# *CURRICULUM VITAE*

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**HIGHEST EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATION**  Ph.D, Environmental Management, University of Nigeria,

Nsukka (May 2011)

**CURRENT POSITION:** 1. Head, Department of Geography, University of Nigeria, Nsukka (02 August 2021-Date)

2. Professor of Environmental Management & Sustainability, University of Nigeria, Nsukka (01 October 2018-Date)

3. UNN-Conversation Africa Focal Person (July 2021 –Date)

4. Senior Research Fellow, Environment for Development Initiative (EfD), Gothenburg University, Sweden <https://efdinitiative.org/about-efd/people/nzeadibe-thaddeus-chidi>

**RESEARCH INTERESTS**: sustainable environmental management, environmental and social impact assessment,

corporate-community engagement, climate change awareness and adaptation, vulnerability to flood risk, political ecology, solid waste management in urban governance, Waste picking and Informal recycling economy, cities and pandemics, food systems sustainability, gender analysis and anticorruption in the education sector.

**RECENT FUNDED RESEARCH PROJECTS:**

* Uche Ezenwaka , Obinna Onwujekwe **, Chidi Nzeadibe** (2023) Assessing the level of multi-sectoral involvement in Water, Sanitation and Hygiene (WASH) for improving health in Urban Poor Setting in Anambra State. CHORUS (Community-Led Responsive and Effective Urban Health Systems) Innovation Fund, University of Leeds, UK. **Chidi Nzeadibe** is the Secondary Mentor to the PI.
* Wikimedia Foundation (WMF) Organizer Laboratory , Institute of Climate Change Studies, Energy and Environment & Department of Geography, University of Nigeria, Nsukka (2023). Deforestation in Nigeria Project grant (R-OL-2301-11658) **USD 18,873.00**: Wikimedia **Foundation. Chidi Nzeadibe** is a co-researcher
* **CHF 99, 832** r4d - Transformation Accelerating Grant by the Swiss Agency for Development and Cooperation (SDC) and the Swiss National Science Foundation (SNSF): Virtual Food Sustainability Academy: Training, practising and disseminating participatory food system assessments in Latin America and Africa. **Chidi Nzeadibe** is a co-Investigator and the West African Representative in this grant with 4 other Researchers (January –December 2021).
* **SEK 595,387** grant by Environment for Development Initiative (EfD), Gothenburg University, Sweden, for **MS-552 - Gender analysis of vulnerability to flood risk in farming and fishing communities of Kogi State, Nigeria** (March 2020). **Chidi Nzeadibe** is Principal Investigator in this grant with 5 co-investigators.
* **£ 75,410.00** grant by the **Anti-Corruption Evidence Research Consortium (**SOAS-ACE)/ UK DFID for ‘**Bursting the myth of “miracle examination centres’ in Nigeria: private secondary schools and malpractices in WAEC and NECO examination** (April 2020). **Chidi Nzeadibe** is a co-Principal Investigator in this grant with 2 other Researchers.
* **£**20,000 grant by the Royal Academy of Engineering, UK on **Promoting Hand Washing Hygiene amongst Primary School Pupils in Rural Communities in Nigeria. Chidi Nzeadibe** is a co-investigator Investigator in this grant with 4 other Researchers.
* **60,000 SEK** grant by Environment for Development Initiative (EfD), Gothenburg University, Sweden, for Exploratory work and full proposal development for **MS-552 - Gender analysis of vulnerability to flood risk in farming and fishing communities of Kogi State, Nigeria** (September 2019). **Chidi Nzeadibe** is Principal Investigator in this grant with 5 co-investigators.
* A grant of **USD 10, 000** to **Chidi Nzeadibe** and 5 others, awarded by Partnership for African Social and Governance Research (PASGR) for training in Advanced Social Science Research Methods at International Institute for Tropical Agriculture (IITA), Ibadan, Nigeria (September 2019).

**RECENT PUBLICATIONS**

1. Ajaero, C, K., Ebimgbo, S., Ezeibe, C., Ugwu, C., **Nzeadibe, C.,** Osabede, N,(2023). Life Satisfaction in South Africa: The Infuence of Inter‑Provincial Migration Status, *Psychological Studies* https://doi.org/10.1007/s12646-022-00697-0
2. Agwu, P., Odii, A., Orjiakor, T., Roy, P., **Nzeadibe, C**., Onalu, C., Okoye, U.O. and Onwujekwe, O. (2022), "Stakeholders’ perspectives on “miracle examination centres” in Nigeria", [*Quality Assurance in Education*](https://www.emerald.com/insight/publication/issn/0968-4883), Vol. ahead-of-print No. ahead-of-print. <https://doi.org/10.1108/QAE-12-2021-0193>
3. Agwu, P., Orjiakor, C.T., Odii,A., Onalu, C., **Nzeadibe, C**., Roy, P., Onwujekwe, O., and Okoye, U (2022). “Miracle Examination Centres” as hubs for malpractices in Senior Secondary School Certificate Examination in Nigeria: A systematic review. *International Journal of Educational Development*. Vol. 88, DOI: [10.1016/j.ijedudev.2021.102538](https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ijedudev.2021.102538)
4. Lenshie, N.E., Ojeh, V.N., Oruonye, E.D., Ezeibe, C., Ajaero, C., **Nzeadibe, T.C**., Udeogu, C. & Osadebe, N. (2022): Geopolitics of climate change-induced conflict and population displacement in West Africa, *Local Environment*, DOI: 10.1080/13549839.2022.2040461
5. Anazonwu, N.P., Nnamani, K.E., Osadebe, N., Anichebe, O., Ezeibe, C.C., Mbah, P.O and **Nzeadibe,**  **T.C.** (2021). State Actors, Human Rights Violations and Informal Livelihoods during the Covid-19 Pandemic in Nigeria. *Territory, Politics, Governance.* DOI: [10.1080/21622671.2021.1976262](http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/21622671.2021.1976262)
6. Nwobodo, TN., Ogbuene, EB and **Nzeadibe, TC** (2021).Effects of Sand Mining on Land use/landcover on River Environment in Developing Countries: A case study of Ava River in Enugu State, Nigeria. [IKENGA International Journal of the Institute of African Studies (ikengajournal.com.ng)](http://www.ikengajournal.com.ng/volume.php?id=57) [Ikenga (scimagojr.com)](https://www.scimagojr.com/journalsearch.php?q=21101048550&tip=sid&clean=0)
7. Onyishi, C.J., Ejike-Alieji, A.U.P., Ajaero, C.K., Mbaegbu,C.C., Ezeibe, C.C., Onyebueke , V.O., Mbah, P.O and **Nzeadibe, T.C.** (2021).COVID-19 pandemic and informal urban governance in Africa: A political economy perspective. *Journal of Asian and African Studies 56*(6) 1226–1250.DOI: 10.1177/0021909620960163
8. **Nzeadibe, T.C** and Ejike-Alieji, A.U.P.(2020). Solid waste management during Covid-19 pandemic: policy gaps and prospects for inclusive waste governance in Nigeria. *Local Environment:* DOI:10.1080/13549839.2020.1782357
9. Mbah, P.O., Ezirim, G.E., Ezeibe, C.C, Onyishi, C.J. and **Nzeadibe, T.C**. (2019).Value reclamation from informal municipal solid waste Management: Green neoliberalism and inclusive development in the Lagos, Nigeria.*Local Environment* 24 (10), 949-967.
10. Speranza, C.I., Ochege, F.U., **Nzeadibe, T.C**., and Agwu, A.E. (2017). Agricultural Resilience to Climate

Change in Anambra State, Southeastern Nigeria: Insights From Public Policy and Practice. In Zinyengere, N., Theodory, T.F., Gebreyes, M., and Speranza, C.I. (Eds). *Beyond Agricultural Impacts: Multiple Perspectives on Climate Change and Agriculture in Africa* (242-274). London: Elsevier. ISBN: 978-0-12-812624-0.

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