# **CURRICULUM VITAE FOR CHIOME CHRISPEN**

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### EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

School Certificates: 6 O levels and 3 A Levels, Certificate in Education (CE. (1988); Obtained with a Distinction in Mathematics at Andrew Louw Zintec under University of Zimbabwe, **Bachelor's Degree:** Bachelor of Education in Educational Administration, Planning and Policy Studies, University of Zimbabwe, 1997 **Overall Degree Classification, 2.1,** Prizes Awarded, University Book Prize, **Masters Degree:** Masters in Educational Administration, Planning and Policy Studies: Zimbabwe Open University 1999-2001, **Overall Degree Classification, Merit**, **Doctoral Degree:** Doctor of Philosophy in Education, (PhD) degree from the Zimbabwe Open University in 2012. **Title of thesis:** *Conditions fostering continuous quality improvement in the Zimbabwe Open University: Any missing links?* 

PROFESSORSHIP: Full Professor since May 2015

### WORK EXPERIENCE

- **Teaching Experience**: Teacher, Senior Teacher, Deputy Head, School Head 1988-2000; Ministry of Primary and Secondary Education
- **Tertiary Education Experience**: Lecturer, Senior Lecturer, Subject Head of Theory of Education (TOE), Masvingo Teachers College 2000-2005.
- University Teaching experience: Programme Co-ordinator, ZOU 2006-2012; Professor of Educational Leadership 2020 to date
- University Managerial experience: Four (4) years as Research Professor in the Office of the Vice Chancellor, Responsible for Strategic issues, Strategic collaborations and partnerships, research issues, Council issues, Policy issues, Senate Issues and Acting as Director during Director's absence among others; Zimbabwe Open University 2013-2016.
- Higher Degrees Experience: Supervisor of PhDs since 2013, Examiner of PhDs for seven different Universities in Southern Africa since 2013; Director of Higher Degrees; Zimbabwe Open University; 2017-to 2020.
- **PhD Supervision:** Supervised to completion: **three** (3); currently under supervision **six** (6); three ZOU, two MSU and one GZU.
- **PhD Examining:** External Examiner for Kwa-Zulu Natal: Fort Hare, Open University of Tanzania, University of Namibia and University of South Africa
- **Experience in coordinating research projects:** I have successfully organised three international conferences attracting over 400 delegates from around the world.
- Membership of international professional and/or research organisations: I am an active member of five expert groups and I sit on two journal editorial boards and I am a member of one programme committees of international conferences.
- **Development of curricular**: I have 15 years' experience in developing and running curricula and improving interdisciplinary learning.

## **OTHER DUTIES**

- Part-time tutor of Educational Leadership: Zimbabwe Ezekiel Guti University
- Member of the International Task Force for Teachers for EFA
- Member of the Research Infrastructures for Africa.
- Creating partnerships with Southern African Universities Association (SARUA), Distance Education Association of Southern Africa (DEASA), and

African Council for Distance Education (ACDE) and Association of African Universities (AAU) to further ODeL in Africa.

- Advancing teacher development through ODeL in Africa
- Curriculum Developer in consultation with the Ministry of Primary and Secondary Education.

### **FUNDED RESEARCHES**

- Reputational yardsticks that separate the best from the rest in research: driving the accountability agenda in higher education: Funded by Research Evaluation and Performance Measurement (REPM:2014)
- Learning from experience the dynamics of policy and practice: A critical assessment of policy capacity for innovative governance in Southern Africa; Funded by the Policy Capacity for Innovative Governance Series led by Zhejiang University of China
- Research infrastructures for Africa: Funded by the EU through Open Science at the Global scale: Sharing E-infrastructures, sharing knowledge and sharing progress
- Why should so few have so much when so many have so little? A comparative study of the great divide in six Sub-Saharan African countries. Funded by the World Social Science Forum (WSSF) through the Transforming Global Relations for a just world research theme.
- Internationalisation of higher education: Towards an African credit and transfer system in higher education. Funded by the Association of African Universities through the Internationalisation of Higher Education research theme.

### PUBLISHED ARTICLES AND BOOKS

Published Refereed Journal Articles	<b>48</b>
Published Books	10
Published Book Chapters	17
Published modules	19
Conference papers presented	63
Funded researches	5

### REFEREES

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I certify that the information given above is correct to the best of my knowledge.

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