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**Personal Data**

**Nationality:** Nigerian

**Education**

**Postdoctoral Research Fellow,** April 2015 to March 2016: School of Research and Postgraduate Studies, Faculty of Human and Social Sciences, North West University (Mafikeng Campus), Mafikeng, South Africa

**Ph.D., Obafemi Awolowo University,** July 2012 – **Demography & Social Statistics**

*Dissertation: Socioeconomic and Demographic Correlates of Maternal Mortality in Nigeria*

**M.Sc., Obafemi Awolowo University,** Oct. 2004 – **Demography & Social Statistics**

*Dissertation: Violence Against Women as a factor in Unmet Need for Contraception in Southwest Nigeria*

**B.Sc., Obafemi Awolowo University,** Jan.1998 – **Demography & Social Statistics**

**Additional Training/Coursework/workshops attended**

* **University of Michigan,** Institute for Social Research, *Sampling Program for Survey Statisticians*, June 1 – July 24, 2015
* **MEASURE-DHS,** ICF International, *MEASURE Demographic and Health Surveys Writing Workshop*, Kigali, Rwanda, October 1 – October 13, 2012
* **MEASURE-DHS,** ICF International, *MEASURE Demographic and Health Surveys Data Users Workshop*, Kampala, Uganda, July 30 – August 10, 2012
* **Johns Hopkins University,** Department of Population, Family and Reproductive Health, *8th Annual Summer Institute in Reproductive Health & Development: Analytic Skills for Policies and Programs*, Bill and Melinda Gates Institute for Population and Reproductive Health, Baltimore, USA. May 31 – June 11, 2010
* **Obafemi Awolowo University,** Population and Reproductive Health Program, Training Workshop on Analytic Skills Using Stata Statistical Package, Nigeria. November 2 – 6, 2009.

**Appointments**

* **Lecturer**, Department of Demography and Social Statistics, Obafemi Awolowo University, Ile-Ife, Nigeria. Oct. 2007 – date
* **Graduate Assistant/Assistant Lecturer**, Department of Demography and Social Statistics, Obafemi Awolowo University, Ile-Ife, Nigeria. Sept. 2004– Sept. 2007
* **Research Assistant**, SAREC/SIDA Research Project on HIV/AIDS and STIs, University of Ado-Ekiti, Ekiti State, Ekiti State, Nigeria. Jul. 1999 – Aug. 2000

**Fellowships & Awards**

2015 Leslie Kish Fellow, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, USA

2015 Postdoctoral Fellow, North West University, Mafikeng Campus, South Africa

2012 Fellow, ICF International (Measure-DHS) DHS Fellows Program

2010 Fellow, Bill and Melinda Gates Summer Institute

2001/03 Federal Government Postgraduate Scholarship

**Professional Memberships**

* Population Association of America (PAA) 2013 - date
* International Union for the Scientific Study of Population (IUSSP) 2012 - date
* Population Association of Nigeria (PAN) 2011 - date
* Union for African Population Studies (UAPS) 2007 - date

**Publications (Journal Articles)**

1. Solanke B.L., Oladosu O.A., **Akinlo A.** and Olanisebe S.O. (2015) Religion as a social determinant of maternal health care service utilisation in Nigeria. African Population Studies, 29(2)
2. Akanni Akinyemi, Sunday Adedini, Sennen Hounton, **Ambrose Akinlo**, Olanike Adedeji, Osarenti Adonri, Howard Friedman, Solomon Shiferaw, Abdoulaye Maïga, Agbessi Amouzou, Aluisio JD Barros (2015). Contraceptive use and distribution of high-risk births in Nigeria: A sub-national analysis. Global Health Action, 8.
3. **Akinlo, A.,** J.O. Abe and B.L. Solanke. (2014). Correlates of higher-risk sex among young men in Nigeria. Ife Social Sciences Review, Obafemi Awolowo University, Nigeria. Vol 23(1):201-212
4. Akinyemi A.I. and **Akinlo A**. (2014). Factors Associated with Non‐Use of Condom among youths in High‐Risk Sexual Activity in Selected Countries in sub‐Saharan Africa Ife Social Sciences Review, Obafemi Awolowo University, Nigeria. Vol 23 (1)
5. **Akinlo, A.,** A., Bisiriyu & Esimai, O. (2014). “Use of Maternal Health Care as a Predictor of Postpartum Contraception in Nigeria”. African Population Studies, 27(2):
6. Akinyemi A.I. and **Akinlo A**. (2014). “Unmet Needs for Care and Support for the Elderly in Nigeria: Gaps in Experiences and Expectations of the Aged in Ilesa, South-West Nigeria”. The Nigerian Journal of Sociology and Anthropology, Vol. 12
7. **Akinlo, A**., Solanke B.L and Ogunjuyigbe P.O. (2014). Non-use of Maternal Health Services: Implications for maternal Mortality in Nigeria. Journal of Demography and Social Statistics, Obafemi Awolowo University Press, Nigeria:1(1):81-91
8. Kupoluyi, J.A. and **A. Akinlo** (2014). Attitudes of Youths towards Female Circumcision in Nigeria: Implications for Future Practice. Journal of Demography and Social Statistics, Obafemi Awolowo University Press, Nigeria:1(1):186-199
9. Ogunjuyigbe, P.O., **A. Akinlo** and G.A. Oni (2010) “Violence against Women as a Factor in Unmet Need for Contraception in Southwest Nigeria” Journal of Family Violence, Springer, Netherlands

1. Ogunjuyigbe, P.O., E.O. Ojofeitimi, R.A. Sanusi, E.O. Orji, **A. Akinlo**, S.A. Liasu and O.O. Owolabi (2008) “Food aversion during pregnancy: a major cause of poor pregnancy outcome in Nigeria” Journal of Chinese Clinical Medicine 3(7)
2. Ojofeitimi, E.O., P.O. Ogunjuyigbe, R.A. Sanusi, E.O. Orji, **A. Akinlo**, S.A. Liasu and O.O. Owolabi (2008) “Poor Dietary Intake of Energy and Retinol among Pregnant Women: Implications for Pregnancy Outcome in Southwest Nigeria”, Pakistan Journal of Nutrition 7(3): 480-484
3. Ogunjuyigbe, P.O., E.O. Ojofeitimi, B.R. Fajemilehin, A. Esimai, O.O. Owolabi, E. Adejuyigbe and **A. Akinlo**. (2007) “Effect of Maternal Health Care Practices on Survival Status of Under Five Years Children in Osun State”, Ife Social Sciences Review, Obafemi Awolowo University, Ile-Ife, Nigeria, 22(1): 99-117
4. Ogunjuyigbe, P.O., E.O. Ojofeitimi and **A. Akinlo**. (2006) “Science Education in Nigeria: An Examination of People’s Perceptions about Female Participation in Science, Mathematics and Technology”, Journal of Science Education and Technology, Springer, Netherlands, 15(3-4): 277-284
5. Ogunjuyigbe, P.O., **A. Akinlo** and J.A. Ebigbola. (2005) “Violence Against Women: an examination of Men’s Attitude and Perception about Wife beating and Contraceptive Use”, Journal of Asian and African Studies, Sage Publications, UK, 40(3): 171-196

**Accepted for Publication (Journal Article)**

1. **Akinlo, Ambrose**, Idemudia, Erhabor Sunday, Ogunjuyigbe, Peter Olasupo, & Solanke, Bola Lukman. (2016). Women's Empowerment Status and Exposure to Maternal Mortality Risks in Nigeria. Gender and Behaviour.

**Articles under Review**

1. Jennings, Larissa, Yang, Fan, Otupiri, Easmon, **Akinlo, Ambrose**, Okunlola, Michael, & Hindin, Michelle. (2015). Association of household savings and expected future means on delivery with a skilled birth attendant in Ghana and Nigeria. Maternal and Child Health Journal.
2. **Ambrose Akinlo**, Erhabor S. Idemudia, Mary O. Obiyan and Bola L. Solanke. (2016) Associations between child marriage and high-risk fertility behaviour in Nigeria. Sage Open
3. Obiyan M. O., **Akinlo A**. and Ogunjuyigbe P. O. (2016) Socioeconomic Status and Fertility Behaviour in Nigeria: Analysis of a Cross-Sectional Data 2003-2013. BMC Pregnancy and Childbirth

**Other Publications (Working Papers and Technical Reports)**

1. **[[1]](#footnote-1)Akinlo, A.,** Bisiriyu, A., & Esimai, O. (2013). Influence of Use of Maternal Health Care on Postpartum Contraception in Nigeria. *Demographic and Health Surveys Working Papers Series, No. 92*. ICF International (MEASURE-DHS). Calverton, USA
2. **Akinlo, Ambrose**. (2011). Chapter 3: Family Planning Methods. In Nana Koram & Anastasia J. Gage (Eds.), Nigeria Reproductive Health, Child Health, and Education End-of-Project Household Survey, 2009 (pp. 19-30). Chapel Hill, North Carolina: MEASURE Evaluation/Carolina Population Centre. Retrieved from [www.cpc.unc.edu/measure/publications/TR-10-75c](http://www.cpc.unc.edu/measure/publications/TR-10-75c).
3. **Akinlo, Ambrose**. (2011). Chapter 3: Family Planning Services. In Anastasia J. Gage (Ed.), Nigeria End-of-Project Health Facility Survey, 2009 Final Report (pp. 15-22). Chapel Hill, North Carolina: MEASURE Evaluation/Carolina Population Centre. Retrieved from [www.cpc.unc.edu/measure/publications/TR-10-75a](http://www.cpc.unc.edu/measure/publications/TR-10-75a).
4. Ikamari, L, Adewuyi, AA, & **Akinlo, A**. (2007). Decision Maker Perceptions in Kenya and Nigeria: An Assessment of Data Use Constraints. Chapel Hill, North Carolina: MEASURE Evaluation/Carolina Population Centre. Retrieved from http://www.cpc.unc.edu/measure/publications/tr-07-44

**Conferences Attended**

* Third Nigeria National Conference on Family Planning in Nigeria, Abuja: November 26-28, 2014 (Plenary session speaker)
* XXVII International Population Conference of the International Union for the Scientific Study of Population (IUSSP), Busan, South Korea: August 26 – 31, 2013
* 2013 Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, New Orleans: April 11-13
* Second National Conference on Family Planning in Nigeria, Abuja: November 27 – 30, 2012
* The 2011 International Conference on Family Planning, Dakar, Senegal: Nov 29 - Dec 2, 2011
* The 10th INDEPTH Network Annual General and Scientific Meeting on "Lessons for the future direction of demographic and health research in developing countries", Accra, Ghana: 27-30 Sept. 2010
* Investing in Young People’s Health and Development: Research that Improves Policies and Programs, held on April 27–29, 2008 at International Conference Centre, Abuja, Nigeria.
* Fifth African Population Conference: Emerging Issues in Population and Development in Africa, held on December 10–14, 2007 at the Arusha International Conference Centre, Tanzania.
* A National Conference on Social Problems, Development and the Challenges of Globalization held on June 16-17, 2004 at Conference Centre, Obafemi Awolowo University, Ile-Ife, Nigeria.

**Professional Experience (Capacity Building)**

* Training Coordinator/Co-facilitator, MEASURE Demographic and Health Surveys Data Users Workshop, Department of Demography and Social Statistics, Obafemi Awolowo University, Ile-Ife. 2013 – date (three workshops).
* Consultant, World Bank-NPopC Training on the Design and Analysis of Complex Sample Survey Data, Minna, Niger State, Nigeria, November 11-30, 2013
* Facilitator (Training Consultant to MEASURE Evaluation), Workshop on Data Management with STATA, Makurdi, Benue State, Nigeria, July 14-21, 2013
* Co-facilitator (Training Consultant to ICFI, Calverton), MEASURE Demographic and Health Surveys Writing Workshop, Nairobi, Kenya, June 24 – July 5, 2013
* Co-facilitator (Training Consultant to ICFI, Calverton), MEASURE Demographic and Health Surveys Data Users Workshop, Kampala, Uganda, April 29 – May 11, 2013
* Facilitator (Training Consultant to ICFI, Calverton), Journalists’ Workshop on MEASURE Demographic and Health Surveys, Academy House, University of Lagos, Lagos. February 15-16, 2013.
* Co-facilitator, Training on use of STATA, organized by the Population and Reproductive Health Program, College of Health Sciences, Obafemi Awolowo University, Ile-Ife, Nigeria. December 10-14, 2012
* Co-facilitator, Capacity building training on MEASURE Demographic and Health Surveys data use, jointly organized by the Department of Demography and Social Statistics/Faculty of Social Sciences, Obafemi Awolowo University, Ile-Ife, Nigeria. August 22-23, 2012

**Research Experience**

* **Consultant**, Health Facility Assessments in Kaduna, Kano and Katsina states, (A Clinton Health Access Initiative Project executed by Akena Associates, (2014)
* **Sub-Contractor/Researcher**, Qualitative Research on the Barriers to Malaria Prevention Uptake in Pregnancy in Nigeria, (an FHI/C-CHANGE/USAID sponsored project executed by the Centre for Research, Evaluation Resources and Development (CRERD), Ede, Nigeria) (2012)
* **Consultant** to SEEMS Energy Nigeria Ltd. on the Abbreviated Resettlement Action Plan (ARAP) for Akure-Ilesa Road, (A joint World Bank/Federal Government sponsored project implemented by the Road Sector Development Team (RSDT), Federal Ministry of Works, Nigeria), 2012
* **Assistant Fieldwork Coordinator (2012); Fieldwork Supervisor (2010)**, Family Health and Wealth Survey, 2010-2012, (Nigerian component of a multi-country, longitudinal study coordinated by the Bill and Melinda Gates Institute for Population and Reproductive Health, Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health, Baltimore, USA)
* **Coordinator**, Baseline survey for the Oriade Health and Demographic Surveillance System, Population and Reproductive Health Program, Obafemi Awolowo University, Nigeria, 2010-2011
* **Team Leader (Nasarawa State)**, MEASURE Evaluation Final Survey on Household, Facility and Schools, 2009, (a COMPASS/USAID sponsored project executed by the Centre for Research, Evaluation Resources and Development (CRERD), Ede, Nigeria) 2009
* **Fieldwork Supervisor** (Lagos State), MEASURE Evaluation Midline Survey on Household, Facility and Schools, 2007, (a COMPASS/USAID sponsored project executed by the Centre for Research, Evaluation Resources and Development (CRERD), Ede, Nigeria) 2007
* **Research Assistant** on the project: Nutritional and Educational Interventions During Pregnancy to Improve Maternal Health and Prevent Intrauterine Growth Retardation and Low Birth Weight Babies in Nigerian Rural and Urban Communities, 2006 (Sponsored by the West African Health Organization (WAHO))
* **Fieldwork Supervisor** (Federal Capital Territory), MEASURE Evaluation Baseline Survey on Facility and Schools, 2005, (a COMPASS/USAID sponsored project executed by the Centre for Research, Evaluation Resources and Development (CRERD), Ede, Nigeria), 2005
* **Research Assistant** on the project: Decision Maker Perception among key informants in Nigeria: A Rapid Assessment of Data Use Constraints. (A Measure Evaluation/USAID sponsored project executed by the Centre for Research, Evaluation Resources and Development (CRERD), Ede, Nigeria), 2005

**Other Professional Responsibilities**

* Member, Faculty Board of Studies, Faculty of Social Sciences, Obafemi Awolowo University, Ile-Ife, Nigeria, 2013 - date
* Member, Departmental Examination Committee, Department of Demography and Social Statistics, Obafemi Awolowo University, Ile-Ife, Nigeria, 2004 - date
* Academic Staff Adviser (undergraduates), Department of Demography and Social Statistics, Obafemi Awolowo University, Ile-Ife, Nigeria, 2004 - date
* Member, OAU Planning Committee and delegate to the 3rd Nigerian Universities Research and Development Fair (NURESDEF), held at the University of Lagos, Akoka, Lagos, March 25 - 28, 2008
* Member, OAU Planning Committee and delegate to the 2nd Nigerian Universities Research and Development Fair (NURESDEF), held at the Eagle Square, Abuja, December 6 – 9, 2005

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