# JUDITH AMEGBE

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## **EDUCATION**

Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge

**Expected 2028** 

PhD Sociology

University of Ghana, Accra

**Sept 2012 - July 2016** 

Bachelor of Arts, Political Science and Sociology Combined Major

# <u>RESEARCH EXPERIENCE</u>

Climate Resilient Innovations for Sustainable Production of Rice (CRISP – Rice) May-June 2025

Research Assistant

AgCentre- LSU

Louisiana State University

o Collected data by interviewing rice growers in the US South.

#### **COVID-19 & Scientific Collaboration Research**

Aug 2023

Research Assistant

Dr. Wesley M Shrum (Lead Investigator)

Louisiana State University

o collected data via surveys from scientists at the University of Ghana

# Video Ethnography on Plant Medicine Research, Mampong-Akwapim

**Aug 2022** 

Research Assistant

Dr. Wesley M Shrum (Lead Investigator)

Louisiana State University

o filmed interviews regarding the use of plant medicine in the treatment of COVID-19 at the Center for Plant Medicine Research

#### **CONFERENCE PRESENTATION**

Shrum Wesley, Asiamah Nana Osei, **Amegbe Judith**, Miller Paige. "Paradox of Precaution: Why the Pandemic Could Not Be Controlled". Mid-South Sociology Association, Paper Session, New Orleans, October 2023.

**Judith Amegbe,** Nyunsu Oh, "Racial Dynamics and Hate Crimes: A Community-Level Investigation in Chicago" – LSU DFSGSA Conference, Paper Session, March 2025.

**Judith Amegbe**, Nyunsu Oh, "Racial Dynamics and Hate Crimes: A Community-Level Investigation in Chicago" – Southern Sociological Society, Paper Session, April 2025.

## **TEACHING**

## **Graduate Teaching Assistant**

**Aug 2023 - In view** 

 $Sociology\ of\ Mental\ Health\ ||\ Social\ Interaction\ ||\ Criminology\ ||\ Methods\ of\ Social\ Research\ ||\ Sociology\ of\ Religion$ 

- o Provided guidance and feedback on students' assignments
- o Graded various assignments, presentations, and exams
- o Proctored exams for over 600 students to ensure compliance with the examination code

# LSU Summer Academic Success Program (SASP)

May - Aug 2024

Strategy Tutor

- o Supported 6 incoming student-athletes in transitioning to college life at LSU
- o Encouraged academic responsibility by guiding students to prioritize tasks and take initiative
- o Helped students apply key concepts from academic modules throughout the program

# Avenue Chemist MCA Training School, Accra Teaching Assistant

Feb - Mar 2012

- o Led and facilitated students' group study sessions
- o Assisted in grading and evaluating exam scripts

# **PROFESSIONAL HISTORY**

## Louisiana State University - Office of Global Engagement

**June – July 2025** 

Mentor-in-Residence, Mandela Washington Fellowship

- o Supported 24 visiting Fellows from sub-Saharan Africa during a six-week U.S. State Department leadership program.
- o Facilitated community-building, cross-cultural engagement, and personal development programming.
- o Provided mentorship, crisis response, and housing support to Fellows, fostering a safe and inclusive environment.
- Coordinated with program staff to deliver events, manage logistics, and resolve housing and maintenance issues.

#### Twitchouse Marketing Services Ltd, Accra

Nov 2021 - March 2023

Backend Data Entry Supervisor (Part-time)

- o Provided support to over 400 on-site promotional activations and operations across 10 regions in Ghana
- o Supervised and monitored over 200 promoters during Below-The-Line (BTL) promotional activities for Guinness Ghana Limited.
- o Organized, reported and captured data on all BTL activations to ensure quality and accuracy.

## GIG Logistics Ghana, Accra

**Aug 2019 – Sept 2022** 

Training and Development Lead || E-commerce Manager || Experience Centre Lead || CSR

- o Designed training materials and conducted staff training.
- Managed E-commerce clients' portfolios resulting in a significant increase in customer base and sales
- o Managed Centre activities and assisted with marketing and advertising

### Em-Ess Pharmacy Ltd, Accra

**Apr 2012 – July 2019** 

Administrator || Pharmacy Assistant

- Organized Onboarding for interns and new hires
- o Managed procurement and liaised with accountants for financial reports
- o Provided guidance on prescription and over-the-counter medications

## **LEADERSHIP**

## **Graduate Students Association**

July 2025 - In view

Director, Academic and Professional Committee

Member, Community and Social Committee

o Review Graduate Students' travel award applications and make recommendations on award eligibility.

#### **GSA Travel Award Committee**

July 2024 – In view

Board Member

o Review Graduate Students' travel award applications and make recommendations on award eligibility.

#### Africa Graduate Students Association, LSU

**April 2024 – May 2025** 

Membership Chair

- Enrolled new and returning members each semester to maintain accurate and up-to-date membership records
- o Planned and organized events to foster community and member engagement (Pitch Perfect, Galentine's with M)
- o Ensured all members completed LSU's mandatory Registered Student Organization (RSO) training to stay in compliance with university policies
- Coordinated volunteer activities to strengthen campus involvement and organizational visibility (Fanatics volunteer shifts during LSU game days and Geaux Big 2025)

## **SERVICE**

# Louisiana State University (LSU), Baton Rouge

Geaux Big Baton Rouge

March 2025

Site Coordinator

Geaux Big Baton Rouge

**April 2024** 

Volunteer at Dalton Elementary School.

Global Community Centre, LSU

Aug 2024, Jan 2025, Aug 2025

Orientation Leader

Fanatics – LSU Sport shop

**Sept - Dec 2024** 

Customer Service Personnel

LSU Discover Day (Undergraduate Research and Creativity Conference)

**April 2024** 

Session Moderator

Google Developer Group, Accra

Nov 2022 - 2023

DevFest Volunteer

DevFest is a local Tech conference hosted by Google Developer Groups (GDG) around the world each year.

Sickle Life Support Group, Accra

Oct 2022 – 2023

Volunteer

Compassion Medical Outreach, Accra

2019 - 2023

Volunteer

#### **SKILLS**

Communication | Community Building | Event Planning and coordination | Project Management | Video Editing