance of Banking Industry. *Journal of Policy and Development Studies, 11*(2), 43 – 53.
21. **Echekoba, F. N.**, Adigwe, P. K., Ananwude, A. C. & Osigwe, P. A. (2017). Required Minimum Shareholders’ Fund and Bank Performance: Substantiation from the Nigerian Banking Sector. *European Academic Research,* 5(3), 1642-1679.
22. **Echekoba, F. N.**& Ananwude, A. C. (2016). The Relationship between Index of Industrial Production and Stock Market Liquidity: A Co-integration Evidence from Stock Exchange of Nigeria’s Value of Stock Traded Ratio. *Frontiers of Accounting and Finance,1*(1), 29–39.
23. **Echekoba, F. N.**& Ananwude, A. C. (2016). The Linkage between the Depth of Development in Nigerian Stock Market and Economic Growth: A Johansen Co-integration Approach (1981–2015). *Frontiers of Accounting and Finance,1*(1), 16–28.
24. **Echekoba, F. N.**& Ananwude, A. C. (2016). The Impact of Financial Structure on Firm Performance: A Study of Nigeria Agricultural and Healthcare Sector. *Archives of Current Research International*, *4*(1), 1-26.
25. **Echekoba, F.N.**& Egbunike, C. F.(2016). Corporate Social Responsibilities and Performance of selected Quoted Companies in Nigeria. *Journal of African Banking and Finance Review*, 2(2), 35-53.
26. Amakor I. C.,**Echekoba F.N.**& Ifeanyichukwu, C. D. (2016). The Adjustment of Consumer Price Index and Real Output to Naira Devaluation in Nigeria. *Journal of African Banking and Finance Review, 2*(2), 55-68.
27. **Echekoba, F. N.**&Ananwude, A. C. (2016). The Influence of Financial Structure on Profitability with Special Reference to Oil and Gas Firms in Nigeria. *Advances in Research,* 7(1), 1-17.
28. **Echekoba, F. N.**&Ananwude, A. C. (2016). The Effect of Financial Structure on Performance of Nigeria Consumer Goods Firms. *Journal of Scientific Research and Reports,* 10(4), 1-15.
29. **Echekoba, F. N.**& Ananwude, A. C. (2016). The Relationship between Corporate Performance and Financial Structure: An Empirical Study of Construction and Real Firms in Nigeria. *British Journal of Economics, Management and Trade*, 12(4), 1-17.
30. Adigwe, P.K., Udeh, F. N. P. &**Echekoba, F. N.** (2015). Financial Sector Reforms on the Stock Market: Nigerian Experience (1996- 2013). Scholars *Journal of Economics, Business and Management.2*(8B), 856-865.
31. Okonkwo, V. I., Obinozie, H. E. &**Echekoba, F. N.** (2015). The Effect of Information Communication Technology and Financial Innovation on Performance on Nigerian Commercial Banks (2001 – 2013). *Journal of Information Engineering and Applications,5*(7), 34-43.
32. **Echekoba, F. N.**, Okonkwo, V. I. & Adigwe, P. K. (2015). Trade Liberalization and Economic Growth: The Nigerian Experience (1971-2012)*. Journal of Business and Management, 17*(8), 85-100.
33. **Echekoba, F. N.**&Okonkwo, V. I.(2015). The Impact of Loan Syndication in the Growth of Nigerian Economy.*Scholars Journal of Economics, Business and Management, 2(*8A), 786-792.
34. Ezejiofor, R. A., Adigwe, P. K. &**Echekoba, F. N.** (2015). Tax as a Fiscal Policy and Manufacturing Company’s Performance as an Engine for Economic Growth in Nigeria.*European Journal of Business, Economics and Accountancy, 3*(3), 1 – 12.
35. Okonkwo, V. I. &**Echekoba, F. N.** (2015). Effect of Psychological Dispositions of Cooperative Members on Rural Development in Nigeria: A Study of Selected Cooperatives in Awka South Local Government Area of Anambra State. *European Journal of Business and Management,7*(7), 422 – 441.
36. Okonkwo, V. I., Ananwude, A. C. &**Echekoba, F. N.** (2015). Nigeria Stock Market Development and Economic Growth: A Time Series Analysis (1993 – 2013). *Scholars Journal of Economics, Business and Management,2*(3), 280-293.
37. Adigwe, P. K., **Echekoba, F. N.**& Onyeagba, J. B. C. (2015). Monetary Policy and Economic Growth in Nigeria: A Critical Evaluation.*Journal of Business and Management,17*(2), 110-119.
38. **Echekoba, F.N.**, Adigwe, P. K. & Amakor, I. C. (2015). Inflation and Growth in Developing Countries: The Nigerian Experience. *Journal of Business and Management*, *17*(2), 95-109.
39. Ezejiofor, R. A., **Echekoba, F. N.**, Adigwe, P. K. & Onyali, C. (2014). Relevance of Corporate Dividend Policy on the Shareholder’s Wealth. *Scholars Journal of Economics, Business and Management,* 1(10), 493-504.
40. **Echekoba, F. N.**, Ezu, G. K. & Egbunike, C. F. (2014). The Effect of the Nigerian Capital Market Operations on the Local Investments in Nigeria.*Kuwait Chapter of Arabian Journal of Business and Management Review,* 3(1), 35-42.
41. **Echekoba, F. N.**, Ezu, G. K. & Egbunike, C. F. (2014). The Impact of Capital Market on the Growth of the Nigerian Economy under Democratic Rule. *Arabian Journal of Business and Management Review (Oman Chapter),* 3(2), 53-62.
42. **Echekoba, F. N.** (2014). The Impact of Capitalization on the Banking Industry and the Nigeria Economy (An Evaluation). *Journal of Business and Management,* 16(10), 92-104.
43. **Echekoba, F. N.**, Egbunike, C. F.&Ezu, G. K.(2014). The Impact of Banking Reforms on the Profitability of Nigerian Banking Industry. *Journal of Business and Management,* 16(10), 61-77.
44. **Echekoba, F. N.**& Ezu, G. K. (2013) Effectiveness of Central Bank of Nigeria Policies for Stabilizing the Nigerian Foreign Exchange Rate system (1991-2010). *OSPOLY Journal of Arts & Social Sciences, 2*(1). 1-14.
45. **Echekoba, F. N**. & Ezu, G. K. (2013) Islamic Banking in Nigeria: A Critical Appraisal of its effect on the Nigerian Economy*. Review of Public Administration & Management, 2*(3). 37-48.
46. **Echekoba, F. N.** & Ezu, G. K. (2012). Electronic Retail Payment Systems: User Acceptability and Payment Problems in Nigeria.*Arabian Journal of Business and Management Review (Oman Chapter),1*(5), 111-123.
47. Egbunike, F. C., **Echekoba, F. N.**& Udeh, F. N. (2012). A Novel Stakeholder Sustainability Knowledge Management (SSKM) Model: Developing Linkages of Stakeholder management, Knowledge management and Triple Bottom Line Performance. *Review of Public Administration & Management,* 1(2), 227-247.
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49. **Echekoba, F. N.**& Ezu, G. K. (2012). Efficient Market Hypothesis: A Historical Perspective, a Study of Nigerian Capital Market. *Kuwait Chapter of Arabian Journal of Business and Management Review,* 1(9), 76-86.
50. **Echekoba, F. N.**& Chukwuemeka, E. E. O. (2011). Appraisal of Privatization and Divestment Policy in Nigeria: A Study of Olusegun Obasanjo’s Administration. *Academic Journal of Management Sciences, 1*(1), 40-52.
51. **Echekoba, F. N.**& Ezu, G. K. (2010). Performances of Commercial Banks in Pre and Post Consolidation periods in Nigeria. *Journal of the Management Sciences, 10*(2). 75-92.
52. Chikeleze, B. E.&**Echekoba, F. N.**(2008). Industry Insurance Business and Information Communication Technology: Nigeria Insurance Experience. *Journal of the Management Sciences, 1*(1). 179-200.
53. Ogbuagu, E. O. &**Echekoba, F. N.**(2007). Banking Consolidation and Micro Economic Management of the Nigerian Economy. *Journal of Banking, Finance and Development, 1*(1). 21-36.
54. **Echekoba, F. N.** & Ezeoha, A. E. (2007). Review of the Pre-consolidation Corporate Social Responsibilities of Nigerian Banks and the Need for Realignment. *Journal of the Management Sciences, 1*(2). 12-34.
55. Chikeleze, B. E. &**Echekoba, F. N.**(2007). Enhancing Accessibility of Microfinance by Rural Populace for Sustainable Community Development. *Journal of Policy and Development Studies, 1*(2). 19-26.
56. Chukwuemeka, E. E. O. &**Echekoba, F. N.**(2007). Total Quality Management in the Manufacturing Sector: A Study of Anambra Motor Manufacturing Company (ANAMMCO, Enugu). *Journal of Marketing Research, 2*(2). 65-76.
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58. **Echekoba, F. N.**& Chikeleze, B. E.(2006). Effective Image Management of Insurance Industry in Nigeria: The role of Insurance Marketers. *Journal of Business Studies, 5*(1). 21-39.

**Conference/Seminar Papers**

Echekoba, F. N. et al (2012). A Novel Stakeholder Sustainability Knowledge Management’ (SSKM) Model: Developing Linkages of Stakeholder Management, Knowledge Management and Triple Bottom Line Performance. A Paper Presented at Accounting and Finance Research Association, AFRA, Enugu, 2012.

Echekoba, F. N. et al (2014). Impact of Capital Market Reforms on Economic Growth: The Experience. Proceedings from 4th International Accounting and Finance Research Association Conference, 2014.

**J: ACADEMIC LEADERSHIP**

Postgraduate Supervisor, Department of Banking and Finance, Nnamdi Azikiwe University, Awka, NAU/SPGS/60, 2018.

Academic Adviser, Department of Banking and Finance, Diploma Programme 2015 - 2018.

**K: ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE**

Coordinator Diploma Programme, Department of Banking and Finance, Faculty of Management Sciences, Nnamdi Azikiwe University, Awka. 2015 - 2018

Examination Officer, Department of Banking and Finance, Faculty of Management Sciences, Nnamdi Azikiwe University, Awka. 2015 - 2018

External Examiner, Chukwuemeka Odumegwu Ojukwu University, Department of Banking and Finance, 2020.

**L: CONTRIBUTION TO UNIVERSITY**

Deputy Chairman, Undergraduate Accreditation Committee

Nnamdi Azikiwe University 2020 – 2021

Checker, University CEP Examinations 2010 – 2015

Member University ExaminationsTime Table Committee 2010 – 2015

Member CEP Monitoring, Nnamdi Azikiwe University 2014 – 2015

Academic Adviser Year Three and Diploma 2016 – 2017

Member, Department Banking and Finance Journal Publication,

Undergraduate Results, Welfare, and Ethics, Interactive & Image-making

Committee 2016 – 2017

Diploma Programme Coordinator/Exam Officer 2016 – 2018

Academic Adviser Year Three/Computation of their result till final year 2017 – 2018

Member, Department Banking and Finance Undergraduate Results

Computation, and Methods & Procedure Committee 2017 – 2018

Member, Faculty of Management Sciences Examinations Misconduct

Committee 2018 – 2019

Member, Faculty of Management Sciences Works and Environment

Committee 2018 – 2019

Member, Faculty of Management Sciences Research Grant and Workshop

Committee 2018 – 2019

Member, Faculty of Management Sciences Business Roundtable Series

and Linkage Committee 2018 – 2019

**M: CONTRIBUTION TO SOCIETY**

SPO Onitsha South Constituency Election 2015

SPO Onitsha South Senatorial Election 2015

Collation Officer, Onitsha North Constituency Election 2019

Collation Officer, Onitsha North Senatorial Election 2019

Collation Officer, Onitsha North Presidential Election 2019

Collation Officer, Anocha I State Constituency Election 2019

President, Saint Francis Parish Block Rosary, Umuoji

Financial Secretary (IDESA) Idemili Students Association Universityof Nigeria, Enugu Campus Chapter (1998-2000)

Financial Secretary (UMSA), Umuoji Student Association, University of Nigeria, Enugu Campus Chapter (1998-2000)

Chairman Uruedeke Ukaoye Village Meeting, Umuoji (2014-2018)

Vice- Chairman, Parish Council, Regina Caeli Parish Umuoji, (2011-2018)

Chairman St. Patrick’s Zone, St. Francis of Assisi Parish, Awka (2012-2015)

**N:** **SUPERVISIONS**

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**O: EDITORSHIPS**

Assistant Editor, Lawarence Press/Publications, India. 2015 – Date

Editor, National Journal of Banking and Finance, Federal Polytechnic Oko. 2021 – Date

Editorial Board, African Banking and Finance Review, Nnamdi Azikiwe University, Awka. 2016-2017

Editorial Board, African Banking and Finance Review, Nnamdi Azikiwe University, Awka. 2015-2016

**P: EXAMINERSHIPS**

Alternate Undergraduate External Examiner, Department of Banking and Finance,

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