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(iv) M.Sc.(Agric. Economics) 1997	Ahmadu Bello University Zaria
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11. Working experience with dates

Lecturer/Researcher in Department of Agricultural Economics and Rural Sociology, Ahmadu Bello University, Zaria. 1992 to date.

12. Research/Consultancy Experience with dates.

“The Determinants of the Internal and Cross-Border Grain Flows in Northern Nigeria”. PSR-OPVN (Niger) and IAR (Nigeria). Project completed, report submitted and published into book by IRAM, Paris. 1995.

- i. “Official Reforms and Parallel Adjustment: Recent Changes in the Operation of the Cross-Border Grain Trade Between Nigeria and Niger, 1994 -1995”. Project completed

and submitted and report published into book by IRAM, Paris.

- ii. Member, Research Team for the Bench Mark Survey for IFDC project communities in Katsina state: 1996
- iii. "Grains and Losses: Recent Developments in the Cross-Border Grain Trade between Nigeria and Niger (1998)" A completed research with report presented to and written in collaboration with the Project Stock de Reserve, Office des Produits Vivriers du Niger, Niamey, Niger Republic.
- iv. Socio-economic research with Irrigation Research Programme 1996-date
- v. Socio-economic research with Project Niebe du Afrique (PRONAF) 2002- 2012
- vi. Socio-economic research with PROMISO (A joint project on millet and sorghum between IAR, IFAD-CBARDP and ICRISAT: 2004-2008
- vii. National Consultant (Agric. Marketing) for Food and Agricultural Organisation of the United Nations under 'TCP Facility Component 4' in 2009.
- viii. Consultant for ProPcom-DFID project on Assessment of Availability and Use of Fertilizer by Farmers in Kaduna State- July, 2010
- ix. National Consultant for NEPAD/IFDC project on Study on the Implementation and Management of Fertilizer Subsidy Programs in Africa – October, 2010.
- x. Consultant for the mid-term review of Fadama III implementation in Katsina state. October-December, 2011
- xi. Consultant for Food and Agricultural Organisation of the United Nations (Nigeria) under Joint CILSS/FAO/FEWS Mission to Nigeria- 2012.
- xii. National Consultant for rice value chain study in Enugu state for the African Development Bank/ National Programme for Food Security-Federal Ministry of Agriculture: June, 2013
- xiii. Consultant for Food and Agricultural Organisation of the United Nations (Nigeria): Conduct of Feasibility Study for Establishing Vegetables Processing Plant in Central Nigeria to support the Project: *Nigeria Food Africa Project – Adopting a backward and forward integration model in Kaduna State.* September, 2016

13 Publication/Articles

a) i. Peer Reviewed Journal Articles

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- ii. **Abdulsalam, Z.**, Olukosi, J.O. and Ogunwale, S.A. **(1998)**. "Impact of Cross-Border Trade on the production of the relevant crops in Katsina state, Nigeria". *Nigerian Journal of Rural Economy and Society*, Vol. 1, No. 4. pp 38-43. Published by Dept. of Agric. Economics and Rural Sociology, Ahmadu Bello University, Zaria
- iii. Omolehin, R.A., Maiangwa, M.G. and **Abdulsalam, Z (1999)**. "Evaluation of Production Hierarchies for Small-scale Farmers in Kaduna State". *Pankshin Journal of Vocational Education*, Vol. 2, No. 2. Pp 36-43. Published by Federal College of Education, Pankshin.
- iv. **Abdulsalam, Z**, and Abubakar U. **(2001)** "Comparative Benefit-Cost Analysis between Modern and Traditional Beekeeping Technologies" *Savannah Journal of Agricultural Mechanization* Vol.3 No.1, 2001.pp79-84. Published by Dept. of Agric. Engineering, Ahmadu Bello University, Zaria
- v. Adeogun A.O. And **Abdulsalam, Z (2003)** "Estimating the Credit Need levels of Small-scale Rice Farmers Under Large –scale Irrigation Scheme In Nigeria" *Ahmadu Bello University Journal of Vocational Studies*. Vol.1 No. 1, August, 2003. Pp74-79. Published by Dept. of Voc. and Tech. Education, Ahmadu Bello University, Zaria.
- vi. **Abdulsalam, Z. (2004)** "Resource Use Efficiencies in Traditional and Modern Beekeeping Technologies of Honey Production in Northern Nigeria" *The Nigerian Journal of Research and Production*. Vol.4 No. 3, March 2004. Pp125-131. Published by Nigerian Researchers Forum, Enugu State Univ. of Science and Technology, Enugu.
- vii. **Abdulsalam, Z. (2004)** "Effect of Cross Border Trade on Cowpea Production and Food Security Implication in Katsina State of Nigeria." *Ahmadu Bello University Journal of Vocational Studies*. Vol.2 No.2, August 2004. Pp 94-100. Published by Dept. of Voc. and Tech. Education, Ahmadu Bello University, Zaria.
- viii. **Abdulsalam, Z.** and Umar S. A. **(2005)** "Economic Analysis of the Implication of Fertilizer Subsidy Removal on Fertilizer Use in Kano State, Nigeria" *Journal of Agriculture and Social Research* www.ajol.info/ journals/jasr ,Vol. 5, No. 2, Pp 106 – 114.
- ix. **Abdulsalam, Z.**; Olukosi, J.O.; Ogungbile, A.O. and Voh, J.P. **(2005)** "Agricultural Market Integration and Price Communication: Case Study of Cross Border Grain Marketing Between Nigeria and Niger Republic" *Journal of Agriculture, Forestry and the Social Sciences*. www.ajol.info/ journals/joafss Vol. 3, No. 2, 2005. Pp 32 – 41. Published by Dept. of Animal Science and Fisheries, Cross River University of Technology.
- x. **Abdulsalam, Z.**and Adamu, B. **(2006)** "An Analysis of the factors Affecting Intra-

annual Price Variation of Small Ruminants in the Northern Nigerian Savannah" *Journal of Agriculture, Forestry and the Social Sciences*. www.ajol.info/journals/joafss Vol. 4, No. 2, 2006. Pp 140 – 148. Published by Dept. of Animal Science and Fisheries, Cross River University of Technology.

- xi. Kudi, T.M; Akpoko, J.G. and **Abdulsalam, Z. (2007)** "Assessment of the Cotton Industry Using the Global Commodity Chain Approach" *Journal of Applied Sciences*. Vol. 7 No.22, 2007. Pp 3557 – 3561. Published by Asian Network for Scientific Information: <http://www.ansinet.net/journals.html>
- xii. **Abdulsalam, Z.**, Damisa, M.A and Ilyasu, B. M. **(2007)** "Analysis of workers Motivational Factors in Agribusiness organization: a Case Study of Sunseed Nigeria PLC, Zaria. *Journal of Business Administration*. Vol. 1 No.1 and 2, 2007. Pp 15- 27. Published by Dept. of Business Administration, Ahmadu Bello University, Zaria.
- xiii. Damisa, M.A., **Abdulsalam, Z.** and Kehinde, A. **(2008)** "Determinants of Farmers' Satisfaction with their Irrigation System in Nigeria" *Trends in Agricultural Economics* Vol. 1 No.1, 2008. Pp 8-13 Published by Asian Network for Scientific Information: <http://www.ansinet.net/journals.html>
- xiv. Kudi, T.M. and **Abdulsalam Z. (2008)** "Costs and Returns Analysis of Striga Tolerant Maize Variety in Southern Guinea Savanna of Nigeria" *Journal of Applied Sciences Research*, 4(6): Pp 649-651 INSInet Publication <http://www.insinet.net/journals.html>
- xv. **Abdulsalam Z.**, T. M. Kudi and S.Tanimu **(2008)** "Profitability Analysis of Workbull Ownership Among Small Scale Farmers in Giwa Local Government Area of Kaduna State Nigeria" *Journal of Agricultural and Biological Science* Vol 3, No.5 & 6, September-November Pp 45-49 Published by Asian Research Publishing Network <http://www.arpnjournals.com>
- xvi. **Abdulsalam, Z.**; Akinola M.O. and Buwanhot, Y.Y. **(2008)** "Problems and Prospects of Information and Communication Technologies Application in Agriculture in Nigeria" *The Information Manager*, Vol.8.(1) Pp 7-14 Published by Department of Library and Information Science, Ahmadu Bello University, Zaria
- xvii. **Abdulsalam Zakari (2009)** "Organisation and Structure of Cross-Border Food Grain Marketing Between Nigeria and Niger Republic" *European Journal of Educational Studies* 1 (1). Pp 49-55
- xviii. **Abdulsalam, Z.**, A. Y. Mohammed and M.T. Yakassai **(2010)** "Analysis of factors affecting short-term agricultural production credit needs of small-scale farmers in Kano State, Nigeria" *International Journal of Agricultural and Rural Development*. Volume 1, Number 3. Pp 67-70. Published by Department of Agricultural Economics and Extension, University of Abuja, Nigeria

- xix. **Abdulsalam Zakari**, Mohammed, Abdu Yaro and Abdou Yerima Aboubacar (2010) "An Assessment of the Role of "The New Structure For Saving And Credit 'Yarda' Micro Credit Scheme" in Poverty Reduction in the Tarka Valley Area, Niger Republic" *International Journal of Agricultural and Rural Development*. Volume 1, Number 3. Pp 67-70. Published by the Department of Agricultural Economics and Extension, University of Abuja, Nigeria. Pp 167-174
- xx. Yusuf, A.A.; Iwuafor, E.N.O.; Z. Ladan, A. S. Agbaji, **Z. Abdulsalam** and H. A. Yusuf. (2011) "Evaluation of Neem-based Compound Fertilizer for Crop Production in Samaru, Moist Savanna of Nigeria" *Journal of Agricultural Science and Technology A* 1 (2011) Pp235-243.
- xxi. Ojeleye, O. A. and **Abdulsalam, Z. (2014)** "Household Food Consumption and Expenditure Pattern Among Farm Families in North-west Nigeria" *International Journal of Applied Research and Technology* Vol. 3 No.8 Pp 22-28
- xxii. Ojeleye, O. A., J.O. Owolabi, **Abdulsalam, Z.** and Bonire, F.S (2014) "Farm household food security coping strategies and severity in Nigeria: the coping strategy index approach" *International Journal of Agriculture and Biosciences* Vol. 3 No.5 Pp 203-208
- XXiii. Y. U. Oladimeji; **Z. Abdulsalam**; M. A. Damisa and D. F. Omokore (2014) "Determinants of Poverty Among Rural Artisanal Fishery Households in Kwara State, Nigeria" *Journal of Sustainable Development in Africa* (Volume 16, No.3, 2014) Clarion University of Pennsylvania, Clarion, Pennsylvania

b) Edited Conference Proceedings:

- i. **Abdulsalam, Z.**, Lawal, M.B. and Kudi, T.M. (1996). "Employment opportunities in the Nigerian Horticultural Industry: the Case of Grapevine". *Proceedings of Annual Conference of the Horticultural Society of Nigeria* pp. 223-226. Editors: Adebajo, A.;S. F. Adedoyin and D. A. Alabi.
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- iii. **Abdulsalam, Z.** Edache, E.O. and Mahmud, M.A. (1998). "Socio-economic analysis of the main factors affecting small-scale irrigation farming in Zaria. *Proceedings of the 12th National Irrigation and Drainage Seminar* held at Ahmadu Bello University, Zaria. Editor: A.A. Ramalan.
- iv. Isiaka, M. and **Abdulsalam, Z. (2006)** "Review of Opportunities and Challenges in Rice Processing in Nigeria" *Proceedings of the International Conference of the Nigerian Institution of Agricultural Engineers* Vol. 28, held at Ahmadu Bello University, Zaria

November 6-10th 2006. Pp 376 – 380.

- v. Damisa, M.A., **Abdulsalam, Z.** and Ugbabe, O. **(2007)** "Farmers' Choice of Soil Fertility Management in Subsistence farming in the Zaria Area of Nigeria" *Proceedings of the 31st Annual Conference of the Soil Science Society of Nigeria* held at Ahmadu Bello University, Zaria 13 – 17th November, 2006. Pp 424-428. Editors: Uyovbisere, E. O., Raji, B.A., Yusuf, A.A.; Ogunwole, J. O.; Aliyu, L. and Ojeniyi, S.O.
- vi. Yusuf, H. A.; **Abdulsalam, Z.** and Yusuf, A. A. **(2007)** "The Role of Women in Agricultural Development: a Case Study of Giwa LGA of Kaduna State" *Proceedings of the 31st Annual Conference of the Soil Science Society of Nigeria* held at Ahmadu Bello University, Zaria 13 – 17th November, 2006. Pp 415-423. Editors: Uyovbisere, E. O., Raji, B.A., Yusuf, A.A.; Ogunwole, J. O.; Aliyu, L. and Ojeniyi, S.O.
- vii. **Abdulsalam, Z.**; A. M. Yaro and Aloba A. J. **(2010)** "An Assessment of the Level of Awareness of Farmers on Climate Change in Some Selected Local Government Areas of Jigawa State, Nigeria" *Proceedings of the 11th Annual Conference of National Association of Agricultural Economists* held at School of Agriculture and Agricultural Technology, Federal University of Technology, Minna. 30th November- 3rd December, 2010. Pp 413-417. Eds: Nmadu, J.N. *et al.*

c) Technical/Research Reports

- i. Meagher, K., Ogunwale, S.A., Ahmed B., **Abdulsalam, Z.**, Omolehin, R.A., and Bolaji S.A. (1997). "The Determinants of Internal and Cross-Border Grain flows in Northern Nigeria". PSR-OPVN (Niger Republic) and IAR (Nigeria) Project Report.
- ii. Meagher, K., Ogunwale, S.A., Ahmed B., **Abdulsalam, Z.**, Omolehin, R.A. and Bolaji S.A. (1996). "Official Reforms and Parallel Adjustment: Recent Changes in the Operation of the Cross-Border Grain Trade Between Nigeria and Niger, 1994-1995". SIM/LARES - IAR, project report.
- iii. Meagher, K., Ogunwale S.A., Ahmed B., **Abdulsalam Z.**, Omolehin, R.A. and Bolaji S.A. (1997). "Grains and Losses: Recent Developments in the Cross-Border Grain Trade between Nigeria and Niger" A Research Report presented to and written in collaboration with the Project Stock de Reserve, Office des Produits Vivriers du Niger, Niamey, Niger Republic.
- iv. **Zakari Abdulsalam** and Hassan Mohammed Bello **(2010)** Implementation and Management of Fertilizer Subsidy Programs in Africa (Nigeria's Study Report)
- v. **Abdulsalam Z** and Sharifai, I. A **(2013)** 'An Analysis Of Rice Value Chain in Enugu State, Nigeria' A Report Submitted to National Programme for Food Security (Federal Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development) and African Development Bank.

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