

Mentor Profile



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Introduction:

Talhatu Kolapo HAMZAT (or Dr. T.K. Hamzat), is a Professor of Neurological Physiotherapy and Clinical Consultant in Physiotherapy at the University of Ibadan and University College Hospital, Ibadan Nigeria respectively. He holds a B. Sc. (Honours) Physiotherapy; M.Ed. Physiology of Exercise and PhD in Neurological Physiotherapy (Ibadan). He is a Fellow of the Africa Academy of Sciences; Fellow of the Ergonomic Society of Nigeria; Fellow of the Nigeria Society of Physiotherapy, Fellow of the Institute of Management Consultant; Fellow Physiotherapy Postgraduate College of Nigeria. In addition he is the first professor (Chair) of neurological physiotherapy in West Africa.

He has taught physiotherapy and health sciences at both undergraduate and postgraduate levels across three Universities in the past 21 years and successfully supervised 25 Bachelor of Physiotherapy; 39 M.Sc. Physiotherapy and 9 PhD degree research works. Professor Hamzat has about 120 publications including two edited books, chapters in book and peer reviewed journal articles. He has served on the editorial boards and as a reviewer for several journals. He has also served as external examiner, assessor for promotions and panellist on grants applications. He has held several administrative, management and leadership positions. Many of his mentored colleagues hold high academic and clinical positions in Africa and beyond.

Research Expertise: Neurological Physiotherapy; Community Reintegration;

Clinical expertise and skills: Stroke Physiotherapy; Pain Management and Head Injury Physiotherapy

Number of mentees I can take: 5 (Five)

Frequency of Meeting: weekly or Monthly or quarterly: Monthly via zoom but I am willing to meet in person at any available opportunity