

CURRICULUM VITAE OF BABOUCARR O. JOOF

Personal Profile

BaboucarrOusmailaJoof was born in the Gambia in 1963 in a village called Njongon in the lower Nuimi District of the North Bank Region.

He attended Primary school in St. Michael's School in Njongon and secondary school in St. Therese's and Berending Upper schools from 1970 to 1981. He attended Teacher Training College from 1987 to 89 after teaching as untrained teacher from 1981 after Secondary school.

From 1988 to 1996, Mr Joof taught in Primary schools in the Gambia while serving the Gambia Teachers Union as grassroots volunteer representing teachers. By 1996 however, the leadership of the Trade union had enough evidence to trust Mr Joof to lead efforts aimed at forming a thrift and Credit society for its members. A job he holds to date as Chief Executive Officer.

In 2002, Mr.Joof was admitted to the University of Hull Business school where he attained a Bachelor's Degree (Upper Second Class Honours). In 2009, he was awarded a Commonwealth Scholarship to study a Master of Management Degree and Post Graduate Diploma from the University of Auckland in New Zealand graduating in 2010 with Upper Second-class Honours and Merit respectively.

Mr Joof is a graduate of the first Africa development Educators program in 2014 and International Credit Union Development Educator 2016 following his Training in the United States Development program in January 2015.

Mr. Joofis a Resource Person and Trainer for the Gambia teachers' union, Technical Advisor to the National Association of Cooperative Credit Unions of the Gambia and ACCOSCA.

He is an inspirational speaker who addressed several fora at home and abroad. He has performed outstandingly well as Master of Ceremony on several big occasions and a great Radio commentator.

Mr Joof speaks English and three local languages(Serere, wollof and Mandinka fluently, and has a working knowledge of Fula.

1. PERSONAL INFORMATION:

Surname: Joof **Name:**Baboucarr **Middle Name:** Ousmaila

Date of Birth: 10th October 1963

Place of Birth: Njongon Village, Lower Nuimi District, NBR

Father's Name: OusmailaJoof

Mother's Name: IsatouCorr

Gender: Male

Marital Status: Married

Residential Address: Busumbala, Kombo North
West CoastRegion

Current Employer: Gambia Teachers' Union Cooperative Credit Union

Status: General Manager

Official Address: Kanifing Institutional Layout
Off the Coastal Road
Kanifing

Postal Address: P.O.Box 1982, Banjul

2. WORK EXPERIENCE:

<u>Date:</u>	<u>Institution:</u>	<u>Position Held:</u>
September 2004 - Date	GTUCCU	General Manager
January 2003 – July 2004	B&Q, UK	Customer Adviser
March 1997 – February 2002	GTUCCU	Manager
September 1989 – March 1997	Ministry of Education	Assistant Teacher
September 1981 –January 1986	Ministry of Education	Unqualified Teacher

3. PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE AND QUALIFICATIONS:

<u>Date:</u>	<u>Institution:</u>	<u>Qualification:</u>
December 2010	University of Auckland (NZ)	Master of Commerce (Hons) Management
December 2009	University of Auckland(NZ)	Post Graduate Diploma (Merit) in Management
July 2004	University of Hull(UK) (Greenwich Campus)	Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Management
December 2004	Institute of Commercial Management (ICM)	Diploma in Management Studies
December 1999	Institute of Commercial Management (ICM)	Certificate in Commercial Studies
July 1989	Gambia College School of Education	Primary Teachers' Certificate

4. SPECIAL RESPONSIBILITY /ACHIEVEMENTS:

<u>Date:</u>	<u>Institution:</u>	<u>Assignment:</u>	<u>Achievement:</u>
1990 -1993	Farafenni Primary School	Ag Senior Master Grade 6	More than 200 high Schools produced
1993-1995	Kabafita Primary School	Ag Senior Master Grade 6	More than 300 high Schools produce
1996-1997	Gambia Teachers' Union	Secretary to AdhocCom. of GTUCCU	
1999-2000	Department of Cooperatives	Secretary of Task Force	Draft Cooperative Policy framework
2010-2011	University of Auckland Business School	Thesis on Collaborative Leadership	Upper Second Class Honours Division one
Feb. 2012	ILO/ITUC	Validation of Resource materials	Certified ILO Trainer

5. CONSULTING PROVIDED:

<u>Date:</u>	<u>Institution:</u>	<u>Service Provided:</u>
2004-Date	GTU Secretariat	Training of Executive members on Teams, Communication, Trade Union Leadership and Management
2004-Date	NACCUG	Training of volunteers on Credit Union Management and Leadership Institutional governance, strategic planning and strategy formulation
2006	DLF/Lara	Training of Trade Union Leaders from Sierra Leone and Gambia on Running Trade Union Finances, Teamwork
2008	NTAL	Training of Trade Union Leaders on Operations and management of Microfinance Institutions
2010	National Training Authority	Training of Proprietors and Administrators of TVET Institutions on Institutional Governance, Leadership, Entrepreneurship, Teams, Operations Management.
2012	National Training Authority	Training of TVET Instructors on Entrepreneurship and Business planning
2013/Oct	National Teachers Union of Liberia	Trainer of Leaders on Credit Union
2013/Sept	International Labour Organisation	Tracer Survey on Previous Training On Inclusive Finance
2014/February	ACCOSCA,	Nairobi African Development Educator
2014/Sept to date	University of the Gambia	Adjunct Lecturer- Performance Management (Undergraduate)
2015 January	Credit Union National (US)	International Credit Union DE
2016 January	Management Development	Lecturer @ Advance Diploma in Institute Management Studies
2016 February	ACCOSCA	Key Resource person in Performance Management Training (Rwanda)

2016 February	ACCOSCA	CO-facilitator in ADE Program Facilitator at pre-SACCA conference
2015/16	ACCOSCA	Facilitator of ADE, Performance Management Workshops(Rwanda, South Africa, Botswana)
Feb. 2017	NACCUG	Facilitated ADE, Strategic planning
Feb. 2018	ACCOSCA	Facilitated ADE, New Product Dev.
Feb. 2019	ACCOSCA	Facilitated ADE,
JUNE 2019	ACCOSCA (Kampala)	Facilitated Succession Planning
Sept. 2019	Madison (Wisconsin)	Mentored During CUDE
Feb. 2020	ACCOSCA	Facilitated ADE in Blantyre, Malawi
Feb. 2021	ACCOSCA	Lead Facilitator in ADE, Ghana
Sept. 2021	ACCOSCA	CO-Facilitator ADE in Gambia
Oct. 2021	ACCOSCA	Facilitator of Performance Management

6. HOBBIES:

- Current Affairs
- Development Education
- Financial Cooperatives
- Training/facilitation
- Research

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Abbreviations:

- ACCOSCA - African Confederation of Cooperative Savings and Credit Associations
ADE - Africa Development Educator
ICUDE - International Credit Union Development educator
CUDE - Credit union development Educator
SACCA - Savings and Credit Cooperative Association