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**Isaac Owusu Oduro (Ghana)****Employer**

Environmental Protection Agency  
Accra, Ghana

**Personal information**

Date of birth: 13 March 1953  
Languages: English, Russian and French

**Educational background****November 2006****GIMPA, GREENHILL, Accra, Ghana**

Obtained Certificate in Strategic Management.

**December 2005****Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Accra, Ghana**

Obtained certificate of successful completion of Training course for delineation of the outer limits of the continental shelf beyond 200 nautical miles and for preparation of submission of a coastal state to the CLCS organised by DOALOS of the UN.

**May 2004****Southampton Oceanography Centre, Southampton, United Kingdom**

Obtained certificate of successful completion of study programme on “Article 76 of the UN Convention on the Law of the Sea (UNCLOS)”.

**October 2003****CENTEK, Luleå, Sweden**

Obtained certificate of participation in course/workshop “Mining and the Environment”.

**October 1992****German Geological Survey, Dodoma, Tanzania****German Geological Survey, Hannover, Germany**

Obtained certificate of participation in workshop “Methods of Regional Geological Mapping in Africa”.

**June 1981**

**Lumumba University, Moscow, Russia**

Obtained MSc. Degree (Diplomme) in Applied Geology

Obtained certificate as interpreter (Russian-English)

**June 1974**

**Ghana Secondary School, Koforidua, Ghana**

Obtained the Advanced Level Certificate (GCE 'A' Level) in Mathematics, Economics, Geography and General Paper.

**June 1972**

**Ghana Secondary School, Koforidua, Ghana**

Obtained the West African School Certificate (GCE 'O' Level) with credit passes in English Literature, English Language, Mathematics, Additional Mathematics, General Science, Additional General Science and Geography.

**June 1967**

**Catholic Primary School, Oyoko-Koforidua, Ghana**

**Local Authority Middle School, Oyoko-Koforidua, Ghana**

Obtained the Middle School Leaving Certificate (MSLC).

**Work experience**

**June 2000 till date**

**Environmental Protection Agency, Accra, Ghana**

Chief Programme Officer (Director), Programme Planning, Monitoring and Evaluation (PPME) of the Environmental Protection Agency of Ghana

Responsible for planning and monitoring of Programmes of the Environmental Protection Agency.

**Sept. 1997-May 2000**

**Teberebie Goldfields Company Ltd**

Senior Exploration Geologist

Responsible for the evaluation of resource potential of gold concession (Geological mapping, Soil sampling, Trenching, Interpretation of data, Report preparation etc), Administration of camp of fifty skilled and unskilled labour.

**July 1996-June 1997**

**Ashanti Exploration Company Ltd**

Exploration Geologist

Responsible for the evaluation of resource potential of gold concession (Geological mapping, Soil sampling, Trenching, Interpretation of data, Report preparation etc).

**Sept. 1981-June 1996****Ghana Geological Survey**

Regional Geologist

Rose from Assistant Geologist to Regional Geologist in charge of Northern, Upper East and Upper West Regions of Ghana.

Was responsible for Regional Geological Mapping of the three Northern Regions, offered valuable geological information to the public and the government through reports and bulletins.

**Sept. 1974-June 1975****Ghana Secondary School, Koforidua**

Mathematics Tutor

Taught Mathematics to form two students of Ghana Secondary School.

**Language proficiency**

Read, write and speak fluent English Language.

Speak read and write fairly well Russian Language.

Have working knowledge in French.

**Accomplishments**

Member of the CLCS from June, 2007 to June, 2012

The period 24th-26th March 2009, participated in and presented a paper on “The purpose and functions of the CLCS” at a seminar on the work of the International Seabed Authority (ISA) in Abuja, Nigeria on the theme: “Exploration and Exploitation of deep seabed mineral resources in the Area; challenges for Africa and opportunities for collaborative research in the South Atlantic Ocean”.

The period 9th-10th November 2009, participated in and chaired two technical sessions of the “Pan-African Conference on Maritime Boundaries and the Continental Shelf for the implementation of the African Union Border Programme (AUBP) in Accra, Ghana”.

The period 27th-28th May 2010, participated in and presented a paper on “Establishment of Rights over Continental Shelf — Theory and Practice of the Continental Shelf Regime” in an International Symposium on Scientific and Legal Aspects of the Regimes of the Continental Shelf and the Area held in Beijing, capital of the Peoples’ Republic of China”.

In September 1995 to June 1996, taught General Geology to first year Agriculture students of the University for Development Studies at Tamale, the Northern Regional capital of Ghana.

Hold a certificate as a Local Preacher of the Methodist church of Ghana.

**Computer skills**

Have skills in Word, Excel, Power Point and use of the Internet.

**Membership of organizations**

Member, Ghana Institution of Geoscientists (GhIG).

**List of publications**

Industrial Mineral Resources of Ghana and their contribution to the Economic Recovery Programme (at the Annual Conference of Ghana Institution of Geoscientists, 1982).

Management of Land use conflicts in Mining areas of Ghana (an Article in the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) of Ghana Newsletter in 2003).

An overview of the offshore drilling operations in the Western Tano contract area by Dana Petroleum (GH) Ltd. and Ghana National Petroleum Corporation (an Article in the EPA Newsletter in 2003).