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Communication Consultant & Professor
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John Justus Okon is a hybrid professor of Communication studies and faculty member at Stratford University, Alexandria, Virginia, United States. Professor Okon has joint appointments at Washington Adventist University, Tacoma Park Maryland in the department of Communication and Business.

His professional career spans across many citadels of knowledge in United States of America including Strayer University, Marist College, NYU, College of new Rochelle NY, State University of NY, and Albany. Dr. Okon is a visiting professor at University of Port Harcourt where he also serves as a member of board of trustees. He holds PHD and Doctor of Arts in Communication, Education and Humanities from State University of New York, Albany. He has authored several articles, books, book chapters, and manuscripts in education and communication studies.

Formerly a senior communication specialist with IBM New York, professor Okon is the director of the Center for Teachers Effectiveness, Consultant for Corporate Communication Training Corporation, and senior vice president at Bendexhr in Germantown Maryland. As a research fellow at Wilson Center, a liberal think tank in Washington DC; his academic research interests include Non-verbal communication and learning disabilities.

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EDUCATION

STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK AT ALBANY

Doctor of Arts (DA)/Ph.d.
Communication, Education and Humanities
2000 – 2005
Doctor of Arts

COLLEGE OF NEW ROCHELLE

Master of Science (Communications)
Communication
1992 – 1994

MOUNT SAINT MARY COLLEGE

Bachelor of Arts (B.A.)
Communication
1988 – 1991

WORK EXPERIENCE

International Certified Trainer

Center for Teacher Effectiveness, D.C. Metro Area
2017 – Present

Professor

STRATFORD UNIVERSITY, D.C. METRO AREA
2015 – Present

Chairman Board of Trustees

University of Port Harcourt, Nigeria
2014 – Present

Assistant Professor of Communication

Duchess Community College
2009 – Present

Consultant and Sr. Partner

ONKORE COMMUNICATION
2009 – Present