

## **CURRICULUM VITAE**

### **Section A: (Personal Data)**

**NAME :** Tar Maryam (Ph.D)  
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**GENDER :** Female  
**TOWN :** Ibi  
**LOCAL GOVT. AREA :** Ibi  
**STATE OF ORIGIN:** Taraba State  
**NATIONALITY:** Nigerian  
**MARITAL STATUS:** Married  
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**PRESENT POSITION :** Lecturer I

### **Section B: (Educational History)**

#### **INSTITUTIONS ATTENDED WITH DATES**

- Covenant University, Ota 2006-2013
- Ahmadu Bello University, Zaria 1988-1991
- L'Université Village de Bénin, Lomé, Togo 1984
- Université de Bordeaux III, France 1980-81 Session
- University of Maiduguri, Maiduguri 1978-1982
- St. Louis College, Jos 1972-76

- Methodist Primary School, Jos 1966-1971

### **ACADEMIC QUALIFICATION**

- Ph.D (French) March 2014
- M.A. French Jan. 1992
- Certificat de stage Aug. 1984
- B.A. (Hons.) French June 1982
- Certificat pratique de langue française June 1981
- West African School Certificate (WASC) June 1976

### **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

S/N	Institution	Name	Duration of Teaching Experience	Academic Leadership Position(s) Held
(a)	University	Covenant University Ota.	2005-2015	Academic Adviser, 100 Level & 200 Level 2005-2010, 400 Level 2014- Date
(b)	Other Tertiary Institution	College of Education, Jalingo, Taraba State	1984-1996	Head of Department of French (1992-1996).

### **COURSES TAUGHT**

- French Grammar
- Oral Expression
- French Culture and Civilization
- Practical French
- Introduction to French Composition
- Advanced Grammar and Composition

### **SCHOLARSHIP, FELLOWSHIPS AND PRIZES :**

- French Scholarship Award for One year Abroad Programme for Students of French, at L'Université de Bordeaux III, Bordeaux, France, from 1980-1981.
- French Scholarship Award for six weeks French Methodology Course at L'Université Village de Bénin, Lomé, Togo in 1984.

- French Scholarship Award for a refresher course for teachers at the 'Centre de Linguistique Appliquée, Université de Franche Compté, Besançon, France from July-August 1995.
- Member, Editorial Board, International Journal of Innovative Education ISSN:2393 8404

## **PUBLICATIONS AND JOURNALS (INTERNATIONAL/LOCAL)**

1. Tar, M. (2009): Le locuteur haoussa et l'acquisition de la structure des subordonnées françaises, *ABUDOF Journal of Humanities, Department of French*, A.B.U Zaria, Vol. 1 No 8, 49-65. ISBN 1595-7004.**(National)**
2. Tar, M. (2011): Perceived Problems Associated with French Language Learning Among Secondary School Students in Nigeria, *Journal of Functional Management*, Lead City University, Ibadan, Vol. 4 No 1, 58-63. ISSN 2141-3711.**(National)**
3. Tar, M. (2011): Effects of Print Access and Print Exposure on French Vocabulary Acquisition by Secondary School Students, *International Journal of Publishing and Reading*, Scholarship Books, Ibadan, Vol. 1, No 1, 11-16.**(National)**
4. Adejumo, G. O. & Tar, M. (2013) Culturally Responsive Teaching: The Role of Storytelling in Fostering Pupils' Participation in the Classroom, *Indian Journal of Education Research Experimentation and Innovation*, Vol.3 No.1, 13-20.**(International)**

## **CONTRIBUTIONS TO BOOK (INTERNATIONAL/LOCAL)**

1. Tar, M. (2012): "A Comprehensive Analysis of Perceptions of Teachers on Challenges of Teaching Translation in Nigerian Universities", in Soyoye, F.A. & Mayanja, S. (eds), *Current Issues in Translation Studies in Nigeria*, Hannover, 2012. ISBN 978-3-86525-265-4.**(International)**
2. Owoeye S.T. & Tar, M. (2012): "Compétence constructionnelle lexicale des apprenants universitaires nigériens du français langue étrangère: cas de la suffixation agentive" in Bariki I., Kuupole D.D. & Kambou M.K. (eds), *Aspects of Language Variations, Acquisition and Use: Festschrift in honour*

of Prof. Emmanuel N. Kwofie, University of Cape Coast Press: Ghana, 153-165.(**International**)

3. Obieje, D & Tar, M. (2013): ‘‘Une lecture beauvoiriste d’univers romanesque de Calixthe Beyala’’, in Nwabueze J. Obinaju, Eunice E. Omonzejie, Gregory, O. Simire & Mufutau, A. Tijani (eds), French Language in Nigeria: Festschrift in honour of UFTAN Pacesetters: Prof. Emordi, F.I., Prof. Victor, A., Prof. Kester, E., & Prof. Elaho, R.O., University French Teachers’ Association, Mindex Publishers, Benin, 198-205. ISBN 978-978-8448-78-5.(**national**)

### **CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS**

1. G. Adejumo, O. Abioye, M. Tar, (2014): Adoption of Computer Assisted Language Learning Software among Nigerian Secondary School Students. *EDULEARN14 Proceedings*, 950-955.(**International**)

### **PAPERS ACCEPTED FOR PUBLICATION**

1. Tar, M. (2015): Comparative Study of In-depth French Vocabulary Ability of Public and Private Secondary School Students, *ABUDOF Journal of Humanities, Department of French, A.B.U Zaria*, Vol. 1 No 14. (**National**)
2. Tar, M. (2015): Impact of Psychological Well-being on the Vocabulary Acquisition Level of Nigerian Adolescents Learning French language in Rural Settings, *Asian Journal of Humanity, Art and Literature*, [www.ajhal-my.weebly.com](http://www.ajhal-my.weebly.com).(**International**)
3. G. Adejumo, O. Abioye, M. Tar (2015): Adoption of Computer Assisted Language Learning Software among Nigerian Secondary School Students, *International Journal of Academic Research in Business and Social Sciences*, [www.hrmars.com/journals](http://www.hrmars.com/journals), Vol. 5, Issue 2. (**International**)

### **MANUSCRIPTS SUBMITTED FOR PUBLICATION**

1. Tuesday Owoeye, Tar Maryam & Abiodun-Eniayekan:  
‘‘Internet et l’apprentissage du Franais langue  trang re: r flexion th orique et pr sentation empirique: linguistique et didactique de langue:

contemporaines et perspectives’. A Book Publication of the Department of French Education of the University of Education, Winneba, Ghana. **(International)**

2. Tuesday Owoeye, Tar Maryam & Babatunde Olukayode: “Using Internet-based Interactive Resources for the Acquisition of French Vocabulary by University Foreign Learners, a manuscript sent to Electronic Journal of Foreign Language Teaching, Centre for Language Studies, National University of Singapore. **(International)**

### **CONFERENCES ATTENDED AND PAPERS PRESENTED**

1. Tar, M. (2010): “A Comprehensive Analysis of Perceptions of Teachers on Challenges of Teaching Translation in Nigerian Universities” a paper presented at the Translation Studies Conference, held at O.A.U Ile-Ife, from 8<sup>th</sup> -9<sup>th</sup> April 2010.
2. Tar, M. (2010), 12<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference and AGM, held at the University of Lagos, 14<sup>th</sup> -18<sup>th</sup> February 2010.
3. Tar, M. (2014): “Impact of Interpreters Characteristics on perceived Quality of Simultaneous Interpretation (SI) from English to French among Congregations in Church Services”, a paper presented at the University French Teachers’ Association of Nigeria (UFTAN) Conference, held at O.A.U Ile-Ife, from 10<sup>th</sup> -14<sup>th</sup> March 2014.
4. Tar, M. & Adejumo, G.O.(2014): Impact of Psychological Well-being on the Vocabulary Acquisition Level of Nigerian Adolescents Learning French Language in Rural Settings, a paper presented at the Psychology, Rural Development and Wellbeing Conference held at Covenant University, from 11<sup>th</sup>-14<sup>th</sup> February, 2014.

### **B.A. SUPERVISION**

I have supervised 5 final year undergraduate projects.

## **ACADEMIC LINKAGES**

CEBELAE, (Centre Beninois des Langues Etrangeres) - ( Foreign Language Centre ),Cotonou, Republic of Benin.

## **MEMBERSHIP OF LEARNED SOCIETIES AND PROFESSIONAL BODIES**

1. Member - University French Teachers Association of Nigeria (UFTAN).

## **EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

- Member, Full Gospel Business Men's Fellowship International, (FGBMFI)
- Confectioneries and Outdoor Decorations.
- Jogging

## **COMMITTEES SERVED**

Coordinator, Departmental Welfare Committee	2009-2015
Member CUSAT Committee	2010-2012
Member College Week Committee	2011-2013
Member, Monitoring Committee, Faculty Support Programme	2011-2012
Member College Hooding Event Committee	2012-2013
Member, C.U Tutorial Committee	2014-Date
Co-ordinator, SLDV, Tutorial Committee	2014-2018
Member, College Welfare Committee	2014-Date
Member, College Budget Committee	2014-Date

## **NAME AND ADDRESSES OF REFEREES**

1. Dr. S.T. Owoeye,  
Department of Languages and General Studies,  
Covenant University,  
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Ile-Ife.

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