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ISCEST Convenes Its 2nd Virtual International Conference

The International Society of Comparative Education, Science and Technology (ISCEST) holds its 2nd Virtual International Conference from 01 to 03 December 2021. It is also the VIII Annual International ISCEST Conference. The theme is **Reinterpreting Educational, Scientific and Technological Success for a Covid and Post-Covid World**. Academics, researchers, teachers, students, consultants, policy makers, curriculum developers and other interested professionals are invited to get involved by presenting a paper and by participating in the plenary sessions.

The conference features keynote speakers in the areas of Education, Science, Technology, Engineering, Agriculture and BIG Data.

Dr Elizabeth Eta from the Department of Education, University of Turku, Finland, is one of the education keynote speakers.



Dr Elizabeth Eta

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Meet the Keynote Speaker for Education!



Dr Elizabeth Eta

Dr Elizabeth Eta holds a master's degree in Social Sciences and doctoral degree in Educational Sciences both from the University of Turku, Finland. She has extensive knowledge and expertise in international and comparative education and education export based on her work in academia and the private sector. Her doctoral dissertation which utilized theories in international and comparative education to examine the adoption of adaptation of a European reform for higher education harmonization in Cameroon was awarded doctoral dissertation of the year in 2018 in Education in Finland by the Finnish Association of Educational Research. Dr Eta currently works as a

Project Director at GraphoGame, a Finnish EdTech game development and distribution company developing early literacy apps for kids in all major languages. She is also the responsible lecturer for the international and comparative education course at the University of Turku, Finland. She was the pioneer team lead of Ambitious Africa Cameroon. Her research interest is diverse, including education policy, policy transfer (borrowing and lending) and diffusion, education export, and research ethics. She has published extensively on these topics. For more information: <https://research.utu.fi/converis/portal/Person/7>.

“The function of education is to teach one to think intensively and to think critically. Intelligence plus character – that is the goal of true education” – Martin Luther King.

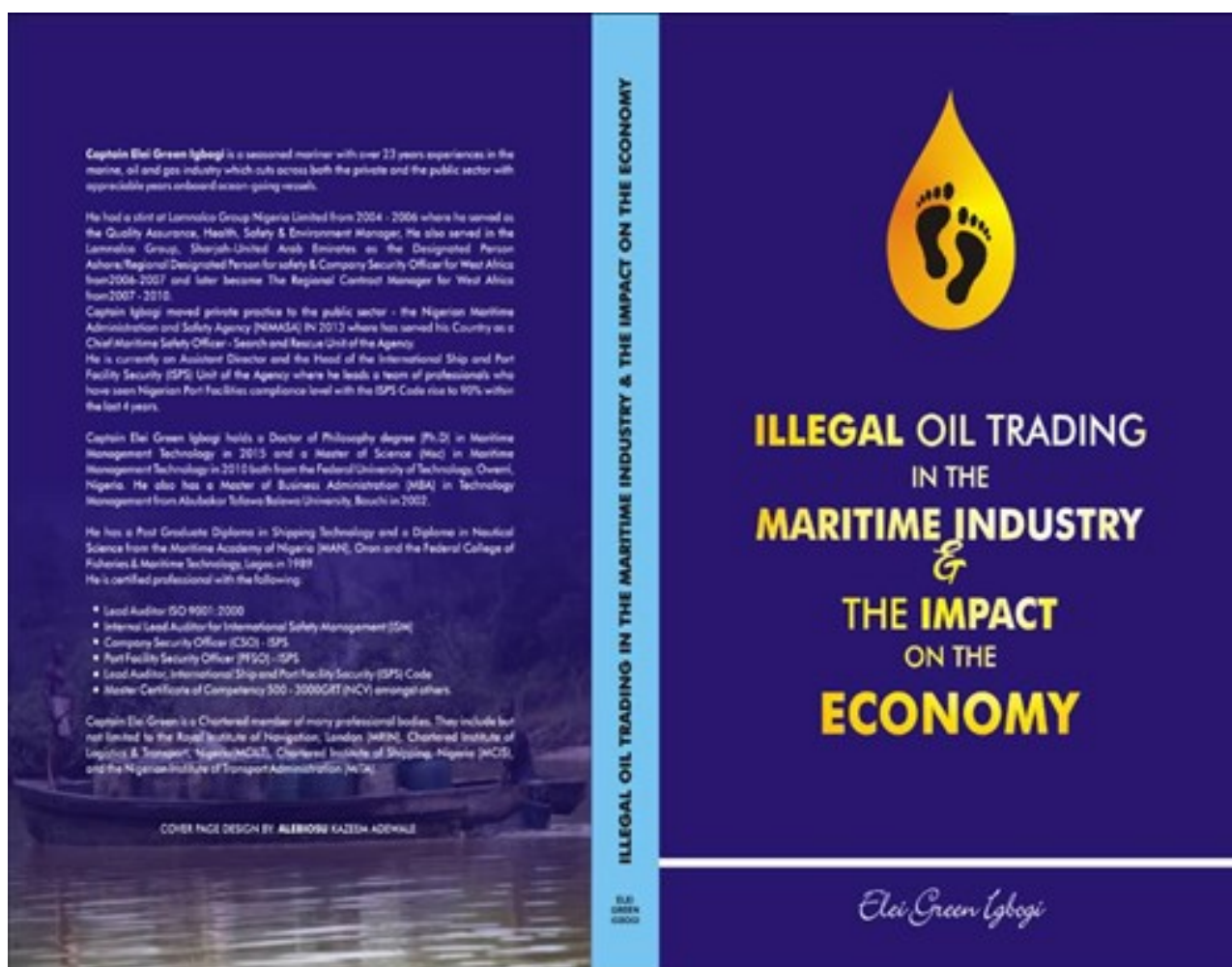
Read All About It!

Captain Elei Green Igbogi is a seasoned mariner with over 23 years experiences in the Shipping, Marine, Oil and Gas industry which cuts across both private and the public sector, with appreciable years on board ocean going vessels. He had a stint at Lamnalco Group Nigeria Limited from 2004 – 2006 where he served as the Quality Assurance, Health, Safety & Environment Manager. He also served in the Lamnalco Group, Sharjah – United Arab Emirates as the Designated Person Ashore/Regional Designated Person for Safety & Company Security Officer West Africa from 2006 – 2007 and later he became The Regional Contract Manager for West Africa 2007 – 2010. He moved from private practice to the public sector when he was head-hunted by the Nigerian Maritime Administration and safety Agency (NIMASA) in 2012.



Dr Elei Igbogi

CONGRATULATIONS FROM ISCEST!!



An Appointment for Emesakoru Enifome !

Worldview International Group U.K has appointed Emesakoru Enifome as Director, Africa -University Partnerships. The international education promoter will have oversight of its activities across Africa, including facilitating partnerships with a good portfolio of universities / colleges, working closely with the existing partner's institution to build trusting relationships, proactively understanding their context and concerns, and help Worldview International Group U.K leverage such partnerships to achieve its goals, among others.



1st From Left: Emesakoru Enifome

Enifome will drive business development in the continent, using his vast experience, knowledge and network of contacts. He will build collaborative relationships and partnerships to assist long-term knowledge transfer. Mr Enifome will serve as Universities contact for Worldview International Group U.K in the region, enabling new relationships and strengthening established ones, working from the Abuja office , the Abuja Hub and office is part of the group's plan to develop a sustainable network of multi-faceted overseas offices and hubs. Worldview International Group U.K ambition is to have a presence near to its stakeholders in key regions with existing offices in U.K, U.S, Ghana, Nigeria and Kenya.

"I am delighted to join Worldview International Group U.K , a fully integrated conglomerate with bespoke services across different educational stakeholders in Africa I know. For me, it is exciting to be part of an organization with great potential to make a difference for our Africa higher education," Emesakoru Enifome , Director, Africa, University Partnerships, said.

Mr. Folabi Obembe, President, Worldview International Group U.K added that they are excited to welcome Emesakoru Enifome as the inaugural Director of the Africa Hub, University Partnerships, He is an exceptional leader, with a distinguished track-record in sub-Saharan countries. His wealth of experience, extensive network of strategic contacts, and profile as a highly respected thought leader will certainly add to Worldview International Group U.K understanding and building of further relations within the Sub-Saharan Africa region.

Worldview International Group U.K is focused on creating a global reputation as one of the world's leading education providers and has achieved success as a leading recruiter of international students. Increasingly, through partnerships and directly, the education group is delivering education internationally. Its network of international hubs will support this work, helping to develop, oversee and manage all of the group's activity in Africa.



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Emesakoru
Enifome

U.K Education Firm,Worldview International Group Unveil ‘Study in Nigeria’ Across Africa

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Worldview International Group, a U.K based innovative, fast-growing organization providing targeted solutions for the education sector in Africa, exploring innovative ways, and designing new approach to address the changes required in Africa education system have unveil ‘Study in Nigeria’ brand.

Study in Nigeria is a dedicated portal with coalition of higher institutions in Nigeria powered by www.findadmission.com , designed to help prospective African students better access higher institutions in Nigeria as well as to make the marketing and recruitment of international students by Nigeria universities much easier and efficient.

The digital platform is a powerful springboard for Nigerian higher institutions wishing to recruit top and quality students from other countries in Africa and overseas and will result in an increase in the number of local and foreign students choosing Nigerian higher institutions as their study destination.

It is specially designed to promote Nigeria as a study destination and aims to completely change the education scene in West Africa region. The goal is to attract and enrol full degree students from Africa, study abroad from EU/ Asia, America in Nigerian higher institutions. The launching was held virtually on June 21st, 2021 and saw expected a huge attendance from both the public and private higher institutions in Nigeria, academia and education policy makers in general.

According to the Founder of Findadmission.com and CEO of Worldview International Group UK, Folabi Obembe, ‘I have always been critical of the phrase ‘brain drain in Africa’ because I believes that mobility enriches teaching and learning. My only concern was the fact that the mobility of students in Africa is always one way i.e., students trooping out to the West to study with no opposite stream of students coming to Africa to study. This is why we decided to embark on a journey to promote countries in Africa as a study destination and to encourage a more organised migration of students in the continent.

‘It is time to let the world know that Africa being recorded as the birth site of civilisation is not a myth. We are leaders and fore thinkers; there is no other country that deserves the honour of opening the world to African Education System on a large scale than Nigeria’. We started these movement in Ghana follow by Nigeria because we believe that Nigeria has all it requires to take the lead in marketing its education sector within Africa and around the world, said Folabi.

Study in Nigeria was developed to help students find their way into the Nigeria higher education. The aim is to help international students with their application process and answer all questions they might have about living and studying in Nigeria. Through the Study in Nigeria brand, students can enroll in full degree programs, participate in summer schools and exchange programs provided by Nigerian universities.

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Another Publication for the Honourable Professor Steve Azaiki!

Professor Stephen Sinikiem Azaiki

The Making of a Technocrat

The Making of a Technocrat chronicles the scholarly, professional and political journey of Professor Stephen Sinikiem Azaiki. It focuses on his life as a technocrat, mostly in the public sector with stints in the boardrooms of quoted companies, as well as non-governmental organisations. It relates how his passion for knowledge and results has manifested in an outstanding mastery of diverse disciplines and mega-issues, ranging from agronomy to petroleum, environment, conflict resolution, and governance.

This book is full of gems about a charismatic personality whose impactful technocratic odyssey has attracted admiration by many across the globe. Besides being the pioneer Commissioner for Agriculture in Bayelsa State, where he later became Secretary to the State Government, Azaiki was State Coordinator of the National Directorate of Employment in Oyo and Rivers States. He voluntarily retired as a Director from the National Directorate of Employment, (NDE). At various times, he served as Special Adviser to Ministers of four different portfolios: Special Duties, Federal Capital Territory, Youth Development, and Police Affairs.

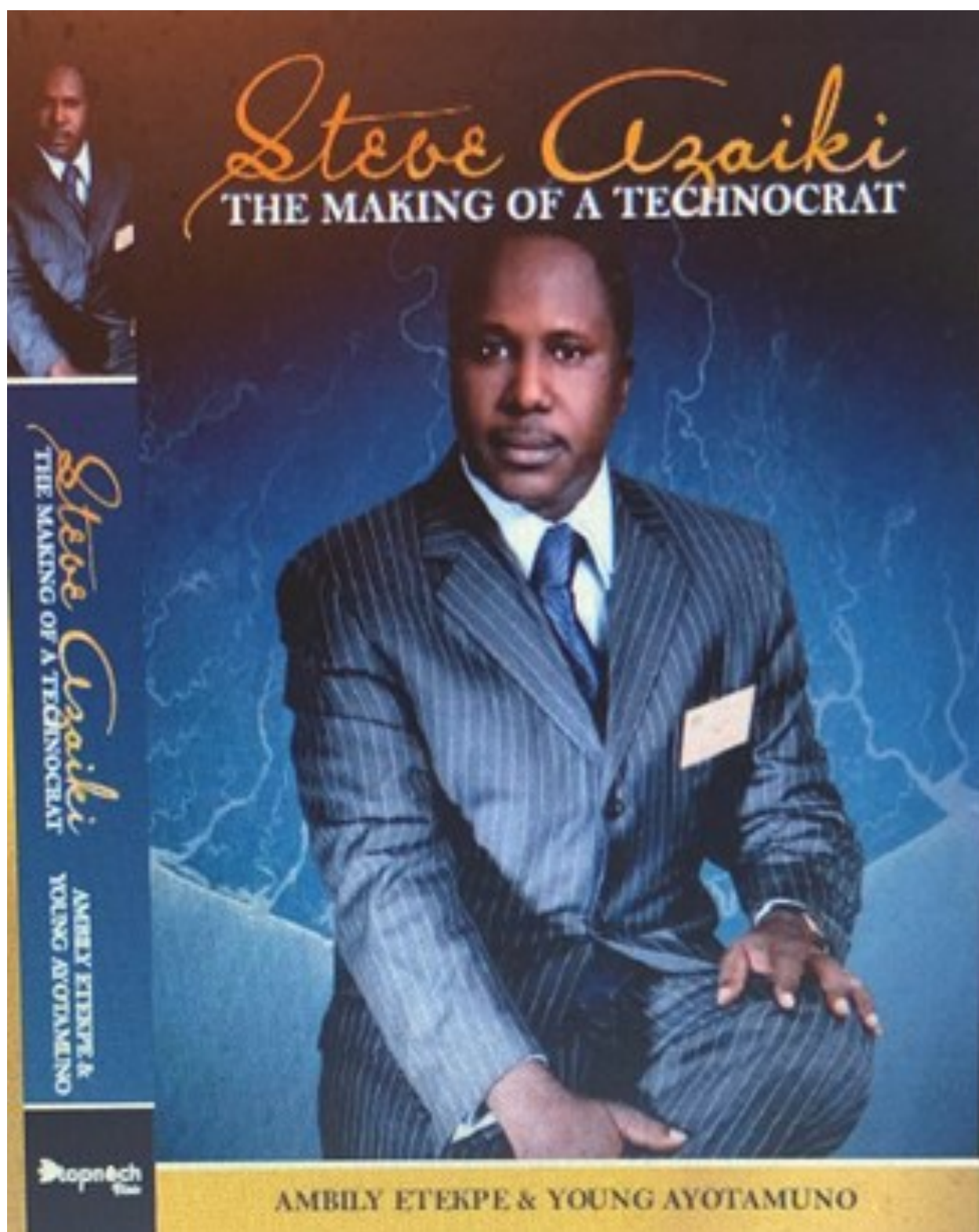
Prof. Azaiki was a member of the Governing Council of the Federal University of Technology, Akure. Subsequently, he was appointed Pro-Chancellor and Chairman of the Governing Council of Niger Delta University, Wilberforce Island, Bayelsa State. Earlier, his unflagging commitment to the progress of the Nigerian nation was the driver of his role as National Coordinator of the National Think Tank, and promoter of the World Environmental Movement for Africa (WEMFA). In 2011, Azaiki was conferred with the national honour of Officer of the Order of the Niger (OON).

The Making of a Technocrat encapsulates valuable personal development tips and enduring leadership lessons.



CONGRATULATIONS!!
FROM ISCEST

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U.K Education Firm,Worldview International Group Unveil ‘Study in Nigeria’ Across Africa (Cont’d from Page 5)

In close cooperation with member institutions in Nigeria, Worldview International Group would use its global student recruitment platform www.findadmission.com and years of experience in International education marketing to make the application procedures easier and more efficient for both students and the universities. ‘Study in Nigeria is here to support student mobility within Africa; present Africa institutions to the rest of the world, make quality education more accessible, and to increase general knowledge about Nigeria worldwide’, said Folabi Obembe.

Study in Nigeria is ideal for students interested in summer school, study abroad programs or pursuing a full undergraduate or master’s degree in Nigeria. We make the necessary information readily available, connect students and institutions, and we constantly work on making the application procedures as simple and smooth as possible.

For more information about Study in Nigeria , visit <http://www.studyinnigeria.org> or call Emesakoru Enifome, Director, Africa, University Partnerships, Worldview International Group UK through +23408068306695 | Whatsapp: +23407054360278 or enifome@findadmission.com



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A Reminder from KIE Organisers



Professor James Ogunleye

The Knowledge, Innovation and Enterprise (KIE) conference will be held from 27th to 29th July 2021. The Chair of the conference is Professor James Ogunleye. It's a virtual conference so you can present from your home. The KIE Conference is organised by the International Journal of Knowledge, Innovation and Entrepreneurship (www.ijkie.org) and the Academy of Innovation and Management (www.acadim.org). The KIE Conference is an affiliate Society of the World Education Fellowship International. WEF was founded in 1921 and enjoys the status of a UN non-governmental organisation. There are six conference regular tracks or thematic sections:

Knowledge-Education (1), Creativity (2), Innovation (3), Entrepreneurship (4), General Business Management (5) and Big Data and Analytics – as applied to business and education fields (6).

This year, the conference has the privilege of featuring 3rd Annual Lecture and Centenary anniversary of the World education Fellowship: WEF – Child Education (7), and 3rd *GlobalCIE Forum* – comparative & international education Roundtable (8). Get more information from <https://kiecon.org/>.





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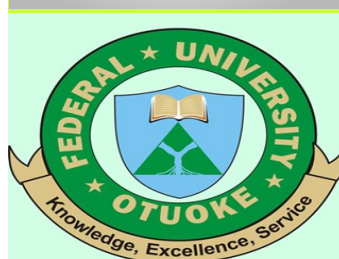
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Professor J. Osai

The ISCEST Family is looking forward to welcoming you to its Annual International ISCEST Conference.

We Thank You!

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