**Title of Article:** Gender and Managerial Skill: The Interface between Gender Bias and Skill Acquisition in Selected Manufacturing Industries Lagos Nigeria.

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**Abstract:** Job discrimination reflects more at managerial levels and competence of this section of the workforce is grossly affected. This paper therefore, examines the nature of skill along gender lines in manufacturing industries. This study clarifies among other objectives, the interface between gender bias and skill acquisition in manufacturing industries. The study adopted the survey method to collect data by administering questionnaires. The respondents for this study were purposively selected from two manufacturing firms in Lagos state. The study revealed that that roles assigned to women may have accounted for the segregation into specific type jobs, and made them to have less control over their work resulting to wage discrimination but this do not justify that they do not have the skill needed.