

## **SHEHU USMAN GIDADO (FCILT)**

### **1. PERSONAL DATA**

**NAME:** SHEHU USMAN GIDADO.

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### **2. CURRENT POSITION: ASSISTANT DIRECTOR, TRANSPORT SCHOOL.**

**RESPONSIBILITY:** I have a responsibility to assist the Director of Transport School of the Nigerian Institute of Transport Technology (NITT) in administration, coordination and managing the Long-term Academic programs of the Institute in affiliation to the Ahmadu Bello University Zaria and the Chartered Institute of Logistics and Transport (CILT). The programs include:

- i. Master's degree in Transport and Logistics (MTL)
- ii. Post graduate Diploma in Transport and Logistics (PGDTL),
- iii. Advanced Diploma in Transport and Logistics (ADTL),
- iv. Diploma in Transport and Logistics (DTL) and
- v. Certificate in Transport and Logistics (CTL)

**REPORTING LINE:** I report to the **Director Transport School**. I also manage a team of staff and resource persons of the Institute comprising of 33 (Thirty-three) senior lecturers, five Professors, fifty-three (53) support staff members on the Nominal roll of the Institute who report directly to me.

**OBJECTIVE OF CURRENT POSITION:** The key objective of my current position is to coordinate all activities of admission, enrolment, curriculum development, appointment of resource persons, participate in delivery of course modules and assessment of participants competence to pass the qualifying examinations.

### 3 **CAREER HISTORY.**

**Year:** Jan. 2017 – March, 2020.

**Organization:** National Inland Waterways Authority (NIWA).

**Post:** Special Assistant to the Managing Director/Chief Executive Officer.

**RESPONSIBILITY:** I had the responsibility to assist the Managing Director/CEO to manage a budget of over ₦10,000,000,000.00 (Ten billion naira) annually.

**REPORTING LINE:** I report to the **Managing Director/Chief Executive Officer** of the National Inland Waterways Authority (NIWA). I also manage a team of Management staff of the Authority comprising of 13 (Thirteen) General Managers, with about five hundred and fifty-three (553) staff members on the Nominal roll of the Authority, of whom the staff of the office of the Managing Director / CEO report directly to me.

**OBJECTIVE OF POSITION:** The key objective of this position was to coordinate all activities in the office of the Managing Director/CEO. Which entails organizing staff and client meetings with the CEO, drafting speeches, presentations and public memos. I also analyze and make inputs on correspondence letters, internal memos and working files from all departments and Area offices and units of the Authority. I discharged responsibilities in representation of the MD/CEO as directed, in meetings, functions and interagency deliberations. I am also responsible for administration of the duties and staff of the office of the MD/CEO. I did so many other official functions in assistance, on behalf of and in representation, as directed by the Managing Director / Chief Executive Officer.

**Year:** Jan. 2016 – January, 2017.

**Organization:** Nigerian Institute of Transport Technology (NITT).

**Post:** Assistant Director, Consultancy Services Department.

**Responsibilities:**

- Assist the Director in Departmental administration.
- Chair the Departmental regular meetings and represent the Director in management meetings.
- Coordinate workshops – either jointly organized or otherwise.
- Ensure effective implementation of departmental programs through timely and useful pieces of advice to the Director.
- Advise the Director on the state of affairs of project execution and marketing services of the Department from time to time.
- Draw up draft departmental yearly programs and activities for Director / Management approval.
- Prove read proposals and expressions of interest prepared for organizations.
- Prepare strategies for projects monitoring and evaluation.

- Could be called upon to represent the Director, Consultancy services or the Director General / Chief Executive in official matters.
- Collate and compile departmental reports including annual income and expenditure.
- Chairs committees on initiation of new business for the institute.
- And any other assignment as may be given by the Director.

**Year:** Aug 2014 – Jan. 2016.

**Organization:** Nigerian Institute of Transport Technology (NITT).

**Post:** Assistant Director Transport Research and Intelligence Department.

**Responsibilities:**

- Assisting the Director of Transport Research and Intelligence in administrative functions of the Department.
- Coordinating regular departmental meetings.
- Managing Research projects and the Transport data bank of the institute.
- Coordinating the National Transport Survey and Projections (NTSP) program of the Institute.
- Initiating and coordinating the development of Research proposals for targeted clients.
- Coordinating the delivery of environmental impact assessment (EIA) studies for Transportation projects by the Institute.
- Representing the Director Transport Research and Intelligence Department or the DG/CE in assignments within and outside the institute.
- Performing any other duty assigned by the Director and participate accordingly in team work with other departments of the NITT.

**Year:** Aug 2011- Aug. 2014

**Organization:** Nigerian Institute of Transport Technology (NITT).

**Post:** Coordinator, Masters in Transport & Logistics.

**Responsibilities:**

- Development and update of the curriculum and Deliverables for a Postgraduate program of Masters in Transport and Logistics.
- Nomination of resource persons and designation of venues for lectures and provision of necessary facilities and materials for learning.
- Registration of participants for the Masters program and coordination/monitoring of participants progress and performance in the program.
- Participation as a resource person in the delivery of courses on Maritime Transport, Logistics and Multimodal Transport operations at postgraduate level.
- Active participation in the development and delivery of short-term training programs with specialization in Maritime Transport on scheduled and customized platforms, run by the training department of the Nigerian Institute of Transport Technology.
- Hold the position of a key member of the committee for the facilitation and implementation of the ABU-NITT MoU for mounting a Masters in Transport and Logistics Degree program at the NITT.

- Attend Training of Trainers programs worldwide that could provide the skills-up-date to develop and effectively deliver high level and most modern professional training and research programs in Transport and logistics.

**Year:** Mar.2005–Aug.2011.

**Organization:** Nigerian Institute of Transport Technology.

**Post held:** Coordinator, program Implementation and Delivery (TRAINING DEPT.)

**Responsibilities:**

- Conducting Training needs assessment of prospective clients and the industry in general.
- Developing suitable Training programs and courses for delivery to clients.
- Canvassing for participation in training programs organized by the Institute.
- Recommendations for the appointment of resource persons.
- Development of training programs delivery schedules.
- Participation in delivery of Lectures and presentations for trainees and clients.
- Development and delivery of customized training and skills development for clients in the Maritime Industry.
- Assessment, evaluation and reporting on the conduct of Training programs of the NITT.

**Year:** Jan.2004-Mar. 2005

**Organization:** Nigerian Institute of Transport Technology.

**Post held:** Liaison officer Port-Harcourt Annex

**Responsibilities:**

- Chief administrative officer of the Liaison office.
- Manage staff, facilities and programs of the Institute at the South-south zone.
- Represent the Director General and the Institute in all programs of the Institute at the Port-Harcourt axis.
- Marketing of the programs and activities of the Institute at the catchment areas of the Liaison office.
- Organize both Short-term and Long-term Training programs of the Institute.
- Maintain a constant Liaison between the NITT and the state government and all other Government Departments, Agencies, Parastatals and stakeholders in the Transport sector.

**Year:** May2002-Jan. 2004

**Organization:** Nigerian Institute of Transport Technology.

**Post held:** Examinations officer.

**Responsibilities:**

- Manages all examination matters of the Institute in conjunction with the Examination Board.
- Administer participants' attendance and determine their eligibility for sitting examinations.
- Collate examination questions from resource persons.
- Develop examination time-table and invigilation profile.
- Administer the conduct of all Examinations leading to the award of Diplomas and degrees.
- Administer the process of external examination and affiliation matters.
- Present summary of Examination results for onward vetting, approvals and Certification.
- Process the issuance of transcripts and examination results to participants.

**Year:** Jun.2000-May 2002

**Organization:** Nigerian Institute of Transport Technology.

**Post held:** P.S.D.O Maritime Transport.

**Responsibilities:**

- Principal Staff Development Officer for issues on Maritime Transport.
- Serve as the key internal resource person for issues on Maritime Transport.
- Develop Lecture notes and Training papers on Maritime Transport.
- Participate in the delivery of Maritime related courses and training programs.
- Supervised all Diploma and Post-Graduate Diploma projects on Maritime Transport.
- Served as the Team Leader for specialists in Maritime Transport at the NITT.

**Year:** Jan.1998-May 2000

**Organization:** Associated Maritime Consultants Limited

**Post held:** Senior Consultant

**Responsibilities:**

- Served as a member of the consulting team of the organization.
- Maintain office equipment and conduct in-house training for staff.
- Oversee the day-to-day administrative functions of the organization.
- Participated in all consultancy services for clients.
- Participated in the conduct of feasibility studies, environmental impact analysis and surveys for various clients of the organization.
- Keeping organizational relationship with key clients such as the Nigerian Ports Authority (NPA), National Maritime Authority (NMA), Indigenous Shipping companies and Stevedoring service providers.

**Year:** Mar1993–Mar.1996

**Organization:** Overseas Agency (Nig.) Ltd. Warri / Port-Harcourt.

**Post held:** Operations Manager.

**Responsibilities:**

- Managing the operations of the company in Warri and Port-Harcourt.
- Coordinating all inward clearance of ships under the Agency of the company.
- Providing necessary Men, Materials and Equipment for the purpose of Ship operation in all Nigerian Ports.
- Ensuring the timely execution of loading and off-loading operations of Ships under the company's Agency.
- Coordinating the stacking, storage and onward transportation of bulk cargo received by the company.
- Coordinating the Agency services rendered to crude oil tankers that lift products from Nigerian terminals.

**Year:**Jan.1991- Mar.1993

**Organization:**Bulkship (Nig.) Ltd. Apapa, Lagos.

**Post held:** Cargo Operations supervisor.

**Responsibilities:**

- Supervision of quay side operations in Apapa port, Lagos.
- Appointing and supervising casual labour and tally clerks.
- Reporting on the cargo handling situations and documenting major work stoppages.
- Collating summaries of operations from tally clerks and reporting to the operations manager.

## **1. UNIVERSITY EDUCATION AND TRAINING**

<i>S/No.</i>	<i>UNIVERSITIES ATTENDED.</i>	<i>DATE OF GRADUATION.</i>	<i>CERTIFICATES / MERIT OBTAINED.</i>
1.	<b>Federal University of Technology, Owerri (FUTO).</b>	Oct. 2008	<b>Ph.D. Transport Management Technology.</b>
2.	<b>Federal University of Technology, Owerri (FUTO).</b>	Dec. 1998	<b>M.Sc. Maritime Management Technology.</b>
3.	<b>University of Maiduguri.</b>	May 1993	<b>B.Sc. (Hons) Economics.</b>

## **8. SOME TRAINING CERTIFICATES/MERITS OBTAINED.**

1. ILO Certified Trainer's License for 'Port worker Development and Training', June, 2013.
2. ILO certified Trainer's License on Maritime Labour Convention (MLC) and Port state/Flag state Inspection. July 2012.
3. Certified Maritime Labour Inspector July, 2012.
4. Certified Port State Control Administrator, August 2011.
5. Certificate on World Bank Port Reforms Training Program for Nigeria. June 2001.
6. Election to Chartered Fellow, Chartered Institute of Logistics and Transport (FCILT), CILT UK April, 2014.
7. International Maritime Organization(IMO) Country course on Maritime Security and the ISPS Code for Nigeria, July 2003.
8. Strategies for effective Destination Inspection and Inland Dry Ports system seminar/Workshop (CILT MPDP) Sept. 2004.
9. Certificate of Professional Competency Development in Transport and Logistics (CILT MPDP) Sept. 2005.
10. Certificate of Training for Trainers and Maritime Inspectors in the application of the ILO Maritime Labour Convention 2006. Organized at ITC-ILO, Turin Italy, April, 2013.
11. Certificate of Return as elected council member representing the Sea/Maritime mode, CILT Nigeria, 2014.

## **7. SOME NOTABLE PUBLICATIONS/PROJECTS/JOURNAL PAPERS.**

1. **PORT PRICING AND TARIFF RATES ADMINISTRATION IN NIGERIA:  
A PRE-CONCESSION ACCOUNT:** in "Contemporary issues in Transport development in Nigeria" by Aminu M. Yusuf et al, Nigerian Institute of Transport Technology, 2013.
2. **CONSEQUENCES OF PORT CONGESTION ON LOGISTICS AND SUPPLY CHAIN IN AFRICAN PORTS.**  
Journal of Developing Country Studies [www.iiste.org](http://www.iiste.org) ISSN 2224-607X (Paper) ISSN 2225-0565 (Online) Vol.5, No.6, 2015.

3. **SOCIO-ECONOMIC AND POLITICAL IMPLICATIONS OF THE ON-GOING PORT REFORM PROCESS IN NIGERIA.** In International Journal of innovative research and development. *ISSN 2278 – 0211 (Online)*
4. **PORT PRICING AND TARIFF RATES IN NIGERIA:  
THE IMPERATIVES OF DEREGULATION.**
  - Research work submitted in partial fulfillment of the requirement for the award of the degree of Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D) in Transportation Management Technology. Federal University of Technology, Owerri, May 2008.
5. **PORT PRICING POLICIES AND TARIFF RATES IN THE WEST AFRICAN SUB-REGION: A COMPARATIVE ANALYSIS.**
  - Research Work submitted in Partial Fulfillment of the Requirement for the Award of the degree of Master of Science (M.Sc.) in Maritime Management Technology of the Federal University of Technology, Owerri, January 1998.
6. **NIGERIA'S MARITIME TRADE:  
A SURVEY OF INDIGENOUS SHIPPING BUSINESS**
  - A Final Year Project for the Award of B. Sc. (Hons.) Economics University of Maiduguri, September 1992.
7. **LOGISTICS FOR THE SHIPMENT (IMPORT) OF COAL AND ITS TRANSPORTATION THROUGH INLAND WATER WAYS FROM DELTA STEEL COMPLEX JETTY, WARRI, TO AJAOKUTA STEEL COMPLEX, AJAOKUTA.**
  - An Operational Plan/Working paper for Importation & Delivery of Coking Coal to Ajaokuta Steel Complex, presented at a Training workshop, OAN Warri, June, 1993.
8. **TECHNOLOGICAL CHANGES IN MARITIME TRANSPORT FROM 1960 TO PRESENT**
  - A Seminar Paper presented at the Department of Maritime Transport Management Technology, Federal University of Technology, Owerri, March 1996.
9. **SHIP ACQUISITION AND FINANCING:  
THE NIGERIAN EXPERIENCE OF SHIP OWNERSHIP AND OPERATION.**
  - A Seminar Paper presented at The Department of Maritime Transport Management Technology, Federal University of Technology Owerri, August 1996.
10. Port pricing and tariff rates administration in Nigeria: A post concession account.

#### **8. LIST OF SOME POST-GRADUATE PROJECTS SUPERVISED**

1. Lapses in operational efficiency in Container Terminals: A case of Lagos and Niger Terminal, Tin-can Island Port, Nigeria. By Diseye Adevokhai. ACTS (NITT), 2003. Reg. No. 0023211



2. The impact of merger of National Maritime Authority and Joint Maritime labour Industrial Council on Shipping Operation in Nigeria. By Haruna Muhammed Nasiru PGDTL 115933, NITT, 2012.
3. An assessment of the role of NIMASA in the performance of indigenous shipping in Nigeria. By Oludamiro Richard O, PGDTL 115932, NITT, 2010.
4. A study of the impact of non-participation of indigenous Carriers in the shipment of Nigerian Crude oil. By Muhammed, Aliyu Maruf PGDTL 115934, NITT, 2011.
5. An analysis of the fleet expansion drive of Cabotage Act 2003. By Jimoh, Abdulganiyu Moji. PGDTL 105858, NITT, July, 2011.
6. An appraisal of Cabotage Law enforcement in Nigeria. By Aminu, Maidamma Yabo. PGDTL 105868. August 2011.
7. Evaluation of the level of safety standards by Nigerian coastal tankers. By Mohammed Jibrin Nazif, Reg. No. MTL 09398, NITT, 2010.
8. An assessment of import cargo handling in Tin-can island port, Lagos. By Abdullahi Sani Batsari, Reg. No. PGDTL 115931, NITT, 2012.
9. An assessment of the effectiveness of Maritime search and rescue operations in Nigeria. By Ngargbu Maato, Reg. No. PGDTL 095828, NITT, 2010.
10. An appraisal of the contribution of government effort on seafarers development program in Nigeria. By Nagya Mohammed, Reg. No. MTL 123165, NITT, 2013.
11. A study of the billing system at Tin-can Island port complex. By OriakuNnamdi Augustine, Reg. No. MTL 123158, NITT 2013.
12. A study of the effectiveness of internal control system in the administration of shipping development in NIMASA. By Ibrahim Augustine Bamai, Reg. No. PGDTL125989, NITT, 2013.

## 9. **MEMBERSHIP OF ASSOCIATIONS AND PROFESSIONAL BODIES.**

1. Fellow, Institute of Maritime safety administration.
2. Fellow, Chartered Institute of Logistics and Transport (FCILT), London.

3. Member, Institute of Transport Administration (M.I.T.A.).
4. Member, Nigerian Institute of Shipping.
5. Member, Institute of Management Consultants.
6. Associate member, Nigerian Institute of Industrial Management.
7. Member, Federal University of Technology, Owerri (FUTO) Alumni Association.

## **10. REFEREES.**

### **Boss Mustapha**

Secretary to the Government of the Federation (SGF),  
Shagari House, Three Arms zone, Abuja FCT.

### **Senator Dr. Olorunnimbe Mamora,**

Minister of State, Federal Ministry of Health,  
Three Arms Zone, Federal Secretariat,  
Abuja.

### **Hadiza Bala Usman,**

Managing Director / CEO,  
Nigerian Ports Authority,  
Marina, Lagos.

## **11. DECLARATION.**

**I, SHEHU USMAN GIDADO,** sincerely declare that if any information in these Curriculum Vitae is false, I shall be disqualified.