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**Lions Clubs International** 

Ambassador of Goodwill Award Recipient



Oando (Formerly Unipetrol Nigeria)

Nigerian Trade Mission to South Africa participant (1989)

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# **PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY**

Astute project manager and civic leader with extensive knowledge of humanitarian activities. Seeks to collaborate with media, government, businesses and community leaders, to provide solutions that deliver value to the society and enhance the nation.

### **CORE QUALIFICATIONS**

- Extensive knowledge of, and hands-on experience with, the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDG), which range from eradicating poverty to waging war on illiteracy.
- Managed several international and regional humanitarian projects.
- Adept at consulting with appropriate stakeholders to develop policies that achieve results.
- Knowledge of project management best practices and procedures.
- Solid understanding of African hot button issues from various political and socio- economic viewpoints.
- Thorough knowledge of marketing and media communications.
- Excellent people skills.

# **EXPERIENCE**

APEX Technology Inc

Jun. 2009 – Present

# Executive Project Director

- Oversee strategic planning and the administration and execution of humanitarian programs.
- Ensure effective systems to evaluate program components and measure success factors and metrics, which can effectively be communicated to the board and stakeholders.
- Conduct presentations and represent the organization in meetings with internal and external entities.

Lions Club International, Multiple District 404

Jun. 1982 - Present

Trustee (Current)

Leader global membership team for Nigeria and LCI (2011-2015) Chairperson, leadership development team (2006-2010)

Council Chairperson (2005-2006)

District Governor (2003-2004)

Zone Chairperson (1985)

Club president (1984)

- Hosted the 2004 All Africa Lions Conference in Lagos, Nigeria an international forum to address socio-economic challenges in Africa.
- Coordinated national and multinational Campaign SightFirst II a fundraising campaign to combat blindness.
- Successfully secured land area and sought local and international funding to advance cancer care in Nigeria, which led to the construction of the 'Cancer Screening and Treatment Center' located in Lagos State University Teaching Hospital (LASUTH), Ikeja, Lagos.
- Track relevant cultural, social, and humanitarian issues impacting Nigeria and determine courses of action:
  - Partner with various establishments (such as churches) to organize community food drives and conduct wellness seminars on poverty, hunger, malnutrition, and the rising unemployment rates especially among youth.
  - Partner with doctors, counselors, and fitness instructors to enlighten students from multiple secondary schools on childhood obesity and promote healthy eating and physical activity.

- Plan and use focus group results to receive qualitative data for a deeper understanding of community issues (such as gender inequality), and then created policies and activities to promote reform.
- Advise on association policy procedures, assist other advisors with association concerns, and assist in the development of association strategies.
- Develop informational strategies and handled media communications.
- Coordinate meetings and handle communications with international stakeholders, community leaders, and regional offices as necessary.
- Serve as a liaison between Nigerian district and other African and International officers.
- Mentor and train incoming district governors.
- Train and supervise thousands of club presidents and officers to achieve operational objectives.

# Oando PLC (formerly Unipetrol)

Feb. 1981 - Aug. 2005

# **Marketing Analyst**

- As a Marketing Analyst ensured that Unipetrol was secured as a major marketer through statistical analysis and evaluation of its strength, weaknesses, opportunity, and threats.
- As Station Dealer, profitably managed and administered Unipetrol service station.
- As Depot Supervisor, successfully managed a volatile oil and gas distribution center, calming agitated union workers, and negotiating with NNPC officials to secure equitable distribution and allocation of products to every marketer.

### **LEADERSHIP AND AWARDS:-**

- Lions Club International
  - Ambassador of Good Will Award, the highest honor the association bestows upon its members
  - 100% Club President Award
  - 100% District Governor Award
  - o Five (5) International President's Awards
  - o Lion of the year award, 1998, 1999
  - Nigeria Lions Charity Fellowship
- Knight of John Wesley

# **EDUCATION AND TRAINING:-**

- Masters, Public Administration (M.P.A)
- MSc. Management
- B.Sc(Hons) Business Administration
- Secretarial Administration Pitmans College, London (Diploma)
- Lions Club International Training:-
  - Team Work (Mauritius)
  - Time Management (Denver-Colorado)
  - Conflict resolution (Abuja)
  - Effective Listening and Public Speakin (Zambia)
  - Delegation (Kenya)
  - Policy Formulation & Implementation (Lagos)
  - Needs Analysis (Congo)
  - Budgeting and Project Management (Dubai)

# PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION

• Member, Nigerian Institute of Management

# **REFERENCE:**

Available upon request to protect the privacy of referees.