

# CURRICULUM VITAE

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## EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS ATTENDED WITH DATES:

**2019 to date** **PhD in view (Economic History)**, University of Ibadan, Oyo State, Nigeria

Thesis: Post Colonial Agricultural Policies and the Dynamics of Cassava Production in South Western Nigeria 1976-2011

**2018** **Masters in History**, University of Ibadan, Oyo State, Nigeria

Thesis: Women's Associations and the Development of Kwale 1950-2015

**2015** **B.A History and International Studies**. Osun State University, Osogbo

Thesis: Contribution of United Nations Food and Agricultural Organisation to Food Security in Osun State, 1991-2012

## ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS WITH DATES:

**2018** Master of Arts in History

**2016** National Youth Service Corps (NYSC)

**2016** PGD in Customer Service Relationship Management.

**2015** Bachelor of Arts in History and International Studies

**2010** West Africa Senior School Certificate (WAEC)

## MEMBERSHIP OF PROFESSIONAL ORGANISATION:

**2025 to date** Member, African Association for Japanese Studies

**2017 to date** Researcher, Women and Research Documentation Centre (WORDOC)

**2020 to date** Fellow, Ife Institute of Advanced Studies

**PREVIOUS EMPLOYMENT/WORK EXPERIENCE:**

**December 2025 till date**      **Assistant Lecturer**, Department of History, University of Ibadan

Course allocated to Teach:    HIS 404: European Diplomatic Scene 1870-1919  
   HIS 306: Economic History of West Africa Since 1800  
   C- HIS 202: Economic History of Nigeria in the 19<sup>th</sup> Century  
   C-HIS 103: History of Human Evolution  
   GES 102: African Cultures and Civilisation: Early African  
   Centres of Civilisation: Egypt, Meroe and Axum.  
   C-GST 112: Nigerian Peoples and Culture: Nigeria and the  
   Challenges of Nation Building.

**September 2025 till date**      **Adjunct Lecturer**, Distance Learning Centre, University of Ibadan

Course allocated to Teach:    HDS 106: Amerindian Civilisation up to 1492  
   HDS 211: The African in Diaspora  
   HDS 324: Diplomacy and Diplomatic Methods  
   HDS 325: Theory of International Organisation  
   HDS 302: Modern Political Ideas

**September 2022 – September 2024**    **Administrative Personnel and Executive Assistant**,  
Phisha Company, Lagos

**April 2023 – July 2023**      **Adjunct Lecturer**, Osun State University, Osogbo

Course allocated to Teach:    GNS 104: Nigeria People and Culture

**June 2022-September 2022**    **Adjunct Lecturer**, Osun State University, Osogbo

Course allocated to Teach:    GNS 104: Nigeria People and Culture

**May 2017**                              **External Examination Marker** for Ibadan Branch, West Africa  
Examination Council

Course Marked                      Civic Education

**Nov. 2015 – Nov. 2016,**      **Administrative Personnel.** Department of Linguistics and  
African Languages, University of Benin. (NYSC)

## **FIELDS OF SPECIALISATION/AREA OF RESEARCH COMPETENCE:**

- a) African History
- b) Economic History
- c) Gender Studies
- d) Developmental and Agrarian studies
- e) Diplomacy and International Relation
- f) History of Sub-Saharan Africa
- g) East Asia Studies and Korean Studies

## **MOST RECENT PUBLISHED WORK**

1. **Kadishi N. Oliseh and Adedire Adegboyega**, 2026 Women and the Land: A Historical Overview of Agrarian Development in Nigeria. *Kaduna Journal of Humanities*. Volume 10. No 1.
2. **Oliseh Kadishi N. 2025**. Where Women Trade: A Comparative Analysis of the Fish Village in Bargny, Senegal and Epe Fish Village in Nigeria, Its Realities and the Challenges of Climate Change. In *Reflection on Eco-Feminism, Resilience and Resistance in West Africa*. Senegal Rosa-Luxembourg-Stiftung West Africa. pp13-28
3. **Esuga, Folusho T. and Oliseh Kadishi N. 2025**. Fragmented Homes and Dispersed Identities: The Dual Burden of African Diasporic Migration. *Beyond Babel: Bu Journal of Language, Literature and Humanities* . 8(1) pp 120-129
4. **Oliseh Kadishi N. 2024**. Kelicha Akpe and the Afia Eze Market Women Association. Adesina O, Oladejo M. and Bawa A (eds) in *The Odyssey Of The Nigerian Woman*. London, Cambridge Scholars Publishing. pp 206-219
5. **Oliseh Kadishi N. 2024**. Child Labour and Cassava Farming In South-Western Nigeria, 2004- 2021. Published as part of the proceedings of a national conference convened by SCarPE-A Nigeria.
6. **Omeje C. and Oliseh Kadishi N. 2024**. ‘The Effect of Corruption and Ineptitude of Leadership on the Nigerian Economy, 1985 – 2015’. Egodi U, Fwashak S.U. (eds) *Economic Development of Nigeria*. Eliza Publications. pp 231-252
7. **Oliseh Kadishi N. 2023**. Women’s Rights and the Challenges of Insecurity in Nigeria. in *Nigeria: Issues in Economy, Politics and Society*. Angela Ogodod Odah and Odoh Diego Okenyodo (eds). Rosa Luxembourg Stiftung . Abuja pp446-479

8. **Oliseh Kadishi N. 2023.** Interrogating the Concept of Restructuring for Progress or Balancing to Retrogression, Using Sudan and Yugoslavia as a Case Study. In Angela Ogodod Odah and Odoh Diego Okenyodo (eds). Rosa Luxembourg Stiftung . Abuja pp371-391
9. **Oliseh Kadishi N. 2022** Unipolarity, Emerging Powers, African Security and the Place of Africa in the International System 1993-2017. Falola T, and Oloruntoba S.O. *The Palgrave Handbook of Africa and the Changing Global Order*. Switzerland. Springer Nature. pp 857-871
10. **Oliseh Kadishi N. 2021.** ‘A Historical Survey of Women's Associations in Kwale’. Mutiat Oladejo ed. *Gender Politics and Governance in Africa: The Known and Unknown*, Ibadan: Reamsworth Publishing Limited, pp 37- 53
11. **Oliseh Kadishi N. 2020.** ‘Notes on Aspect of Yoruba Cultural Practices Over Time’. Toyin Falaola and Dipo Olubomehin, eds. *The Yoruba Nation and Politics Since the Nineteenth Century: Essays in Honour of Professor J.A. Atanda*. Austin: Pan African University Press. pp 135- 146
12. **Oliseh Kadishi N. 2020.** ‘The Victorian Gender Ideals, Ideology and Its Effect on The Nigerian Women’. WORDOC Newsletter Vol. 8. No 1, March 2020
13. **Oliseh Kadishi N. 2019.** ‘Through Historical Lens: The Changing Status of Women in Post-Colonial Africa’. Sharon Adetutu and Mutiat Oladejo. (eds) *What Do Women Want, What Do Women Need*. Ibadan: WORDOC. pp3-24

#### **PAPERS ACCEPTED FOR PUBLICATION**

1. **Oliseh Kadishi.** 2025. African Slavery, Emancipation, Freed Slave and Cassava Production in the 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> Centuries. In Adesina O.C., Monsuru M.O., Ugbede and Ihuoma C. *Abolitionist Encounters: Slavery. Abolitionism and Reintegration in Nigerian Culture and Society. (Forthcoming)*
2. **Oliseh Kadishi N.** 2025. Sino-African Partnership, FOCAC and Agricultural Production: Implications On Food Security in Africa 1950-2010. In Ubi E.F., Erameh N.I., and Inyang P. *Trends and Dynamics in Africa-China Relations in the Twenty-First Century. (Forthcoming)*

3. **Oliseh Kadishi N.** 2026. Interrogating The Public Diplomacy Between Nigeria and the Republic of Korea 1980-2025. In Olatunji F. etal *Nigerian Foreign Policy and Leadership Influence 1960-2025 (Forthcoming)*
4. **Adedire Adegboyega and Kadishi Oliseh.** 2026. *Soul of Two Worlds: A Cultural Intersection of Africa in Modern Brazilian Culture.* In Edmund Abaka (eds), *West Africa and Brazil: Essays in Honour of Dr S.Y. Boadi-Siaw (Forthcoming)*

### **IMPORTANT WORKSHOPS, CONFERENCES AND TRAINING ATTENDED**

1. **Futures of History Conference at Obafemi Awolowo University, Ile-Ife. , 9th to 30th July 2026.**

**Paper Presented:** Ecofeminism, Climate Change and Environmental Future in Africa

2. **Workshop on Black Presence and Influence in Europe Before the Atlantic Slavery by Leuphana Institute of Advanced Studies (LIAS) in Culture and Society, Leuphana University Luneburg Germany from 21-22 January 2026**

**Paper Presented:** Reclaiming Black Presence in Prehistoric Europe: A Critical Analysis of Archaeological and Historical Evidence in Uncovering Black Experiences and Contributions in Europe up to 15th Century,

3. **Rosa Luxemburg Stiftung West Africa ECOWAS at 50 held from 3<sup>rd</sup> to 7<sup>th</sup> November 2025 in Abuja, Nigeria**

Theme: ECOWAS at 50, Achievements, Challenges and the Road Ahead.

**Paper Presented:** ECOWAS, Women and Peace: The Place of ECOWAS in Peace and Security of the Region and the Role of Women and Youth in Peace Building, Post-Conflict Integration and Cohesion in Africa 1975- 2025

4. **Ibadan/Leipzig Joint Methodology Workshop at the University of Ibadan on 29th to 30<sup>th</sup> October 2025**

**Paper Presented:** Gender Dynamics in Cassava Production in Ijebu East and Ijebu North Local Government Area, Ogun State, Nigeria. 1976-2011

5. **The Second Ibadan Forum 2025: Convergence or Divergence? Africa's Development in an Era of Global Partnership and Shared Destiny held on 20<sup>th</sup> October 2025**

**6.6<sup>th</sup> Annual International Conference on Japanese Studies in Africa by African Association for Japanese Studies (AAJS) from 7<sup>th</sup> to 9<sup>th</sup> October 2025**

**Paper Presented:** Japan-Nigeria Relations: Japan International Cooperative Agency (JICA) and Its Role in Agricultural Development and Food Security in Nigeria 1986-2025

**7.14<sup>th</sup> Toyin Falola International Conference on Africa and African Diaspora from July 1-3, 2025**

**Theme:** African Cultural Creativity and Innovations

**Paper Presented:** Oral Tradition and Its Preservation with Digital Tools and Platforms in The Digital Age 1970--2020

**8.ACCESS and the Graduate School Global and Area Studies International Methodology Summer School in Universität Leipzig held from June 20-29, 2025, in Germany.**

**9.NiACReG 2024: Knowledge (re)production and the academe in Africa-China research space” in Lagos State University ( LASU), Ojo Campus, May 7-8, 2024.**

**Paper Presented:** China and Nigeria Partnership in Agricultural Production and Cooperation, 1971-2022

**10. African Studies and the Digital Archival Turn: Antecedents, Future and the Nigerian Projects on April 25 2024. Drapers Hall, University of Ibadan**

**11. Childhood Identities and Wellbeing in Nigeria: Being, Belonging and Becoming on March 28, 2024. University of Ibadan**

**Paper Presented:** Child Labour and Cassava Farming in South Western Nigeria 2003-2022

**12. Ibadan/Leipzig Methodology Workshop at the University of Ibadan in July 2023**

**Paper Presented:** Government Policies and Agricultural Development in Western Nigeria 1947- 1963

**13. RosaLuxemburg Stiftung West Africa held from 2<sup>nd</sup> to 5<sup>th</sup> May 2023 in Senegal**

**Theme:** Eco Feminism: A Tool for Women to Protest Against The Capitalist Economic System and The Ecological Challenge.

- 14. Maroon Square Two Days Discourse on National Development Held on 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> of July 2021 held at Science Auditorium, Federal College of Education (TEC) Akoka, Yaba, Lagos.** Theme: Identity Politics and the National Question in Nigeria  
**Paper Presented:** Interrogating the Concept of Restructuring for Progress or Balkanising to Retrogression: Using Sudan and Yugoslavia as Case Studies.
- 15. A Conference In Honour Of Professor J.A. Atanda by Babcock University And The University of Texas at Austin, USA, held June 21- 23, 2021**  
 Theme: The Yoruba Culture and Society  
**Paper Presented:** Elements of Diplomacy in Yoruba Warfare and Polity
- 16. Roxa Luxemburg Stiftung West Africa. Virtual Round Table meeting, March 12 2021**  
**Theme: The Role of Women Activists in Political Issues in West Africa.**  
**Paper Presented:** A Summary of the Roles of Women in Political Processes in West Africa: A Case Study of Nigeria's Democratisation From Civil Rule 1999 – 2019
- 17. Maroonsquare Discourse, A 2-Day Online Conference August 6-7, 2020**  
**Theme: The Struggles of Women in Nigeria Through History.**  
**Paper Presented:** Women's Rights and the Challenge of Insecurity in Nigeria.
- 18. Workshop on Abstract, Dissertation & Thesis Writing in the Faculty of Arts, University of Ibadan. January 2020**
- 19. Ibadan/Leipzig Methodology Workshop at the University of Ibadan in October 2019**
- 20. A One-day Workshop/Sensitisation by CEADER and WLP 20, February 2019**  
**Theme: Women's Rights for Young Women**
- 21. CSOs, CBOs Media Training Workshop 2018 by International Alert & Nextier 11-12<sup>th</sup> June 2018**  
 Theme: Understanding the Macro-Level Conflict Risk and Impact Assessment Tool (MCRIA).
- 22. Toyin Falola @ 65 Conference.**  
 Theme: African Knowledges and Alternative Futures, University of Ibadan. January 29-31<sup>st</sup> 2018  
**Paper Presented:** Globalisation and America's Unipolarism: The Quandary Of African Security (End Of Cold War-2016)

**23. WORDOC 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Conference organised by Women Research and Documentation Centre and Institute of African Studies, University of Ibadan.**

**Theme:** What Do Women Want, What Do Women Need. 18<sup>th</sup>-19<sup>th</sup> October 2017.

**Paper Presented:** Through a Historical Lens: The Changing Status of Women in Post-Colonial Africa.

**24. First National Conference Organised by Tai Solarin University Of Education, Department of History and Diplomatic Studies.**

**Theme:** Culture, Peace, Security and Major Development in Nigeria Since Independence. 11<sup>th</sup>-13<sup>th</sup> October 2017

**Paper Presented:** The Proliferation of Small and Light Weapons and the Challenge of Socio-Economic Development in Nigeria Since 1999

**25. A Conference In Honour Of Professor J.A. Atanda by Olabisi Onabanjo University, Ago-Iwoye And The University Of Texas At Austin, USA**

**Theme:** The Yoruba Nation and Politics Since The Nineteenth Century. October 9-11, 2017

**Paper Presented:** The Changing Status of the Yoruba Cultural and Societal Practices since the 19<sup>th</sup> Century

**26. 2017 Conference of AfriHeritage Institution**

**Theme:** Peace Building and National Integration in Nigeria: The Political Economy of Separatism by African Heritage Institution, Enugu on 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2017

**Paper Presented:** Environmental Implications of Boko Haram Menace in Nigeria.

**27. Joint International Conference of The Centre for General Studies and Office of International Programmes, An International Conference on the Humanities and Development in Africa, Department of History, University of Ibadan, 5<sup>th</sup> – 9<sup>th</sup> July 2017.**

**Theme:** Tax Havens and The Developing World on August 2-4 2017, University of Ibadan, Nigeria

**Paper Presented:** World Bank and IMF Policies: The birthing of Global Economic Issues

## **DISTINCTION, GRANT AND AWARDS**

- 1. 2025 Recipient of IFRA- Nigeria Annual Research Project Grant. :** Gender Dynamics in Cassava Production in Ijebu East and Ijebu North Local Government Area, Ogun State, Nigeria. 1976-2011 (600 Euro)
- 2. 2024 Grand Prize Essay Award In The Global Youth Contest Organised by the South Korean Ministry of Foreign Affairs.** Oliseh Kadishi Ndudi and Effevottu Steffanie (1.5 Million Korean Won)
- 3. Writing Grant 2023 from Rosa-Luxembourg- Stiftung West Africa:** Where Women Trade: A Comparative Analysis of the Fish Village in Bargny, Senegal and Epe Fish Village in Nigeria, (150 euros) September 1, 2023- November 30 2023.

## **VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE/ SERVICE TO THE COMMUNITY:**

<b>July 20- Aug 2<sup>nd</sup> 2015</b>	Future Minds Generation Empowerment Initiative (FMGEI) Volunteer Computer Instructor Magodo, Isheri, Lagos, Nigeria
<b>Dec. 2015- 2016 Sept.</b>	National Youth Service Corps (2015-2016), University of Benin. Community Development Service with the National Emergency Management Agency (NEMA) in Egor Local Government Area, Benin, during the NYSC.
<b>2018 to date</b>	<b>Women Research and Documentation Centre (WORDOC),</b> Research writer and volunteer, University of Ibadan. p

## **EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

<b>April 2022- till date</b>	<b>KOCIS Honorary Reporter writer,</b> Korean Ministry of Youth Korean Culture and Information Service. Government of South Korea
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