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Detailed Resume

ACADEMIC DEGREES WITH DATE

- Ph.D., 2000
- M.A., 1993
- PGD, 1989
- M.A., 1987
- B.A, 1984

INSTITUTIONS ATTENDED WITH DATE

- University of Ibadan, Ibadan, Nigeria. 2000
- University of Birmingham, England. 1993 M.A. (TEFL/TESL)
- Nigerian Institute of Journalism, Lagos 1989 PGD in Journalism
- University of Ibadan, Ibadan, Nigeria. 1987
- University of Ibadan, Ibadan, Nigeria. 1984

MEMBERSHIP OF PROFESSIONAL BODIES

- Founding Member, COMSKIPTECH Project Network.
- Nigerian Association of Teachers and Researchers of English as a Second Language (NATRESL) *Member of its National Executive Committee (2006 till date).
- Ogun State [Nigeria] Association of Teachers of English.

PRIZES, HONOURS, NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL RECOGNITION

- Overseas Development Administration (ODA) Training Awards to attend the various COMSKIPTECH training workshops organized by the National Universities Commission (NUC) and the British Council in 1989, 1991, twice in 1992, and 1993.
- Overseas Development Administration (ODA) Fellowship Award administered through the British Council in Nigeria to attend a Masters Programme at the University of Birmingham in 1992/93.

COURSES TAUGHT

- Use-of-English
- Literature-in-English

- Language and Communication
- English Phonetics & Phonology
- Applied Linguistics
- Discourse Analysis
- Language and Society

RESEARCH CONDUCTED

PUBLICATIONS

Thesis and Dissertation

- i. B.A. Project – Entitled “Phonological Interference of Hausa with English”
- ii. M.A Dissertation –entitled “Phonological Interference of Igbo and Yoruba”.
- ii. M.A. Dissertation – Entitled “Investigation into the Discourse Organisation of Selected Projects of Undergraduate Students of the Department of Plant Biology”.
- iii. PhD Dissertation – Entitled “An Application of the Bernstein Hypothesis to the Study of Yoruba-English Bilingual Acquisition and learning in Selected Secondary Schools in Ogun State.

Journals Articles

1. ALIMI, M.M., AZEEZ, T.A. AND **KASSAL, B.I.**: “Team Teaching and Teacher Development”. ELTT Vo. 1 No. 1, 1997
2. OLUGBENGA JELIL LADEBO, **BOLANLE IDOWU KASSAL** AND O. COLLINS BANJOKO: “Effect to Radio Farm Broadcast on Farmers knowledge of Improved farm Practices”. Pp. 122-127
3. M.M. ALIMI AND **B.I. KASSAL**: “The Discourse Structure of the Cartoon Text, Vol. VIII: February, 1999
4. **BOLANLE AKEREDOLU-ALE**, PATIENCE ONEKUTU AND OSITA OGIDI: “Helping Students of Universities of Agriculture and technology (UNAT) in Nigeria to Communicate: The Journal so far, Bauchi Liberal Studies Series, Vol. 2, 1999

5. **KASSAL, B.I. AND ALIMI, M.M.** : “A Genre Analysis of the Inaugural Lecture, Paper in English Linguistics, Vol. 4, 1999
6. **B.I. AKEREDOLU-ALE**: “Second Language and Academic Performance: A Class Sensitive Case Study. Pp. 50-62
7. **B.I. AKEREDOLU-ALE AND M.M. ALIMI**: “Linguistic Dilemma of Second Language Learners: Implications for English Language Teaching. *RALL (2001-2002)*. Vol. 6 Pp.67-80
8. **M.M. ALIMI AND B.I. AKEREDOLU-ALE**: “Learner Factors and Performance: the Case of Students in a Science based University, *Indian Journal of Applied Linguistics*, Vol. 29 No. 2 July- Dec. 2003, Pp. 114-124
9. **BOLANLE AKEREDOLU-ALE**: “A Text-Linguistics Approach to the teaching of Poetry to Students in a Science-Based University: A Teacher’s Experience, *Gege: Ogun Studies in English*. Pp. 141-149
10. **BOLANLE AKEREDOLU-ALE**: “An Analysis of Discourse organization in Science undergraduate Projects”. *ELLT* Vol. 3 No. 2 Dec., 2004, Pp. 16-25
11. **BOLANLE AKEREDOLU-ALE**: ‘Collocation in Vocabulary Teaching and Learning, *ELLT* Vol. 3 No. 2 Dec., 2004. Pp. 45-49
12. **BOLANLE AKEREDOLU-ALE**: “Language Teaching Methodology: An Overview of Three Languages Processing and Producing Approaching”. *Gege: Ogun Studies in English*, 5.1 (2005): 154-165
13. **BOLANLE AKEREDOLU-ALE**; “remedying Some Basic Pronunciation Errors through Perception and production Drills: A Teacher’s Report., *ELTT* Vol. 4 No.1 Pp. 51-59
14. **B.I AKEREDOLU-ALE**: “English Language Imperialism and Superimposition Over Nigerian Indigenous Languages”. *Asset Series C* (2006) 1(1): 39-46
15. **B.I. AKEREDOLU-ALE**: “The Linguistic Trap: The Issue of Standard English or Nuclear English”. *Asset Series C* (2006) 1(1): 153-159
16. **B.I. AKEREDOLU-ALE**: ‘Social Stratification and the Challenges of Second Language Acquisition: A case study of selected Yoruba-English Bilinguals in Ogun State, Nigeria”. *Indian Journal of Applied Linguistics*. Vol. 32, No.1 & 2, Jan.,-Dec., 2006
17. **B.I. AKEREDOLU-ALE**: “Challenges of Using Concordance in Second Language Vocabulary and Grammar Teaching”. *Language Forum* Vol. 32 No. 1-2, Jan-Dec. 2006
18. **BOLANLE AKEREDOLU-ALE**: “Rethinking the Pedagogies of the general Studies English Sub-Programme: Lessons from UNAAB. *ELTT* Vol. 5 June 2006

19. **BOLANLE AKEREDOLU-ALE**: “Enhancing the Communication Skills Programme in Nigerian Tertiary Institutions: A case study of the University of Agriculture, Abeokuta, Nigeria.
20. **BOLANLE-ALE**: “Good English for What?: Learners’ motivation as a factor in Declining Learners’ Performance in English Language Acquisition and Use in Nigerian Schools’. Vol. 14, No.2 August 2007. Pp. 231-245
21. **B.I. KASSAL**: “Farm Information Management and Poultry Development in Nigeria: A case Study of Poultry farmers in (Four Local Government Areas) Ogun State. March 21-26, 1998, Nigeria. Pp. 266
22. O.J. LADEBO AND **B.I. KASSAL**: “Information Needs and Sources of Information for Aquaculture Farmers in Nigeria”. Nigerian Association for Aquatic Sciences. Pp.47-59
23. **BOLANLE AKEREDOLU-ALE**: ‘Overcoming The English Problem: the Learner-Friendly Way ELLT Papers Vol. 1 Dec., 2002
24. **BOLANLE AKEREDOLU-ALE**: “ Communication in English”
25. ALIMI, M.M. AND **KASSAL, B.I.** “ESP Methodology”
26. ALIMI, M.M. AND **B.I. KASSAL**: “Cultural limitations in English Language Teaching”
27. **BOLANLE AKEREDOLU-ALE**: “Applications of Second Language Acquisition Research to Second Language pedagogy”
28. **BOLANLE AKEREDOLU ALE**: “ Acquiring Good English for What?: Opportunity Structures and Learners’ motivation as factors in the Learners’ performance in English language Acquisition in Nigeria”
29. PAT ADE AYEBOLA AND **B.I. AKEREDOLU-ALE**: “Strategies for Effective poetry Communication”.

CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS ATTENDED AND PAPERS PRESENTED

30. Alimi, M. M. & **B. I. Kassal** (1990) ‘ESP Methodology’. A paper presented at the **First International Training Workshop on Communication Skills Project (COMSKIPTECH) for Federal Universities of Technology and Agriculture**, organized by the National Universities Commission (NUC) of Nigeria and the British Council in Nigeria held at the Federal University of Technology, Owerri, Nigeria.
31. **Kassal, B.**, P. Ede & O. Ogidi (1993) ‘Helping Students of Universities of Agriculture and Technology (UNAT) in Nigeria to Communicate: The Journey so far’. A paper session presented **at the 11th BALEAP Conference on Course Design and Evaluation in EAP**, held at the University of Birmingham, U.K.
32. **Kassal, B.**, P. Ede & O. Ogidi (1993) ‘Helping Students of Universities of Agriculture and Technology (UNAT) in Nigeria to Communicate: The Journey so far’.

- A poster session presented **at the 27th IATEFL International Conference** held at the University College, Swansea, Wales, U.K.
33. Alimi, M. M. & **B. I. Kassal** (1995) 'Cultural Limitations in English Language Teaching'. A paper presented **at the English Teaching Improvement Conference** organized by LECAPS held at the University of Jos, Jos, Nigeria.
 34. Kassal, B. I. & M. M. Alimi (1997) 'A Genre Analysis of the Inaugural Lecture.' A paper presented at the **Annual Conference of the Reading Association of Nigeria (RAN)**, Obafemi Awolowo University, Ile-Ife, Nigeria.
 35. **Akeredolu-Ale, B. I.** (2002) 'Writing Better Summaries'. A paper presented during a **two-day workshop organized by Ogun State Association of Teachers of English (Abeokuta South Chapter)** Nigeria.
 36. **Akeredolu-Ale, B. I.** (2003) 'Overcoming the English 'H' Problem: The Learner-Friendly Way'. A paper presented at the **1st Annual ELTT (English Language Teaching Today) Conference**, held at the Federal University of Technology, Akure, Nigeria.
 37. **Akeredolu-Ale, B. I.** (2005) 'Enhancing the Communication Skills Programmes in Nigerian Tertiary Institutions: A Case Study of the University of Agriculture, Abeokuta, Nigeria.' A paper presented at the **First International Conference on Human Development**, held at the Covenant University, Ota, Ogun States, Nigeria
 38. **Akeredolu-Ale, B. I.** (2005) 'Social Stratification and Second Language Acquisition among Yoruba-English Bilinguals: A Case Study of Selected Secondary Schools in Ogun State of South-Western Nigeria' A paper presented at the **3rd Annual ELTT (English Language Teaching Today) Conference**, held at the University of Agriculture, Abeokuta, Nigeria.
 39. **Akeredolu-Ale, B. I.** (2005) 'Challenges of Using Conference in Second Language Vocabulary and Grammar Teaching'. A paper presented at the **3rd Annual ELTT (English Language Teaching Today) Conference**, held at the University of Agriculture, Abeokuta, Nigeria.
 40. **Akeredolu-Ale, B. I.** (2005) 'Remedying Basic Pronunciation Errors: A Teacher's Experience'. A paper presented at the **3rd Annual ELTT (English Language Teaching Today) Conference**, held at the University of Agriculture, Abeokuta, Nigeria.
 41. **Akeredolu-Ale, B. I.** (2005) 'Rethinking the Pedagogics of the General Studies English (GNS/English) Sub-Programme in Nigerian Universities: Lessons from the UNAAB Experience'. A paper presented at the **4th Annual ELTT (English Language Teaching Today) Conference**, held at the University of Agriculture, Makurdi, Benue State, Nigeria.
 43. Ayebola, P. A. & **B. I. Akeredolu-Ale** "Rekindling Students' Interest in Poetry'. A paper presented at the **Literature and Humanistic studies in Africa conference**, held at the University of Lagos, Akoka, Lagos State.