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**b.**  **ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND**

* 1. **EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS ATTENDED** **WITH DATES AND QUALIFICATIONS**
     1. University of Calabar 1995 -1998: PhD Linguistics
     2. University of Calabar 1984 -1986: M.A. Linguistics
     3. University of Calabar 1979 -1983: B.A. Linguistics
     4. University College, London -1998: Certificate in English Phonetics
     5. University of Osnabruck, Germany 2011-2012 Certificate in DIES/DAAD International Deans’ Course on Higher Education Management
     6. University of Texas at Arlington, USA - 2014: Certificate in Language Documentation
     7. Wright State University, Dayton, Ohio, USA - 2015: Certificate, Global Academy in Teaching Excellence

**c. WORK EXPERIENCE WITH DATES**

* + 1. Cross River State Teaching Service Commission (Mistress Grade 2 in English, 1983-1984 , NYSC)
    2. University of Cross River State (Assistant Lecturer, 1986)
    3. University of Calabar (Assistant Lecturer, 1987-1989)
    4. University of Uyo (Assistant Lecturer, 1989 - 1992,

Lecturer II, 1992 - 1994,

Lecturer I, 1994 - 1998,

Senior Lecturer, 1998 - 2003

Associate Professor 2003 - 2007

Professor of Linguistics 2007- date)

* + 1. School of Oriental and African Studies, London, (Research Visitor, 1996)
    2. University College, London (Research Scholar, 1999)
    3. University of California, Berkeley (Post Doctoral Visiting Scholar on Sabbatical, 2001-2002)
    4. University of Calabar, Calabar, Nigeria (Visiting Scholar on Sabbatical, 2008-2009)
    5. University of Alaska, Fairbanks, USA – Instructor at the Institute of Collaborative Language Research, 2016.
    6. University of Calabar, Calabar, Nigeria (Visiting Scholar on Sabbatical, 2016-2017).

**d.** **PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES**

1. External Examiner, African Regional Center for Information Science (ARCIS), University of Ibadan 2015.
2. External Examiner (Postgraduate & Undergraduate), Dept. of Linguistics and Communication Studies, University of Calabar, 2007 – to date).
3. External Examiner, Dept. of Linguistics and African Studies, University of Abuja, 2013 – date.
4. Internal Examiner (Postgraduate) within the Department and cognate Departments of the University of Uyo.
5. Editor, *USEM*, ***Journal of Languages, Linguistics and Literature,*** vols. 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, Supplement 1.
6. Assistant Editor, *USEM*, ***Journal of Languages, Linguistics and Literature,*** vol. 1.
7. Occasional Assessor to Journals, including:
   1. *Journal of West African Languages,* (JWAL), West African Linguistic Society.
   2. *Journal of Linguistic Association of Nigeria*, (JOLAN);
   3. *Kiabara, Journal of Humanities*, University of Port Harcourt, Rivers State, Nigeria;
   4. *Uyo Journal of Humanities*, *Uyo Journal of Humanities,* University of Uyo, Akwa Ibom State, Nigeria;
   5. *Journal of Applied Literacy and Reading*, University of Uyo;
   6. *Journal of Language and Communication,* University of Calabar.
8. Advisor, Electronic Meta-structure for Endangered Language Data (E-MELD) c/o Michigan State University, USA, since 2005.
9. Editor, *The 31st Woman Magazine*, Full Life Christian Centre, Uyo.
10. Chairman, Lower Cross Languages Project (LCLP).
11. Coordinator, Anaang Grammar Project.
12. Coordinator, The Nigerian Languages Project (NLP).
13. Country Partner Project Leader, Nigeria-UK Prime Minister Initiative Connect (PMI2) Collaborative Program Delivery Funding – 2010 ‘Collaborative review and development of the teaching of Language Documentation at School of Oriental and African Studies, London; University of Uyo and Adekunle Ajasin University, Akungba.

**e. COURSES TAUGHT IN THE UNIVERSITY**  (From 1987-to date)

**University of Uyo, Akwa Ibom State, Nigeria**

LIN 111/122 Introduction to Linguistics 1 & 2

LIN 112/123 Introduction to General Phonetics 1 & 2

LIN 211 Introduction to Phonology

LIN 214 Phonemic Analysis

LIN 312 Survey of Applied Linguistics

LIN 324 Field Methods & Research Methodology

LIN 325 Practical Phonetics

LIN 411 Topics in Phonology

LIN 412 Psycholinguistics

LIN 414 Historical/Comparative Linguistics.

LIN 422 The Problems of a Multilingual Nation

LIN 423 Seminar Coordinator

LIN 424 Project Coordinator

LIN 611 Advanced Phonetic

LIN 612 Advanced Phonology

LIN 622 Phonological Processes

LID 610 Research Methods in Linguistics

LID 611 Phonetics and Phonology

LID 620 Language Documentation

LID 621 Corpus Linguistics and Lexicography

LIN 628 Advanced Morphology

**University of Calabar, Cross River State, Nigeria**

ELG 400 English for Specific Purposes

ELG 411 English Phonology

ELS 6032 English Language in Nigeria

ELS 6052 Applied English Linguistics

**University of Alaska, Fairbanks, USA**

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**f. DISTINCTIONS/AWARDS/GRANTS WITH DATES**

1. University of Uyo Staff Development Award (1995 –1998);
2. UNIUYO URC Grant (1996);
3. UC Berkeley COR Grant for Field Methods Course in Leggbó, with Professor Larry Hyman (2001/2002)
4. HDF Grant for Human Development and a Geo-political Survey of the Languages of Nigeria (2003);
5. Akwa Ibom State Government’s Grant for the Survey of the Languages of the Niger Delta Region of Nigeria (2004);
6. STEP-B/World Bank Project on a Text-To-Speech Applications for African Tone Languages, 2010;
7. Prime Minister’s Initiative Connect and Collaborative Programme Delivery Funding, 2010 (Sponsored by British Council);
8. Award of Excellence as Benefactor of MPI 2011 for Service to National Peace.

**g. COMMITTEE/COMMUNITY SERVICE WITHIN THE UNIVERSITY**

* 1. Member, Governing Council of the University of Uyo, 2015 – 2017.
  2. Convener, Conference on the Languages of Nigeria, 24 – 27 April, 2017
  3. Deputy Director, School of Continuing Education, University of Uyo, 2015 – 2016.
  4. Chairperson, Souvenir Sub-committee, 22nd & 23rd Convocation of the University of Uyo, 2017.
  5. Vice Chairperson, University of Uyo Students’ Support Scheme, 2014 – to date.
  6. Chairperson, Transport & Logistics Sub-committee, 21st Convocation of the University of Uyo, 2015.
  7. Vice Dean, Faculty of Arts, University of Uyo, Uyo, 2010-2013
  8. Head of Department of Linguistics & Nigerian Languages
     1. 1993 – 1995
     2. 2000 – 2001
     3. 2004 – 2007
     4. 2010 – 2014
  9. Member, University of Uyo International Programmes Committee, 2012 – to date.
  10. Convener, 1st Conference on the Languages of Nigeria (CLN) 2017.
  11. Convener, 2006 1st UNIUYO Conference on African Languages.
  12. Convener, 2010 2nd UNIUYO Conference on African Languages.
  13. Chairperson LOC, 21st Conference of the Linguistic Association of Nigeria, CLAN, 2007.
  14. Member, Senate Business Committee, 2012 – 2014.
  15. Chairperson, Faculty of Arts Examination Committee, 2012 – 2014.
  16. Member, University of Uyo Strategic Planning Committee, 2010 – 2017.
  17. Member, Senate Committee on Adjunct Appointments in UNIUYO, 2010.
  18. Member, UNIUYO Senate Panel on the Investigation of theft in the ICT Laboratory, 2007/2008.
  19. Member, Senate Panel on the Investigation into Examination Misconduct in the Department of Sociology and Anthropology, 2005/2006.
  20. Seminar Coordinator, Dept. of Linguistics and Nigerian Languages, UNIUYO, 2002-2004.
  21. Secretary, Local Organizing Committee, National Association of Women Academics (NAWACS), 4th International Conference, 2004.
  22. Chairperson, Awards Subcommittee, 4th NAWACS Conference, 2004;
  23. Assistant Secretary, Association of American Studies in Nigeria, ASAN, Uyo Branch, 2003 – 2008.
  24. Chairperson, University Women Association (UWA), Bulletin Committee 2004 – 2017.
  25. Member, Faculty of Arts Students Association (FASA) Panel of Investigation, November, 2003.
  26. Member – UNIUYO Housing and Loans Committee 2000-2004;
  27. Member – University of Uyo Senate:
      1. 1993-1995;
      2. 2000-2001;
      3. 2004 to date.
  28. Representative of UNIUYO Congregation in the Schools Management Board 2001-2003.
  29. Member - Faculty of Arts Curriculum Committee UNIUYO 1993 – 1995;
  30. Member - Faculty of Arts Seminar Committee (1993 – 1995).
  31. Member Humanities Divisional Research Committee (1993 – 1995).
  32. Departmental Examinations Officer, Linguistics/Nigerian Languages, UNIUYO, 1990 – 1993.

1. **NATIONAL/STATE/COMMUNITY SERVICE OUTSIDE THE UNIVERSITY** 
   * + 1. Pioneer Member, Governing Council of the Ritman’s University, Ikot Ekpene, Akwa Ibom State, 2015 – date.
       2. Chairman, Ad Hoc National Universities’ Commission Accreditation Panel to evaluate undergraduate programmes in the Faculty of Arts, Obafemi Awolowo University, Ile Ife, November, 2017.
       3. Member, Ad Hoc National Universities’ Commission Accreditation Panel to evaluate undergraduate programmes in the Faculty of Arts, University of Lagos, June 2017.
       4. Member, Ad Hoc National Universities’ Commission Accreditation Panel to evaluate undergraduate programmes in the Faculty of Arts, University of Ibadan, November, 2016.
       5. Vice President, Linguistic Association of Nigeria, 2016 –date.
       6. National Secretary, Linguistic Association of Nigeria, LAN, 2004 – 2008.
       7. Patron, St. Vincent de Paul Youths’ Conference, St John’s Quasi Parish, Uyo, since 2001.
       8. President, Association of Akwa Ibom State Permanent Secretaries’ Wives, 1996-1998.
       9. President, Board of Trustees, Fruitful Widows’ Initiative, since 2008;
       10. Secretary - General, Ibom Jewels Nigeria, 2010 – date.
       11. Secretary, Intercessors for Nigeria, Akwa Ibom State, 2014 – date;
       12. Secretary - General, Parents’ Delight Forum, 2006 – 2014.

**i. RESEARCH COMPLETED/IN PROGRESS**

1. Review and development of the teaching of Language Documentation at SOAS, UNIUYO and AAUA, (sponsored by British Council), completed, 2010/2011.
2. Prime Minister’s Initiative Connect and Collaborative Programme Delivery Funding, 2010/2011 (Sponsored by British Council) Principal Nigerian Partner, completed.
3. Towards a Generic Text-To-Speech Application for African Tone Languages, 2010-2012, (sponsored by STEP-B/World Bank, 2010) Team Member.
4. The Nigerian Languages Project (NLP) <https://nlp.imeldaudoh.com.ng>
5. The Nigerian Geopolitical Language Survey (NGLS), Coordinator (in progress).
6. The Lower Cross Languages Project (in progress).
7. ‘The Effect of duration on the acquisition of second language Learning: The Case of Anaang and English (Completed).
8. ‘A Grammar of Leggbó Language’, (Book Project) in collaboration with Prof. Larry Hyman, University of California at Berkeley (in progress, since 2001).
9. Anaang Phonology (completed).
10. Leggbó Lexicon (in progress).
11. Ibibio for Beginners (Book Project) in collaboration with Dr. Eno-Abasi Urua (in progress, since 1999).
12. Leggbó Phonology (Book project – completed).
13. Leggbó Orthography (in progress).
14. Leggbó Vocabulary (Book Project – in progress).
15. Widowhood practices in Nigeria (in progress).

**j.** **MEMBERSHIP** **OF PROFESSIONAL BODIES**

* 1. Nigerian Academy of Letters (NAL)
  2. Linguistic Association of Nigeria (LAN)
  3. West African Linguistic Society (WALS)
  4. Reading Association of Nigeria (RAN)
  5. Association of Nigerian Authors (ANA)
  6. National Association of Women Academics (NAWACS)
  7. Association of Nigerian Languages Teachers (ANLAT)
  8. Association of Christian Schools International (ACSI)

**k. PUBLICATIONS**

**Thesis**

Udoh, I. I. (1998), The Effect of Duration on the Intonation of Anaang Learners of English, PhD Dissertation Department of Linguistics, University of Calabar.

**JOURNAL ARTICLES (sole author)**

1. Udoh, I. I. (2014), Weak contexts and place holders in Leggbó, *USEM Journal of Languages, Linguistics and Literature,* vol. 6.
2. Udoh, I. I. (2013). Language and Interdisciplinary Research. *Journal of Nigerian English and Literature.* Vol. 10:38-46.
3. Udoh, I. I. (2010), ‘Ethical Issues and Rights to Fieldwork Linguistic Data’ *Journal of Nigerian English and Literature (JONEL),* vol. 8, pp 37-51.
4. Udoh, I. I. (2007), Reduplication and Fortition in Leggbó, *Journal of African Languages and Linguistics (JALL),* 28.1, pp 57-70.
5. Udoh, I. I. (2005), Maintaining a Healthy Study Habit in the Secondary School, *Journal of Applied Literacy and Reading,* 2:91-98.
6. Udoh, I. I. (2001-2004), The Niger Delta Languages of Nigeria and the Challenges of the 21st Century, *Journal of the Linguistic Association of Nigeria (JOLAN),* vol 8. pp118-123
7. Udoh, I. I. (2004a), ‘Ghost Consonants and Lenition in Leggbó’, *Journal of West African Languages,* 31.1, pp 47-63.
8. Udoh, I. I. (2004), Leggbó Compounds, *Kiabara,* *Journal of Humanities,* vol. 10.1 pp 45-58.
9. Udoh, I. I. (2003b), Languages of Cross River State, *Uyo Journal of Humanities*, vol. 8, pp 87-109.
10. Udoh, I. I. (1999) The Minority Languages and Under-development: The Case of Ibibio, *Journal of Languages, Literature and Communication*, vol. 1.2, pp 1-17.
11. Udoh, I. I. (1996), Vowel Deletion in Anaang, *Journal of Humanities*, vol. 5, pp. 36-51.
12. Udoh, I. I. (1989b) L1, A Good Foundation for L2: The Case of Leggbó and English, in, *CASIL,*  vol. 9, pp. 39-51.
13. Udoh, I. I. (1993b) Teaching Initial Reading in the Mother-tongue: A Case of Ibibio, *Literacy and Reading* vol. 6, pp. 169-182.
14. Udoh, I. I. (1993a) The Significance of Leggbó Words, *Journal of Humanities,* vol. 3, pp. 54-61.
15. Udoh, I. I. (1989a), Teaching Reading Skills in the Junior Secondary Schools, *Literacy and Reading*, vol. 4. pp. 400-407.

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1. Udoh, I.; Narrog, H.; & Anyanwu, O. 2016. ‘Temporality and tense expression in Leggbó’. *California Linguistic Notes.* Vl 40(2):85-106 <http://english.fullerton.edu/publications/clncurrentissue.aspx>.
2. Udoh, I & Anyanwu, O. (2015), Protection and promotion of indigenous Nigerian languages as utility vessels of Indigenous Knowledge Systems (IKS), *Awka Journal of Linguistics and Languages* (AJILL), 9, pp 1-18.
3. Ekpenyong, M. E.; Urua, E. E.; Ekong, V. J.; Obot, O. U. and Udoh, I. (2011), ‘Unifying Speech Resources for Tone Languages: A Computational Perspective’, *International Journal of Computing & Information Sciences,* 3.2:19-31.
4. Hyman, L. M. and Udoh, I. (2007), ‘Length Harmony in Leggbó: A Counter Universal?’, *Linguistische Berichte Sonderheft, vol 14,*  pp 73-92.
5. Hyman, L. M. and Udoh, I. (2006), Relic Noun Class Structure in Leggbó, *Studies in African Linguistics, (SAL) Supplement 11,* pp 75-99.
6. Narrog, H. and Udoh, I. (2005), Elements of Space Grammar in Leggbó, *Journal of Asian and African Studies No. 69,* 3, pp 25-63.
7. Udoh, I. and Larson, J. (2005), An Acoustic Study of Fortis versus Lenis Labial-velar Stops in Leggbó, *USEM Journal of Languages, Linguistics and Literature*, 1:1-14.
8. Hyman, Larry and Imelda Udoh (2003), Tone Mapping in Leggbó. *Frankfurter Africanistsische Blatter 15,* pp 121-139.

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1. Udoh, I. (2017), A preliminary study of Leggbó Phonetics and Phonology, in *Revitalization of African Languages: A festschrift in honour of Ozo-Mekuri Ndimele*, ed. Oye Taiwo, Funmi Ogunkeye and Harrison Adéníyi, Linguistic Association of Nigeria, pp 456-462.
2. Udoh, I. I. L. (2016), Documentary Linguistics and Nigerian Languages: A Challenge to the Ne Humanities. *Humanism, Globalisation and the Relevance of Philosophy. A Festschrift in honour of Professor Udo Akpan Etuk.* Eds. Uduma, U. O. & Etim, Francis. Eket: Inbonet Resources. Pp 371-388.
3. Udoh, I. I. L. (2013), Ethics and Tools in Linguistic Fieldwork, in G. S. Omachonu & B. P. Ianna (eds.), *Challenging Issues in Research and Academic Publishing: Essays in Honour of Professor Thomas Kolawole Adeyanju at 75*, Enugu: Rossen Publications Ltd. Pp 36-52.
4. Udoh, I. I. L. (2011), Linguistic Rhythm and Elasticity, *English usage in Nigeria since 1842: Patterns and Changes, A Festschrift for Prof. David Eka*, Ikot Ekpene: Devconsort Services Limited
5. Udoh, I. I. (2010), The Anaang Language in Education, *Beyond Academic Prowess: A Festschrift in Honor of Chief Ernest Elijah Etim (1933-2000),* ed. Felicia Etim, Uyo: Abaam Publishing Co.
6. Udoh, I. I. (2007b), Globalization and the Preservation of Nigerian Languages, *Convergence: English & Nigerian Languages, A Festschrift for Munzali A. Jibril,* ed. Ozo-Mekuri Ndimele, Port Harcourt: M & J. Grand Orbit Communications Ltd. & Emhai Press, pp 193-202.
7. Udoh, I. I. (2007a), Linguistic Globalization and its effects on Language Documentation, *Education in Nigeria in the 21st Century: Focus and Imperatives*, eds. Etuk, N. Etuk, Inyang M. Udofot and Alice Udosen, Uyo: Abaam Publishing Co. pp 326-339.
8. Udoh, I. I. (2005), The Languages of Akwa Ibom State, *Trends in the Study of Languages and Linguistics in Nigeria: A Festschrift for Philip Akujuoobi Nwachuckwu,* Ozo-mekuri Ndimele, Port Harcourt: Grand Orbit Communications and Emhai Press.
9. Udoh, I. I. (2004), Towards Leggbó Orthography, *Language and Culture in Nigeria: A Festschrift for Okon Essien,* Ozo-mekuri Ndimele (ed.), Aba: NINLAN, pp 575-586.
10. Udoh, I. I. L. (2003e), Cross River, *The Languages of the South South Zone of Nigeria: A Geopolitical Profile,* Imelda Icheji Lawrence Udoh, (ed.), Lagos: Concept Publications, pp 51-69.
11. Udoh, I. I. (2003d), Varieties of Leggbó: A Preliminary Report, *The Linguistic Paradise: A Festschrift for E. N. Emenanjo,* Ozo-Mekuri Ndimele, (ed.), Aba: NINLAN, pp 129-135.
12. Udoh, I. I. (2003c), Ghost Consonants and Lenition in Leggbó, *Four Decades in the Study of Languages and Linguistics in Nigeria: A Festschrift for Kay Williamson,*  Ozo-Mekuri Ndimele, (ed.), Aba: NINLAN, pp 605 – 615.
13. Udoh, I. I. (1998), Academic Communication IV: Agreement and Consistency in sentences, *Integrated Use of English for Tertiary Institutions*, ed. J. U. Obot and Dele Orisawaye, Lagos: Stirling-Horden Publishers, pp. 215-20.
14. Udoh, I. I. (1995) Error Correction as a Tool in Language Teaching and Learning: The Case of English and Ibibio, *Innovative Approaches to Education and Human Development* (ed.) Timothy O. Oyetunde, Christiana T. Ogunmola, Martha Bannfa, Jos: LECAPS Publications, pp. 51-58.
15. Udoh, I. I. (1993b), Studying: Approaches and Techniques, *Fundamentals of* *Communication,* (ed.) David Eka, Calabar: Bon Universal Ltd. Pp. 291-305.

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1. Udoh, I. & Urua, E. (2015), Sustaining Nigerian Languages through Use, *Technology and Education in the 21st Century: a Festschrift in honour of Professor Mrs. Comfort Memfin Ekpo, Vice Chancellor, University of Uyo,* vol. 1. Eds. Urua, E. Udofot, I. M. & Uduk, H. pp 62-73.
2. Udoh, I. and Udoinyang, M. (2009), A Report on the Abidjan-Bielefeld-Uyo Introduction to Language Documentation (ABUILD) Project, *Language Documentation Beyond Boundaries: A Festschrift in Honor of Prof. Dr. Dafydd Gibbon,* ed. Eno-Abasi Urua, Moses Ekpenyong and Firmin Ahuoa, Uyo: University of Uyo, pp 1-18.
3. Udoh, I. I. and Okokon Akpan (2006), Nigerian Indigenous Languages and National Identity, *Highlights of the Nigerian Cultural Heritage,* ed. Peter A. Essoh and Abiodun J. Oluwabamide, Lagos: Lisjohnson Resources Publishers.
4. Hyman, Larry and Imelda Udoh (2005), Progressive Formation in Leggbó, *Globalization and the Study of Languages in Africa,* ed. Ozo-mekuri Ndimele, Port Harcourt: Grand Orbit Communications and Emhai Press.
5. Urua, E. E. and I. I. Udoh (1992), An Introduction to General Linguistics, *Basic Humanities*, (eds,) Dominus Essien and Luke Eyo, Uyo: Robertou Communications, pp 95-117.

**WORKSHOP REPORTS/ CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS (co-authored)**

1. Ekpenoyong, M.; Urua, E.; Victor J. Ekong, Obot, O.; and Udoh, I. (2010), Ibibio Synthesis Project: Building Computational Speech Resources for diverse Applications. *Proceedings of African Human Language Technologies Workshop,* Djibouti, East Africa (January 17-20, 2010) <http://www.africanhlt.com/programme.html>
2. Elugbe, B. and Udoh, I. (2006), Documenting Nigerian Languages: Challenges and Constraints, *Proceedings of the UNESCO/NCAC Workshop on Best Practices to Safeguard Nigerian Endangered Languages,* ed. Lizzy Ihezue and Onukwugha O. Osuji, Abuja: UNESCO Abuja.
3. Hyman, L.; Narrog, N.; Paster, M. and Udoh, I. (2002), Leggbó Verb Inflections: A Semantic and Phonological Particle Analysis, *Proceedings of the 28th Annual Meeting of the Berkeley Linguistic Society*, University of California, Berkeley, pp 399-410.

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1. Udoh, I. I. (2003a), Ibibio Phonetics and Phonology by Eno-Abasi Essien Urua, *Kiabara Journal of Humanities,* vol.9.1, pp 119-122.

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1. Udoh, I. I. L. (2004a), *Leggbó Lexicon,* Port Harcourt: Emhai Press.
2. Udoh, I. I. L. (2003f), *An Introduction to Phonemic Analysis,* Lagos: Concept Publications Ltd.
3. Udoh, I. I. L. (2011), *Leggbó Phonology: A Preliminary Description*, Saarbruchen: LAP.
4. Udoh, I. I. L. (2012), *Anaang Phonology: A Descriptive Sketch*, Saarbruchen: LAP.

**BOOKS (edited)**

1. Udoh, I. I. L. (2004b), *The Languages of the South East Zone of Nigeria: A Geopolitical Profile,* Lagos: Concept Publications Ltd.
2. Udoh, I. I. L. (2003g), *The Languages of the South South Zone of Nigeria: A Geopolitical Profile,* Lagos: Concept Publications Ltd.

**BOOKS (co-edited)**

1. Udoh, I. I. L. & Adeniyi, H. (2014), *The Languages of the South West Zone of Nigeria: A Geo-political Profile*, Uyo: Fruities Publications.
2. Urua, E. E.; Etim, E. E.; Udofot, I. M.; Udoh, I. I.; Ikpeme, E.; Udoudom, J. C.; & Uduk, H. (2014), eds. *Nigeria’s Centenary: 100 Years of Akwa Ibom Women’s Imprint in National Development,* Uyo: Centre for Gender Studies, University of Uyo.
3. Udoh, I. I. L. and Okon, B. A. (2008), *The languages of the Niger Delta Region*, Lagos: Concept Publications.
4. Ndimele, O. M.; Udoh, I. & Anyanwu, O. (2008), *Critical issues in the Study of Linguistics, Languages & Literatures in Nigeria: A Festschrift for Conrad Max Benedict Brann*, Port Harcourt: M & J Grand Orbit Communcation.

**EDITED JOURNALS**

1. USEM, Journal of Languages, Linguistics and Literature, Department of Linguistics and Nigerian Languages, University of Uyo.
   1. Volume 2 - 2009
   2. Supplement 1 - 2010
   3. Volume 3 - 2010
   4. Volume 4 - 2011
   5. Volume 5 - 2012
   6. Volume 6 - 2014
   7. Volume 7 - 2015

**CREATIVE WORKS & MINISTRY RESOURCES**

1. Udoh, I. I. L. (2008), *Fruiting in the Desert of Widowhood,* Uyo: Fruities’ Publications Ltd.
2. Udoh, I. I. L. (2009), *Fruitful Journal for a Grieving Heart, vol. 1: Fruiting in the Desert of Widowhood,* Uyo: Fruities’ Publications
3. Udoh, I. I. L. (2010), *The Ibom Pilgrim: Walking the Holy Land with Jesus*, Uyo: Fruities’ Publications.

1. **CONFERENCES/WORKSHOPS WITH** **PAPERS PRESENTED AND DATES**
   1. ‘Workshop on the languages of Nigeria’, at the 30th Conference of the Linguistic Association of Nigeria, held at the Ignatius Ajuru University of Education, Port Harcourt, ,7th December 2017.
   2. ‘Nigerian Languages as key to the Sustainable Development Goals’, Lead Paper presented at the Conference on Nigerian Languages and the SDGs, National Institute for Nigerian Languages, Aba, 5th – 9th June 2017.
   3. Collaborative Language Documentation, COLANG 2016, Institute for Collaborative Language Research, University of Alaska, June 19th - 2nd July 2016, (Instructor).
   4. ‘Standardization and Language Endangerment’, Lead paper presented at the 28th Conference of the Linguistic Association of Nigeria, Awka, 4th November, 2015.
   5. Workshop on Faculty Management, Wright State University, Dayton, Ohio, USA - 2015: Certificate, Global Academy in Teaching Excellence
   6. Collaborative Language Documentation, COLANG 2014, Institute for Collaborative Language Research, University of Texas at Arlington, June 16 – 30, 2014, (Participant).
   7. ‘Empowering Nigerian Languages’, Annual Lecture of the Nigerian Academy of Letters, presented at the University of Ibadan, 13th February, 2014.
   8. Keynote Address at the 2013 International Mother Language Day celebrations at Yenogoa, Bayelsa, 21st February, 2013.
   9. ‘Language and Interdisciplinary Research’, a lead paper presented at the 7th Uniuyo Conference and Language and Literature, at University of Uyo, 19th February, 2013.
   10. Institute for Collaborative Language Research (COLAN 2012), Kansas State University, Lawrence, Kansas, 18th June – 30 July, 2012 (Participant).
   11. Part III, 5th DIES International Deans’ Course for Africa, on ‘Strategic and Practical Issues in Higher Education Management’, Addis Ababa, 19th – 25th February, 2012.
   12. ‘Transparency, Accountability and Ethics in the context of research’, presented at the Humboldt-Kolleg/DAAD-DIES International Deans Course Intermediary Meeting on Transparency tools in Higher Education Management, held at Chida Hotel, Abuja, 10th-12th November, 2011.
   13. Joint ANIE/BC/NUC Conference on Internationalization of Higher Education in Africa, 25th -26th October, 2011, Abuja, Nigeria
   14. 5th DIES International Deans’ Course for Africa, June 20th – 30th, 2011; Osnabruck and Berlin, Germany
   15. “Language Documentation Tools” paper presented at the PMI2 Workshop in Uyo, 25th – 30th July, 2011.
   16. “Language Documentation and Vocabulary Development in Nigerian languages”, Paper presented at the 2nd UNIUYO Conference on African Languages (UCAL) 2010, Onyeama Ugochukwu Auditorium, Town Campus, UNIUYO, 19th-24th September 2010.
   17. “Ethics and Tools in Fieldwork”, Paper presented at the UNIUYO STEP-B Project on Text-To-Speech Applications for African Languages, 15th March, 2010
   18. “Ethical Issues and Rights to Fieldwork Linguistic Data”, lead paper presented at the UCOL 2009 Conference held in honour of Mr. Nyong Udoeyo, CBN Hall, Town Campus, 15th to 16th December, 2009.
   19. Leadership Conference on “Rescuing the next Generation: Now or Never” by the Association of Christian Schools International, Judiciary Hall, Wellington Bassey Way, Uyo, 26th – 28th April, 2009.
   20. “Language Documentation and Vocabulary Development in Nigerian Languages”, Lead paper presented at the Urhobo Language Development Workshop on Developing Urhobo Vocabulary to cope with Modern Realities, Delta State University, Abraka, Delta State, 24th – 26th November, 2008.
   21. “A discussion on ‘Agencies set up for Nigerian languages: the challenges of advocacy” by Prof. Ben Elugbe”, at the UNECSO/Federal Ministry of Tourism, Culture and National Orientation, National Workshop on Best Practices to Safeguard Endangered Nigerian Languages, the UN House, 25th September, 2007.
   22. Cultural Dialogue/Exhibition on the 200th Year Anniversary of the abolition of the slave trade, hosted by the UNESCO and University of Abuja, UN House, Abuja, 10th September, 2007.
   23. 2007 E-MELD/LSA Workshop on “Towards Interoperability on Language Resources”, Stanford University, Palo Alto, California, USA, 13th – 15th July, 2007.
   24. “Documenting Endangered Nigerian Languages: Challenges and Constraints”, in collaboration with Professor Ben Elugbe, Paper presented at the UNESCO/NCAC Workshop on ‘Best Practices to safeguard Endangered Nigerian Languages’, Zodiac Hotels, Enugu, 3rd August, 2006.
   25. Digital Tools Summit in Linguistics, Michigan State University, Lansing, USA, 22-23, 2006
   26. 2006 Electronic Metastructure for Endangered Language Documentation (E-MELD) Workshop on Digital Language Documentation : Tools and Standards, the State of the Art, Michigan State University, Lansing, USA, June 20-22, 2006
   27. “The Fortis-Progressive Interface in Leggbó”, Paper presented at the 37th Annual Conference on African Linguistics” University of Oregon, Eugene, USA, 6-9 April, 2006.
   28. “The Lenis-Perfective Interface in Leggbó”, Paper presented at the 1st UNIUYO Conference on African Languages, University of Uyo, Uyo, 13th – 16th February, 2006.
   29. “Documentary Linguistics and Nigerian Languages : A Challenge to the New Humanities”, Paper presented at the 11th Annual Conference of the Association of Nigerian Language Teachers, (ANLAT), University of Calabar, 6th – 9th December, 2005.
   30. “Documenting Nigerian Languages for Development and Archiving”, Paper presented at the 2005 NINLAN Lecture Series, Aba, 5th October, 2005.
   31. “Documentary Linguistics : The Nigerian Experience so far”, Paper presented at the 19th CLAN, University of Nigeria, Nsukka, 25th – 28th September, 2005.
   32. “Linguistic Globalization and its effects on Language Documentation in Nigeria”, Paper presented at the Pre-retirement Conference in Honor of Professor Mbong Udofot, University of Uyo, August, 17th – 19th, 2005.
   33. 2005 Electronic Metastructure for Endangered Language Data (EMELD) Workshop on Digital Language Documentation: General Ontology for Linguistics Description, Radcliffe Institute, Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts, USA, 1st – 3rd, July 2005.
   34. “The Niger Delta Languages of Nigeria and the Challenges of the 21st Century”, Paper Presented at the Department of Linguistics and Nigerian Languages Seminar Series, University of Uyo, 23rd June, 2005.
   35. “Globalization and the Preservation of the Languages of Nigeria”, 36th Annual Conference on African Linguistics, Georgia State Southern University, Savannah, 31st March – 3rd April, 2005.
   36. “Progressive Formation in Leggbó”, 18th Conference of Linguistics Association of Nigeria, (CLAN), in collaboration with Professor Larry Hyman, University of Port Harcourt, 25th-28th October, 2004.
   37. 4th NAWACS Biennial International Conference, University of Uyo, 5th-9th September, 2004.
   38. “Globalization and the Preservation of Nigerian Indigenous Languages”, presented at the 3rd UCOLL, University of Uyo, 16th -18th August, 2004.
   39. “A Preliminary Report of the Languages of the South East Geopolitical Zone of Nigeria”, presented at the 24th West African Languages Congress, 1-6th August, 2004, University of Ibadan.
   40. “Maintaining a Healthy Study Habit”, presented at a Workshop for secondary school students in Akwa Ibom State on ‘Recovering and Maintaining Healthy Study Habits’, organized by Save The Children Campaign (STCC), 28th May, 2004, Ministry of Women Affairs, Uyo.
   41. “Towards Leggbó Orthography”, presented at the *Emenanjo Symposium* held at NINLAN, Aba, 26-27th August 2003.
   42. “Reduplication and Fortition in Leggbó Ideophones”, presented at the 33rd Annual Conference on African Linguistics held at Ohio State University, Athens, USA, March 22-24, 2002.

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* 1. “Verb Inflections : A Semantic and Phonological Particle Analysis”, presented at the 28th Annual Meeting of the Berkeley Linguistic Society,University of California, Berkeley, March 2002, (with Larry Hyman, Heiko Narrog and Mary Paster).
  2. “Leggbó Varieties” presented at the 32nd Annual Conference on African Linguistics (ACAL) held at the University of California at Berkeley, March 22-28, 2001
  3. “The Effect of Local Government and State Creation and Languages of Cross River State”, presented at the West African Linguistic Congress (WALC), University of Ghana, Legon, Ghana. 15-19 August, 2000.
  4. “Linguistic Rhythm and Elasticity” presented at the 7th Manchester Phonology Meeting, University of Manchester, UK, 13-15th May, 1999.
  5. “Anaang Syllable Structure” presented at the 16th Annual Conference of the Linguistics Association in NINLAN, Aba, 7th – 11th December 1998.
  6. “Deletion in Anaang” presented at the Fourth National Workshop on Nigerian Languages in Owerri, 30th June – 4th July 1997.
  7. Fourth Phonology Workshop on Constraints and Representations in Phonology, University of Manchester, U.K. 19th – 21st May 1996.
  8. Rhythm in Music and Language, an inter departmental Seminar series organized by the Center for Music studies, the Language Center and the Department of Linguistics and Phonetics, School of Oriental and African Studies (SOAS) University of London, April to May 1996.
  9. “Initial Reading Program for the Ibibio Adult Learner: Some Practical Considerations”, presented at the 6th Biennial Reading Association of Nigerian (RAN) Conference, University of Ilorin, 22 – 25 November, 1994.
  10. “Teaching Initial Reading in the Mother-tongue : The Case of Ibibio”, presented at Reading Association of Nigeria (RAN) Biennial Conference, University of Calabar, July, 1991.
  11. “Intra-lingual and Developmental Errors among Ibibio Speaking JSS Students”, presented at the Linguistic Association of Nigeria (LAN) conference, Okigwe, 29 July – 1 August, 1991.
  12. “The Place of Pronunciation in the Nursery School English Syllabus”, presented at the Reading Association of Nigeria (RAN) Conference, FUTO Owerri, September 13-15, 1989.
  13. “Teaching Reading Skills in the Junior Secondary Schools”, presented at the Reading Association of Nigeria (RAN) Conference, University of Jos, 1987.

1. **HOBBIES**
   1. Sewing,
   2. Design (Fashion & Interior Décor)
   3. Singing
   4. Cooking
   5. Creative Writing

##### n. SUMMARY

* + - 1. **Major Contributions and Scholarship** 
         1. Pioneering work on the description and documentation of Leggbó (Upper Cross) and Anaang (Lower Cross) languages of Cross River and Akwa Ibom States of Nigeria.
         2. A geo-political survey of languages spoken in the six Geopolitical Zones of Nigeria
      2. **Areas of Principal Publication** 
         1. Descriptive, Documentary and Applied Linguistics, specifically in:

Second Language Teaching and Learning

Phonetics/Phonology

Language Survey, Classification and maintenance

**3. Major Projects Participated in:**

a. Abidjan-Bielefeld-Uyo Introduction to Language Documentation (ABUILD) Project

b. Electronic Metastructure for Language Description (E-MELD) Project

c. Nigerian Languages Project (NLP)

d. Lower Cross Languages Project (LCLP)

e. UNIUYO STEP-B/World Bank Text-To-Speech Applications for African Tone

Languages

d. The Collaborative review and Development of the teaching of Language

Documentation and Description at School of Oriental and African Studies, London;

University of Uyo; and the Adekunle Ajasin University, Akungba, Ondo State.

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    2. Professor Eno-Abasi Urua, Director, Center for Gender Studies, University of Uyo, Uyo, Akwa Ibom State, Nigeria;
    3. Professor Larry Hyman, Department of Linguistics, University of California at Berkeley, CA 94720-2650.