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PRESENT POSITION

Associate Professor w.e.f July, 2016

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EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS ATTENDED

1. Ahmadu Bello University, Zaria 1966-1969
2. Nigeria Law School, Lagos 1970-1971
3. Royal Institute of Public Administration, London 1974
4. University of Ife, Ile-Ife 1980-1981
5. University of Ilorin 2003-2010

EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

- G.C.E. (O' Level) from University of London 1964
- G.C.E. (O' Level) from W.A.E.C 1975
- G.C.E. (A' Level) from University of London 1965
- G.C.E. (A' Level) from University of London 1966
- **LL.B** (HONS) 2ND Class (Lower) from Ahmadu Bello University, Zaria 1969
- **B.L** from Nigerian Law School, Lagos Call to Bar 1971
- **LL.M** from University of Ife, Ile-Ife 1981
- Postgraduate Diploma in Education (**PGDE**) 2007
- **Ph.D.** (Law) from University of Ilorin 2010
- Certificate in Management Studies from Royal Institute of Public Administration, London (Course sponsored by Federal Government of Nigeria) 1974

EXPERIENCE IN ACADEMICS

1. Senior lecturer and Head of Department of Legal Studies,
Kwara State Polytechnic, Ilorin 1981-1995
2. Lecturer II, Faculty of Law, University of Ilorin 1995-1998
3. Senior lecturer and Head of Department of
Business Law, University of Ilorin 1998-2007
4. Senior lecturer, Faculty of Law
Lead City University, Ibadan Dec. 2007 June 2016
5. Ag. Dean, Faculty of Law, Lead City University, Ibadan 2013 – Aug. 2017
6. Associate Professor, Lead City University, Ibadan July 2016 – 2017
7. Head of Department of Private and Business Law,
Al-Hikmah University, Ilorin 2018 – Jan. 2019
8. Ag. Dean, Faculty of Law, Al-Hikmah University, Ilorin Feb. 2019 to date

EXPERIENCE IN LEGAL PRACTICE

Some of the cases I handled at the **Supreme Court** and **Courts of Appeal** are cited, as follows: (names of parties are omitted to save space and for ethical reasons)

s/n	Supreme Court Cases	s/n	Court of Appeal Cases
1	(1994) 7 – 8 SCNJ I	1	(1997) 7 NWLR (Pt. 609) 105
2	(1994) 3 NWLR (Pt. 333) 385 SC	2	(1998) 8 NWLR (Pt. 543) p. 538
3	(1994) 8 NWLR (Pt. 361) 150 SC	3	(1998) 3 NWLR (Pt. 541) 331
4	(1995) 2 SCNJ 132 SC	4	(2004) 45 WRN 117 – 141
5	SC 66/2010	5	(2010) Vol. 52 URN P.11 CA
6	SC 608/2014	6	CA/IL/91/2010
		7	CA/IL/3/2011
		8	CA/IL/66/2013
		9	(2014) ALL FWLR (Pt. 732) 1768
		10	CA/IB/299/2015
		11	CA/IL/77/2019

Note: Case handled at various High courts are too numerous to be listed here.

AD-HOC JUDICIAL APPOINTMENT

Chairman, Local Government Election Tribunal, Kwara State. 1993

EXPERIENCE IN ADMINISTRATION

1. Administrative Officer in Kwara State Civil Service 1969-1976
2. Corporation Secretary, Head of Administration Department and Legal Adviser to Kwara State Water Corporation, Ilorin 1976-1981
3. Head, Department of Legal Studies Kwara State Polytechnic, Ilorin 1981-1995
4. Head of Department of Business Law, Faculty of Law, University of Ilorin 1998-2007
5. Head of Department of Public and International Law, Lead City University, Ibadan 2007-2012
6. Ag. Dean, Faculty of Law, Lead City University, Ibadan 2013-2017
7. Head of Department of Privatized Business Law, Al-Hikmah University, Ilorin 2018 – Jan 2019
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PUBLICATIONS

BOOKS AUTHORED/PUBLISHED

1. **Bello S.A.**, (2011) "Framework for Divestiture of State Enterprises in Nigeria (A Legal and Institutional Perspective)" *Published by LAP LAMBERT Academic Publishing GmbH & Co. KG Saarbrucken, Germany, ISBN: 978-3-8465-5246-9 On Sale on the Internet- <http://www.lap-publishing.com/catalog/details/store/gb/book/978-3-8465-46-9/framework-for-divestiture-of-state-enterprises-in-nigeria>. Germany*
2. **Bello, S.A.** (2013) *Contentious Legal Issues in Nigeria's Privatization Programme Published by College Press, Lead City University, Ibadan. ISBN: 978-978-933-227-4.*

CHAPTER CONTRIBUTION IN BOOKS

3. Abifarin O. and **Bello S.A. (2014)**, The Problems, Challenges and Prospects of Nigeria Police: Policing Nigeria on Rule of Law and with commitment in by *Abegunde, B. and Adebayo W.A. (eds) Petoa Books, Ado Ekiti (2008) pp. 112-134, ISBN: 978:2858:95-8*
4. Abifarin O., **Bello S.A. and Isah E. J. (2015)**, Tax Amnesty in some Common Wealth Countries and America: A lesson for Nigeria, in *Topical Issues on Nigeria Tax Laws and Related Areas by Agbonika J.A.A. (ed) Ababa press, Ibadan (2015) pp. 100-119, ISBN: 978-978-52334-5-2*
5. Olufemi Abifarin and **Shittu A. Bello (2016)**, Online Dispute Resolution: Whither Nigeria in Current Themes: Nigerian Law of Practice by *Yusuf Mohammed Yusuf (ed) published by University of Maiduguri for Faculty of Law, University of Maiduguri. ISBN: 978-978-958-628-8, pages 279 – 294. Maiduguri book.*

RESEARCH ARTICLES PUBLISHED IN JOURNALS

LOCAL JOURNALS

6. **Bello S.A. (1994)**, Construction of Warranties in Insurance Policies Under the Insurance Decree, (1994) *Vol. 3 Kwara Law Review* pp. 1-9. ISSN: 1117-3874
7. **Bello S.A. (1995)**, Traditional Beliefs And Test Of Reasonableness' Under The Criminal Codes (1995) *Vol. 4 Kwara Law Review* pp. 91-98, ISSN: 1117-3874
8. **Bello S.A. (1996)**, Stare Decisis: **Atolagbe V. Awuni Revisited** (1996) *Vol. 5 Kwara Law Review* P. 118-125, ISSN: 1117-3874
9. **Bello S.A. (1997)**, Official and Priviledged Communications Under The Nigerian Evidence Act. (1997) *Vol. 6, Kwara Law Review* pp. 80-86, ISSN: 1117-3874
10. **Bello S.A. (1997)**, Union Bank Of Nig. Ltd. v. Prof. Albert Ojo Ozigi: A Classic Precedent in Interpretation Of Document (1997) *Vol. 6 Kwara Law Review* pp. 176-180, ISSN: 1117-3874
11. **Bello S.A. (1998)**, Recovery Of Interest by Banks at Rates that vary from time to time: *Vol. 7 Kwara Law Review* pp. 123-127, ISSN: 1117-3874

NATIONAL JOURNAL

12. **Bello S.A.** and Abifarin O. (2008), An Appraisal of the Jurisprudence of Criminalization of Prostitution *Confluence, Journal of Jurisprudence and International Law, Vol. 1, No. 2, pp. 195-217, ISSN: 2006-6899*
13. **Bello S.A. (2008)**, Abifarin O. and Elijah E., An Assessment of Statutory Roles of Bureau of Public Enterprises (BPE) in Privatization and Commercialization of Public Enterprises in Nigeria *Journal of Jurisprudence and Public Law. Vol. 1 pp. 142-162, ISSN 1600-71*
14. **Bello S.A.** and Abifarin O. (2013), Alternative Dispute Resolution in Global Perspective *Confluence Journal of Jurisprudence and International Law, Faculty of Law, Kogi State University, Ayingba, No. 2, (2013) pp.38-43, ISSN: 2006-6899*
15. Abifarin O. and **Bello S.A. (2014)**, The Role of Director/Registrar in Settlement of Cooperative Disputes in Nigeria, *Joseph Ayo Babalola University Law Journal, Vol. 1, No. 1, (2014) P.10-21*
16. Abifarin O. and **Bello S.A. (2014)**, The Legal Framework for Parental Responsibility in Nigeria, *Nigerian Journal of Food, Drug and Health Law, Vol. 2, No. 1, (2014) pp. 9-16, ISSN: 2006-6902*
17. Abifarin O. and **Bello S.A. (2014)**, The Imperative of Synergy between Traditional Health Care and Orthodox Medicine in Nigeria, *Nigerian Journal of Food, Drug and Health Law, Vol. 7, No. 1 (2014) pp. 132-140, ISSN: 2006-6902*

18. Abifarin O. and **Bello S.A. (2014)**, Tax Amnesty as catalyst for Economic Development in Nigeria *Confluence Journal of Jurisprudence and International Law, Faculty of Law, Kogi State University, Ayingba Vol. 7, No. 1, (2014) pp. 12-19, ISSN: 2006-6899*
19. Abifarin O. and **Bello S.A. (2014)**, The Right to a Name in Nigeria *Confluence Journal of Jurisprudence and International Law, Faculty of Law, Kogi State University, Ayingba, Vol. 7, No 1 (2014) pp.52-58, ISSN: 2006-6899*
20. **Bello S.A.** and Abifarin O. **(2014)**, An Exploratory Survey of Cooperative Societies Law in Nigeria, *Imo State University Journal of Commercial and Contemporary Law, Vol. 4, (2014) pp. 40-51, ISSN: 2276-7576*
21. **Bello, S.A (2014)**, An Appraisal of the Role of International Stock Exchanges in Economic Development. *Ife Journal of International and Comparative Law, Vol. 1, No. 2, (2014) P. 427-442, ISSN: 2437-167X*
22. **Bello S.A.**, Omisore S.R. and Adeigbe Y.K. (2014), Employer's Liability for Workmen's On-the-Job Injury in Nigeria: A Critical Appraisal: *Lead City University Journal of the Social Sciences (LCJSS), Vol. 1, No. 1, (2014) pp.1-10*
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24. **Shittu A. Bello** and Ogwezzy C.M **(2014)**, Piercing the Veil of Business Incorporation: An Overview of What Warrants it. Review of *Contemporary Business Research, June 2014, Vol. 3, No. 2, pp. 117-138, ISSN: 2333-6412 (print), 2333-6420 (Online) Published by American Research Institute for Policy Development.*
25. **Bello S.A** and Abifarin O. **(2015)**, An Examination of Tax Treatment of Cooperative Societies in Nigeria *Joseph Ayo Babalola University Law Journal Vol.2 No 1 (2015) pp. 51-58*
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27. Abifarin O. and **Bello S.A. (2015)**, Tax incentives as Catalyst for voluntary Tax Compliance in Nigeria-*Ekiti State University Law Journal Vol. 6 pp.195-207, ISSN 1591-3921*
28. Abifarin O., **Bello S.A.** and Isah J. **(2015)**, National Security, Terrorism and Counter-Terrorism in Nigeria: *Contemporary Journal of Inter-Disciplinary Studies, Vol. 2, No. 2, (2015) pp. 306-328. Netherlands* (Journal accessible online at www.cojis.org)
29. **Bello S.A. (2015)**, The Nigerian State and the Challenge of Divisionism and Dichotomy (2015), *Ife Juris Review, Pt. 1 (Jan-April) pp. 277-289, ISSN 0794-1048*

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32. Abifarin and **Shittu A. Bello**, (2016) The Human Right Implication of Deposition and Banishment of Chiefs in Nigeria –4(1) ANULJ (The Africa Nazeren University Law Journal, Kenya, pp.172-194.
33. **Shittu A. Bello** & Ibrahim Adamu. (2016). The Travails of Mortgagors in the hands of Mortgagees’ *Lead City University Law Journal*, Vol. 2, No.2, July-December 2016 (ISSN 2504-9747) LCULJ, pp.180-201.
34. **Shittu A. Bello** & Olufemi Abifarin: (2016). An X-Ray of Dispute Systems Design in Nigeria *Lead City University Law Journal (LCULJ)*, Vol.2 No.1, pp.55-64.
35. Prof. Amuda A.K. SAN; **Dr. Bello Shittu**; Dr. Adebisi R (2018), “Feminist Jurisprudential Perspective on women in Nigeria. *Indian Socio-Legal Journal*, Vol. XLIV No. 182, India Institute of Comparative Law pp. 41 – 54.

INTERNATIONAL JOURNAL

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39. **Bello S.A.**, Chijioke J.O. and Abifarin O. (2015), Terrorism, Human Rights, Good Governance and African Development: *Contemporary Journal of Inter-disciplinary Studies Vol. 2, No 2, (2015) pp. 154-170 Netherlands* (Journal accessible online at www.cojis.org)

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41. Hakeem Ijaiya & **Shittu A. Bello**: (2016). The Role of United Nations Environmental Programme (UNEP) to the Development of International Environmental Law *Lead City University Law Journal (LCULJ)*, Vo. 2, No.1, Jan-June 2016, pp.225-235.
42. **Shittu A. Bello (2018)**, Nigeria: From Doomed Indigenization to Tortuous Privatization Programme. *Ahmadu Bello University Law Journal*, Vol. 38, No. 2, pp. 38-52
43. Prof. O. A Fatola, Prof. Amuda Kannike SAN; **Dr. Bello Shittu; Dr. Adebisi R (2018)** "Feminist Jurisprudential Analysis: Gender Hegemonic issue in Rape" *Indian Socio-Legal Journal*, India Institute of comparative Law, pp. 55 – 68
44. **ECOWAS Common External Tariff and Regional Integration in West Africa** accepted for Publication by University of Delhi: in *Delhi Law Review* [Volume 35]
Website: <https://www.livelaw.in/lawschool/call-for-papers/call-for-papers-delhi-law-review-volume-35-144799>
45. The Prospects and Challenges of African Continental Free Trade Area Agreement
Accepted for publication by Faculty of Law University of Colombo, Sri Lanka *International Law Journal*.
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46. Legal Environment For Privatisation
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RESEARCH WORKS IN PROGRESS

47. **Book** on Company Law & Corporate Governance in Nigeria
(to be out in October 2019)
Article
48. Abifarin O. and **Bello S.A (2015)**, Property Tax as a virile solution to ailing states economy in Nigeria
49. Abifarin O. and **Bello S.A. (2015)**, Curbing Piracy in the Gulf of Guinea: Exploring the Sri Lanka strategy

MEMBERSHIP OF PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION

- Member of Nigerian Bar Association
- Member Nigerian Association of Law Teachers

MY OTHER SKILLS

- Computer Skill-conversant with Microsoft word and Power Point
- Web Surfing
- Proficient Writing Skills
- Proficient in oral and written English Language
- Ability to work unsupervised
- Hardworking
- Integrity beyond reproach
- Ability to work as a team and adapt to different environment.
- Meet targets.

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