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Work Experience

- **Director of Studies, Vocal Coach, Music Coach:**
Graciedion Media and Entertainment, Music and Vocal Institute, Ajah,, 2019- Date
- **Founder, Coordinator:**
Graciedion Chorale Society, Lagos, 2016- Date
- **Music Therapist and Voice Coach,:**
Tenstrings Music Institute, Festac and Ikeja Center, Lagos 2015-2018
- **Music teacher:**
La Grace International School, Oke Aragba , Abeokuta, Ogun 2015
- **MUSIC DIRECTOR**
- Evening Mass Choir coordinator, Regina Pacis Sangotedo. 2021 till date
- Assistant Choir mistress/keyboardist ,Our Lady Seat of Wisdom, Majek, Ajah
- Choir Consultant, St Charles choir, Holy Rosary Catholic Church ,Ogba
- Choir Consultant, English Speaking Community, Sacre Coeur, Catholic Church, Cotonou
- Choir Consultant, English Speaking Community, Holy Trinity Catholic Church , Avotrou, Cotonou

Education History

- ROCK SCHOOL OF MUSIC, LONDON (RSL) 2019
Grade 8
- ROYAL SCHOOL OF MUSIC (Abrsm) 2017
Grade 5
- FEDERAL COLLEGE OF EDUCATION , Abeokuta 2012-2015
N.C.E (Nigerian Certificate in Education)
- ROSYLAND COMPREHENSIVE COLLEGE Oshodi, Lagos 2010-2011
SSCE (Senior School Certificate)

Skills /Specialization

Sibelius, Ability to Play Piano, guitar, recorder, singing, organizational skills, critical thinking, good computer knowledge, video editing, graphic design.

Awards and Recognition

- Diploma: Grand price from Singing for Ukraine Virtual Choir,2022
- Certificate of Grateful recognition for participating in the Queen of England platinum Jubilee,2022
- Panelist, Voice over geng talent hunt, 2022.
- Masterclass, Music Students Association of Nigeria(Musan), Lagos state university, Department of music,2022
- Panelist, Voice over geng talent hunt, 2021
- Most Efficient Instructor, Tenstrings music Institute, Festac Centre, 2018
- Miss Music Students Association of Nigeria, FCE Abeokuta (Miss Musan) 2013-2015
- Vice President , Nigeria Federation of Catholic Students, FCE Abeokuta 2014-2015
- General Secretary, Nigeria Federation of Catholic Students, FCE Abeokuta 2013-2014

Compositions/Commissioned works

- I)Chegharia and Nkowa: Commissioned by Dr. Midori Samson. Performed at Chicago Symphony Orchestra, University of Wisconsin, International women in music festival, University of Mississippi, Irin Ajo Akojopo concert, and the University of Oklahoma amidst other performances by Doctoral and Masters students of the bassoon at their recitals.
- II) Aklunon Kou Noun Miton, Chimaraobi mo, Ekpere m, Ije Muna Chim, Abu nke Abu and Oluwatumise, e.t.c: Commissioned by Prof. Terry Ewell. (Towson University, Maryland)
- III) Ogini Kam gaenye: Commissioned by Prof Marc Vallon (University of Wisconsin) Performed at Marc Vallon and friends concert Mead Winter school of music, Faculty Artist series.
- IV)Naomi Adala Mba: Commissioned by Dr. Courtney Miller (the University of Iowa, Iowa school of music)Representing Africa in the Postcards from 6 continents and performed at Voxman Recital hall, University of Iowa.
- V)Na Mgbo: Commissioned by Silent voices Quartet (Sara Lee, Mariam Webber, Dena Orkin, Hilary Lowery) Performed at International double reed society (IDRS)July 2022 Conference.
- VII)Nwa Chukwu Kam bu: Commissioned by Jiwe music, Prof. Andile of the University of Wits, South Africa. Performed at Sound us out concert(Final year composition students of Prof Andile Khumalo)University of Wits South Africa.
- VIII)Arts of Grace (Story of Job opera): Performed by Graciedion chorale at Luev2018 concert.
- IX)Olorunmi: Commissioned by Jesuseun Oluwade. Performed at Orintuntun, Akojopo concert, Nigeria.
- X)Take it in: Arts songs for a new beginner's project. Commissioned by Denise Rivera (dbird soprano)