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**COMPILATION OF ACADEMIC PUBLICATIONS
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Preamble

As a substantive academic division of the University, the Institute for Peace and Strategic Studies has, since its establishment, risen to her responsibility in teaching, research and community service, part of which mandate is the documentation of findings of investigations and results therefrom in form of publications. The publications are solely or co-authored by Faculty members of the Institute, students and other scholars.

The Peace and Conflict Studies programme carved out of the Institute of African Studies is the foundation programme of the Institute for Peace and Strategic Studies; consequently, most of the current publications of the Institute predominantly reflect on peace, security and allied phenomena at the national, regional and global spheres. It is hoped that the *Town* will find the legion of recommendations and perspectives of the *Gown* as contained in the publications useful for policy decision-making and global development.

The publications include the following:

1. *Perspectives on Peace and Conflict in Africa*

The book is a collection of essays in honour of General Abdulsalami Abubakar, a former Head of State of the Federal Republic of Nigeria. It was first published in 2005 while the second edition was in 2011. The two editions are registered under the Abdulsalami Abubakar Fund for Peace in Africa (AAFPA) Book Series. The second edition which consists of twenty-nine titles categorized under four (4) sections ex-rays scholars' divergent views that are germane to peace and conflict on the African Continent. The four sections include: general introduction, internal conflict, industrial and environmental conflicts and international conflict. The topics take a critical look at the challenges posed by conflicts to development in Africa and review the efforts being made to deal with them. Observed from quality arguments therein, frantic attempt is made to establish a fact that the role of conflict in Africa underdevelopment is crucial and until efforts at mitigating it are sustained, the situation may not improve significantly. It will indeed be a reliable book of reference to peace and conflict scholars and the general public at all times.

2. *Communicating Peace and Conflict*

Communicating Peace and Conflict is a multidisciplinary book which covers a broad range of topics on peace and reconciliation studies. The publication is one of the four that the Peace and Conflict Studies programme formerly of African Studies anchored under the Dr. Mua'azu Babangida Aliyu Fund for Peace and Leadership. The 17- chapter book focuses on Africa, but with a wide range of topics on community radio, development communication, election violence, children and language of peace, conflict reportage, traditional healing and roles of verbal arts in dispute resolution as may be applicable anywhere on the continent and other developing climes. Edited by three renowned scholars, the book shall, no doubt, stand the test of time as atool with which scholars and the general public could navigate through contextual issues bordering on communication, peacebuilding and conflict resolution.

Published in 2015, the publication is edited by Professor I.O. Albert, Dr. O. O. Isola and Dr. O. O. Oyewo.

3. *The Security Sector and Conflict Management in Nigeria*

It is a publication which presents reflections of scholars on management modalities for the security sector and conflicts in Nigeria. Though, the focus of the publication is largely on the state of security and roles of various security actors and agencies in Nigeria, issues and perspectives examined therein are indeed observable in many developing counties and suggested recommendations applicable thereto too. The publication differ slightly from many of her kinds which often dwell more on demonizing the security agencies for the menace of rising insecurity in the country, rather, it calls for a rethink on the role of security sector in conflict management. It further amplifies the need to draw the attention of stakeholders to the conditions and contradictions that characterize the functionality of security agencies in the peculiar context of the Nigerian space. The publication consists of a body of thirty one (31) papers compartmentalize into six (6) thematic sections as follows:

- Section One: Epistemological, Theoretical and Methodological Issues
- Section Two: Democracy, Good Governance, Civil Society and the Security Sector
- Section Three: Counter-Terrorism, Security Policies and Strategies
- Section Four: Ethno-Religious Conflict and Management
- Section Five: Border Security: Management and Challenges
- Section Six: Security Sector, Governance and Reform

First published in 2013, the publication is edited by a team of seasoned academics including Professor I.O. Albert, Dr. B. A. Aluko and Dr. O. O. Isola, all now, of the Institute for Peace and Strategic Studies, University of Ibadan.

4. Research Methods in Peace and Strategic Studies

This publication is the first in the series of our books on Peace and Conflict Studies Programme under the auspices of the Dr. Mu'azu Babangida Aliyu Fund for Peace and Leadership. The book x-rays some salient concerns which, over the years, have been a gap-to-fill in the teaching of Peace and Conflict Studies in Africa. Specifically, the book simplifies the seemingly dreadful areas in research methodology in the fields of Humanities and Social Sciences, ranging from Ethnography in Research, Empiricism, Conceptual and Theoretical Frameworks in literature review, Research Designs to Data Analysis. Significantly observed in the book is its adoption of language quite simple enough to assuage possible apprehension of those with trepidation in research methodology. With content clearly elucidated, the book is a contribution by seventeen scholars but with fifteen (15) chapters as follows:

- Chapter 1: Introduction to Research Methods in Peace and Security
- Chapter 2: Research Architecture
- Chapter 3: Theoretical Framework in Multidisciplinary Research
- Chapter 4: Conceptual Discourse, Literature Review and Theoretical Framework
- Chapter 5: The Dynamics and Semiotics of Conceptual Frameworks in Peace and Conflict Research
- Chapter 6: Experimental Design in Security Studies
- Chapter 7: Observation and Interview Methods in Peace and Security Research.
- Chapter 8: Ethnography in Peace and Conflict Studies
- Chapter 9: Research Methods in Environmental Security
- Chapter 10: Quality Assurance in Research: Reliability, Validity and Standardization
- Chapter 11: Qualitative Data Analysis
- Chapter 12: Managing Qualitative Data

Chapter 13: Report Writing

Chapter 14: Writing a Scholarly / Academic Papers in the Humanities and Social Sciences

Chapter 15: Ethical Issues in Peace and Conflict Research

The book is edited by three distinguished professors viz: Professors I.O. Albert and A.O. Aremu of the Institute for Peace and Strategic Studies, University of Ibadan and Professor Olabisi Olasheinde-Williams of Centre for Peace and Strategic Studies, University of Ilorin.

5. Gender-Based Violence in Contemporary Nigeria

The book is a compilation of Essays in Honour of Professor Alake Bolanle Awe, the first Chairperson of the defunct Nigeria's National Women's Commission, the first female Professor of History in Nigeria, and a one time Director of the Institute of African Studies, University of Ibadan. The 495-page book consists of twenty-seven (27) chapters covering phenomenal topics such as contextual clarifications on gender-based violence, breastfeeding and breadwinning, radical feminism, women and displacement in insurgency-ravaged communities, religious violence, gender mainstreaming to problems associated with prosecution of rape offences under the Nigerian laws. Giving Nigeria as the epicenter of attention, the publication could not have come at a better time; a time when a joint investigation by London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, World Health Organisation, and South Africa Medical Research Council recorded that Africa had the highest prevalence of gender-based violence in the world and Nigeria being the most populated on the Continent. It is therefore hoped that the book will draw needed notice to improve the situation since the better the condition of African women, the better the quality of life on the Continent.

Published in 2017, the book is edited by Professor I. O. Albert and Drs. Sharon A. Omotoso and Alero Akeredolu.

6. Democratic Elections and Nigeria's National Security

The book is one of the publications of the Peace and Conflict Studies Programme while still under the Institute of African Studies. The 423-page book has 24 chapters which substantially interrogate the several encumbrances with which democracy as a system of government is compelled to contend, particularly during transition period. Similarly, the book examines the pre-election violence prior the 2011 general elections in Nigeria and its effect on national security; the nature of elections in Nigeria; factors that predisposed political elites towards the election violence; the security concerns they elicit and the form of democracy that can effectively deal with these and other challenges contingent on the present democratic system.

The book was first published in 2011 and edited by Professor I. O. Albert, Drs. N. D. Danjibo, O. O. Isola and S. A. Faleti, all, renowned scholars in the Institute for Peace and Strategic Studies.

7. Peace, Security and Development in Nigeria

The *Peace, Security and Development in Nigeria* is a publication produced in conjunction with Society for Peace Studies and Practice (SPSP), the professional association for peace scholars in Nigeria. The book provides an African perspective to the debate on peace, security and development in Africa, with particular reference to Nigeria. It is a compilation of papers presented at a national conference of the SPSP themed "Towards Sustainable Peace, Security and Development in Nigeria". Diverse viewpoints by scholars and practitioners in peace and security practice are articulated therein, with specifics on causes, accelerators, triggers and consequences of conflict and government crises in Nigeria and Africa. The book was published in 2012, at a

time when regional organizations (ECOWAS and AU) were propelling forces at conflict prevention and peacebuilding.

Three Peace Scholars, namely; Professor I. O. Albert, Drs. W. A. Eselebor and N. D. Danjibo edited the book. They are all Faculty members at the Institute for Peace and Strategic Studies.

8. Knowledge Economy and National Security

Knowledge Economy and National Security is a publication in honour of Basorun Seinde Arogbofa. The focus of the book is largely on core issues in placing knowledge as an essential ingredient in national security. It interrogates the different permutations, actions and inactions in the knowledge system that are perceived to be causative factors of insurgency and other national security challenges bedeviling Nigeria as a nation. It articulates loudly the role of quality education in tackling the increasing cases of insecurity and recommended legion of proactive and intervention measures capable of mitigating the menace and affiliated breaches. Published by Society for Peace Studies and Practice in 2015, the book is a 421-page book with thirty seven chapters edited by Professors I. O. Albert and A. O. Aremu of the Institute for Peace and Strategic Studies as well as Dr. B. O. Ololajulo of the Department of Archaeology and Anthropology, University of Ibadan.

9. Managing Security in a Globalized World

The publication addresses some phenomenal challenges that are gradually becoming emerging threats to national peace and by extension, global. Such phenomena include boundary related matters; peacekeeping operations; flow of Small Arms and Light Weapons (SALW); transnational crime; biotechnology and terrorism as well as conflict management. The book has 24 chapters as contributed by scholars of diverse professional backgrounds in peace, humanitarian, security and border studies and allied fields.

The book is edited by Professor I. O. Albert and Dr. W. A. Eselebor of the Institute for Peace and Strategic Studies.

10. Understanding Nigerian Police: Lessons from Psychological Research

The book is a unique publication in the way that it examines the common allegations against the Nigerian Police as well as the misconceptions of the Force by the public but with a binocular lens for and against with a view to making the Nigerian Police improve in performance and attitude. The book is also an intervention piece which addresses several salient issues on Nigerian Police ranging from recruitment, welfare, in-service training, police-public relations and their respective impact on the overall performance of the cops. It further provides a robust appraisal on essentials elements of police management and administration, delineating practice and procedures for effective policing in Nigerian society while at the same time highlighting challenges confronting the police force in the country and the way out. No doubt, the book shall serve as a valuable reference for the policemen, legal practitioners, juries, policy makers, psychologists, criminologists, researchers, students of security studies and the general public.

Professor Amos Oyesoji Aremu, *cf. jp, fspsp* is the author of the book.

11. Policing and Terrorism: Challenges and Issues in Intelligence

The book is a masterpiece which provides the practitioners, policy makers, researchers and students alike with detailed perspectives on many important factors that connect the Police enforcement profession with the fight against terrorism. Equally, the book examines the inter-connectivity that exists between Policing and terrorism within Nigeria and across the globe from multi-faceted, well researched and highly informative view points. In clear terms, the author leaves no one in doubt of his perspective and evidence-based recommendations on community policing.

The book is written by Professor Amos Oyesoji Aremu of the Institute for Peace and Strategic Studies.

12. Mass Media and Election Violence

Mass Media and Election Violence chronicles some of the activities of the print media in past elections in Nigeria. It exposes definite negative impacts the newspaper press had on election crises and how it aggravated such crises through irresponsible reporting and the lack of conflict-sensitivity in the reportorial process. The book makes suggestions on how the mass media can be transformed in Nigeria to make useful contributions to sustenance of democracy and evolution of good governance.

13. Journalism Practice and Terrorism in Nigeria: Issues, Trends and Techniques

The book details the fundamental principles of sensitivity in Journalism and provides the framework for reporting conflict in its varied dimensions. It is both theoretical and practical in its holistic approach to terrorism reporting which also interrogates much of existing practice, makes the book a user-friendly text.

The book is edited by Olusola. O. Isola of the Institute for Peace and Strategic Studies and Muyiwa Popoola.

14. Communicating Peace and Violence

It is a book of seventeen chapters covering topics such as community radio, development communication, election violence, language of peaceful communication, the role of media and journalists in conflict reportage and similar issues germane to peace and conflict. Indeed, the book is a multidisciplinary piece which could avail students, policy analysts and researchers a wide scope of perspectives on communication on peace and violence with a special focus in Africa.

The book is edited by I. O. Albert, O.O. Isola and O. O. Oyewo

15. Ibadan Journal of Peace and Development

The *Ibadan Journal of Peace and Development* is strictly an academic publication which captures a wide range of fields covering internal, international and environmental conflicts, border security, human security, national security, humanitarian and refugee studies as well as peacebuilding and development. The publication which started under the auspices of Peace and Conflict Programme in the Institute of African Studies now domiciled in the Institute for Peace and Strategic Studies is a well-thought out initiative to bridge observed gap between the *Town* and the *Gown* relationship in Peace and Development spectrum. The Journal is a biannual publication which commenced in February 2012. The volumes and dates of publication are indicated below:

Volume	Date of Publication	ISSN
Volume 1	February, 2012	2276-7267
Volume 2	February, 2013	“ “
Volume 3 and 4	May, 2014	“ “
Volume 5 and 6	May, 2015	“ “

A total of Fifty-Five (55) topical issues have so far been published under the Journal title which has fourteen (14) eminent scholars on her editorial board.

Despite these legion of publications and a number others in print, the leadership of the Institute has resolved not to rest on its oars in ensuring that the Institute maintains her enviable status as the epicenter of qualitative scholarship thrust; hence, Faculty members are constantly encouraged to undertake investigations capable of extending the frontiers of knowledge in the designated focus areas with a view to proffering landmark policy solutions.

INAUGURAL AND UNIVERSITY LECTURE SERIES

As the tradition in every academic community, the culture of inaugural lectures is held high as one of the thrusts of academic obligations a university owes its immediate community and the larger society in general. The culture is strict and particularly competitive in University of Ibadan due to the rigorous parameters that must be complied with in the screening processes to select inaugural lecturers yearly. Despite this, within its short period of existence, the Institute takes pride in clinching a rare fit; two inaugural lectures and one university lecture have so far been presented by the erudite professors in the Institute. The lectures are listed below with their respective url links:

University Lecture:

Title: BEYOND NIGERIA'S SAMBISA: FOREST, INSURGENCY AND COUNTER-INSURGENCY IN AFRICA

Lecturer: Professor Isaac Olawole Albert, *fspsp, ficmc*
Date: Thursday, 15 June, 2017

Inaugural Lectures:

Title: *PINCHED, DITCHED OR JINXED: THE MANTRA OF AFRICAN SOLUTIONS TO AFRICA PROBLEMS*
Lecturer: Professor Isaac Olawole Albert, *fspsp, ficmc*
Date: Thursday, 3 February, 2011

Title: *THE 'TRINITY' AND THE MISSING MISSION IN POLICING*
Lecturer: Professor Amos Oyesoji Aremu, *fc., fspsp*
Date: Thursday, 18 May, 2017

Title: *WHEN LABOUR IS THE BEGINNING OF INSECURITY*
Lecturer: Professor Tajudeen Ademola Akanji, *fspsp, ficmc*
Date: Thursday, 30 August, 2018
Url link: <https://m.youtube.com/watch?v=nYCv8NtwevI&t=256s>