

ISIBOR, Areghan Akhanolu (Ph. D)

A. PERSONAL DATA

- I. NAME:** Isibor Areghan Akhanolu
II. DATE OF BIRTH: 1st September, 1986
III. TOWN: Iruekpen
IV. LOCAL GOVT AREA: Esan West
V. STATE OF ORIGIN: Edo State
VI. NATIONALITY: Nigerian
VII. MARITAL STATUS: Married
VIII. RELIGION: Christianity
IX. NUMBER OF CHILDREN: None
X. CONTACT ADDRESS: D401H, Banking and Finance Department,
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B. EDUCATIONAL HISTORY

1. INSTITUTIONS ATTENDED WITH DATES

- a. Covenant University, Ota, Ogun State, Nigeria: 2012 - Date
b. Ambrose Alli University, Edo State: 2004 – 2008
c. Providence Heights Secondary School, Lagos State: 1997 – 2003
d. Tifedayo International School, Lagos: 1991 – 1997

2. ACADEMIC QUALIFICATION

S/No	Degree/ Level	Type	Year	Grade	Institution
a.	3 rd Degree	PhD in Finance	2018	Distinction	Covenant University, Ota, Ogun State
b.	2 nd Degree	M.sc. Banking and Finance	2013	Distinction	Covenant University, Ota, Ogun State
c.	1 st Degree	B.Sc.	2008	Second-	Ambrose Alli University, Edo State

		Banking and Finance		Class Upper	
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C. TEACHING EXPERIENCE

1. Academic Rank Held:

- a. Assistant lecturer (October 2013 – 2017)
Institution: Covenant University, Ota, Ogun State, Nigeria.
- Lecturer II (October 2017 – Date)
Institution: Covenant University, Ota, Ogun State, Nigeria.

2. Academic Position Held: Departmental Examination officer (Aug 2015 – July 2017)

- Departmental Examination officer (Aug 2018 – Date)
- Assistant Level adviser – 100 level (Sep 2017 – Aug 2018)
- Assistant Level adviser – 200 level (Sep 2018 – Aug 2019)
- Assistant Level adviser – 300 level (Aug 2019 – Date)

D. COURSES TAUGHT: BFN 111: Introduction to Finance 1

- BFN 211: Business Finance 1
- BFN 311: Business Finance 11
- BFN 121: Introduction to Finance 11
- BFN 325: Public Sector Finance
- BFN 425: Quantitative Analysis for Financial Decisions
- MBA 861: Money and Banking
- Tutorials for Post Graduate Students

E. SCHOLARSHIP, FELLOWSHIPS AND PRIZES

1. Award of Service as Examination Officer in Banking and Finance Dept. For the 2015/2016 session

F. PROJECTS, DISSERTATION, AND THESIS

- BSC: Microfinance: A Strategy for Poverty Reduction in Nigeria
 - MSC: Public Expenditure and Nigerian Economic Growth
 - PHD: Financial Deregulation, Investment Growth, and Economic Development in Nigeria
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G. PUBLICATIONS AND JOURNALS

International Journals (Scopus-Indexed Journals)

1. Okunlola, F.A., Babajide, A., and **Isibor, A.A.** (2020). Empowering women through micro finance: Empirical evidence from Ibadan, Oyo state, Nigeria. *Academy of Entrepreneurship Journal*, 26(1), pp. 1-12
2. Akin, I., Ikpefan, O.A., and **Isibor, A.A.** (2019). Credit to the private sector and economic growth in the present technological world: Empirical evidence from Nigeria. *International Journal of Civil Engineering and Technology*, 10(2), pp. 2329-2347
3. **Isibor, A.A.**, Felicia, O., Maria, A., Godswill, O., and Chisom, N. (2018). Exchange rate management and sectoral output performance. *International Journal of Supply Chain Management*, 7(5), pp. 129-134
4. **Isibor, A.A.**, Omankhanlen, A.E., Okoye, L.U., Achugamonu, B.U., Adebayo, M.E., Afolabi, G.T., and Ayodeji, O.E. (2018). Impact of electronic banking technology on customers' satisfaction and economic growth in Nigeria. *International Journal of Civil Engineering and Technology*, 9(12), pp. 536-544
5. Okoye, L.U., Omankhanlen, A.E., Okoh, J.I., and **Isibor, A.A.** (2018). Technology-based financial services delivery and customer satisfaction: A study of the Nigerian banking sector. *International Journal of Civil Engineering and Technology*, 9(13), pp. 214-223
6. **Isibor, A.A.**, Ojo, J. A. T., and Ikpefan, O. A. (2017). Does financial deregulation spur economic development in Nigeria? *Journal of Applied Economic Science*, 8(54), 2339 - 2350
7. **Isibor, A.A.**, Ikpefan O. A., Okafor T. C., and Ojeka, S. (2016). Impact of money market on the liquidity of some selected quoted banks in Nigeria. *International Business Management*, 10(5), 646 – 651
8. **Isibor, A.A.**, Ikpefan, O. A., and Okafor T. C. (2016). Project financing: Causes and effects of financing abandoned building projects in Nigeria. *The Social Sciences*, 11(24), 5818 – 5823
9. Ikpefan, O. A., **Isibor, A.A.**, and Okafor, T. C. (2016). Deregulation of foreign exchange market and its effect on industrial produce in Nigeria. *Global Media Journal*, 1(7), 1 – 7
10. Akinjare, V., Adetiloye, K. A., **Isibor, A.A.**, and Okafor T.C. (2016). The assessment of the contributions of primary mortgage institutions to housing finance in Nigeria: A case study of Union Homes Savings and Loans Plc. *Asian Journal of Information Technology*, 15(13), 2094 – 2100
11. Akinjare, V., Babajide, A. A., **Isibor, A.A.**, and Okafor, T. C. (2016). Monetary policy and its effectiveness on economic development in Nigeria. *International Business Management*, 10(22), 5336 – 5340

High-Impact Non-Scopus-Indexed international Journals

12. **Isibor, A. A.**, Babajide, A.A., Akinjare V.A., Oladeji, T.F., and Osuma G. (2018). The Effect of Public Debt on Economic Growth in Nigeria: An Empirical Investigation. *International Business Management*, 12 (6), 436-441
13. Afolabi, T. G., Njogo, B. O., **Isibor, A.A.**, Olugbenle, A. H., and Olusesi, H. O. (2017). Capital asset pricing model: Evidence from the Nigerian stock exchange. *International Journal of English Literature and Social Sciences*, 2(6), 155 - 160
14. Taiwo, J. N., Agwu, M. E., Babajide A.A., Okafor T.C., and **Isibor A.A.** (2016). Growth of bank frauds and its impact on the Nigerian banking industry. *Journal of Business Management and Economics*, 4(12), 1 – 12
15. Taiwo, J. N., Agwu, M. E., **Isibor, A.A.**, and Ikpefan, O. A. (2016). Microfinance and poverty alleviation in South-West Nigeria: Empirical evidence. *International Journal of Social Sciences and Management*, 3(4), 256 – 266
16. Ikpefan, O. A., Ikwuetoghu, O. C, Okafor, T. C., and **Isibor, A.** (2016). An investigative analysis into capital market and economic growth in Nigeria. *Ekonomske Ideje*, 23(1), 65 – 84
17. Babajide, A. A., Taiwo, J. N., and **Isibor A.** (2015). Microsavings mobilization innovation and poverty alleviation in Nigeria. *Mediterranean Journal of Social Sciences*, 6(4), 375 – 387
18. Ikpefan, O. A., Achugamonu, B. U., **Isibor, A.**, and Agwu, M. E. (2015). Fraud, unemployment and cashless system: A paradox or reality in Nigeria. *British Journal of Economics, Finance and Management Sciences*, 10(1), 29 – 42

Local Based Journals:

19. **Isibor A.A.**, Modebe, N. J., Okoye, L. U., and Ado A. (2017). Dividend policy and value of the firm: Is dividend relevant or not? *ESUT Journal of Accountancy*, 8(1), 1 – 10
20. **Isibor A.A.**, Babajide A. A., and Okafor T. C. (2015). Public expenditure and Nigerian economic growth. *Nigerian Journal of Interdisciplinary Studies (NJIS)*, 3(1), 1 – 7
21. Okoye, L. U., Modebe, N. J., Achugamonu, B. U., and **Isibor, A.A.** (2016). Effect of merger and acquisitions on banking sector performance in Nigeria. *NG-Journal of Social Development*, 5(5), 78 – 86
22. Okoye, L. U., Evbuomwan, G. O., Achugamonu, B. U., and **Isibor, A.A.** (2016). Impact of corporate governance on the profitability of the Nigerian banking sector. *ESUT Journal of Accountancy*, 7(1), 281 – 292

Conference Papers (CPCI) Scopus-Indexed

1. Achugamonu, B.U., Adegbite, E.O., Omankhanlen, A. E., Okoye, L.U., and **Isibor A.A.** (2019). Dynamics of digital finance and financial inclusion nexus in sub-Saharan Africa. Proceedings of the 33rd International Business Information Management Association Conference, IBIMA 2019: Education Excellence and Innovation Management through Vision 2020
2. Adebayo, M., Imhonopi, D., Iruonagbe, T., Ozoya, M., **Isibor, A.A.** (2019). An overview on the impact of rewards and recognition in retaining university lecturers. Proceedings of the 33rd International Business Information Management Association Conference, IBIMA 2019: Education Excellence and Innovation Management through Vision 2020
3. **Isibor, A.A.**, Ojo, J. A. T., and Ikpefan, O. A. (2018). Does financial deregulation spur economic development in Nigeria? Peer-Reviewed Proceedings of the International Business Information Management Association Conference (31st IBIMA) held on 25 – 26 April 2018, Milan, Italy.
4. **Isibor, A.A.**, Ojo, J. A. T., and Ikpefan, O. A. (2018). A study of financial deepening and capital accumulation in Nigeria. Peer-Reviewed Proceedings of the International Business Information Management Association Conference (31st IBIMA) held on 25 – 26 April 2018, Milan, Italy.
5. **Isibor, A.A.**, Olokoyo, F. O., Arogundade, M., Osuma, G., and Ndigwe, C. (2018). Exchange rate management and sectoral output performance. Peer-Reviewed Proceedings of the International Business Information Management Association Conference (31st IBIMA) held on 25 –26 April 2018, Milan, Italy.
6. Omankhanlen, A.E., Ilori, N., **Isibor, A.A.** (2018). Monetary policies and the achievement of bank profit objective. Peer-Reviewed Proceedings of the International Business Information Management Association Conference (31st IBIMA) held on 25 –26 April 2018, Milan, Italy.
7. Edosomwan, O., Babajide, A., **Isibor, A.A.**, and Jolaade, A. (2018). Industrial development and federal tax revenue in Nigeria: An ARDL bounds testing approach. Peer-Reviewed Proceedings of the International Business Information Management Association Conference (31st IBIMA) held on 25 – 26 April 2018, Milan, Italy.
8. Oyinlola, H., Edosomwan, O., Grace, E., **Isibor, A.A.** (2018). Employees' commitment and deposit money banks' performance in Nigeria: An empirical assessment. Peer-Reviewed Proceedings of the International Business Information Management Association Conference (31st IBIMA) held on 25 – 26 April 2018, Milan, Italy.
9. Okoye, L. U., Erin, O. A., Ado, A., and **Isibor A.A.** (2017). Corporate governance and financial sustainability of microfinance institutions in Nigeria. Peer-Reviewed Proceedings of the International Business Information Management Association Conference (30th IBIMA) held on 8 – 9 November 2017, Madrid, Spain.

10. Taiwo, J. N., Agwu, M. E., **Isibor, A.A.**, and Ikpefan, O. A. (2014). Microfinance and poverty alleviation in South-West Nigeria: Empirical evidence. Peer-Reviewed Proceedings of the International Business Information Management Association Conference (23rd IBIMA) held on 13 – 14 May 2014, Valencia, Spain
 11. Ikpefan, O. A., Ikwuetoghu, O. C, Okafor, T. C., and **Isibor, A.A.** (2016). An investigative analysis into capital market and economic growth in Nigeria. Peer-Reviewed Proceedings of the International Business Information Management Association Conference (28th IBIMA) held on 9 – 10 November 2016, Seville, Spain
 12. Taiwo, J. N., Agwu, M. E., Babajide A.A., Okafor T.C., and **Isibor A.A.** (2016). Growth of bank frauds and its impact on the Nigerian banking industry. Peer-Reviewed Proceedings of the International Business Information Management Association Conference (28th IBIMA) held on 9 – 10 November 2016, Seville, Spain
 13. Olokoyo, F. O., **Isibor, A.A.**, Oladeji, T. F., and Edosomwan, O. (2016). Effect of banker-customer relationship on the performance of Nigerian banks. Peer-Reviewed Proceedings of the International Business Information Management Association Conference (28th IBIMA) held on 9 – 10 November 2016, Seville, Spain
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G. LOCAL CONFERENCES ATTENDED

1. CU-ICADI 2014: 1st International Conference on African Development Issues. 09 -11 May 2016 with the Theme: Rising Opportunities for Investors in Africa and the Prospect of an Economic Miracle, February 2014.
 2. Fourth International Conference of Nigerian Society for Financial Research, with the theme: Effect of Global Economic and Financial Reforms on Developing Economies: A Reassessment held in July 2014: **Presented a paper titled “Does the Money Market Impact Economic Growth? Evidence from Nigeria**
 3. CU-ICADI 2018: 3rd International Conference on African Development Issues. 09 -11 May 2018 with the Theme: Rising Opportunities for Investors in Africa and the Prospect of an Economic Miracle, February 2018.
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H. MANUSCRIPT ACCEPTED, PAID FOR, AND WAITING FOR PUBLICATION

1. Babajide, A.A, Okunlola, F.A, Adedoyin, L., Okafor, T.C., and **Isibor, A.A.** (2020). Analysis of banks profitability: Domestic and foreign comparison. *WSEAS Transactions on Business and Economics*. (SCOPUS-INDEXED JOURNAL)
2. Olokoyo, F.O., **Isibor, A.A.**, Adegboye, F.B., Adesina, T.F., Osuma, G.O., and Adebayo, M.E. (2020). Banker-Customer Relationship and Nigerian Deposit Money Banks' Performance: An Empirical Investigation. *WSEAS Transactions on Business and Economics*. (SCOPUS-INDEXED JOURNAL)

3. Chisom, N., Omarkhanlen, A.E., **Isibor, A.A.**, Okafor, T.C., Ehikioya, B.I., and Achugamonu, B.U. (2020). Policy Initiatives for Access to Finance in Nigeria. *WSEAS Transactions on Business and Economics*. (SCOPUS-INDEXED JOURNAL)
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I. ADMINISTRATION

Departmental Examination officer (Aug 2015 – July 2017)
Departmental Examination officer (Aug 2018 – Date)
Assistant Level adviser – 100 level (Sep 2017 – Aug 2018)
Assistant Level adviser – 200 level (Sep 2018 – Aug 2019)
Assistant Level adviser – 300 level (Aug 2019 – Date)

J. ACADEMIC PROJECT/ DISSERTATION SUPERVISION

In total, I have supervised six (6) B.Sc. Projects till date. I am currently working with two (2) now.

K. ACADEMIC LINKAGES / PEER RECOGNITION

Content Editor, Finance and Investment Journal, Makurdi, Benue State, 2014 till date
Reviewer, International Business Information Management Association (IBIMA) Conference, 2016 till date

L. COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

1. Assistant level adviser – advise and support student (In-loco parentis role)
 2. Member, University Timetable committee 2015 till date
 3. Member, University Examination Committee, 2015 till date
 4. Member, College Examination Committee, 2015 till date
 5. Member, Transport Committee for Covenant University International Conference on African Development Issues, 2018 till date
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M. SPECIAL ACADEMIC PRESENTATIONS

A College PhD post field presentation on Financial Sector Deregulation, Investment Growth, and Economic Development- March 2018

N. EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Travelling, Counselling, and Swimming,

O. NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF REFEREES

To be provided upon request.
