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### University Education and Degrees

- 2017 Benue State University, Makurdi - Nigeria (PhD Urban and Regional Planning)
- 2010 Benue State University, Makurdi – Nigeria (Master of Urban & Regional Planning)
- 2002 University of Jos, Plateau State – Nigeria (Bachelor of Science, Geography)

### Work Experience

- 2004 - 2010 Town Planning Officer - Benue State Ministry of Water Resources and Environment, Makurdi
- 2010 - Date Lecturer, Benue State University, Makurdi, Nigeria
- 2022 Research Associate – University of Manchester, United Kingdom

### Membership of Professional Body

Member, Nigerian Institute of Town Planners (MNITP);  
Registered Town Planner (RTP)

### Teaching Experience

I teach courses like Planning Theory, Human Cultures and the Built Environment, Urban Design and Project Planning and Management both at the undergraduate and postgraduate levels

### Publications

#### Book Chapters

- Adzande, P. (2017) “Defensible Cities” in Egunjobi, L. (Ed) *Contemporary Concepts in Physical Planning* Vol. III, pp. 173-190, Ibadan: Department of Urban and Regional Planning, University of Ibadan
- Adzande, P. (2021) “Why Peacebuilding Fails: The Experience of Managing Conflicts between Farmers and Herders in Nigeria” in Kwasi Tiekou, T., Coffie, A., Boatemaa Setrana, M. & Taiwo, A. (Eds) *The Politics of Peacebuilding in Africa* Routledge. <https://doi.org/10.4324/9781003187585-3>

#### Selected Journal Articles

- Adzande, P. and Gyuse, T. T. (2017) Territoriality and Safety in Urban Residential Neighbourhoods in Nigeria *Journal of Urbanism: International Research on Placemaking and Urban Sustainability* Vol 10 No. 3, pp. 333-355 <http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/17549175.2017.1295095>
- Adzande, P., Gyuse, T. T. and Atser, J. (2018) Correlates of Crime in Urban Makurdi, Nigeria *African Journal of Built Environment Research* Vol. 2, No. 1, pp.21-40 [www.waberjournal.com/uploads/2018/07/28](http://www.waberjournal.com/uploads/2018/07/28)

Adzande, P. (2018) Implications of the Quality of Police Records on Analysis of Urban Crime and Victimization in Nigeria *Journal of Environmental Design* Vol. 13, No. 2, pp. 166-171

Adzande, P. (2018) Analysis of Urban Crime: A Victimization Survey of Makurdi Nigeria *Journal of Contemporary Urbanology* Volume 5, No. 1, pp. 1-13

Adzande, P. and Gyuse, T. T. (2018) Effectiveness of Target Hardening Measures on Urban Crime Prevention and Control in Makurdi Town, Nigeria *Journal of the Nigerian Institute of Town Planners* Volume XXIV No. 1, pp. 127-137

Adzande, P. (2019) Migration of Pastoralists in Africa: Reflections on Practical and Policy Implications *African Human Mobility Review*, Vol. 5, No. 2 (August 2019), pp. 1650-1673 [www.sihma.org.za/journals/AHMR](http://www.sihma.org.za/journals/AHMR)

### **Other Journal Articles (Work in Progress)**

Forthcoming (2022) Harnessing the Social Energies of Youths in Farming and Pastoral Communities in Managing Conflicts in Nigeria. Accepted for publication in *African Studies Review*

Under Review Determinants of Crime in Social Areas of Makurdi, Nigeria. *Security Journal*

Under Review The Politics of Belonging: Deconstructing the Impediments to Peacebuilding in Farming and Pastoralist Communities in Nigeria. *Journal of Contemporary African Studies*

Under Review Putting New Wine into Old Wineskins? Perspectives on Managing Farmer-Herder Conflicts in Nigeria. *Conflict Resolution Quarterly*

Under Review Urban Growth and Changing Livelihoods in Peri-Urban Makurdi, Nigeria. *Buildings & Cities*

### **Selected Conference Papers**

Adzande, P. and Gyuse, T. T. (2015) *Territoriality and Safety in Residential Areas in Nigeria* Paper presented at the International Crime and Intelligence Analysis Conference organized by University College London Jill Dando Institute of Security and Crime Science from 26-27 February 2015 at the Manchester Convention Centre, United Kingdom

Adzande, P. (2018) Harnessing the Social Energies of Youths in Farming and Pastoral Communities in Managing Conflicts in Nigeria *Paper presented at the 61<sup>st</sup> Annual Conference of the African Studies Association (ASA), November 29 – December 1 2018 in Atlanta, USA*

Adzande, P. (2019) Crime Prevention through Environmental Design – What works and what does not? - Reflections from a Nigerian City in Laryea, S. and Essah, E. (Eds) **Proceedings**, West Africa Built Environment Research Conference, August 5-7, Accra – Ghana; pp. 330-343. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.33796/waberconference2019.24>

Adzande, P. (2021) Displaced and Forgotten? Reflections on the Experiences of Internally Displaced Persons (IDPs) in Nigerian Cities. Paper presented at the 64<sup>th</sup> African Studies Association (Virtual) Conference held from November 16-20, 2021.

Adzande, P. (2021) Urban Duality in Nigerian Cities: Negotiating Rural Identities in Peri-Urban Areas of Makurdi Town, Nigeria. Paper presented at the Online Conference hosted by the Urban Environment Initiative of the Ludwig Maxmillan University, Munich - Germany, 30 June – 2 July, 2021.

### **Conference Roundtable**

Adzande, P (2018) Presentation on the “*Overview of the Refugee Crisis in Africa*”: African Peacebuilding Network Roundtable on Africa and the Global Refugee Crisis: Traversing the Terrain between Global Power and a Continent’s Capacity to Respond – 59<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention of the International Studies Association (ISA) held in San Francisco, USA from April 4-7 2018.

### **Policy Briefing Note**

Amanda Coffie, Richard Alemdjrodo, Patience Adzande and Jocelyn Perry (2018) Africa and the Global Compact on Refugees: Inclusive Policy Responses to Forced Displacement *African Peacebuilding Network (APN) Policy Briefing Note* No. 19, (Social Science Research Council, July 2018)  
<https://www.ssrc.org/publications/view/africa-and-the-global-compact-on-refugees-inclusive-policy-responses-to-forced-displacement>

### **Blog Articles**

Adzande, P (2018) The Snake and the Hedgehog: Managing Farmer-Herder Conflicts in Nigeria *Kujenga Amani* <http://forums.ssrc.org/kujenga-amani/2018/03/08/the-snake-and-the-hedgehog-managing-farmer-herder-conflicts-in-nigeria/>

Adzande, P (2019) "Displaced but not disenfranchised? IDPs and the 2019 Elections in Nigeria" *Kujenga Amani* <http://kujenga-amani.ssrc.org/2019/02/15/displaced-but-not-disenfranchised-idps-and-the-2019-nigeria-elections/>

Adzande, P (2020) “Crime and the Built Environment: A Look at Makurdi, Nigeria”.  
[items.ssrc.org/layered-metropolis/crime-and-the-built-environment-a-look-at-makurdi-nigeria](https://items.ssrc.org/layered-metropolis/crime-and-the-built-environment-a-look-at-makurdi-nigeria)

### **Non-Teaching Assignments/Positions held at Benue State University, Nigeria**

2017-2019	Coordinator, Postgraduate Programmes, Department of Urban and Regional Planning
2016-2019	Member, Faculty of Environmental Sciences Conferences Committee
2013-Date	Member, Editorial Board, Journal of Contemporary Urbanology
2019-2022	Representative of the Faculty of Environmental Sciences to the Postgraduate School Board

### **Other Service to Professional and Academic Community**

2015-2020	Member - Practice Committee, Nigerian Institute of Town Planners, Benue State Chapter
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- 2020 Member/Secretary, Nigerian Institute of Town Planners, Benue State Chapter Electoral Committee
- 2021-Date Member/Chairperson, Nigerian Institute of Town Planners, Benue State Chapter By-Laws Ad-hoc Committee

**Reviewer:**

- 2014-2019 Journal of Contemporary Urbanology
- 2019 International Journal of Sociology and Anthropology
- 2019 African Peacebuilding Network - Working Paper Series
- 2020 Critical African Studies (Centre for African Studies, University of Edinburgh/Taylor & Francis)
- 2020-2021 Journal of Urbanism: International Research on Placemaking and Urban Sustainability (Taylor & Francis)
- 2020 Ghana Journal of Geography
- 2021 GeoJournal
- 2020-2022 African Peacebuilding Network Individual Research Grant Applications

**Research Grants/Fellowships**

- 2013 Next Generation Social Science in Africa Dissertation (PhD) Research Fellowship Award (Social Science Research Council, New York)
- 2014 Next Generation Social Science in Africa Dissertation (PhD) Completion Fellowship Award (Social Science Research Council, New York)
- 2015 Co-Applicant: Brown International Advanced Research Institutes (BIARI) Seed Grant (Brown University, USA) **Project Title:** Building research team collaboration and conducting a feasibility study on health care support for survivors of gender-based violence in internal displacement camps within the Democratic Republic of Congo
- 2015-2016 Co-Applicant: Council for the Development of Social Science Research in Africa (CODESRIA) Comparative Research Networks Grant (2015/2016) **Project Title:** Building peace between pastoralists and crop farmers in West and East Africa: Does traditional institution count?
- 2015-2018 Urbanisation Research in Nigeria: Project funded by DFID and implemented by ICF, UK in collaboration with Department of Urban and Regional Planning
- 2017 African Peacebuilding Network Individual Research Grant. **Project Title:** Putting New Wine into Old Wineskins? Changing Dynamics of Conflicts and Peacebuilding in Nigeria
- 2019 Edinburgh Catalyst Fellowship (University of Edinburgh)
- 2021 University of Edinburgh Catalyst Non-Residential Fellowship
- 2022-2023 Research Associate, African Cities Research Consortium – University of Manchester, United Kingdom (Post-Doctoral Research Fellowship)