

CURRICULUM VITAE

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- II.**
- a. **First Academic Appointment:** February 1, 1984
 - b. **Present Post (with date):** Professor, October 1, 2006

III. Institutions Attended (with dates):

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| 1. | St Mary African Church Primary School, Ile-Ogbo | 1960-1966 |
| 2. | Mahad Shamsu Suudil Islam Arabic School, Ile-Ogbo | 1967-1971 |
| 3. | Exam Success Correspondence College, Lagos | 1973-1976 |
| 4. | University of Ibadan | 1976-1977 |
| 5. | University of Ibadan | 1978-1981 |
| 6. | University of Ibadan | 1982-1983 |
| 7. | University of Ibadan (Part-Time) | 1984-1989 |

IV. Academic Qualifications (with dates and Granting Bodies):

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| 1. | Pry school Certificate | 1966 |
| 2. | GCE O/L | 1976 |
| 3. | GCE A/L | 1977 |
| 4. | Certificate in Arabic & Islamic Studies | July 1977 |
| 5. | B.A. Arabic Language and Literature, University of Ibadan | July 1981 |
| 6. | M.A. Arabic and Islamic Studies, University of Ibadan | July 1983 |
| 7. | Ph.D. Arabic and Islamic Studies, University of Ibadan | December 1989 |

V. Professional Qualifications and Diplomas:

Certificate in Arabic and Islamic Studies 1976

VI. Scholarships, Fellowships and Prizes Nil

VII. Honours, Distinctions and Membership of Learned Societies:

1. Member, Nigerian Association of Teachers of Arabic and Islamic Studies (NATAIS)
2. Member, British Society for Middle Eastern Studies, (BRISMES)
3. Member, Nigeria Association for the Study of Religions (NASR)

VIII. Service to the University:

1. Department Examination Coordinator 1986-1992
2. Department Postgraduate Coordinator 1989-1994
3. Assistant Warden, Obafemi Awolowo Hall 1991-1993
4. Member, Senate Curriculum Committee representing Faculty of Arts
1998-2001
5. Ag. Head, Department of Arabic & Islamic Studies 1996-1998,
2000-2002,
2006-2008
6. Member, Anti-Cultism Campaign Committee 2007-till date
7. Member, University Inter-Religious Committee 2010-till date
8. Member, Board of Arts Studies 1996-1998,
2000-2002,
2006-till date
9. Member, Senate of the University of Ibadan 1996-1998,
2000-2002,
2006-till date

10. Chief Imam, University Central Mosque 2006-till date

IX. External Examining:

1. Assistant Examiner (Islamic) WAEC 1984-2008
2. External Examiner (Arabic) Federal College of Education, Osiele,
Abeokuta
1997-2000
3. External Examiner (Arabic) Federal College of Education, Oyo (Special)
1998-2002
4. External Examiner (Arabic) Osun State College of Education, Ilesa
2002-2004,
2006-2008
5. External Examiner (Arabic) Oyo State College of Education, Oyo
2000-2004
6. External Examiner (Arabic) University of Ilorin 1998-1999,
2009-till date
7. External Examiner (Arabic) Lagos State University 2002-2003,
2009-till date
8. External Examiner (Arabic) University of Ghana, Legon 2011
9. External Examiner (Arabic) Adekunle Ajasin University, Akungba
2010-till date
10. External Examiner (Arabic), Ekiti State University, Ado-Ekiti
2010-till date

X. Details of Teaching Experience at the University:

(a) Teaching Experience:

1. Assistant Lecturer, Department of Arabic and Islamic Studies,
University of Ibadan. February 1984-1987.
2. Lecturer II, Department of Arabic and Islamic Studies, University
of Ibadan. 1st October 1987-1990.

3. Lecturer I, Department of Arabic and Islamic Studies, University of Ibadan. 1st October 1990-1993
4. Senior Lecturer, Department of Arabic and Islamic Studies, University of Ibadan. 1st October 1993-2003
5. Reader, Department of Arabic & Islamic Studies. October 2003 – 2006
6. Professor, Department of Arabic & Islamic Studies. 1st October 2006

(b) Courses Taught in the Last Three years:

I Undergraduate Courses

1. ALL 208: Arabic Literature in the Early Umayyad and late Abbasid periods.
2. ALL 304: Arabic Literature in the decadence period
3. ALL 307: Arabic Lexicography
4. ALL 405: Modern Arabic Poetry
5. ALL 407: Arabic Literature in West Africa
6. ISS 209: The Maghazi Literature
7. ISS 313: Islam in Africa
8. ISS 409: Islam in Nigeria

II Postgraduate Courses

1. ALL 701: Arabic Literature; Research Methods
2. ALL 702: Basic Sources in Arabic Language and Literature
3. ALL 703: Arabic Language and Literature in West Africa
4. ALL 748: Arabic Studies in Nigeria
5. ISS 703: The Qur'an as a Scripture: Textual History
6. ISS 701: Reason and Revelation in Islam

III Dissertation and Theses Successfully Supervised

Ph.D Theses:

1. Dr Abdullah Ahmad Sheikh. "Shariah and its Application in Nupe land 1932-1960". Submitted to the department of Arabic and Islamic Studies in 1996.
2. Dr Afis Oladosu. "Themes and Styles in Arabic Short Story in Sudan 1930-1991". Submitted to the department of Arabic and Islamic Studies in 2001.
3. Dr Said O. Timehin. "A study of the Themes and Styles in the Arabic poems of Mirza Ghulam Ahmad". Submitted to the department of Arabic and Islamic Studies in 2001.
4. Dr Lateef O. Abbas. "Imamship in Islam; Its Concept and Practice among the Yorubas of Oyo and Osun States of Nigeria". Submitted to the department of Arabic and Islamic Studies in 2003.
5. Dr Mikhail A. Folorunso. "Didacticism and Lyricism in the Arabic Poets of Ikirun". Submitted to the department of Arabic and Islamic Studies in 2007.
6. Dr Olayinka K. Aminu. "The Contribution of Antarah b. Shaddad (530-615) to the development of Black Arabic Literary Traditions". Submitted to the department of Arabic and Islamic Studies in 2007.
7. Babatunde R. Ismail. "The Contribution of Selected Umyan Clerics to the Propagation of Islam in Oyo state". Submitted to the department of Arabic and Islamic Studies in 2008.
8. Dr Omotope Z. Adeniyi. "Exegetical Analysis of Fawaatih and Khawaatim in the Qur'an". Submitted to the department of Arabic and Islamic Studies in 2011.
9. Dr Muritala K. Kareem. "The Shariah Interpretation of Riba in the Nigerian Financial System". Submitted to the department of Arabic and Islamic Studies in 2011.

10. Dr Rahman A. Abdul-Azeez. "Sufi Themes in the Arabic works of Shaykh Muhammad Awwal Omupo". Submitted to the department of Arabic and Islamic Studies in 2010.
11. Dr Muritala Salaudeen. "An Inquiry into Khulasat al-Usul of Abdullah b. Fudi as the basis of Usul Fiqh". (About to be defended).

M.A. Projects:

Completed: 25

XI. Public Service at State and National Levels:

1. Federal Welfare Officer on Muslim Pilgrimage 1988
2. Member, Oyo and Osun States Advisory Committee on NDE
1991-1995
3. Member, National Assembly Election Tribunal, Plateau State
1992
4. Secretary, Oyo State Committee on Muslim Festivals
1989-1991
5. Foundation Imam, Oyo State Government House Mosque 1990-
1991
6. Member National Technical Working Committee on the Integration of Qur'anic
Schools into UBE
2002-2007
7. Member, Committee of Experts to Write National Report on Madrasah
Education in Nigeria
2010
8. Member, Committee of Experts to Harmonise Curricula of Tshangaya Arabic
Schools in Nigeria
2011

XII. Publications:

(a) Books already published

1. Abdul-Rahmon, M.O. (Ed) (1992): "Thoughts in Islamic Law and Jurispudence". UIMGA Publications, Ibadan.

2. Abdul-Rahmon, M.O. (Ed) (2008): "Perspectives in Islamic Law and Jurisprudence". Essays in Honour of Justice Dr Muri Okunola (JCA), Ibadan Polygraphic Ventures.

3. Abdul-Rahmon, M.O. (2010): "A Reader in Islamic Studies". Insight Publications, Ibadan.

(b) Chapters in Books Already Published

4. Abdul-Rahmon, M.O. (1989): "A Re-appraisal of Arabic as a tool for Adult literacy in Nigeria". In Michael Omolewa, E.M. in Osuji and Akpo Vire O. (eds.) *Retrospect and Renewal: The State of Adult Education in Africa*. Dakar: UNESCO-BREDA 178-186.

5. Abdul-Rahmon, M.O. (2001): "Shariah in our daily life: The Islamic rules on Hygienic living and feeding habits." In Abdul-Rahmon M.O. (ed) *Perspectives in Islamic Law and Jurisprudence. Essays in Honour of Justice (Dr.) Muritala Okunnola (JCA)*. Ibadan: Polygraphic Ventures, 94-111.

6. Abdul-Rahmon, M.O. and Aderinoye, R.A. (2002): "Issues in Islamic Education: The Nigeria Perspectives." In Samuel A. Ayodele (ed.) *Strategies for teaching Secondary Schools in Nigeria*. Ibadan: Power-House Publication, 307-318.

7. Abdul-Rahmon, M.O. (2003): "*Nadhrat Tarikhiyyah fi Tatawur ta'lim al-Lughat al-'Arabiyyah wa dirasat al-Islamiyyah fi wilayat Oyo al-Sabiqah*." In Amidu Sanni (ed.) "*An Unfamiliar Guest in a Familiar Household: Arabic and Islamic Studies in Honour of Professor Isaac A. Ogunbiyi*". Lagos: Debo Prints, 188-203.

8. Abdul-Rahmon, M.O. (2008): "Perspectives in the Teaching and Learning of Arabic and Islamic Studies in the South West of Nigeria". In Z.I. Oseni (ed) *Fluorescence of Arabic and Islamic Studies in Nigeria. Festschrift in Memory of Prof. W.O.A. Narisu*, Ibadan: Heinemann Educational books Nigeria Ltd. (HEBN) 1-15.

9. Abdul-Rahmon, M.O. and I.O. Uthman (2011): "Work Ethics: The Islamic Perspective". In Aduke Adebayo's Work Ethics and the University of Ibadan. Senate Research Grant.

(c) Articles that have already appeared in refereed Conference proceedings:

10. Abdul-Rahmon, M.O. (1998): "Religion and Family: The Islamic Foundation". Gbola Aderibigbe and Deji Aiyegbogun (eds) *Religion and Family*. Proceedings of National Conference of the Nigerian Association for the study of Religions and Education pp. 67-73. Ibadan.
11. Abdul-Rahmon, M.O. (2002): "Muslim Youth and Political Consciousness in Yorubaland of Nigeria". Proceedings of the WAMY International Conference on Muslim Youth and globalization, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia. 273-289.
12. Abdul-Rahmon, M.O. (2002): "Utilization of Arabic and Islamic Diplomates for Social Integration in Nigeria". In L.M. Adetona *Prospects for students of Diploma in Arabic and Islamic Studies*. Proceedings of the National Work-shop on Utilization of Diploma Certificate in Arabic & Islamic Studies, Department of Foreign and African Languages, Lagos State, University 1-9.
13. Abdul-Rahmon, M.O. (2006): "Towards the issue of Discipline and Patriotism in the Nigerian polity: The Islamic perspective". In I.L. Akintola (ed) *Economic and Political Reconstruction in Nigeria: The Islamic Perspectives*, Lagos: Proceedings of the International Conference of World Assembly of Muslim Youth held at Lagos State University pp. 83-89.
14. Abdul-Rahmon, M.O. (2007): "*Athar al-Lughat wa Taqalid al-Yarbar fi kitabat 'Ulama al-Taqlidiyyah fi gharb Nijiriyyah*, in *Ishamat al-Lughat al-Arabiyyah*. Proceedings of 1st International Conference of Arabic Language, Faculty of Arabic Language, International Islam University of Malaysia, Kuala Lumpur.

15. Abdul-Rahmon, M.O. (2008): "Arabic and Islamic Studies in the South-West Nigeria: Challenges and Prospects". Proceedings of Bi-Annual Conference of Teachers of Arabic & Islamic Studies, Ekiti State.

(d) Patents: Nil

(e) Articles that have already appeared in learned journals

16. Abdul-Rahmon, M.O. (1985): Annotated Translation of Alfa Katibi's *Risalat al-Tahni'ah*. *Al-Fikr: Journal of Arabic and Islamic Studies*, No. 6, pp. 54-74. (University of Ibadan).
17. Abdul-Rahmon, M.O. (1986): In concept of *Faqir* in Islamic Mysticism: An Appraisal *Al-Fikr: Journal of Arabic and Islamic Studies*, No. 7, 72-81.
18. Abdul-Rahmon, M.O. (1987): A study of the Historical Background of the growth of Islam and Arabic Scholarship in Ibadan *Al-Fikr: Journal of Arabic and Islamic Studies*, No. 8, 56-67. (University of Ibadan).
19. Abdul-Rahmon, M.O. (1989): The Emergence and Focus of *Mada'ih 'ahl-al-Bayt* in the Political Poetry of Umayyad Arabic Literature. *Al-Fikr, Journal of Arabic and Islamic Studies*, No 10, 37-59. (University of Ibadan).
20. Abdul-Rahmon, M.O. (1989): An appraisal of the style and features of the early Arabic works of Ibadan 'Ulama'. *JARS: Journal of Arabic and Religious Studies*, Vol. 6, 1-14. (University of Ilorin).
21. Abdul-Rahmon, M.O. (1990): An Appraisal of *Qasidat al- Hadithah li 'Abd Rauf 'ala jaddihi al-Imam* as an Arabic source of 'Predestined Muslim' in Yorubaland and of the biography of Imam Harun Gege. *Al-Fikr, Journal of Arabic and Islamic Studies*, No 11, 110-120. (University of Ibadan).

22. Abdul-Rahmon, M.O. (1991): Ahmad al-Rufa'i's *Hujjat 'Asatidhatina*: Text, Translation and Content Analysis. *Al-Fikr, Journal of Arabic and Islamic Studies*, No 12, 60-70. (University of Ibadan).
23. Abdul-Rahmon, M.O. (1992): Aspect of Literary Acculturation in the Arabic poetry of Ibadan *Ulama*" *JARS: Journal of Arabic and Religious Studies*, Vol. VII, 25-36. (University of Ilorin).
24. Abdul-Rahmon, M.O. (1992): A study of the stylistic strategy in the structure of Foggy, Satire and Eulogy of Arabic Poetry of the Traditional Yoruba 'Ulama'. *Al-Fikr, Journal of Arabic and Islamic Studies*, No 13, 47-58.
25. Abdul-Rahmon, M.O. (1992): An Account of the Growth of Arabic Literary Activities in Ibadan. *OYE: Ogun Journal of Arts*, Vol. VI, 73-80. (Faculty of Arts Ogun State University).
26. Abdul-Rahmon, M.O. (1993): A study of the Concept of Morality in *Al-Adab al-Arabi*, *Al-Fikr, Journal of Arabic and Islamic Studies* No 14, 1-12.
27. Abdul-Rahmon, M.O. (1994): An Approach to Stylistic Appraisal of Arabic Poetry of Nigerian 'Ulama'. *Islamic Research Institute* Vol. 34, 315-325. (Islamabad, Pakistan)
28. Abdul-Rahmon, M.O. (1994): A Critique of Ahmad Shawqi's Concept of Islamic Morals as depicted in his Religious Themes *Al-Fikr, Journal of Arabic and Islamic Studies*, No 16, 20-31. (University of Ibadan).
29. Abdul-Rahmon, M.O. (1995): *Dirasatun Mawdu'iyah, Wa tahqiq 'ala al-qasidat al-Hadithah 'ala 'Imam Harun al – Yarbawi*. *Al-Fikr, Journal of Arabic and Islamic Studies*, No 15, 59-70. (University of Ibadan).
30. Abdul-Rahmon, M.O. (1998): Ahmad Shawqi: The Making of Arab Shakespeare and the Character – moulding Influences. *Ibadan Journal of Humanistic Studies*, No. 8, 102-111 (Faculty of Arts, University of Ibadan).

31. Abdul-Rahmon, M.O. (2000): Trends in Shari'ah Library Works in Nigeria. *NATAIS, Journal of Nigerian Association of Teachers of Arabic and Islamic Studies*, Vol. 5, pp. 28-36. (University of Lagos).
32. Abdul-Rahmon, M.O. (2000): Trends in *Madh* Themes of the Classical Arabic Poetry. *Obitun: Journal of the Humanities*, Vol. 3, No. 2, 100-107. (Faculty of Arts, University of Ado-Ekiti)
33. Abdul-Rahmon, M.O. (2001): A study of the Moroccan Influence on the Arabic Scholarship in Yorubaland of Nigeria. *Al-Hadarah; Journal of Arabic and Islamic Studies*, Vol. 4. p. 83-92. (Lagos State University)
34. Abdul-Rahmon, M.O. (2002): Sharafadin al-Busiri: An African Poet in the making of al-Buridan. *Orisun: Journal of Arabic & Islamic Studies, Ago-Iwoye*, Vol. 1, 74-81. (Olabisi Onabanjo University).
35. *Abdul-Rahmon, M.O. (2006): Arabic writing on Religious Tradition in modern society: A case study of Ibadan, South-western Nigeria. *Journal of Oriental and African Studies*_Vol. 15 (Athens, Greece).
36. Abdul-Rahmon, M.O. (2007): A Study of the Development of the Curriculum of Traditional Arabic learning among the Yoruba. *Journal of the Religious Education* Vol. 1 (University of Lagos).

(f) Articles Already Accepted for Publication

37. Abdul-Rahmon, M.O. (2002): The Effects of Language and Culture on the Arabic Writing of Traditional Yoruba *Ulama*. Accepted for publication in *Journal of the Faculty of Arabic Language*, (The Islamic University of Gaza, Palestine).

(g) Monographs

38. Abdul-Rahmon, M.O. (1989): *Tarikh al-Adab al-Arabi fi Asr al-Abbasi*. Ibadan: *Centre for External Studies*, 1-200 (University of Ibadan).

39. Abdul-Rahmon, M.O. (2010): *The Future in Our Footprints; A Case Study of Professor I.A.B Balogun: 3rd Memorial Lecture in Honour of Professor I.A.B Balogun.* (IAB Balogun Islamic Foundation, Lagos).
40. Abdul-Rahmon, M.O. (2005): *Managing Spirituality and Materialism in a World at Cross-Roads.* Abdul-Azeez Islamic Foundation, Lagos.

XIII. Conferences Attended:

I have attended several National and International Conferences.

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