

SALIFU KATARA



PERSONAL DATA

DATE OF BIRTH: 27 / 02 / 80
SEX: MALE
MARITAL STATUS: MARRIED
NATIONALITY: GHANAIAN
HOBBIES: READING, SOCCER, ATHLETICS
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SCHOOLS ATTENDED

| <u>NAME OF INSTITUTION</u> | <u>PLACE</u> | <u>POSITION HELD</u> | <u>FROM</u> | <u>TO</u> |
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| • K.N.U.S.T | KUMASI | NIL | Aug 2008 | May 2010 |
| • University for Development Studies | TAMALE | NIL | Sept 2002 | July 2006 |
| • Tamale Polytechnic | TAMALE | NIL | Nov 1998 | Nov 2001 |
| • Ghana Secondary School | TAMALE | NIL | Jan 1995 | Dec 1997 |
| • Zogbeli Junior Secondary School | TAMALE | Library prefect | Jan 1992 | Aug 1994 |
| • Zion Primary School | TAMALE | school prefect | Jan 1986 | Dec 1991 |

ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS

| <u>QUALIFICATION</u> | <u>SCHOOL ATTAINED</u> | <u>YEAR ATTAINED</u> |
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| • Mphil. Mathematics (spec. stats and prob.) | K.N.U.S.T | June 2010 |
| • Bachelor of Science (Statistics) | University for development studies | July 2006 |
| • Higher National Diploma(statistics) | Tamale Polytechnic | Nov 2001 |
| • Senior Secondary School Certificate Exams | Ghana Secondary School | Dec 1997 |
| • Basic Education Certificate Exams | Zogbeli Junior Secondary School | Aug 1994 |

WORK EXPERIENCE

| <u>JOB TITLE</u> | <u>NAME OF INSTITUTION</u> | <u>FROM</u> | <u>TO</u> |
|--|------------------------------------|-------------|-----------|
| • Lecturer | University for Development Studies | Oct 2010 | |
| • Senior Research Assistant | University for Development Studies | Sept 2007 | Sept 2008 |
| • Elective Mathematics Tutor | Awe Senior Secondary Technical | Jan 2003 | Aug 2007 |
| • National Service(Teaching Assistant) | Tamale polytechnic | Nov 2001 | Sept 2002 |
| • Attachment(Data Analyst) | Tamale Teaching Hospital | Sept 2000 | Nov 2000 |
| • Attachment(Data Analyst) | Tamale Teaching Hospital | Sept 1999 | Nov 1999 |

RESEARCH WORKS

- *Critical Path Method, a Planning Tool for the Bui Power Project, Mphil. Thesis, Kwame Nkrumah University Of Science And Technology, 2010*
- *Statistical Development of Abridged Life Table in The Tamale Metropolis, Bachelor Of Science Dissertation, University For Development Studies, 2006*
- *The Impact of Female Migration from Dagbon to Southern Ghana for Poterage Business ("Kayayo") On Socio Economic Development of the Northern Region. A Case Study of Women in the Savelugu Nanton District, Higher National Diploma Project, Tamale Polytechnic, 2001*

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ADDITIONAL RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Undertook a three year Community Development activities or practical in the Sankana community of the upper west region of Ghana leading to the production of:

- *A proposal on Electricity Extension to the Sankana Community in the Nadowli District of the Upper West Region of Ghana. (June, 2005)*
- *Problems and Potentials of the Sankana Community in the Nadowli District of the Upper West Region. (June, 2004)*
- *A Profile of the Sankana Community in the Nadowli District of the Upper West Region. (June, 2003)*

POSTGRADUATE COURSES OFFERED

Computer Solutions to Scientific Problems (1&2), Measure Theory and Integration (1&2), Statistical Theory, Statistical Models (1&2), Probability Theory, Survival Analysis, Design of Investigation (Experimental Design) and Optimization (1&2).

PUBLICATION

1. *S. Katara, S. K. Amponsah (2013), Project Planning And Scheduling, The Critical Path Method Approach. Bui Power Project As A Case Study (accepted for publishing in the International Journal of Sciences)*
2. *E.N.Wiah, S. Katara, E. Danso-Addo Control of Parasitic Disease in Cocoa using Time Series Aanalysis, International Journal of Sciences, Volume 2, 37 - 42*

COMPUTER KNOWLEDGE

- *A Computer Literate in Microsoft Word, Excel, Access, Power Point, Etc.*
- *Conversant With the Use/Application of Statistical Packages Such As the S.P.S.S, SAS, Genstat, Epi- Info, Minitab, and R in Data Organization and Analysis.*

REFEREES

- *Prof. S. Nokoe (Former Vice Chancellor), University for Development Studies, Tamale
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- *Mr. Spencer Halm (Former Head Of Statistics Department), Tamale Polytechnic, Tamale
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- *Mr. Muniru Iddirisu (Lecturer), University for Development Studies
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