CURRICULUM VITAE

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I. PERSONAL DATA:

(a) NAME: ELEBURUIKE, Naimat Abimbola

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(c) DATE OF BIRTH: 8th February, 1985

(d) CURRENT POSTAL ADDRESS: Mosfala Investment Nigeria Limited, Geri-Alimi

Roundabout, P.O.Box 5484, Ilorin, Kwara State.

(e) MARITAL STATUS: Married

(f) TEL. NO. AND E-MAIL ADDRESS: 08134230324 & naeleburuike@alhikmah.edu.ng

(g) DATE OF FIRST APPOINTMENT: 1st October, 2010

(h) STATUS ON FIRST APPOINTMENT: Regular

(i) DATE OF LAST UPGRADE: 10th January, 2018

(j) PRESENT STATUS: Lecturer I

(k) POST/RANK APPLIED FOR: Senior Lecturer

(1) DEPARTMENT: Chemical and Geological Sciences

(m) FACULTY: Natural and Applied Sciences

II. UNIVERSITIES ATTENDED

Universiti Teknologi Malaysia (UTM), Malaysia
 University of Ilorin, Ilorin, Nigeria
 University of Ilorin, Ilorin, Nigeria
 Oct. 2014 – Jan. 2018
 Nov. 2007 – July 2010
 Sept. 2002 – Oct. 2006

III. ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) Degree in Chemistry

 Master of Science (M. Sc.) Degree in Industrial Chemistry
 Bachelor of Science (B. Sc.) Degree in Industrial Chemistry
 -(July 2010)
 -(October 2006)

IV. SCHOLARSHIPS AND PRIZES

• Best presenter Award at the 4th International Science Postgraduate Conference (ISPC), 22-24 February 2016, Universiti Teknologi Malaysia (UTM).

V. HONOURS, DISTINCTIONS AND FELLOWSHIPS

 Organization for Women in Science for the Developing World (OWSD) Postgraduate Fellowship Award (October 2014 – January 2018)

VI. MEMBERSHIP OF LEARNED SOCIETIES

- Affiliate Member, International Union of Pure and Applied Chemistry (IUPAC) (Since 2017)
- Member, Organization for Women in Science for the Developing World (OWSD) (Since 2014)
- Member, American Chemical Society (ACS) (Since 2014)
- Member, Chemical Society of Nigeria (CSN) (Since 2011)

VII. LENGTH OF TEACHING

• 11 YEARS

VIII. CAREER PROGRESSION

1. **Lecturer I,** Department of Chemical and Geological Sciences, Faculty of Natural and Applied Sciences, Al-Hikmah University, Ilorin, Nigeria.

(January 2018 – Date)

2. **Lecturer II,** Department of Chemical and Geological Sciences, Faculty of Natural and Applied Sciences, Al-Hikmah University, Ilorin, Nigeria.

(October 2012 – January 2018)

3. **Assistant Lecturer,** Department of Chemical and Geological Sciences, Faculty of Natural and Applied Sciences, Al-Hikmah University, Ilorin, Nigeria.

(October 2010 – Ocober 2012)

4. **Chemistry Teacher** (NYSC), Boys Secondary School, Aku, Enugu State, Nigeria. (March 2007 – February 2008)

IX. ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE SINCE BASIC QUALIFICATION:

- 1. Acting Head, Department of Chemical and Geological Sciences, Faculty of Natural and Applied Sciences, Al-Hikmah University, Ilorin. (April 2018 March 2020).
- 2. Ag. Sub-Dean, Students Affairs Unit, Al-Hikmah University, Ilorin. (January 2013 to January, 2014).
- 3. Ag. Sub-Dean, College of Natural Sciences, Al-Hikmah University, Ilorin. (January, 2011 to January, 2013).

X. COURSES TAUGHT

(a) At the Undergraduate Level:

| 1. | CHM 201 | Analytical Chemistry I | 3 Credits | 2018/19 – 2020/21 sessions |
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| 2. | CHM 202 | Basic Physical Chemistry | 3 Credits | 2018/19 – 2020/21 sessions |
| 3. | ICH 314 | Topics in Inorganic Chemistr | ry 3 Credits | 2017/18 - 2020/21 sessions |
| 4. | CHM 404 | Radio-Nuclear Chemistry | 2 Credits | 2017/18 – 2020/21 sessions |
| 5. | CHM 415 | Coordination Chemistry | 2 Credits | 2017/18 - 2020/21 sessions |

| 6. | ICH 315 | Chemical Kinetics & Thermo 3 Credits | 2018/19 - 2020/21 sessions | | |
|--------------------------------|---------|--|----------------------------|--|--|
| 7. | PCM 204 | Petroleum Chemistry Lab I 1 Credit | 2018/19 – 2020/21 sessions | | |
| 8. | PCM 205 | Petroleum Chemistry Lab II 1 Credit | 2018/19 – 2019/20 sessions | | |
| 9. | PCM 306 | Petroleum Chemistry Lab III 1 Credit | 2019/2020 session | | |
| 10. | PCM 311 | Chemical Literature in Research 1 Credit | 2019/20 – 2020/21 sessions | | |
| (b) At the Postgraduate Level: | | | | | |
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XI. POSTGRADUATE STUDENTS' SUPERVISION:

NIL

XII. RESEARCH OUTPUT

• Removal of Heavy Metals from Industrial Effluents using polymeric Chelating adsorbents. Al-Hikmah University, Ilorin, Nigeria.

On-Going (October 2018 – Date)

• Synthesis, Characterization and Mechanistic Study of Titanium and Zinc Oxides Nanotubes and Nanorods Based Bimetallic Oxides for the Photocatalytic Degradation of Paraquat Dichloride. Universiti Teknologi Malaysia (UTM).

Completed (October 2014 – November 2017)

• Thermal and Catalytic Cracking of High Density Polyethylene Product over Alumina Supported Copper Oxide Catalyst. University of Ilorin, Ilorin, Nigeria.

Completed (December 2007 – June 2010)

• Synthesis and Characterization of Mixed Vitamin-Metal Complexes. University of Ilorin, Ilorin, Nigeria.

Completed (October 2005 – August 2006)

XIII. PUBLICATIONS:

HOME-BASED PUBLICATIONS

A. JOURNAL ARTICLES:

1. Abdulkareem, S. A. & **Eleburuike, N. A.** (2012): "Pyrolysis of High Density Polyethylene (HDPE) Waste Products into Useful Fuels"; *Nigerian Journal of Pure and Applied Sciences (NJPAS)*; Vol. 25 (2012), 2379-2384. ISSN 0794 - 0378. Published by Faculty of Science, University of Ilorin. http://njpas.com.ng/

B. BOOKS:

- 1. *Eleburuike, N. A., Amigun, A. T., Ayinla, S. O., M'civer, F. A., Oyewumi-Musa, R. T. & Garba, B. (2021). *Fundamentals of Physical Chemistry*. Ilorin: Published by Unilorin Press. unilorinpress@gmail.com.
- 2. *Eleburuike, N. A., Amigun, A. T., Ayinla, S. O., M'civer, F. A., Oyewumi-Musa, R. T. & Garba, B. (2021). *Essentials of Inorganic Chemistry*. Ilorin: Published by Unilorin Press. unilorinpress@gmail.com.

C. MONOGRAPHS:

Nil

D. TECHNICAL REPORTS:

Nil

E. PATENTS:

1. Abdulkareem, S. A. & Abdulaziz, N. A. (2009): Catalytic Conversion of High Density Polyethylene Product (Yoghurt Bottles) to Solid, Liquid, and Gaseous Hydrocarbon Fuels. *Patent of the University of Ilorin Research Inventions, Federal Republic of Nigeria*, Ref No. NG\P\2010\333.

F. EDITED CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS:

Nil

G. PAPERS ACCEPTED FOR PUBLICATION:

Nil

NATIONAL PUBLICATIONS

A. JOURNAL ARTICLES:

- 1. Amoloye, T. O., Abdulkareem, S. A., & **Eleburuike**, **N. A.** (2013): Thermal Cracking of Low Density Polyethylene (LDPE) Waste into Useful Hydrocarbon Products; *Chemsearch Journal (CSJ)*, 4(2) December, 2013, 72-75. ISSN: 2276 707X. Published by Chemical Society of Nigeria, Kano Chapter. Available online at: https://www.ajol.info/index.php/csj/article/view/114932
- 2. Abdulkareem, S. A. & **Eleburuike**, **N. A.** and Amoloye T. O. (2014): Comparison of Fuel Oil from Thermal and Catalytic Cracking of High Density Polyethylene (HDPE); *Journal of the Chemical Society of Nigeria (JCSN)*, 39(1), 103-106. Published by Chemical society of Nigeria (CSN). http://journals.chemsociety.org.ng/index.php/jcsn
- 3. *Abdulkareem, S. A., Abu, T. O. & **Eleburuike, N. A.,** (2019). Thermal and Catalytic Pyrolysis of Low-Density Polyethylene (LDPE) Wastes into Useful Fuel Oils: Comparative Studies. *ABUAD Journal of Engineering Research and Development* (*AJERD*), Vol. 2(1), 36-41. Published by College of Engineering, Afe Babalola University, Ado-Ekiti (ABUAD), Available online at: http://ajerd.abuad.edu.ng/wp-content/uploads/2019/04/AJERD0201_05.pdf

B. BOOKS:

Nil

C. MONOGRAPHS:

Nil

D. TECHNICAL REPORTS:

Nil

E. PATENTS:

Same as Home-based above because the Patent was awarded by the Federal Government of Nigeria.

F. EDITED CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS:

1. **Eleburuike, N. A.** & Abdulkareem, S. A. (2011): "Thermal Cracking of High Density Polyethylene (HDPE) Products into useful Fuels", *Proceedings of the 34th Annual International Conference, Workshop and Exhibition of the Chemical*

Society of Nigeria. 19-23 September, 2011. Published by Chemical Society of Nigeria (CSN).

G. PAPERS ACCEPTED FOR PUBLICATION:

Nil

INTERNATIONAL PUBLICATIONS

A. JOURNAL ARTICLES:

- 1. *Eleburuike, N. A., Bakar, W. A. W. A., Ali, R. & Omar, M. F. (2016). Photocatalytic Degradation of Paraquat Dichloride Over CeO₂-Modified TiO₂ Nanotubes and the Optimization of Parameters by Response Surface Methodology. *RSC Advances*. Vol. 6, 104082-104093. Published by the Royal Society of Chemistry (RSC), UK. Available online at: https://doi.org/10.1039/C6RA24283A. (Impact Factor: 3.361, Indexed by Web of Science (ISI) and Scopus).
- 2. * Eleburuike, N. A., Bakar, W. A. W. A. & Ali, R. (2017). Role of Na⁺ Ion Removal on the Photocatalytic Properties of Hydrothermally-Prepared TiO₂ Nanotubes. *Malaysian Journal of Fundamental and Applied Sciences (MJFAS)*. Vol. 13(2), 143-147. Published by Ibnu Sina Institute of Fundamental and Applied Research, Universiti Teknologi Malaysia, Available online at https://doi.org/10.11113/mjfas.v13n2.617 (Indexed by Web of Science Emerging Sources Citation Index (ESCI) and Scopus).
- **3.** *Nadarajan, R., Bakar, W. A. W. A., Toemen, S., Habib, M. A. & **Eleburuike, N. A.** (2018). Structure-Activity Relationship of TiO₂ Based Trimetallic Oxide Towards 1, 2-Dichlorobenzene Photodegradation: Influence of Preparation Method and Its Mechanism. *Chemical Engineering Journal* Vol 351, 708-720. Published by Elsevier. Available online at: https://doi.org/10.1016/j.cej.2018.06.135. (Impact Factor: 13.273, Indexed by Web of Science and Scopus).

B. BOOKS:

Nil

C. MONOGRAPHS:

Nil

D. TECHNICAL REPORTS:

Nil

E. PATENTS:

Nil

F. EDITED CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS:

- *Eleburuike, N. A., Bakar, W. A. W. A. & Ali, R. (2016). Effects of Surface Modification and Calcination Temperature on the Photocatalytic Degradation of Paraquat Dichloride over CeO₂-doped TiO₂ Nanotubes under Visible Light. *Proceedings of 4th International Science Postgraduate Conference 2016 (ISPC 2016)*, Universiti Teknologi Malaysia, 22-24 February, 2016. Pages 40-48. Published by Faculty of Science, Universiti Teknologi Malaysia.
- **2.** *Eleburuike, N. A., Bakar, W. A. W. A. & Ali, R. (2016). Photocatalytic Treatment of Modelled Paraquat Dichloride Polluted Water using Titanium Dioxide and Zinc

- Oxide Nanotubes. *Proceeding of Women in Science and Technology for the Developing World Fifth General Assembly and International Conference*, 16-19 May 2016, Kuwait. Pages 1-6. Published by Kuwait Institute of Scientific Research (KISR), Kuwait.
- **3.** *Eleburuike, N. A., Bakar, W. A. W. A. & Ali, R. (2016). Zirconia-Modified Titanium Oxide Nanotubes with Enhanced Photocatalytic Activity. *Proceedings of 6th International Graduate Conference on Engineering, Science and Humanities (IGCESH 2016)*, Universiti Teknologi Malaysia, 15-17 August 2016. Pages, 405-408. Published by School of Graduate Studies, Universiti Teknologi Malaysia.

G. PAPERS ACCEPTED FOR PUBLICATION: Nil

XIV. CONFERENCES ATTENDED & PAPERS PRESENTED:

- Eleburuike, N. A., Bakar, W. A. W. A. & Ali, R. (2019). Synthesis and Characterization of WO₃-Doped Zinc Oxide Nanotubes and its Application in the Degradation of Paraquat Dichloride. 18th Annual International Conference of the Materials Science and Technology Society of Nigeria (NIMACON 2019), 18th-22nd November, 2019, University of Ilorin, Nigeria. (Oral Presenter).
- 2. Eleburuike, N. A., Bakar, W. A. W. A. & Ali, R. (2017). Synthesis and Characterization of WO₃-ZrO₂-TiO₂ Nanotubes as Efficient Photocatalyst in the Degradation of Paraquat Dichloride. 253rd American Chemical Society (ACS) National Meeting & Exposition (ACS San Francisco 2017), April 2-6, 2017, Moscone Convention Centre, San Francisco, California, USA. (Poster presenter).
- 3. Eleburuike, N. A., Bakar, W. A. W. A. & Ali, R. (2017). Role of Na⁺ Ion Removal on the Photocatalytic Properties of Hydrothermally-Prepared TiO₂ Nanotubes. 5th International Science Postgraduate Conference 2017 (ISPC 2017), 7-8 March, 2017, Pulai Springs Resort, Johor Bahru, Malaysia. (Oral presenter).
- **4.** Eleburuike, N. A., Bakar, W. A. W. A. & Ali, R. (2016). Zirconia Modified Titanium Oxide Nanotubes with Enhanced Photocatalytic Activity. **6**th International Graduate Conference on Engineering, Science and Humanities (IGCESH 2016), Universiti Teknologi Malaysia, 15-17 August 2016. (Poster Presenter).
- 5. Eleburuike, N. A., Bakar, W. A. W. A. & Ali, R. (2016). Photocatalytic Treatment of Modelled Paraquat Dichloride Polluted Water using Titanium Dioxide and Zinc Oxide Nanotubes. Organization for Women in Science for the Developing World (OWSD) Fifth General Assembly and International Conference, 16-19 May 2016, Kuwait Institute of Scientific Research, Kuwait. (Oral presenter).
- **6.** Eleburuike, N. A., Bakar, W. A. W. A. & Ali, R. (2016). Effects of Surface Modification and Calcination Temperature on the Photocatalytic Degradation of Paraquat Dichloride over CeO₂-doped TiO₂ Nanotubes under Visible Light. **4**th International Science Postgraduate Conference **2016** (ISPC **2016**), Universiti Teknologi Malaysia, 22-24 February, 2016. (Oral presenter).

- **7. Eleburuike**, **N. A.** & Eleburuike, U. O. (2011): "Climate Change: Implications on Food Security and Poverty Reduction", **AvH Alexander von Humboldt Kollege Conference**, University of Ibadan, Nigeria. October 11th-15th, 2011. (Oral Presenter).
- 8. Eleburuike, N. A. & Abdulkareem, S. A. (2011): "Thermal Cracking of High Density Polyethylene (HDPE) Products into useful Fuels". 34th Annual International Conference, Workshop and Exhibition of the Chemical Society of Nigeria, September 19th-23rd, 2011. (Oral Presenter).
- 9. Eleburuike, N. A. (2011): "Effects of Biotechnology and Nanotechnology on Chemical, Plastics and Allied Industries". Humboldt International Conference, Humboldt-Kollege, Ogbomoso, Nigeria on Potential Applications of Nanotechnology in Developing Countries of West Africa: Trends of Research Activities, July 4th-7th, 2011. (Oral Presenter)

XV. COMMUNITY SERVICE:

- 1. Associate Editor, Al-Hikmah Journal of Pure and Applied Sciences (AJPAS), Faculty of Natural and Applied Sciences, Al-Hikmah University, Ilorin. (July 2021 Date).
- 2. Member, Faculty Journal Committee, Faculty of Natural and Applied Sciences, Al-Hikmah University, Ilorin. (October 2020 Date).
- 3. Secretary, Departmental Postgraduate Committee, Department of Chemical and Geological Sciences, Faculty of Natural and Applied Sciences, Al-Hikmah University, Ilorin. (March 2020 Date).
- 4. Secretary, Faculty Postgraduate Committee, Faculty of Natural and Applied Sciences, Al-Hikmah University, Ilorin. (January 2020 March 2020).
- 5. Auditor I, Chemical Society of Nigeria, Kwara Chapter. (January 2020 Date)
- 6. Organizer, IUPAC Global Women's Breakfast, Al-Hikmah University, Ilorin. Theme: "Building Bonds to Create Future Leaders". (February 2020).
- 7. Member, University Time-Table Committee, Al-Hikmah University, Ilorin. (2011/2012 Session)
- 8. Member, Al-Hikmah University Ceremonials Committee (July, 2013 to September 2013)
- 9. Level Adviser, Department of Chemical and Geological Sciences, Faculty of Natural and Applied Sciences, Al-Hikmah University, Ilorin. (October 2010 September 2013).
- 10. Academic Adviser, National Association of Science Students (NASS), Faculty of Natural and Applied Sciences, Al-Hikmah University, Ilorin. (January 2011 January 2013).
- 11. Monthly contribution from my salary to the account of Centre for Islamic Heritage and Community Development, Al-Hikmah University, Ilorin to impact on the lives of the people of Ilorin and its environs.

XVI. HOBBIES/EXTRA-CORRICULAR ACTIVITIES:

Travelling, recitation of Qur'an and mentoring