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LINKS

Orcid, GoogleScholar, LinkedIn

PROFILE

I have taught Research Design and Research Methodology at the Masters level at UKZN. I have over seven (7) years of teaching and administrative experiences in South Africa universities. I have also published over 19 articles in DHET accredited journals and on track to reach twelve (12) outputs by the end of 2021. I am currently serving as editorial members and reviewers for various international journals in the US, Europe, and Africa. I am currently working on the Web applications of the Online Resources for Higher Education Transformation as Systems Librarian, and on the Fourth Industrial Revolution Research Flagship, and scientometric evaluations of knowledge production.

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

♦ Lecturer, University of KwaZulu-Natal, School of Social Sciences..... Feb- September 2020

Teaching Research Design and Research Methodology (Masters Level) in the following Departments

- 1. MSc. Information Studies
- 2. MSc. Policy and Development Studies
- - · Co-supervised PhD thesis in Information Studies
 - Assigned by the School of Social Science cluster chair as internal examiner/reviewer for PhD and Masters submission for higher degree
 - I have examined and moderated three PhD candidates submissions
 - · and two Masters submissions
- - PhD thesis co-supervision; titled: The Sustainability Strategies of Electronic Information Resources by the Universities Libraries
 - Serving as internal examiners/reviewer of PhD thesis proposal before submission to the higher degree for approval
 - Currently carrying out research on the 4th Industrial Revolution (4IR) and Digital Humanities
 - I am developing a Library Management System using an open-source technology for Library and Information Studies students
 - · Designing and designing web application curriculum for LIS studies of the college
 - Designing practical web application development for non-computer science students
 - Working on the UKZN bigdata research flagship (4IR and Digital Humanities)
 - I created innovative tools to visualize the school strategic plans while working with the Dean of Management IT and Governance on the School (the Dean challenged my creativity to attempt the project that was meant for external consultants, but I was able to execute the project with the Dean)
 - I have completed an innovative webometric analysis using the top six South African ranked universities to measure knowledge production
 - · Conducting and publishing articles business and IT alignment as well as E-participation and E-government.

Subject taught

- · 4th-year Management of Information Systems
- · Management theories, and knowledge management
- · Management of libraries and information services
- · Collection development in information centres and libraries
- · Electronic resource management and digital collection policies
- · Bibliographies, reference techniques, and reference process

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- Co-designed and prototype virtual librarian (using human-computer interaction)
- The prototype and final outputs were co-presented at the student conference at VU Amsterdam in 2014
- · Performed database searches and information retrievals

Self-service Circulation Desk, Science Park UvA Library, Universitiet van Jul 2013 — Jul 2014 Amsterdam

Amsterdam

Shelf-reading and tracing books

Checking out books using automated library system

Checking-in returned books using the automated library system

Conducted databases searches and information retrieval

Participated in online training and databases access training

- Worked with the Information Librarian to conduct database search training to library patrons
- Working in the Circulation Desk:
- Issuing books using the Sierra Library Management System
- · Processing returned library material
- · Reorganizing returned books to the shelves
- · Performed shelf-reading

❖ E-resource Librarian/Student Administrator, Office for International Feb 2011 — Sep 2013 Affairs (OIA), University of Fort Hare

East London, Alice

Core Function:

- Tasked with managing the e-resources library and collection development
- · Responsible for the e-library digital content management
- · Creating, updating and maintaining databases, and records
- · Mandated to create integrated and distributed repositories for the office
- · handling of archiving administrative records in the digital environment and senior administrator office
- Designed an integrated library automation systems
- Appraisal of records and digitization of non-active records migration
- · Handling of information and records management system to enforce immigration and visa applications compliance
- · Responsible in part for handling staff and student international exchange programs information systems
- Responsible for socializing all exchange students on Erasmus and community engagement.
- · Responsible for training new interns, and students administrator
- · Participated in all strategic planning meeting that to increase efficiencies and mandate of the office
- An information officer in charge of compiling information on immigration regulation and policies changes
- Acted as liaison between the university and the foreign embassies
- · responsible for drafting and preparing letters of recommendations to foreign embassies for staff and students

East London & Alice

Duration: March to May 2011 & 2012

• Tasked with marketing Compcare Medical Aid Scheme to students

- · Ensuring that international student comply with immigration policies on insurance
- · Creating databases of old and newly enrolled medical aid clients
- · Served as liaison with the Department of Home Affairs and International Office to authenticate medical
- Resolve dispute between medical-aid clients and doctors (GPs)
- Report to the sales representative on the scheme performances
- · Conduct training for new sales representatives for two academic calendars

Secretary to the Chief Accountant, University of Ibadan Venture Ltd Feb 2009 — Feb 2009

Ibadan

Core Functions:

- · I was responsible for general office administration, receiving guest, directing calls at the head office
- · I was tasked with liaising with all 8 business units of UI Venture Ltd and their clients and facilitated approval by the Chief Accountant
- · Responsible for posting ledgers into the chief-accountant accounting system
- · Posting daily expenses into expenses ledgers at the Chief Accountant system
- · Work as the office administrator and secretary to the Chief Accountant at the corporate head office
- Handles general office administration at the head office, process request for finance
- · Conduct monthly inventory for UI hotel and conference centres by updating

♦ Secretary-General, Student Union Government Oct 2007 — Nov 2008

The Federal Polytechnic Ado-Ekiti

Core Function:

- · Tasked with ensuring no student protest, vandalism, and disruptions to the academic calendar. My efforts promoted leadership effectiveness that resulted in no protest after 5 years of previous interruptions to academic calendars
- Otherfunctionsinclude
- · Management of the student union government secretariat and information resources
- · Creating and maintaining the institutions' student's government records management systems
- · Digital archival of all transaction using the database management systems
- · Designing the records management policy and ensuring compliance with standards
- · Training executive staff members on electronic database management and updates
- · Serve as major contributors to institution strategic management and liaising with the state

Ibadan, Nigeria

Core Competence:

- · Marketing and promoting business services to high-profile clients and improving patronage
- · Responsible for placing adverts and conducting interviews
- Recording business transactions and data entries into sales ledgers
- · Supervision of staff and allocation of duties and routinely conduct performance assessment
- · Training of staff on sales and inventory database management to ensure the weekly update

Teaching first-year undergraduate students _

- 1. Cataloguing, and classifications
- 2. Shelf reading (explaining how to access materials from the library's open shelves)
- 3. Records management and maintaining file plan

Front end Development

- · HTML and CSS
- Grid and Table
- · Boostraping, using Boostrap4
- Introduction to Javascript ES6
- Js_Website Behaviour
- · JS Data Types and Variables

& Experiential Mobile Application	Mar 2020 — Present
Integration of open source tool kit for mobile application	
 Digital Archives Metadata Capturer, African Media On Processing of digitized archives metadata worked on the Nelson Mandela digitisation project researching about digitized resources to verify metadata accuracy using the MEMAT metadata UI for parsing of image metadata ability to process, store and reference digital assets metadata 	Remote (Virtual Services)
EDUCA	TION
♦ University of Fort Hare, South Africa	
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♦ University of Amsterdam MSc-Information Studies (Business Information Systems	Aug 2014 Amsterdam, The Netherlands
❖ University of Fort Hare, South Africa	
♣ Federal Polytechnic, Nigeria Higher National Diploma in Secretarial Studies	
♣ University of KwaZulu-Natal Postgraduate Diploma in Information and Library Studies	
SKIL	LS
Technology-enhanced Research & Expert Development Big Data, 4IR and Quantitative Skillful	Experienced Professional in Database
Research Conceptualization and Expert	Certified Archives Digital Masterclass Experienced Goal-oriented People's Management Experienced
Design	Teaching and learning in digital spaces Experienced
Bibliometrics, Scientometric and Experienced Infographic Research	using Moodle Certified International Image Skillful
Experience using integrated library	Interoperability Framework
Experience using RDA and the MARC Skillful Standard tools	

SCHOLARLY PUBLICATIONS

*	Ajibade, P., & Mutula, S. M. (2020). Big Data Research Outputs in the Library and Information Science: South African's Contribution using Bibliometric Study of Knowledge Production. African Journal of Library, Archives & Information Science, 30(1).
*	Patrick Ajibade and Stephen M. Mutula (2020). Big data, 4IR and electronic banking and banking systems applications in South Africa and Nigeria. Banks and Bank Systems, 15(2), 187-199. doi:10.21511/bbs.15(2).2020.17
*	Ajibade, P., & Mutula, S. M. (2020). An alternative approach to fostering
•	Patrick Ajibade, Stephen Mutula, (2020). Promoting SMEs effectiveness 2020 — 2020 through innovative communication strategies and business-IT alignment. Problems and Perspectives in Management. Volume 18, Issue 3, 2020
•	Ajibade, P., & Mutula, S. M. (2019). Integrated Records Management: Using Software Design Approach to Support Business Process Management and Compliance in the Networked Environment. New Review of Information Networking, 24(2), 178-192.
•	P. Ajibade & S, M. Mutula (2019). Bibliometric Analysis of Citation 2019 Trends and Publications on E-government in Southern African Countries: A Human-computer Interactions and IT Alignment Debate Library Philosophy and Practice
•	P. Ajibade, E.M. Ondari-Okemwa & M.M. Matlhako (2019). Information
•	P. Ajibade & S.M. Mutula (2018). Information Management as a Nexus to 2018 Promote the use of Indigenous Medicine and Enhance Public Healthcare Delivery: A Bibliometric Analysis.
*	Ajibade, P. & Mutula, S. M. (2018). Information Management as a Nexus to Promote the use of Indigenous Medicine and Enhance Public Healthcare Delivery: A Bibliometric Analysis. Library Philosophy & Practice.
•	Ajibade, P. (2018). Technology Acceptance Model Limitations and Criticisms: Exploring the Practical Applications and Use in Technology- related Studies, Mixed-method, and Qualitative Researches. Technology.
Lib	rary Philosophy and Practice (e-journal)
٠	Ajibade, P., & Khayundi, F. (2018). Implications of records management policy for the small and medium enterprises sustainability in Raymond Mhlaba municipality in South Africa. ESARBICA Journal: Journal of the Eastern and Southern Africa Regional Branch of the International Council on Archives, 37, 178-194.

*	Ajibade, P. (2018). The Contributions of Information Management in Promoting Indigenous Medicine Use to Enhance Public Healthcare Systems. Ethno Med, 12(4), 244-252.	2018 —	- 2018
*	Ajibade, P. (2017). Efficient Information Management as Organisational Performance Drivers in South Africa. Journal of Social Sciences, 53(2), 95-106.	2017 —	- 2017
*	Ajibade, P., & Khayundi, F. E. (2017). The Role of Records Management in Small Micro and Medium Enterprises (SMMEs) in South Africa and Its Implications for Business Sustainability. African Journal of Library, Archives & Information Science, 27(2), 175-188.	2017 —	- 2017
*	Kang'ethe, S. M., & Ajibade, P. (2016). Validating the fact that effective information packaging and dissemination is a strong tool to mitigate the effects of HIV/AIDS in selected African countries. Journal of Human Ecology, 55(3), 221-226.	2016 —	- 2016
*	Ajibade, P. (2016). The role of knowledge management in improving small, micro and medium enterprises productivity: A case of Nkonkobe Municipality, South Africa. Journal of Social Sciences, 47(3), 229-238.	2016—	- 2016
*	Ajibade, P. (2016). Validating information sensing in a South African University as an impetus to improved information management practice and performances. Journal of Social Sciences, 48(3), 225-238.	2016—	- 2016
*	Ajibade, P. (2015). Enhancing sexual and reproductive health Information of adolescents as a panacea to curb HIV and AIDS in Nigeria. Journal of Human Ecology, 52(3), 183-191.	2015 —	- 2015
*	Ajibade, P. (2014). The role of records management in the sustainability of small micro medium enterprises (SMMEs) in the Eastern Cape, South Africa: a study of Alice and Fort Beaufort (Doctoral dissertation, University of Fort Hare).	2014 —	- 2014
	PUBLICATIONS IN PRESS		
*	Ajibade, P. % Stephen M Mutula (2020). Blockchain Technology Alignment into Public Contracts Records Management to Mitigate Corruption in South Africa. South Africa Society of Archivist (Submitted)	2020 —	- 2020
*	Ajibade, P & Stephen M. Mutula (2020). Bibliometric Analysis of Library Management Systems Innovation and South African LIS field Contributions in the era of Technological Integration. South African Journal of Library and Information Science. (submitted-Peer Review Stage)	2020 —	- 2020
*	Ajibade P, & Stephen, M. Mutula (2020). Libraries and Institutions' Promotion of Open Access Publications: A Bibliometric Analysis of Social Sciences Outputs	2020 —	- 2020

*	Ajibade, P. & Stephen, M. Mutula (2020). Scientometric Mapping of Big	-2020
*	Ajibade, P & Stephen M. Mutula (2020). Factor Inhibiting Business and IT Integration in the Small and Medium-sized Enterprises in South Africa and Nigeria. African Journal of Economic and Finance. (Submitted)	- 2020
*	Ajibade, P. & Stephen Mutula (2020). Mapping of Libraries and Institutions' Promotion of Open Access Publications in South Africa: Social Sciences Outputs (peer review stage)	- 2020
*	Ajibade, P. & Stephen M. Mutula (2020). The Surge of Digital Economic During the COVID-19 Pandemic: A Practical Insights for the Academic Libraries (Submitted)	- 2020
*	Ajibade, P & Stephen M. Mutula (2020). New Insights into Factors Inhibiting Business and IT Alignment in the Small and Medium-sized Enterprises, submitted to Problems and Perspectives in Management Journal	-2020
*	Ajibade, P. & Stephen, M. Mutula (2020). Bibliometric Analysis of Challenges, Trends and Gaps in Banking Systems Research in South Africa and Nigeria (in press)	- 2020
	INTERNATIONAL & NATIONAL CONFERENCE OUTPUTS	
٠	P. Ajibade & S.M. Mutula (2019). The 4th Industrial Revolution and the Alignment of Innovative Technology in the LIS Profession: Challenges and Opportunities. 20th Library and Information Association of South Africa Annual Conference	
*	P. Ajibade (2017). Alignment of Information Technology in Africa: Insights from Small and Medium Enterprises. 2017 NIHSS Annual National Doctoral Conference. Birchwood, Johannesburg, Sout	
Ū	P. Ajibade (2016). The Role of Information Technology Alignment in Small and Medium Enterprises as an Alternative Trajectory to Foster Regional Integration. 2016 NIHSS Annual National Doctoral Conference	-2016
•	P. Ajibade, H, Belarbi, E. Crosanto, & A. De nijs (2014). Embodied Conversational Agents (ECAs) on the acceptance of Virtual Librarian. 2014 Human-Computer Interaction Student Conference, Vrije Universiteit, Amsterdam, The Netherlands	-2014
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٠	P. Ajibade et at. (2014). Institute of Mathematics and Informatics, A step towards formalised processes; a research project on formal information behaviour within Arkin. 2014 Business Information- Systems Presentation, Science Park, Universiteit van Amsterdam, The Netherlands	2014 —	2014
*	P. Ajibade (2013). Internationalisation and Scholarly Teaching: What could South Africa Possibly Learn from Harvard University, MIT and Berkeley Networking Partnerships? 17th Annual Conference, of International Education Association of South Africa (IEASA) 21 – 23 August 2013	2013 —	2013
*	P. Ajibade (2013). Ethno- Scientific Way of Learning among African Student; Interlinking Role of Indigenous Knowledge Management and Internationalization to Enhance Learning. 17th Annual Conference,- of International Education Association of South Africa (IEASA) 21 — 23 August 2013	2013 —	2013
*	P. Ajibade (2013). Digitisation and information security A Case of African National Congress Project Antelope Liberation Archives. South African Society of Archivists Conference, Durban South Africa (SASA) 2013	2013 —	2013
•	P. Ajibade (2013). The Role of Tacit and Explicit Knowledge Management in the Production and Advancement of Small, Micro and Medium Enterprises in Nkonkobe, South Africa. 2013 Conference of World Academy of Researchers, Educators and Scholars (WARES)	2013 —	2013
*	P. Ajibade (2013). A Study of the Impact of Records Management on the Sustainability of Small, Micro and Medium Enterprises (SMMEs). 2013 Conference of World Academy of Researchers, Educators and Scholars (WARES)	2013 —	2013
*	P. Ajibade (2013). Access to Records and Archives in the Eastern Cape Provincial Archives. The South African Society of Archivists Annual Conference, 10-12 July 2013 Durban (SASA) 2013	2013 —	2013
	SCHOLARSHIPS RECEIVED		
*	Postdoctoral Research Fellowship, University of KwaZulu-Natal (2018 till date)	Pietermari	
.	NIHSS-CODESRIA African Pathways Doctoral Scholarship Apr 2015	— May	2018
*	South Africa – Vrije Universiteit Strategic Skill Acquisition _Master Jun 201 Scholarship	3 — Aug	2014
	INTERNSHIPS		
٠	Secretary-Receptionist, , Legaltext Publishing	05 — Jul	2005
(inc	dustrial and work experience training)		Lagos
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served as the secretary to the general managerserved as the first point of contact to the company

- · to receive calls and taking minutes at management meetings
- · responsible for typing correspondences

MEMBERSHIP OF PROFESSIONAL BODIES

❖ Library and Information Association of South Africa (LIASA) • Library and Information Association of South Africa (LIASA) • South African Society of Archivist (SASA) · World Academy of Researchers · Certificate on Performance Monitoring & Evaluation by EvalPartner, USA Reader: MIT Business Reviews 2014 — 2019 USA COURSES United Nations in Partnership with EvalPartner, USA **HOBBIES** Developing web application; designing socially-relevant studies using the 4IR; performing document and webometric analysis; exploring big data and blockchain technologies and 4IR, and reviewing journal manuscripts in my free time. **EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES** for LIS Applications ❖ Self-initiated Digital Humanities Studies, 2017—2019 **LANGUAGES** English Highly pro(cient RESEARCH DEVELOPMENT TRAINING Academic Writing Workshop, organized by GMRDC Research Centre, May 2015 — Nov 2015 University of Fort Hare, Alice **Dates Attended:** 27-29 May 2015; 21-23 Sept, 2015; 22-26 Nov. 2015 Advanced Academic writing for Publications Mar 2014 — Nov 2014 Hunterstoun, Hogsback **Dates Attended:**

10-14th March; 02-06th June; 21-25th November; 2014

❖ Advanced Academic Writing Workshop
Dates Attended: East London
12-14 May 2017 & 22-25 June 2017
❖ Quantitative, Qualitative and Mixed Method research methodology
Dates Attended:
01 March; 12 April; 10 May; 14 June; 06 Sept., 2013
♦ Budgeting and Financial Management for Research (by GMRDC
Dates Attended:
09 July, 2013; 16 August 2013; 30 Sept. 2013
♦ Nvivo Software and Qualitative Research Method
22&29 April 2013
RESEARCH & FIELDWORK EXPERIENCE
❖ Big Data and Spatial Humanities Research Flagship
Based on UKZN Research Flagship University of KwaZulu-Natal, Pietermaritzburg
 Fourth Industrial Revolution (Using the Big Data to Solve Societal Challenges) Digital Humanities in the Era of Big Data (Opportunities, Prospects for knowledge Production)
♦ Business Ethics & Enterprises Sustainability
Self-initiated Project
 Examining Business Ethics & the Role of Unethical Business Practice in Unemployment Chinese Imports, Market Share and Effective on South Africa Economic Sustainability
Research Assistant to the Head of Department
 I have completed a PhD research, using qualitative thematic analysis, multi-level factor analysis I have worked as a research assistant to the Head of Departmental to conduct research on his self-initiated research project niche and also volunteered as a departmental administrative liaison (May 2015- November 2017) Provided critical research expertise to assist the HoD regarding book chapters and research on "information"
broker" projects
Electric Vehicle Service-oriented Design Project Sep 2013 — Nov 2013 VU University, Amsterdam
• I and other four colleagues were assigned a project in the Netherlands on Software Design to improve Electric Vehicle (Cars) battery lifespan and our outputs were impressive for the industries experts and VU professors graded the final presentation above 80 % (+A)
♦ MSc Project Information Behaviour 2014 — 2014 Amsterdam, Netherlands
As part of my MSc prerequisite, I and three other colleagues jointly conducted evaluative research at the Arkin Institute for Mental Health in Amsterdam, and our findings were presented at the companies and the University of

Amsterdam on how to improve the agility of their business process by eliminating information asymmetries based on the identified problems

EDITORIAL SERVICES

♦ Editorial Board Member
 Lead Guest Editor, Information and Computer Security Editorial Board Member, Insight-Information Journal
JOURNAL REVIEWS
❖ Journal Reviews
 African Journal of Library, Archive and Information Science Taylor and Francis, Journal of Social Science
❖ Scientometric Journal Mar 2020 — Present
Scientometric, Netherland (March 2020 - Present) The Netherland
South African Journal of Information Management Feb 2020 — Present South African South African Learnel of Left-marking Management (March 2020, Present)
South African Journal of Information Management (March 2020 - Present)
❖ Digital Humanities Nov 2019 — Present Canada & The Netherlands
African Journal of Library, Archives & Information Science Feb 2018—Present
♦ Journal of Health Information Management Systems
❖ Taylor and Francis, Journal of Social Science 2016—2018 United Kingdom
REFERENCES
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