

Curriculum Vitae for

Valentine Udoh James, Ph.D.; CES*; CAQS*
Faculty, Full Professor with Tenure
Anthropology, Geography and Earth Science [AGES]
Department, College of Arts and Sciences
Clarion University of Pennsylvania
Clarion, Pennsylvania

Summary of Educational Training

- 1984 **Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.):**
Texas A&M University, College Station, Texas.
Urban and Regional Science; Department of Urban and Regional Planning.
Major: Urban and Regional Planning.
Minor: Recreation and Parks.
Dissertation: Attractiveness of New Towns to Industries and
Workers: A Comparative Study of the Midwest
and Sunbelt New Communities in the USA.
- 1981 **Master of Arts (M.A.):**
Governors State University, University Park, Illinois.
Major: Environmental Science.
Minor: Environmental Planning and Management.
Thesis: A Survey of Ground Water Problems in
Lake and Porter Counties of Indiana.
- 1979 **Bachelor of Science (B.S.):**
Tusculum College, Greeneville, Tennessee.
Major: Biology, Area of Concentration: Animal Ecology.
- 1974-1976 **Tusculum College--American College of Rome**, Italy.
Major: Liberal Arts.

**Certified Environmental Specialist*

**Certified Air Quality Specialist*

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Clarion, Pennsylvania 16214-1232
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Personal Data:

Health: Excellent
Citizenship: USA

ACADEMIC RECORD

- 1984 **Doctor of Philosophy:** Texas A&M University, College Station, Texas.
Urban and Regional Science; Department of Urban and Regional Planning.
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Indiana.
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Tusculum College--American College of Rome, Italy 1974-1976.
Major: Liberal Arts.

CONTINUED EDUCATION/PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

- 2010 Academic Affairs Summer Meeting. American Association of State Colleges and Universities (AASCU) "Re-imagining Undergraduate Education: Leadership Strategies and Organizational Models" (Panel Discussion 1); The Work of the Provost (Discussion Panel 2). Chicago, Illinois, July 29-31.
- 2010 Teresa Farnum's Student Retention and Recruitment Workshops. Washington, D.C., June 21-23.
- 2010 "Funding for Engagement." Virginia Tech's Center for Organizational and Technological Advancement. Roanoke, Virginia, June 11-13.
- 2010 The American Association of State Colleges and Universities (AASCU) Winter Meeting "Rethinking the University." Developing the Engagement Plan for the University of the Virgin Islands. St. Thomas, US Virgin Islands, February 4-6.
- 2009 Council for Advancement of Standards in Higher Education. "National symposium on Standards, Self Assessment and Student Learning Outcomes. Arlington, Virginia, November 15-17.

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- 2009 Middle States Commission on Higher Education. “The 2009 Self Study Institute” Philadelphia, PA., November 10-11.
- 2009 “Engagement Academy for University Leaders.” Virginia Tech’s Center for Organizational and Technological Advancement. Roanoke, Virginia, June 22-26.
- 2009 Summit on Closing the Education Gaps in Nigeria. Washington, D.C., May 3-4.
- 2009 Education Mission to Japan, Korea and Taiwan. Feb 21 – March 1.
- 2009 CHEA 2009 Annual Conference and Second National Accreditation Forum. Washington, D.C., January 26 – 30.
- 2008 American Association of State Colleges and Universities (AASCU) /CEAIE Higher Education Conference. Beijing, China, October 23 – 26.
- 2008 Council for Higher Education Accreditation Meeting. Washington, D.C., September 21 – 23.
- 1993 Certificate of Training in Environmental Economics and Sustainable Development: Awarded by U.S. Agency for International Development.
- 1993 Environmental Assessment Specialist Certificate. Awarded by the Environmental Assessment Association.
- 2007 Certified Air Quality Specialist Certificate, Awarded by the Environmental Assessment Association

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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

July 2011-present

**Faculty: Full Professor with Tenure
Environmental Management, Planning and Policy;
Anthropology, Geography and Earth Science
[AGES] Department; College of Arts and Sciences
Clarion University, Clarion, Pennsylvania**

I teach the following courses at Clarion University:
Introduction to World Geography
The Country and the City (a planning course)

July 2008-2011

**Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs
Full Professor with Tenure
Clarion University, Clarion, Pennsylvania**

As the Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs at Clarion University of Pennsylvania, I reported directly to the President and was a member of the President's Executive Council. I oversaw all academic matters on the Clarion campus as well as the Venango campus.

I provided an ongoing and engaging perspective on the development of new programs and academic initiatives and opportunities for interdisciplinary collaboration. I provided leadership with regard to internationalizing the curriculum and university-wide campus initiative to collaborate with foreign institutions on academic/scholarly work. I provided leadership in promoting and sustaining a conducive environment which enhanced excellence in teaching, research and community service. I oversaw the work of the deans of the College of Education and Human Services, the College of Arts and Sciences, and the College of Business Administration, Assistant Vice President for Academic Affairs, Extended Programs, Dean of Libraries, Dean of Enrollment Management, Assistant Vice President for Academic Affairs, Research and Graduate Studies, Assistant Vice President for Computing Services and the Executive Dean of the Venango Campus. I also oversaw the work of an Associate Provost and I worked closely with the Assistant Vice President of International Programs.

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The hiring of qualified instructional faculty was my responsibility and I contributed to the University's Strategic Plan.

I participated in the Middle States Self Study at Clarion University.

I led the effort for the Middle States Assessment Monitoring Report at Clarion University.

I led the effort on the Academic Strategic Plan 2012-2017.

February 2008-June 30, 2008

Dean of Graduate Studies

Full Professor with Tenure

Fayetteville State University; Fayetteville, North Carolina

As Dean of Graduate Studies my duties included reorganizing the Graduate Studies from a decentralized system to a centralized system. Reconstituting the Graduate Council, graduate coordinators and the functions of the Graduate Studies Office.

2004- January 2008

Dean of the College of Humanities and Social Sciences.

Full Professor with Tenure.

Fayetteville State University; Fayetteville, North Carolina

I provided leadership with regard to teaching excellence, research and outreach programs. Energize faculty by putting into place a clear vision for moving the College and University forward as a comprehensive regional institution.

As Dean of the College of Humanities and Social Sciences at Fayetteville State University, I provided administrative direction and leadership for the following departments: Government and History, English and Foreign Languages, Sociology, Social Work, Performing and Fine Arts, Aerospace Studies, Army ROTC and Special Programs; and I was leading the efforts in the following new programs: Master's in Public Administration, Master's in International Studies, Bachelor of Arts in Security Studies, Bachelor of Arts in Interdisciplinary Studies and the establishment World Service Institute.

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My duties included managing, evaluating, coordinating, interpreting and performing assignment in compliance with national, state, and educational local policies. I am also involved in the contractual obligations and the implementation of sound instructional principles and procedures. Working with the chairs of the department/units and other university administration, I established goals, objectives, and plans; I initiated and participated in several programs planning and I communicated college policies to faculty and staff.

I assisted faculty in the acquisition, development and utilization of instructional resources. I was involved in the evaluation and approval of catalog material and program information; the recommendation of employment, retention of faculty and staff in accordance with board policies and administrative regulations.

I was engaged in the development and implementation of effective faculty development plans. Manage the budget for the college, resolve and assist in the resolution of faculty, staff and student problems and initiate corrective actions as appropriate, represent the college at meetings, conferences and in relationships with other educational institutions and community organizations.

I worked with other university administrators in the development and planning of programs. I was involved in the development of Action Plans, Academic Strategic Plans, and Master Plans for the University.

**2000-2004 Director of Ph.D. Program in Public Policy.
Full Professor with Tenure of Public Policy.
Southern University; Baton Rouge, Louisiana**

At Southern University and A & M College Redesigned the Ph.D. curriculum to respond to the needs of the academic discipline of Public Policy with regard to the core courses and the electives.

I worked with key faculty members to revamp the concentrations so that students understand the cutting edge issues in their respective concentrations. Substantially changed the environmental policy concentration in order to equip student with the necessary skills and competencies of environmental managers and environmental scholars. I initiated collaborative grant proposal writing to seek significant funding to support Ph.D. and masters students. Organized graduate seminars as part of the

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scholarly activities of the Nelson Mandela School (a) The Idea Bag Seminar Series and (b) Conversation with the Director.

As part of faculty development, I was involved with regular mentoring of newly hired faculty members (both tenure track and adjunct). Worked with the Dean of Graduate School to improve graduate education (as a graduate council member) and to enable Southern University to attain the Carnegie doctoral/research intension status. In order to improve the scholarly research activities of the Nelson Mandela School of Public Policy and Urban Affairs, I brought the Journal of Sustainable Development in Africa (JSDA) to the School. I still serve as the “editor-in-chief”.

Under my leadership as Director, acceptance into the Program became highly selective. Increased multidisciplinary/interdisciplinary approach to research and teaching within Southern University and with other universities in the U.S. As Co-Principal Investigator on an NSF-IGERT grant to support Ph.D. students in Engineering-Social Science, I was involved in the curriculum development to meet the needs of this emerging meta-discipline. The effort was in the collaborative venture between Southern University and Michigan Technological University

2001-2004 Department Chair (Interim), Masters of Public Administration (MPA)

Southern University and A&M College; Baton Rouge, Louisiana

I managed the hiring and firing of faculty, enrollment doubled under my chairmanship. Curriculum has been adjusted to fit with the strength of faculty. Grantsmanship by faculty was emphasized. Collective vision for the MPA department was intensified under my leadership. The Scholarship and Research Endeavors of Faculty and students have improved (Faculty publication and community activities have increased).

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2000-2002 **Director of Ph.D. Program in Public Policy**
Associate Professor of Public Policy (Environmental Track).
Doctoral Research Faculty
Southern University and A&M College; Baton Rouge, Louisiana

1997-1999 **Director of African Studies Program**
Associate Professor of Social Science
Kalamazoo College; Kalamazoo, Michigan

I designed the African Studies curriculum to address issues of sustainable development in Africa. Raised money through grants for faculty hiring (e.g. Succeeded in getting a Fulbright grant to bring a foreign scholar to the college). Collaborated with other departments to have Africa focused courses become part of the curriculum. I worked with chairs of other departments and the Provost of the college to achieve the central mission of the college especially in the study abroad project. I helped in the efforts to internationalize the college. I assisted in efforts of fund-raising by working with the college president.

1990-1997 **Assistant Professor of Urban and Environmental Planning**
University of Virginia, Charlottesville, Virginia.

1987-1990 **Assistant Professor of Urban and Regional Planning**
University of Southwestern Louisiana (now called the University of Louisiana, Lafayette), Lafayette, Louisiana.

1984-1986 **Instructor.** Graduate Record Examination (GRE) preparation, emphasis: quantitative. College Station Community Education; College Station, Texas.

1982-1986 **Research Writer.** Conducted independent research for publication and professional consultation. Mathematics and biology educator, Bryan, Texas. **Tutor/Instructor.** Texas A&M University Athletic Department; College Station, Texas. Emphasis: physics, science, mathematics, computer programming, and related subjects.

1982-1983 **Graduate Research Assistant.** Department of Urban and Regional Planning, Texas A&M University; College Station, Texas. Conducted research for publication and documentation.

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1981-1982 Project Coordinator. Traffic Studies, Northwestern Indiana Regional Planning Commission (NIRPC), Highland, Indiana.
Research utilized in air pollution study for Lake and Porter Counties of Indiana: sewer treatment models of Gary, East Chicago, and Highland, Indiana; also conducted dry and wet weather sampling survey.

1979-1981 Faculty Graduate Assistant. Governors State University; University Park, Illinois.
Assisted with graduate instruction and research; conducted literature searches, data collection, computer programming and data analysis; proctoring exams, evaluation of exams and student assignments, and assisting students with computer usage and individual projects

SPECIALTY AREAS

A. Teaching

The following courses have been taught at Clarion University (CU), Kalamazoo College (KC); Southern University (SU); University of California, Davis (UCD); University of Southwestern Louisiana (USL) (now called University of Louisiana Lafayette (ULL); and the University of Virginia (UVA).

1. Ph.D. Courses designed for Public Policy Program	Graduate	SU
a. Environmental Impact Assessment		
b. Sustainable Development and Policy		
c. Critical Development Theory and Explorations in Development		
d. Environmental Policy and Ethics		
e. Graduate Environmental Seminar		
2. Advanced Environmental Planning	Graduate	USL
3. Biological Conservation Seminar	Graduate	UCD
4. Environmental Application (Impact Assessment)	Graduate	UVA
5. Environmental Choices (Guest Lecturer)	Graduate	UVA
6. Environment and Sustainable Development in Africa	Undergrad.	KC
7. First-Year Seminar-Global Environmental Issues: An African Perspective	Undergrad.	KC
8. Guest Lecturer: History of American Landscape Architecture	Graduate	UVA
9. Introduction to African Studies	Undergrad.	KC
10. Introduction to Environmental Planning and	Undergrad.	USL &

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Management		UVA
11. Introduction to Planning	Undergrad.	USL
12. Introduction to World Geography	Undergrad.	CU
13. Land Use and Environmental Planning in Third World Countries	Graduate	UVA
14. Natural Systems and Environmental Planning	Graduate	UVA
15. Planning Theory	Graduate	USL
16. Policy Analysis	Graduate	USL
17. Research Methods	Graduate	USL
18. Seminar in Development and Underdevelopment In Africa	Undergrad.	KC
19. Senior Seminar: An Examination of Sustainable Development Paradigm	Undergrad.	KC
20. Several Independent Study Projects	Graduate	UVA
21. Social Processes	Undergrad.	USL
22. Sustainable Communities Forum 1 (Guest Lecturer)	Graduate	UVA
23. Sustainable Communities Forum 2 (Guest Lecturer)	Graduate	UVA
24. Sustainable International Development	Graduate	UVA
25. The Country and the City (a planning course)	Undergrad.	CU
26. Third World Development Planning	Graduate	USL
27. Third World Environmental Planning & Management	Graduate	UVA
28. University Seminar: Emerging Issues in Third World Development and Environmental Planning (Spring 1995)	Undergrad.	UVA

B. Research

1. Current Research:

International Sustainable Development and Planning. Involves Third World Development Planning; international development and sustainable environmental, economic, and social development in less developed areas of the world. Indigenous systems of resource management with emphasis on agricultural and ecological systems of developing nations

2. Other Research Interests:

Includes Environmental planning, management of natural resources with emphasis on water and land resources. Environmental Impact Analysis and Assessment using systems, analytical methods, and perspectives. Application of ecological methods to Environmental Systems Analysis. New town planning in developed and developing countries and recreation and park planning.

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RESEARCH GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS:

<u>Year</u>	<u>Award</u>	
2004-2007	\$749,998	Human and Social Dynamics: Wetlands Conservation Strategies in Louisiana and Senegal (Not Funded)
2003-2005	\$150,000	Community Development Work-Study Program (CDWSP) Funded by the Department of Housing and Urban Development (U.S. Government Competitive Grant)
2004-2009	\$3,586,000	IGERT (Integrative, Graduate Education and Research Training): Achieving Environmental, Industrial, and Societal Sustainability via Sustainable Futures Model National Science Foundation (NSF) (U.S. Government Competitive Grant) Funded
2004-2007	\$606,617*	Research Experiences for Undergraduates Site in Sustainability. National Science Foundation (NSF) (U.S. Government Competitive Grant) Funded after departure from SU
2001-2002	\$57,225	Council for International Exchange of Scholars: Wrote the proposal for Fulbright Scholar in Residence Program for bringing a South African Scholar to Nelson Mandela School of Public Policy and Urban Affairs at Southern University (U.S. Government Competitive Grant).
1999-	\$66,000	Council for International Exchange of Scholars: Wrote the Proposal for Fulbright Scholar in Residence Program for Bringing a Nigerian Scholar to Kalamazoo College (U.S. Government Competitive Grant)
1998-	\$2,000	Kalamazoo College faculty Development Grants: Faculty/Student Project Grant: "The Study of Africa and The Disciplines at Kalamazoo College" (Summer).
1998-	\$1,200	25 th Annual Third World Conference. Participation as a conference chair and as a presenter/reader of a paper.
1998-	\$900	African Studies Association Participant and Panel Chair at the 41 st Annual Meeting in Chicago (Fall).
1998-	\$2,500	Eco Yoff Research Project, Center for International Programs Travel Grant, Dakar Senegal and Yoff Senegal to participate in the Sustainable Development Project (Summer).
1998-	\$2,000	Faculty/Student Project Grant to develop the Journal for Sustainable Development in Africa and the Newsletter: Development Visions (Summer).
1998-	\$500	Fund for Manuscript Preparation for Publication

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1995-	\$1,800	for a Student Worker for Assistance Prominent Research Scholar Award. Program on International Cooperation in Africa (PICA) Northwestern University-Evanston, Illinois. Subject: Africa and Issues of the Environment Lecture: Attitude toward Natural Resources in Nigeria: An Indigenous Perspective (February)
1992-1993	\$55,000	Fulbright-Hays Faculty Research Abroad Scholar. U.S. Department
1992-	\$75,000	American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS) Diplomacy Fellow. United States Agency for International Development (USAID). International Education and Research Specialist (Selected in 1992).
1986-1988	\$40,000	University of California President's Post-Doctoral Fellow.
1982-1983	\$300	Texas A & M University Department of Urban and Regional Planning Scholarship.
1980-1981	\$6,000	Governors State University and Department of Housing and Urban Development Academic Award: College of Arts and Science. (U.S. Government Competitive Grant)
Total Awards = \$4,653,042		Minus Non-funded Application

Supervision of Fulbright Language Teaching Assistant (FLTA)

2010-2011	Wafaa Sahan (FLTA from Egypt to teach Arabic) at Clarion University.
2007-2008	Fulbright Language Teaching Assistants – supervised six scholars: Ms. Maryann Bajwa from Pakistan Ms. Heena Kausar from India Ms. Deng Lijun from China Mr. Prosper Lubuva from Tanzania Ms. Eman Mandeel from Oman Ms. Anna Titkova from Russia
2006-2007	Fulbright Language Teaching Assistants – supervised two scholars: Mr. Payenda Seddiqi (from Afghanistan) and Ms. Apurva Chawla (from India)

New Programs and Centers/Institute Initiated at Fayetteville State University (FSU)

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2005 International Studies (Graduate)
Public Administration (Graduate)
Environmental Studies (Graduate)
Intelligence Studies (Undergraduate)
Women's and Gender Studies (Undergraduate)
Interdisciplinary Studies (Undergraduate)
World Service Institute

Institutes/Center at Clarion University of Pennsylvania

Fall 2009 Founder and Director of the *SUSTAINABILITY INSTITUTE* at Clarion University of Pennsylvania.

Partnerships Negotiated for Fayetteville State University

1. Wetlands International
2. Chinese Academy of Forestry
3. Beijing Forestry University
4. Beijing Agricultural University
5. South Asia Studies – North Carolina Center for South Asia Studies (NCCSAS)
FSU (team member)

Research Proposal and Manuscript Review Roles:

2009 Field Editor for The Edwin Mellen Press. Entrusted with the commissioning, review and selection of manuscripts for Mellen's publication program.

2009 Member of the Editorial Board of *Management of Sustainable Development Review* (Hosted by Lucian Blaga University of Sibiu, Romania)

2006 Manuscript Reviewer: *Canadian Journal of Political Science*

2006 Manuscript Reviewer: *Journal of International Society of Business Disciplines*

2002-2003 Evaluation and Screening of Applications for the 2002-2003 American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS) Science and Technology Policy Fellowship Programs. Washington D.C.

1999-present Editor-in-Chief, *Journal of Sustainable Development in Africa*.
Electronic Journal: URL <http://www.jsd-africa.com> / formerly <http://www.subr.edu/publicpolicy/africa> <http://www.kzoo.edu/africa>

1997-present Referee, *Journal of Studies in Comparative International Development*.

1997-present Reviewer/Referee: *Journal of Environmental Management and Planning*

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- 1994-1996 Editor, *Planning in Virginia*, Magazine of the Virginia Chapter, American Planning Association.
- 1991-Present Editorial Review Board Member of the Journal of Global Development Studies (formerly known as the Journal of: 21st Century Policy Review: An American, Caribbean and African Forum.).
- 1991-Present Reviewer/Referee: *African Studies Review*.
- 1991-1996 Reviewer/Referee: *Biological Conservation Journal*.
- 1991-Present Reviewer/Referee: *Journal of Developing Areas*.
- 1990-1991 Evaluation Team member for Planning Schools (Hubert Humphrey Fellowship).
- 1988-1999 Chairperson, "Work group on Tourism and Migration," Association for the Advancement of Policy, Research and Development in the Third World, Washington, D.C.
- 1988-1989 Editorial Board member of the *Third World in Perspective Journal*, Third World Conference Foundation, Chicago.

CONSULTANT ROLES

- 1999-2000 United States Geological Survey (USGS). California State University, Sacramento, California. Examine theoretical concepts, respond to which are best defended by current evidence, and determine which are most practically illustrated scientifically.
- 1998-Present Book Manuscript Evaluator/Examiner/Referee (Greenwood Publishing Group).
- 1991-1992 Instruct on UVA Continuing Education Program: Department of the Navy. Acquisition, disposal and Management of Navy Family Housing AM.
- 1987-1989 Consultant/Examiner, Walden University-Minneapolis, Minnesota: Responsibilities include serving on doctoral committees and directing dissertation research of assigned doctoral candidates.
- 1989 Domengeaux & Wright (Attorneys at Law) Lafayette, Louisiana: compiled Annotated Bibliography on natural and man-made harbors of Africa; sailing directions and general physiography of Africa

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DEPARTMENT, SCHOOL AND UNIVERSITY RESPONSIBILITIES

A. Departmental / Program Responsibilities

- 2001- 2004 Chair of 2 Search Committees for Ph.D. Faculty
- 1998-1999 Senior Individualized Projects, Kalamazoo College.
- 1998-1999 Chair, African Studies Committee, Kalamazoo College.
- 1991-1996 Senior Project Coordinator, UVA School Responsibilities

B. School Responsibilities

- 2000-2004 Chair, Admissions Committee, Ph.D. Program, Southern University
- 2000-2004 Chair, Assistantship Committee, Ph.D. Program, Southern University
- 1991-1992 Graduate Admissions Committee Member. (UVA)
- 1990-1997 Occasional Architectural Studies Senior Thesis Advisor. (UVA)
- 1990-1997 Member of Core Faculty for Watershed Curriculum. (UVA)
- 1990-1997 Member of Steering Committee on Program in Sustainable Design. (UVA)
- 1990-1997 Lectures, Exhibitions and Publications Committee. (UVA)
- 1990-1997 Member, Search Committee of Assistant to the Dean's Office. (UVA)

C. University Responsibilities

- 2009 PASSHE Accountability & Performance Funding Committee Meeting
- 2009 Fulbright Scholar-in-Residence Review Committee Meeting
- 2009 PASSHE Workforce Planning Workshop
- 2008-Present Clarion University of Pennsylvania. President's Executive Council and Dean's Council
- 2008 Fulbright Scholar-in-Residence Review Committee Meeting
- 2005-2008 FSU Leadership Training Committee
Chair, International Education Advisory Committee
Strategic Planning and Budget Committee *Sub-committee on Economic Development and Planning -- Fayetteville State University (FSU)
Strategic Planning and Budgeting Committee Member – FSU
Home School Marketing Committee (Recruitment Related – FSU)
Community College and Military Base Outreach Committee -- FSU
- 2005 Middle School Establishment in Fayetteville State University
Chair of Search Committee for Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs, Fayetteville State University

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2004	Graduate Studies, Chair to Decentralize the Graduate Education at Fayetteville State University
2001-2004	Graduate Council Sub-committee on the Evaluation of Ph.D. and Master's Programs at Southern University (Committee Chair)
2000-2004	Member of Graduate Council, School of Public Policy Representative Southern University
2000- 2004	Member: Faculty Load Committee Southern University
2000-2002	Graduate Council Ad-HOC Grievance Committee Chair (Investigation of Grievance filed by a Graduate Student against a faculty) (Southern University) Graduate Council Ad-Hoc Grievance Committee Chair (Investigation of Grievance filed by Faculty against another faculty)
1998-	Member, International Programs Committee Kalamazoo College
1994-1997	Processions Subcommittee-Seating Group (Faculty Marshal) UVA
1993-	Leader of UVA delegation to meet with Chinese Delegation Culture UVA
1988-1990	Fee Committee USL, 3-year Appt.
1988-1990	Curriculum Committee USL, 3-year Appt.
1988-1990	Equal Opportunity Employment USL, 3-year Appt.
1987-1990	Graduate Appeals Committee, Dept. of Geography/Urban Regional Planning USL

EXTERNAL REVIEWER – TENURE AND PROMOTION

- 1994 (Name Available Upon Request)
Dept. Of Political Science
Howard University Washington D.C.
- 1994 (Name Available Upon Request)
Division of Social Sciences
Indiana University Southeast
- 1995 (Name Available Upon Request)
Delaware State University
Dover, Delaware
- 1998 (Name Available Upon Request)
Providence College
Providence, Rhode Island

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- 2003 (Name Available Upon Request)
Delaware State University
Dover, Delaware

COMMUNITY SERVICE / MEDIA INTERVIEWS

- 2010 Member of Editorial Board for *Journal of International Studies and Development*
- 2008 Member of International Advisory Board of the Center for Rebuilding Sustainable Communities after Disasters. The University of Massachusetts at Boston.
- 2008 Member of Sustainable Sand hills Community Support Group. Fayetteville, North Carolina
- 2006 Journal of Environmental Management, Berkley, California
- 2006 African Studies Conference in San Francisco California. Section Chair: "Africa's Environment"
- 2005 WIDU Radio, Fayetteville, North Carolina, interview on Dr. Ali Mazrui FSU/WFSS Radio Talk Show with Dr. T.J. Bryan South Asia Studies Committee, partnership with Duke University and Fayetteville State University
- 2005 WFSS Radio Talk Show interviewed Dr. Valentine James about Professor Wole Soyinka's visit to FSU
- 1999 "Missionary Workers in Africa." Interviewed by Nelly Tucker, Detroit Free Press, Chief African Bureau Correspondent, November 4, Harare, Zimbabwe.
- 1999 Newsday, "General Olusegun Obasanjo's Profile" and "The Nigerian Democratic Process." Provided a perspective on the outcomes of the elections (February 17 and February 25). Interviewed by Tina Susman.
- 1998 Headline: "Nigeria Hopes to Pour Oil on Troubled Waters; Africa: New Military Ruler Avoids Brute Force Despite Ongoing Unrest." Quoted in Los Angeles Times (December 4).
- 1998 "Current Unrest in Nigeria" Interviewed by Anne Simmon, Nairobi, Kenya. Los Angeles Times (October 28).
- 1998 "Wole Soyinka's Return to Nigeria" and "Abubakar's Regime" Interviewed by Nelly Tucker, Detroit Free Press, Chief African Bureau Correspondent (October 15).
- 1998 Kalamazoo Gazette, "Implication of President Clinton's Trip to Africa." Quoted (February).
- 1998 WMUK (Western Michigan University-Kalamazoo) Radio, Interviewed on 6 o'clock news (March 16).

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- 1998 Detroit paper provided commentary on Black African and African American Issues for Black History Month (January) Well House Advisory Committee / Management Team, Western Michigan 1999 University.
- 1995 Voice of America. Interviewed by Radrick Murray “The Importance of Poverty Alleviation Conference to Africa and the World at Large” (November 6).
- 1994 Provided commentary on Environmental Health issues in Environmental Health Perspectives: Journal of the National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences (December).
- 1992 Louisa County Comprehensive Plan Review, UVA Advisory Committee Member, Louisa, Virginia.
- 1987 Louisiana Coastal Forum; Member of Steering Committee, Lafayette Parish,
- 1990 Lafayette, Louisiana.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEMBERSHIPS

- 2005 Fayetteville Museum of Art, Fayetteville, North Carolina
- 2005 Transatlantic Research and Education Foundation; San Diego, California
- 2005 Jaesons International Foundation, Durham, North Carolina
- 2004 Nigerian Cultural Association, Fayetteville, North Carolina

GRADUATE FACULTY RESPONSIBILITIES

A. Dissertation Committee:

- 2010 Alice Etim.
Adoption and Diffusion of Information and Communication Technology in the Base of the Pyramid Population of Sub-Saharan Africa: A Study of Nigerian Students.
University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill (Committee Member)
- 2010 Willie Lockett.
A Quantitative Study to Investigate Students Satisfaction with On-line Music Instruction.
Capella University (Committee Member)
- 2008 Juan Ma.
Impact Analysis of Brownfields on Residential Segregation Pertaining to Public Policy Concern: A Case Study in North Carolina.
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1997 Laura Gayle Williams.

Turtle Excluder Devices in the Southeastern Shrimp Industry: A Short-term Sea Turtle Conservation Policy. Committee Member, Marine Affairs, Environmental Science (UVA)

1997 David Romo Murillo.

Systematic Water and Land Resources Planning for Sustainable Development: A Case Study of Mexico. Committee Member; Systems Engineering Department (UVA)

1995 Karen Marie Brubeck.

Wise Development of marine Tourism in Marine Protected Areas: The Challenge. Committee Member; Environmental Science (UVA)

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The Role of the Petroleum Industry in the Environmental and Industrial Development of Nigeria Chair (UVA)

1995 Gary Geiler.

Planning for Migrants: Increasing the Quality of Environmental Health in Migrant Farm Communities Chair (UVA)

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Local Development in South Asia: Strategies for Poverty Relief. Chair (UVA).

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India's Tropical Wetlands: Consideration for Development. Member; Environmental Science (UVA)

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Land Uses of Terrebonne Parish: An Historical Geography. Member; (USL)

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Out of America: A Black Man Confronts Africa by Keith B.Richburg, 1997. Basic Books.Journal of Sustainable Development in Africa (JSDA).

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A City for All: Valuing Differences and Working with Diversity edited by Jo Beall, 1997, Zed Books. *Journal of Developing Areas.*

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Our Urban Future: New Paradigms for Equity and Sustainability by Akhtar A. Badshah, 1996, Zed Books. *Journal of Developing Areas.*

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- James, Valentine U. 1999.
The Urban Transformation of the Developing World. by Josep Gugler (ed.). *Studies in Comparative International Development* (summer). 34:2
- James, Valentine U. 1996.
Environmental Impact Assessment: A Comparative Review by Christopher Wood. *Landscape and Urban Planning*. Vol. 36 pp. 233-36.
- James, Valentine U. 1995.
Urban Management: Policies and Innovations in Developing Countries, edited by G. Shabbir Cheema. *The Journal of Developing Areas*. Vol. 25 (4): 583-85, July.
- James, Valentine U. 1994.
The Impact of Oil on a Developing Country: The Case of Nigeria by Augustine A. Ikein. *21st Century Policy Review: An American, Caribbean and African Forum*. Vol. 2. March.
- James, Valentine U. 1994.
Perspective on Urban Land and Urban Management and Policies in Sub Saharan Africa, by Akin L. Mabogunje *African Studies Review* Vol. 37(3): 136-39.
- James, Valentine U. 1994.
Urban Development in Nigeria, by Robert W. Taylor (ed.), *African Studies Review* Vol 37(3): 136-39.
- James, Valentine U. 1994.
Urban and Regional Change in Southern Africa, by David Drakakis-Smith. *African Studies Review* Vol. 37(3): 136-39.
- James, Valentine U. 1994.
The Rural- Urban Interface in Africa: Expansion and Adaptation, by Jonathan Baker and Paul Ore Pederson. *African Studies Review* Vol. 37(3): 136-39.
- James, Valentine U. 1991.
Public Policy and Administration in Africa: Lessons from Nigeria, by P. H. Koehn: *African Studies Review* Vol. 34, No. 1 April.

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B. Non-refereed and Popular Publications / Papers in Proceedings

- James, Valentine U. 2006 “Endorsement of Professor Ambe Njoh’s new book: Tradition, Culture and Development in Africa: Historical Lessons for Modern Development Planning. Ashgate Publishing Ltd.
- James Valentine U. 2003. “Foreward”. Self-Help Water Supply in Cameroon- Lessons on Community Participation in Public Works Projects by Ambe Njoh Andrew Mellon: New York, New York
- James, Valentine U. 2001. “Environmental Planning and Protection and the Role of Government.” Proceedings of the World Conference of Mayors Conference: Oil Industry Environmental Pollution: Managing Women, Children and Environmental Issues. Eket, Akwa Ibom Sate, Nigeria July 15 - 20 2001.
- James, Valentine U. 2001 “ Sustainable Development, Capacity Building and Environmental Protection in Public Policy.” Proceedings of the World Conference of Mayors Conference: Oil Industry Environmental Pollution: Managing Women, Children and Environmental Issues. Eket, Akwa Ibom State, Nigeria July 15 - 20, 2001.
- James, Valentine U. 1989. "*Housing Conditions in Rural Africa: The Case of Rural Nigeria, Proceedings of the 15th Annual Conference of Third World Foundation*.". Chicago. April.

C. Reports

- 1995 Louisa County Environmental Assessment Report 1995: Potential Impacts of the Proposed Natural Gas Pipeline and the Proposed Arterial Route.
- 1994 Report prepared for U. S. Department of Education: A Study of Public's Attitude Toward Soil, Water and Renewable Natural Resources Conservation Policies, in Southeastern Nigeria.
- 1993 Environmental Inventory and Impact Analysis for the Louisa Bypass and Virginia Power 500 KV Power Line, Louisa County, Virginia.
- 1990 Green County Environmental Assessment (Fall).
- 1982 Regulatory Procedures and Requirements Pertaining to Alternative Fuels in Texas.
- 1982 The Rock Island Line: Dallas-Fort Worth (A Reconnaissance Transportation Study).
- 1981 Determination of Sources of Groundwater Pollution in Lake and Porter Counties of Indiana.
- 1981 Traffic Volume Study of Northwestern Indiana.

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- 1981 Camp Users Reactions to the Increase in Camping Fees.
- 1980 Land Use Update of Northwestern Indiana.

PRESENTATIONS

Invited Class Lectures

- 09/16/06 “The African Continent” Regions of the World Class of Lieutenant Colonel Evangeline Cheeks, class at Fayetteville State University.
- 11/06/03 “Environmental Policy and Politics” Barry Solomon’s class, Michigan Technological University.
- 1998 "The Role of Culture in African Literature" *African Literature* class of Lisbeth Gant Britton. Kalamazoo College (Fall).
- 11/07/98 "Sustainable Development in Africa: Contributions from Kalamazoo College" Seminar / Lecture Family Weekend, Kalamazoo, Michigan.
- 1998 "Sustaining Development in Third World Countries" *Senior Seminar* class of Kathy Smith, Kalamazoo College (Spring).

Invited Speeches / Presentations

- 04/13/11 “Environmental Sustainability” Keynote Address at the 6th Annual School of Public & Environmental Affairs (SPEA) Public Service Awards Luncheon at Indiana University Kokomo; Kokomo, Indiana.
- 02/16/07 “Business, Engineering & Sustainability: Collaborative Programs for Innovation”
- 11/15/06 “International Education: The Role of U.S. Colleges and Universities in the Development and Strengthening of Democratic Principles in the New Fledging Democracies around the World” speech delivered to the University Community during the International Education Week at Winston-Salem State University (WSSU) in Winston-Salem, North Carolina.
- 10/14/06 “The Global Country: Does Nigeria Matter?” at the 46th Anniversary of the Independence of the Federal Republic of Nigeria. Holiday Inn Bordeaux, Fayetteville, North Carolina.
- 10/06/06 Discussion with Ryan Legg of Cornell University, Business Engineering Sustainability Center for Sustainable Global Enterprise. Topic: “Business Engineering Sustainability: The Interdisciplinary Approach.”
- 08/24/06 “Internationalization of Fayetteville State University” Brown Bag Luncheon, Teaching and Learning Center, Fayetteville

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State University, Fayetteville, NC.

- 07/19/06 “The Plight of Natural Resources in Developing Countries” Seminar delivered at the Chinese Academy of Forestry, Beijing, China.
- 07/20/06 “Natural Resource Conservation in Developing Countries” Seminar delivered to Master’s and Ph.D. students at Beijing Forestry University Beijing, China.
- 07/21/06 “Ecosystem Valuation and Sustainability” Seminar presented to distinguished new faculty of the School of Economics and Management at Beijing Forestry University, Beijing, China.
- 03/16-18/06 “The Sustainability Dilemma of Africa’s Environment” presented at the 32nd Annual Conference of the Third World Conference. Chicago, Ill.
- 03/19-22/06 “The Role of Foreign and Domestic Companies in the Sustainability of Africa’s Environmental: A Policy Issue” presented at the International Society of Business Discipline. Las Vegas, NV.
- 05/23-27/06 7th Annual International Conference International Academy of African Business & Development Accra, Ghana Africa.
- 06/07/05 “The Multi-functionality of the Rural Environment: The Key to the Sustainability of Biodiversity” Lecture delivered to Masters and Ph.D. students and Professors at Beijing Forestry University Beijing, China.
- 06/8-9/05 “The Policies and Challenges of Natural Resources in Developing Countries” Paper presented at the Workshop on Theories and Practices Toward Sustainable Forest Management in China and the 13th Chinese Forestry Forum on Science and Technology, Beijing, China.
- 07/24/05 “Minimizing the Environmental Disasters through Sustainable Development Strategies: An African Example.” Paper presented at the International Conference on Energy, Environment and Disasters (INCEED 2005) Bridging the Gaps for Global Sustainable Development (UNESCO-ISEQ.GADR) Charlotte, North Carolina.
- 11/06/03 “Globalization and Sustainability: The Natural Resource Conservation Connection” Michigan Technological University
- 10/06/01 Invited Speech (Keynote Speaker): *Is There a Recipe for Sustaining Nigeria?* Three Conundrums and a Funeral, Nigeria Independence Day Celebration, Jefferson City, Missouri, USA

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- 05/11/01 Invited Speech: *The Role of Women in Farming Communities in Africa & Radio Programme: Every Woman* at the British Broadcasting Corporation (BBC) in London (United Kingdom).
- 12/13/00 Invited Speech: *Inspirational Words*. Christmas Celebration Nelson Mandela School of Public Policy and Urban Affairs, Southern University, Baton Rouge, LA
- 11/11/00 Invited Speech: "Poor Nations and Sustainable Development" at the Workshop 2000: *Is Sustainable Development Feasible?* (FACDIS). The West Virginia Consortium for Faculty and Course Development in International Studies. Lakeview Resort and Conference Center Morgantown, West Virginia (Leader of the sessions on less developed nations. Nov. 9-11). Leader of the sessions on less developed nations. Opening Plenary Session: *Tensions Inherent in Sustainable Development* Workshop 1: Principles of Sustainable Development and the Third World Workshop 2: Dimensions of Sustainability in The Third World Workshop 3: A Collaborative Public Policy Imperative: Operationalizing Sustainable Development Theory Workshop 4: Understanding Sustainability Through Local Community Planning, Closing Plenary Session: Pedagogy: Critical Thinking, Sustainable Development and the Classroom
- 07/14/99 Invited Speech: "The Theory and Practice of Sustainable Development in Environmental Planning and Management: A National and International Collaborative Public Policy Imperative." Southern University, Baton Rouge, Louisiana.
- 05/02/99 "Consequences of African Slave Trade and Sustainable Development" at the First Presbyterian Church of Kalamazoo, Michigan.
- 11/07/98 "Sustainable Development in Africa: Contributions from Kalamazoo College." Invited Speech: Family weekend at Kalamazoo College.
- 11/06/98 "Global Africa" Invited Speech. Africa Week at Kalamazoo College.
- 11/04/98 "Beyond Goree Island" Invited Speech. Africa Week at Kalamazoo College.
- 09/11/98 "African Studies at Kalamazoo College and the Opportunities for Study Abroad Programs" An Address in Celebration of the 40th Anniversary of Kalamazoo College Study Abroad Program, Detroit, Michigan.
- 03/15/98 Invited Speech / Debate. "Africa in Perspective: Sustaining Development Schemes." Western Michigan University.

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- 11/22/97 "Ilewe: The House of Books-A Conversation with K-College Community." Guest Speaker at Africa Nite (Kalamazoo College). Kalamazoo, Michigan.
- 11/07/97 "Africa and the Global Sustainable Development Debate." Invited Speech, African Studies Seminar. Western Michigan University.
- 10/14/97 "Africa and the Sustainable Development Debate." Invited Speech, International Studies and Programs at Chicago State University.
- 02/14/97 "The Role of African Studies in American Education: Sustainable Development and Kakum National Park of Ghana." Invited Speech. Kalamazoo College, Kalamazoo, Michigan.
- 04/04/94 "Sustainable Development in Third World Countries." Invited Speech. University of Kansas. Lawrence, Kansas.
- 02/26/92 "The Geography and Customs of Nigeria." Invited Speech-Bumley-Moran School. Charlottesville, Virginia.
- 04/01/91 "New Directions for Environmental Concerns." Invited Speech at the Department of Environmental Studies. San Jose State University.
- 03/16/90 "Environmental Considerations in Appropriate Technology for Housing in Africa." Invited speech at Rochester Institute of Technology. Rochester, New York.
- 03/10/90 "The Impact on Modern and Traditional Housing on African Ecosystem." Invited Speech at Allegheny College. Meadville, Pennsylvania.
- 01/30/90 "Issues of Environmental Planning and Management: Understanding Shelter Problems in Developing Countries." Invited Speech at University of Virginia.
- 04/17/87 "Land-use Planning in New Communities." Invited Speech, Cornell University, Department of City and Regional Planning.
- 03/24/87 "Resource Depletion in Developing Countries." Invited Speech, Northeastern University. Chicago, Illinois.

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WORKSHOPS ATTENDED FOR PROFESSIONAL AND SCHOLARLY DEVELOPMENT

- 2009 Teresa Farnum's Student Retention and Recruitment Workshops
- 2007 Business Engineering Sustainability Workshop, University of Maryland, College Park, February 16-17.
- 2006 Distinguished Educators Conference" by invitation of Air Force ROTC to represent Fayetteville State University. Panama City, Florida. July 10-14, 2006
- 2006 "Demanding Excellence: Liberal Education in an Era of Global Competition, anti Intellectualism and Disinvestment" AAC&U Annual Conference, Washington, DC.
- 2006 AACTE 58th Annual Meeting & Exhibits. San Diego, CA.
- 2005 "Mapping North Carolina Communities: An Introduction to GIS and Community Analysis" Raleigh, North Carolina. March 15-16. 2005.
- 2005 Council of Colleges of Arts and Sciences (CCAS). "Dean's Seminar on New Structure" Sheraton Omaha, Omaha, Nebraska. March 17-18, 2005.

PAPERS DELIVERED/WORKSHOPS

- 2007 "Sustainable Development on the African Continent: Understanding the Stockholders and Participants in Building the Capacity for a Sustained Future in Africa" Workshop conducted at the International Association for Landscape Ecology World Congress, Wageningen, Netherlands, July 8-12, 2007.
- 2005 CSI, Intelligence Lessons Learned Conference, Washington, DC. January 13-15, 2005.
- 2005 Adhoc Committee to Study Intelligence Studies Program at Mercyhurst College, Erie, PA. January 30-February 2, 2005.
- 2005 "Foreign Assistance and Sustainable Development in Africa" Paper presented at the 31st Annual Third World Conference. Chicago, Illinois, March 24-26, 2005
- 2005 "The Policies and Challenges of Natural Resources in Developing Countries." Paper presented at the Workshop on Theories and Practices Toward Sustainable Forest Management in China and the 13th Chinese Forestry Forum on Science and Technology, Beijing, China. June 8-9, 2005/

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- 2005 “Minimizing the Environmental Disasters through Sustainable Development Strategies: an African Example.” Paper presented at the International Conference on Energy, Environment and Disasters (INCEED 2005) Bridging the Gaps for Global Sustainable Development (UNESCO-ISEQ.GADR). Charlotte, North Carolina. July 24-28, 2005.
- 2004 “Exploring the Nexus Between Globalization and Sustainable Development” paper presented at 30th Annual Third World Conference, Chicago, Illinois, March 3-6, 2004.
- 2002 Environmental Impact Assessment as Practiced by the World Bank and USAID. Examples from Africa. Paper Presented at the 28th Annual Third World Conference. Chicago, Illinois, March 27-30, 2002
- 2001 Participant. NASPAA/APPAM Doctoral Workshop. George Washington University, Washington, D.C. November 16-17, 2001.
- 2001 Chair. Environmental Concerns for a Sustainable World. The Southeastern Conference of Public Administration. Standing at the Cross Roads: Managing Change for the 21st Century. Baton Rouge, Louisiana. October 10-13, 2001.
- 2001 Panel Chair: Sustainable Communities and the Environment. The Southeastern Conference of Public Administration Standing at the Cross Roads: Managing Change for the 21st Century. Baton Rouge, Louisiana. October 10–13, 2001.
- 2001 The Roles of Governments and Oil Companies in Environmental Protection and Sustainable Communities. Paper Presented at World Conference of Mayors Conference. Theme: Oil industry Environmental Pollution: Managing Women, Children and Environmental Issues. Ibom Hall, IBB Avenue, Uyo, Akwa Ibom State, Nigeria July 15–20, 2001.
- 2001 Integrating Environmental Justice, Public Health and Economic Development Issues in Public Policy. Paper Presented at World Conference of Mayors Conference. Theme: Oil Industry Environmental Pollution: Managing Women, Children and Environmental Issues. Ibom Hall, IBB Avenue, Uyo, Akwa Ibom State, Nigeria July 15–20, 2001.
- 2001 Moderator: Topic: The Issues concerning Environmental Health and Risk Management: Case Studies World Conference of Mayors Conference. Theme: Oil Industry Environmental Pollution: Managing Women, Children and Environmental Pollution: Managing Women, Children and Environmental Issues. Ibom Hall, IBB Avenue, Uyo, Akwa Ibom State, Nigeria. July 15–20, 2001.

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- 2001 Sustainability: Foreign Sponsored Development Programs in Africa. 27th Annual Third World Conference. Chicago, Illinois, March 21-24, 2001. Theme: Development: Critical Issues for the 21st Century.
- 2000 Panel Chair, Environmental Protection and Development. 26th Annual Third World Conference. Chicago, Illinois. March 15-18, 2000. Theme: Third World and Global Development: Continuing the Search for a New Paradigm.
- 1999 Panel Chair. "Urbanization in Africa: Health and Environmental Realities on the Continent." 42nd Annual Meeting of the African Studies Association. Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. November 11-14, 1999.
- 1999 "Solid Waste Management in Nigeria: An Urban Crisis." Paper Presented at the 42nd Annual Meeting of the African Studies Association. Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. November 11-14, 1999.
- 1999 "Building Africa's Capacity to Protect the Environment" Paper Presented at the 25th Annual Third World Conference, "Third World and Global Development: Reconstruction and Redefinition," Chicago, Illinois. March 17-20, 1999.
- 1998 Panel Chair. "The State of Development in Africa: Theories and Practice of Environmental Transformations." 41st Annual Meeting of the African Studies Association. Chicago, Illinois. October 29-November 1, 1998.
- 1998 "A Systematic Analysis and Review of Old and New Directions of Africa's Transformations." Paper Presentation at the 41st Annual Meeting of the African Studies Association. Chicago, Illinois. October 29-November 1, 1998.
- 1998 Panel Chair and Discussant. "Higher Education and Technology Applications: Cross Cultural Perspectives." *Visioning the 21st Century: Globalization, Transformation, and Opportunity*. 24th Annual Third World Conference, Chicago, Illinois. March 18-21, 1998.
- 1997 Panel Chair. "Popular Urban Responses to Economic and Environmental Decline." African Studies Association 40th Annual Meeting; Columbus, Ohio. November 13-16, 1997.
- 1997 "Urban and Environmental Planning in Africa: A Paradigm Shift for Sustainable Development." Paper Presented at the African Studies Association 40th Annual Meeting; Columbus, Ohio. November 13-16, 1997.
- 1997 Reactor to Presentations by Africans at the meeting "Partnership in Capacity Building for Health." World Health Organization / University of Virginia, Charlottesville, Virginia. February 26-27, 1997.

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- 1996 Chair, Panel on Politics of Environmental Degradation and Restoration in East Africa, African Studies Association Annual Conference, San Francisco, California. Nov. 23-26, 1996.
- 1996 Discussant: Panel on Aids and Disabilities in Africa, African Studies Association Annual Conference. San Francisco, California. Nov. 23-26, 1996.
- 1996 African Roundtable: Sustainable Development in Africa: Prospects for the 21st Century. University of Virginia, Charlottesville, Virginia. April 26-27, 1996. Delivered several papers and was the organizer.
- 1996 "Operationalizing the Concepts of Sustainable Development in Africa. "Paper presented at Africa Roundtable: Sustainable Development in Africa: Prospects for the 21st Century. University of Virginia, Charlottesville, Virginia. April 26-27, 1996.
- 1996 "The Environmental Crises in Africa. The Causes and Solutions" Paper delivered at Africa Roundtable: Sustainable Development in Africa: Prospects for the 21st Century. University of Virginia, Charlottesville, Virginia. April 26-27, 1996.
- 1996 "What Lies Ahead? Recommendations for Sustainable Development. "Paper presented at Africa Roundtable: Sustainable Development in Africa: Prospects for the 21st Century. University of Virginia, Charlottesville, Virginia. April 26-27, 1996.
- 1996 "Nigeria's Natural Resources". Paper presented at the Third International Eco-city Conference: Dakar and its Traditional Villages. Dakar, Senegal. Jan. 6-12, 1996.
- 1995 Chair, "Regional Roundtable on Poverty Alleviation and Social Development. Las Vegas, Nevada. Nov. 19-23, 1995.
- 1995 Discussant: "Panel on Environment in Africa." 21st Annual Third World Conference, Chicago, Illinois. March 22-25, 1995.
- 1995 "Solid Waste Management Problems: The Nigerian Case." Paper presented at the 21st Annual Third World Conference, Chicago, Illinois. March 22-25, 1995.
- 1994 "Public Attitudes toward Natural Resources in Southeastern Nigeria: An Indigenous Perspective." Paper presented at the 36th Annual Conference of the Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning. Phoenix, Arizona. November 3-6, 1994.
- 1994 Chair: Panel on "Climate, Waste Management and the Environment." Fourth Annual Conference on African Policy Issues. Institute on African Affairs. Washington, D.C. March 22-24, 1994.
- 1994 Natural Systems Sustainability and Agriculture in Africa. "Paper presented at the Fourth Annual Conference on African Policy Issues. Washington, D.C. March 22-24, 1994.
- 1993 "Workshop on Indigenous knowledge of Natural Resources Management". May 19-26, 1993. Nigerian Institute of Social and Economic Research. Ibadan, Nigeria.

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- 1992 "Workshop on Indigenous Knowledge of Agriculture". Nigerian Institute of Social and Economic Research (NISER). Ibadan, Nigeria. Dec. 17-19, 1992.
- 1992 "Maintenance of Rural Development in Africa: The Case of Nigeria." Paper presented at the 18th Annual Conference of Third World Foundation. Kingston, Jamaica. May 6-9, 1992.
- 1992 "The Physical Component of a Comprehensive Plan." Training Workshop for the Community of Louisa County, Virginia. April 4, 1992.
- 1991 "Environmental Planning and Management in Developing Countries." Paper presented at the 17th Annual Conference of Third World Foundation. Detroit, Michigan. April 4, 1991.
- 1991 "Environmental Crisis in Africa." Colloquium conducted at San Jose State University. April 1, 1991.
- 1990 "Issues of Tourism Development in Africa." Paper presented at the 16th Annual Conference of Third World Foundation. St. Louis, Missouri. April 6, 1990.
- 1989 "Urban Housing in Third World Countries." Paper presented at the 9th Annual Conference of the Advancement of Research and Technology in Third World Countries. City of Carolina. Puerto Rico. November 15-18, 1989.
- 1989 "Impact of Tourism on the Economies of Some African Countries." Paper presented at the Global Business Conference. New Orleans, Louisiana. Nov. 8-11, 1989.
- 1988 "Housing Conditions in Rural Africa: The Case Study of Rural Nigeria." Inter-Regional Seminar on Science, Technology, and Industrial Development. Cathries, Saint Lucia. Nov. 19-21, 1988.
- 1987 "The Plight of Foreign Scholars in Western Universities." 7th Annual Conference on International Development, Law and Cooperation. Bermuda. Nov. 10-21, 1987.
- 1987 "The Need for Adequate Resource Management in Africa." 7th Annual Conference on International Development, Law and Cooperation. Bermuda. Nov. 19-21, 1987.
- 1987 "Regional Differences and Similarities in New Town Planning and Development in an Industrialized Country: The Case of the United States of America." Environmental Studies Division. University of California, Davis. May 18, 1987.
- 1987 "Why the Forests of the World Must be Preserved and Protected." World's Earth First. University of California, Davis. May 3, 1987.
- 1987 Panel Chair, "The Consequences of Misdirected Efforts and Mismanagement of African Resources." 13th Annual Third World Conference. Chicago, Illinois. April 9-11, 1987.
- 1987 "The Mismanagement of African Resources." The New York African Studies Association's Annual Conference, Mercy College. Dobbs Ferry, New York. March 17-21, 1987.

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- 1986 "Traditional Systems of Resource Management and the Threats to Biological Systems in Developing Countries." Conference on Hunger, Population, and International Development, California State University. Long Beach. October 15-17, 1986.
- 1986 "Traditional Systems of Resource Management and the Threats to Biological Systems in Developing Countries." 1986 Scholars' Conference on "The Famine Complex and Women: Culture, History, and Science." Greensboro, North Carolina. October 7-10, 1986.
- 1986 "Water Quality Management in Developing Countries: An Interdisciplinary Approach." 1986 Scholars' Conference on "The Famine Complex and Women: Culture, History, and Science." Greensboro, North Carolina. October 7-10, 1986.
- 1986 "Threats to Biological Systems in Developing Countries." 1986 Midwest Environmental Education Conference. Illinois Beach State Park. Zion, Illinois. September 17, 1986.
- 1986 "Water Quality Management in Developing Countries: An Interdisciplinary Approach." 6th Annual Conference of the Association for the Advancement of Policy, Research, and Development in the Third World. Oakland, California. September 25, 1986.

**CONVERSATION WITH THE DIRECTOR / IDEA BAG
PRESENTATIONS AT SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY**

- April 29, 2004—Topic: An Exploration of the Recipe for Sustained Growth and Development of Communities: A Planner's Dilemma
- April 19, 2004—Topic: The Complexity of "Capacity Building" in the Development Discourse
- April 12, 2004—Topic: Biodiversity Conservation and the Role of Public Policy
- April 1, 2004- Topic: "Your Dissertation—Your Humble and Significant Contribution to Knowledge: Learning how to be a Responsible Scholar
- October 15, 2003- Topic: "The Naked Professor: The Doctoral Candidate Preparing to Teach at the College or University Level
- October 7, 2003 – Topic "Globalization: A Worthwhile Research Topic of Inquiry"
- September 9, 2003 – Topic: "As the New Ph.D.'s of 2003 take their places on the faculty of universities around the country, university administrators and scholars are examining the scholarship of the "STARS" of the newly minted Ph.D. What makes them stand out?
- March 11, 2002 - Topic: The Ph.D. Degree vs. other Terminal/Professional

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Degrees: What sets the Ph.D. Degree Apart?

- September 12, 2001 - Topic: The Significance of Seminars to the Academic Community: A Paramount in a World of Ideas.
- September 6, 2001 - Topic: Impact of Oil Exploration on the Environment: The Case of Nigeria.
- April 26, 2001 - Topic: The Implications of International Immigration on Environment and Culture of the Developed World.
- April 19, 2001 - Topic: The Commons: A Vexing Private and Public Property Dialogue.
- March 15, 2001 - Topic: Preparing for an Academic Position in a Research University: The Debates Surrounding Responsible and Ethical Scholarship. Part II
- March 8, 2001 - Topic: Preparing for an Academic Position in a Research University: The Debates Surrounding Responsible and Ethical Scholarship.
- April 26-27, 1996 – Roundtable Conference in Sustainable Development in Africa: Prospects for the 21st Century. University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA.

PLANNED/CHAired INTERNATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL CONGRESS

2007 First International Congress on Critical Perspective on Energy, Environment, Technology and Water Development and Protection Worldwide. Holiday Inn Bordeaux, Fayetteville, North Carolina. April 2-5, 2007.

INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCE

Benin Republic, Bermuda, Cote d'Ivoire, Egypt, England, France, Germany, Ghana, Nigeria, Greece, Italy, Jamaica, St. Lucia, Senegal, Switzerland, Turkey, Yugoslavia, China, Japan, South Korea, Taiwan, and the Virgin Islands.

LANGUAGE SKILLS

English (fluent), Efik, (fluent), Yoruba (fluent), Italian (good), and Ibo (fair).

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