

## **MOBILITY PHASE I**

### **SUMMER SCHOOL REPORT ON COMPARATIVE STUDIES IN ADULT EDUCATION AND LIFELONG LEARNING, IN COLLABORATION WITH JULIUS-MAXIMILIAN UNIVERSITY, WURZBURG GERMANY, BAYERO UNIVERSITY, KANO, OBAFEMI AWOLOWO, UNIVERSITY AND UNIVERSITY OF LAGOS. 4th - 16th AUGUST, 2019.**

**By**

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The above mentioned programme was launched on the 5<sup>th</sup> of August, 2019 in University of Lagos, Nigeria. I attended the programme from the first day to the final official closure of the programme. The programme was about “International Dialogue in Academic Adult Education” that placed emphasis on Adult Education and Lifelong Learning, Curricular Structure and Teaching Mode.

Being a researcher in Adult and Non-Formal Education in a predominantly Muslim part of Northern Nigeria, I found the programme worthy educative and happy to be among the participants. The programme equipped the participants with the skill of comparison especially differences and similarities of issues concerning Adult Education especially policy governing Adult Education in general between Nigeria and Germany.



*A group picture during excursion in Nigeria*

Another important sector of the programme was the introduction of Webiner to the participants even though as a result of *Eid Sallah* break on 13 and 14 August 2019 across the Nigeria affected the actual webinar practical aspect. Which I hope to learn more about it.

I believed I learn something and also contributed and connected with different scholars, researchers and students from Germany and Nigeria. Attending the programme enabled me to network with German academics and collaborate with their students from Julius-Maximilian University, Wurzburg. This at the same time equipped the participants with the skill of teamwork, togetherness, agree and disagree, all in the sense of coming up with the concrete ideas as it is in Academia generally.

Finally, the programme enabled us to look at Adult education to a wider range and to rethink ahead the future of Adult Education beyond African boundaries. With these, I personally thanked the founders of the programme and coordinators both from Germany and Nigeria, and also wish for more opportunities of such students exchange and other educative programmes not only from Germany but European Countries with African Universities particularly Bayero University, Kano-Nigeria.



*Certificate of attendance award*

**Best of regard**

**Jamilu Ahmed.**

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