

CURRICULUM VITAE

For

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1. PERSONAL DATA

Name: Samaila Mohammed Mijinyawa
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Home Town Kaduna
State: Kaduna
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Home Address: No. 15 Bakori road, Kabala Costain, Kaduna
Date of 1st appointment: 14 June, 2006
Date of last promotion: Nil
Present Rank : Lecturer 1
Postilion in view: Senior Lecturer

2. SCHOOLS ATTENDED WITH DATES:

- i. Babban dodo rd. Primary School, KD. 1975 to 1981
- ii. Day Secondary School Kakuri, Kaduna 1981 to 1986
- iii. College of Advanced Studies Zaria 1986 to 1988
- iv. Ahmadu Bello University Zaria 1988 to 1991
- v. Imo State University, Owerri. 2004 to 2006
- vi. Ahmadu Bello University Zaria (PhD) 2012 to 2023

3. QUALIFICATIONS OBTAINED WITH DATES:

- i. Primary School Certificate 1981
- ii. WAEC ('O' Level) 1986
- iii. I.J.M.B. ('A' Level) 1987
- iv. Bachelor of Arts, (Second Class Lower) 1991
- v. Masters of Arts, (Linguistics) 2006

vi. PhD African Languages (Linguistics) 2023

4. AREAS OF ACADEMIC SPECIALIZATION: Linguistics

- i. "Phono-Syntactic Approach to Stuttering as a Disorder of Fluency" M.A. Thesis. Imo State University, Owerri. 2006.
Main Supervisor: Dr. Laurence Okoro.
- ii. 'A Sociolinguistic Analysis of the Influence of Hausa on Ayu Language of Kaduna State'. PhD Thesis, Ahmadu Bello University, Zaria 2023.
Main Supervisor: Professor M.Y. Tsoho
External Examiner: Professor Mustapha Isah

5. TEACHING AND RESEARCH EXPERIENCE:

- i. Ugwulangwu Secondary Sch. Ohaozara LGA, Ebonyi State
NYSC (Teaching) 1992 to 1993
- iii. Alvan Ikoku Coll of Education, Owerri, Imo State (Teaching) 1994 to 2006
- iii Department of Nigerian Languages and Linguistics, Kaduna State University, Kaduna (Teaching and Research). 2006 to date

5. COURSES TAUGHT:

(d) 2019/2020 Session

First Semester

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| HAU 109: Introduction to General Linguistics | 3CU |
| HAU 213: Traditional Personal Naming in Hausa | 2CU |
| HAU 301: Hausa Syntax II: Advance Nominal System | 2CU |
| LIN 107: Language and Society | 3CU |

Second Semester

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| HAU 102: Introduction to Hausa Linguistics | 2CU |
| HAU 202: Hausa Syntax: The Nominal System | 3CU |
| HAU 310: Hausa Traditional Music. | 3CU |
| LIN 108: Child Language Acquisition | 3CU |
| HAU 400: Project | 6CU |

(e) **2020/2021 Session**

First Semester

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| HAU 301: Hausa Syntax II | 2CU |
| HAU 209: Hausa Phonology | 2CU |
| LIN 205: Basic Phonetics | 3CU |
| LIN 107: Language and Society | 3CU |

Second Semester

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| HAU 402: Introduction to Sociolinguistics | 2CU |
| HAU 218: Hausa Phonology | 2CU |
| HAU 400: Project | 6CU |
| LIN 204: Sociolinguistics | 3CU |
| LIN 108: Child Language Acquisition | 3CU |

6. BACHELOR`S PROJECTS SUPERVISED:

1. KASU/05/HAU/1003 (2009). Yakubu Safyanu 'Hausar Daliban Jami'ar Jihar Kaduna daga 2005 zuwa 2010'.
2. KASU/07/HAU/1022 Musa Ja'afar Mohammed 'Mutuwar Harsuna: Nazarin wasu daga cikin harsunan da ke kan hanyar mutuwa a kudancin Kaduna. (Chori) 2011.
3. KASU/07/HAU/1018 Rilwanu Shamsuddeen Shehu. 'Suna linzami: Nazari a kan sunayen da suka samo asali daga yanayi na haihuwa. 2011
4. KASU/18/HAU/1030 Ashiru Maryam. Tabarbawarewar Tarbiyya: Tasirin Sunsyen 'yan Kwallon Kafa na Turai Kan Sunayen 'Ya'yan Hausawa a Garin Rigasa, Kaduna.
5. KASU/18/HAU/1025 Ahmad Salisu Sulaiman: Dabarun Masu Fassara Fina-Finan India Zuwa Hausa, Nasarori da Matsalolin da suke Fuskanta a yayin Fassara.
6. Maryam Kabir Ahmed: Amarci A Garin Kano, Jiyaya da Yau.
7. Abubakar Mohammed: Dadi a Tunanin Bahausha: Nazari daga wasu Kauruwan Maganan Hausawa.

7. RESEARCH PAPERS DELIVERED AT ACADEMIC FORUM (SEMINARS, CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS ETC) NOT PUBLISHED

- i. Mijinyawa, S.M. (2010) ‘Language Contact as Linguistic Phenomenon: English and Hausa in Focus.’ A paper presented at the 23rd Annual Conference of the Linguistic Association of Nigeria (LAN) which was held from November 29th – December 3rd 2010, at the University of Port Harcourt, Nigeria.
- ii. Mijinyawa, S.M. (2014) ‘Lexical Pluralization in Ayu Language of Central Nigeria’ A paper presented at the 8th Malaysia International Conference of Languages, Literatures and Cultures (MICOLLAC) which was held from 12th – 14th August, 2014 by the University of Putra, Malaysia at Rainbow Paradise Beach Resort, Tanjung Bungah, Penang. Malaysia.
- iii. Mijinyawa, S. M. (2017) ‘Linguistic Borrowing: The Ayu Language illustration.’ A paper presented at the 3rd Annual International Conference titled, ‘Hausa Language, Literature and Culture in the 21st Century: Current Trends and Perspectives’ by the Department of Nigerian Languages and Linguistics, Kaduna state University, Kaduna, held from 18th-21st May, 2017.
- iv. Mijinyawa, S. M. and Mohammed, A.M. (2019) ‘The Influence of Hausa on Ayu Personal Names’ A paper presented at the 4th Annual International Conference titled, ‘Hausa Drama, Film and Popular Culture in the 21st Century’ by the Department of Nigerian Languages and Linguistics, Kaduna state University, Kaduna, held from 28th-31st March, 2019.
- v. Mijinyawa, S. M. and Mohammed, A.M. (2019) ‘ Comparative Study of Locative and Utilitarian Nouns in Arabic and Hausa Languages’ A paper presented at the 5th Annual International Conference titled, ‘Standard Hausa Orthography and Lexicography: Challenges and Prospects in the 21st Century’ by the Department of Nigerian Languages and Linguistics, Kaduna state University, Kaduna, held from 14th-17th November, 2019.
- vi. Mijinyawa, S. M. and Samaila, J. (2019) ‘ Orthography and The Development of Ayu as a Minority Language in Kaduna State’ A paper presented at the 5th Annual International Conference titled, ‘Standard Hausa Orthography and Lexicography: Challenges and Prospects in the 21st Century’ by the Department of Nigerian Languages and Linguistics, Kaduna state University, Kaduna, held from 14th-17th November, 2019.

- vii. Mijinyawa, S. M. and Abdulkadir, S. (2019) ‘Sabon Salon Rubuta Hausa a Kafafen Sada Zumunta ta *Whatsapp*. Cigaba ko Nakasu?’ A paper presented at the 5th Annual International Conference titled, ‘Standard Hausa Orthography and Lexicography: Challenges and Prospects in the 21st Century’ by the Department of Nigerian Languages and Linguistics, Kaduna state University, Kaduna, held from 14th-17th November, 2019.

8. PUBLICATIONS

a. Journals

- i. Mijinyawa, S.M. (2015) ‘*Language Preservation in Selected Songs of ALA.*’ *KADAURA: Journal of Multi-Disciplinary Studies*, Department of Nigeria Languages and Linguistics, Faculty of Arts, Kaduna State University, Kaduna. Volume 1 No. 1 ISSN 2536-7609, (Page, 141-154)
- ii. Mijinyawa, S.M. (2016) ‘*Contextual Variables of the word (Ci) eat.*’ *KADAURA: Journal of Multi-Disciplinary Studies*, Department of Nigeria Languages and Linguistics, Faculty of Arts, Kaduna State University, Kaduna. Volume 1 No. 2 ISSN 2536-7609, (Page, 84-92).
- iii. Butari, N. U. and Mijinyawa, S.M. (2017) ‘*Pragmatic Principles Governing the Interpretation of Selected Jukun Riddles.*’ *YANKARI: Journal of English, Literature and Linguistics*, Department of English, Faculty of Arts and Education, Bauchi State University, Gadau. yanjelljournal@gmail.com Volume 1 No. 1 ISSN 2336-6037, (Page, 217-226).
- iv. Mijinyawa, S.M. (2019) ‘*Hausa a Giant Threat to Ayu Language of Kaduna state in the Home Domain of Language Use.*’ *JOLLS: Journal of Languages, Linguistics and Literary Studies*, Department of French, Faculty of Humanities, Imo State University, Owerri. Volume 7. ISSN 2636-7149-6300, (Online and Print (Page, 98-104).
- v. Isa, A. H. and Mijinyawa, S.M. (2019) ‘*An overview of Noun Derivation by Affixation in Kulung.*’ *JOLLS: Journal of Languages, Linguistics and Literary Studies*, Department of French, Faculty of Humanities, Imo State University, Owerri. Volume 9 No. 2 ISSN 2636-7149-6300, (Online and Print (Page, 168-176).

- vi. Mijinyawa, S.M. and Enyeribe, I.U. (2019) *'Language of Newspaper Advertisement: A Stylistic Analysis.'* VOICES: *Journal of English Studies*, Department of English and Drama, Faculty of Arts, Kaduna State University, Kaduna. Volume 3 No. 2 ISSN 24087475, (Page, 154-167).
- vii. Ahmed, I. and Mijinyawa, S.M. (2021) *'Disruption in Intergenerational Language Proficiency Transmission as a Common Attribute of the Kataf Cluster Languages.'* JOLLS: *Journal of Languages, Linguistics and Literary Studies*, Department of French, Faculty of Humanities, Imo State University, Owerri. Volume 10 No. 2 ISSN 2636-7149-6300, (Online and Print (Page, 10-21).
- viii. Ahmed, I. and Mijinyawa, S.M. (2022) *'A Unescorian Approach to Assessing the Degree of Endangerment of Kataf Cluster Languages.'* *The Nasara Journal of Humanities*. A journal of the Faculty of Arts, Nasarawa State University, Keffi-Nigeria. Volume 10 No. 2 ISSN 1118-6887. (Page, 40-47).
- ix. Mijinyawa, S.M. *Language Shift in Ayu Speech Community of Sanga Local Government of Kaduna State.* KASUJOF: *Journal of French*, Department of French, Faculty of Arts, Kaduna State University, Kaduna. Volume 6. February, 2023. ISSN 2276-9609. (Page, 175-183).

b. Chapters in Books

- 1. Mijinyawa, S.M. (2013) 'Comprehension'. A chapter in *Communication in English*. Alexander Kure & Upah Butari Nahum (eds). Kaduna State University, Kaduna. ISBN: 978-978-931-086-9, (Page, 158-174).
- 2. Mijinyawa, S.M. (2015) 'Semantics: The Study of Meaning'. A chapter in *Issues in Language and Linguistics. Perspectives from Nigeria*. Olatunde Ayodabo & Upah Butari Nahum (eds). Kaduna State University, Kaduna. Volume 3. ISBN: 978-978-954-490-5, (Page, 81-94).

13. MEMBERSHIP OF UNIVERSITY COMMITTEES:

- i. Member, Senate Sub - Committee on Examination Validation, Kaduna State University. 2009 to 2015
- ii. Member, Faculty Arts Committee on Examination Ethics and Malpractice. 2016 to Date.

- iii. Member, University Committee to investigate the claim of recomputed Result and the need to Correct Class of Degree 1st September, 2021.
- iv. Member, University Committee on Results validation in the Department of Chemistry 21st November, 2019.
- v. Senate Sub - Committee on Post UTME Examination, Kaduna State University. 2012 to 2015
- vi. Member, Standing Committee. Standing Committee of Faculty of Arts, Kaduna State University. 2016- Date

14. FACULTY/DEPARTMENTAL RESPONSIBILITIES:

- i. Under Graduate Registration Officer, Department of Nigerian Languages and Linguistics, Kaduna State University, 2008-2010
- ii. Departmental Secretary, Department of Nigerian Languages and Linguistics, Kaduna State University, Kaduna 2006 – 2008
- iii. Departmental Examination Officer, Department of Nigerian Languages and Linguistics, Kaduna State University, Kaduna 2008 – 2012
- iv. Member, Faculty of Arts Committee on Space Allocation. 2007
- v. Member, A & PC Committee. Department of Nigerian Languages and Linguistics, Kaduna State University. 2015
- vi. Secretary, KADAURA: Journal of Hausa Multi-disciplinary Studies, Department of Nigerian Languages and Linguistics, Kaduna State University. September, 2015
- vii. Member, Editorial Board, KADAURA: Journal of Hausa Multi-disciplinary Studies, Department of Nigerian Languages and Linguistics, Kaduna State University. 2023
- viii. Chair, Departmental Validation Committee. 2019-2020

- ix. Member, Curriculum Review Committee. Department of Nigerian Languages and Linguistics, Kaduna State University. 2015-2016
- x. Member, Faculty Examination Ethics Committee. Faculty of Arts, Kaduna State University. 28th April, 2021- 2023
- xi. Chairman, Faculty of Art Examination Ethics Committee. November, 2023 to Date.
- xii. Level Coordinator, 400 Level BA. Hausa students 2018
- xiii. Faculty of Arts Representative in the Internal Viva-voce of M. A. English 2017

15. COMMUNITY SERVICES

- i. Secretary, Academic Staff Union of Universities, Kaduna state University Branch. 2008 -2012
- ii. Treasurer, Association of Like-minds, Kabala Costain, Kaduna. 2020 to date
- iii. Member, Majlis Welfare Cooperative, Kaduna State University, Kaduna.
- iv. Vice Chairman, Durmi Road Mosque Committee, Jafaru Estate, Kaduna 2022 to date.
- v. Member, Jafaru Estate Security Committee.

16. TRAINING AND WORKSHOPS:

- i. Advanced Digital Appreciation Program-Tertiary (ADAPT) Training by Digital Bridge Institute, International Centre for Communications Studies in Bayero University Kano. March 10th -14th, 2008.
- ii. Workshop On Moodle Software by Kaduna state University, Kaduna in Collaboration with Computer Aid International (CAD) UK. 18th – 22nd July, 2011.
- iii. A Training Workshop: The Nigerian Universities Electronic Teaching And Learning Platform organized by Spectrum Engineering Limited and Sponsored by Tertiary Education Trust Fund. 3rd – 4th November, 2015.

iv. Advanced Digital Appreciation Program-Tertiary (ADAPT) Training by Digital Bridge Institute, International Centre for Communications Studies in Kaduna State University Kaduna. June 13th -17th, 2016.

17. MEMBERSHIP OF PROFESSIONAL ORGANISATIONS:

i. Member, Linguistics Association of Nigeria (LAN)

18. PROMOTIONS:

I. Lecturer 1

14th June. 2006

19. WORK IN PROGRESS

A Dictionary of Hausa loanwords

20. HOBBIES:

i. Reading.

ii. Football, Table Tennis and Game of Snooker.

REFEREES

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