

# CYNTHIA A. AGYEMAN

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## **Instructional Designer**

A diligent and creative **Instructional Designer** with the ability to multitask, meet tight deadlines and delivers quality performance. Possesses an ability to work independently and as team member. Demonstrates practical knowledge on how people learn best and provides activities that engage learning and ways to make hands-on learner closer to real life skills and experience. Possess excellent interpersonal and communication skills.

### **Other Core Competencies**

Web Design, Online Course Building, Distance Education, Digital Imaging, Animation, Video Editing, Public Speaking

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## **Professional Experience**

### **Online Facilitator**

*Global Health, Ohio University*

- Engage student on weekly basis per the learning objectives, activities, and assignments made available each week.
- Provide students with necessary information that will support and enhance their learning experiences as well as encourage engagement.
- Establish trust and social presence through communication and prompt feedback.
- Provide feedback and respond to students questions within 24 hours.

### **Blackboard Course Builder**

*Global Health, Ohio University*

- Build/Manage course content in blackboard
- Worked with faculty to incorporate existing or new academic technologies to incorporate in online course environments.
- Worked as part of a team to create course template

### **Graduate Assistant**

*Curriculum and Technology Center, The Patton College of Education, Ohio University*

- Worked with faculty and staff on the integration of multimedia technology.
- Set up and run online exchange meetings using Adobe Connect, Skype, and Google Hangout.
- Experience in setting up computers, printers, projectors, and scanners.
- Repaired and maintenance of computers, imaging and building new computers, running licenses, and maintaining computer labs.
- Worked with auditory and visual stimuli processing software across Mac and windows platforms (audition, audacity, GIMP).

### **Graduate Assistant**

*The Patton College of Education, Educational Studies, Ohio University)*

- Digital Imaging (used software like Microsoft word, Adobe Photoshop)
- Professional Research

## **Graduate Assistant**

*Lifelong Learning and Distance Education, Ohio University*

- Web Development and updates
- Digital imaging
- Software utilized include Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Dreamweaver, Microsoft word, Microsoft PowerPoint

## **Teaching Assistant**

*The Patton College of Education, Educational Studies, Ohio University*

- Taught undergraduate level courses in instructional design and technology
- Graded papers
- Used the Blackboard system

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## **Education**

### **Ohio University – Athens, OH**

*Doctor of Philosophy*

Expected graduation: August 2015

### **Ohio University – Athens, OH**

*Master of Arts and International Affairs*

Expected Graduation: June 2006

### **Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology - Kumasi, Ghana**

*Bachelor of Arts*

Major – Painting

Graduated: June 2003

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## **Technology Skills**

- Can work with Google sites, experience in creating blogs, editing websites using **Adobe Contribute, Moodle, and Blackboard material.**
- Proficiency with auditory and visual stimuli processing software across Mac and windows platforms (**Audition, Audacity, GIMP, Adobe Illustrator, Adobe ImageReady, Adobe Photoshop**)
- Can set up and run online exchange meetings using **Adobe Connect, Skype, and Google Hangout.**
- Other skills include, **Stata, SPSS, SAS, Microsoft Office Word, Microsoft Office Excel, Microsoft Office PowerPoint, Microsoft Office Access, Microsoft Office Publisher, iMovie, Adobe Dreamweaver, Adobe Flash, Adobe After Effects, Adobe Captivate, Snagit, Infogram, Camtasia, Pages, SimpleMind, Slides, Evernote, Scratch, Doodle, Anymeeting, YouTube, Twitter, WordPress, Dropbox, Facebook, LinkedIn, Google+ & Hangouts, Google Docs/Drive, Google Maps, Gmail, Google Search, Google Chrome, Google Scholar, Google Sites, Google Translate, Pinterest, Prezi, Outlook, Wikipedia, iTunes, Skype, Adobe Connect, Adobe Captivate, Adobe Photoshop, Flickr, Snagit, iPad & Apps, Jing, Storify, Poll Everywhere, Wordle, Delicious, OpenOffice, WhatsApp, Wikispaces, Instagram and Skype.**

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