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## NEWSLETTER

September 2023



### Notes from the Executive Vice-Chair

*Welcome to the September edition of our newsletter.*

This month, we were a key sponsor of the 'Celebrate' event hosted by the Global Business Coalition for Health (GBCHealth), which took place on the sidelines of the United Nations General Assembly (UNGA 78) activities in New York. The occasion marked over 26 years of impact and the organisation's relentless dedication to pursuing a healthier world,

We are pleased to announce the class of our 2023/2024 AIG Public Leaders Programme. The programme, delivered in partnership with the Blavatnik School of Government, University of Oxford, represents a unique opportunity for emerging African public sector leaders to develop their leadership capacity and acquire the skills necessary to drive transformative change in their respective roles.

2019 AIG Scholar Hakeem Onasanya, who currently works with the Lagos State Government, has earned a well-deserved place among the elite group of young African leaders nominated for the 17th edition of The Future Awards Africa, a prestigious recognition dedicated to celebrating outstanding young Africans who are making remarkable strides in various fields. We are proud of the transformative work Hakeem is doing to improve public sector effectiveness.

You can read more about these and other updates in this newsletter.

**Ofovwe Aig-Imoukhuede**  
Executive Vice-Chair



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FEATURES

## GBCHealth 'Celebrate'



This month, we were a key sponsor of the Global Business Coalition for Health (GBCHealth) 'Celebrate' event, which held in New York. The event commemorated GBCHealth's 26 years of global impact and the organisation's unwavering commitment to improving health outcomes worldwide.

Over the years, GBCHealth has tirelessly worked towards its mission, improving health equity worldwide, impacting millions of people in its fight against HIV, tuberculosis and malaria and through its focus on maternal, child and adolescent health. In response to the evolving development landscape and a shift towards supporting local organisations, GBCHealth boldly decided to conclude its US operations by the end of 2023, aligning with a vision for a fully African-led effort. The 'Celebrate' event served as a platform to celebrate the impact of GBCHealth health equity and to acknowledge individuals and organisations that had contributed to its success.

During the event, our Chairman, Aigboje Aig-Imoukhuede, was presented with the 'Leadership and Vision for Global Health Transformation' award for his commitment to improving healthcare outcomes across Africa. Other award recipients included Access Bank Plc and the Aliko Dangote Foundation.



Introducing the class of the 2023/2024 AIG Public Leaders Programme

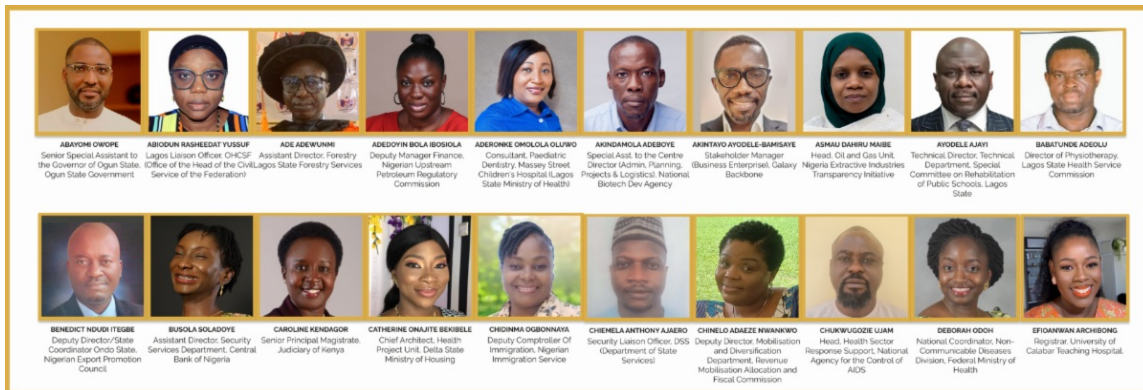
# AIG Public Leaders Programme

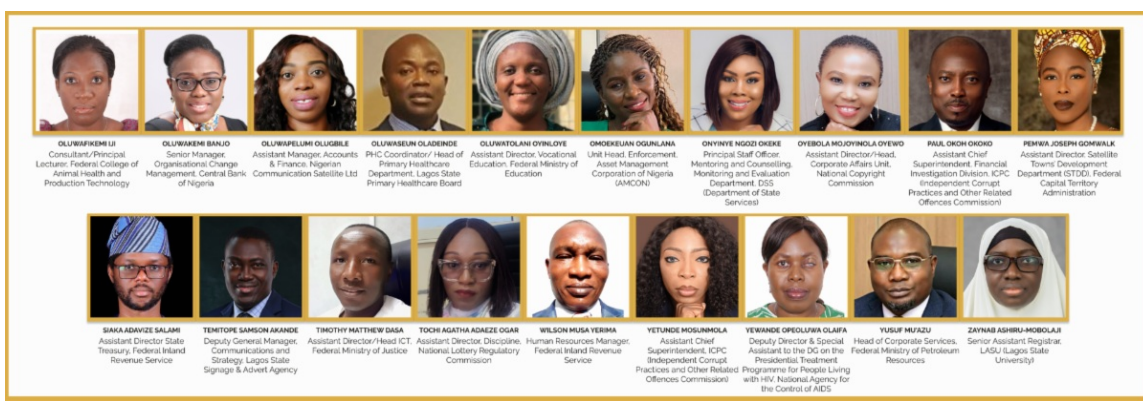
## CLASS OF 2023

We are pleased to introduce the class of our 2023/2024 AIG Public Leaders Programme. The AIG Public Leaders Programme (PLP) offers emerging African public sector leaders a unique opportunity to develop their leadership capacity and acquire the skills and knowledge necessary to drive change. Delivered in partnership with the University of Oxford's Blavatnik School of Government, the programme offers an immersive, world-class executive education experience led by some of the world's leading public policy experts and teachers.

The programme is designed to ensure these senior public leaders and those moving into senior leadership in the public sector over the next three to seven years master a range of new skills as quickly as possible. Programme alumni have leveraged the learnings gained from the PLP to develop programmes and introduce processes into their organisations that have resulted in greater efficiency and effectiveness.

The new cohort of public sector leaders underwent a stringent selection process to be accepted into the programme. Each participant exhibits remarkable qualities, a steadfast commitment to public service, and a vision for a brighter nation. Over the course of the programme, participants will engage in a transformative learning journey, exposure to cutting-edge ideas and best practices for the public sector. Congratulations to all our participants.





## The Future Awards Africa: Recognising Hakeem Onasanya's Impact on Governance



2019 AIG Scholar Hakeem Onasanya has been nominated for the 17th edition of The Future Awards Africa, joining an elite group of individuals who have been recognised as the best and brightest young African leaders.

The Future Awards Africa was initiated by The Future Project (TFP), a social enterprise dedicated to human and capital development, especially in Africa. TFP is the largest home-grown network of policymakers, businesspeople, and other stakeholders in Young Africa. The World Bank has described the Future Africa Awards as “The Nobel Prize for young Africans” and FORBES International as the “Most important award for outstanding young Africans”.

Hakeem Onasanya is the Head Startups at the Lagos State Employment Trust Fund (LSETF). The Lagos State Employment Trust Fund (LSETF) was established to tackle unemployment and promote entrepreneurship in Lagos State by empowering its residents with job and wealth-creation opportunities. A recent project he worked on was the Lagos MSME Recovery Project Fund, which the Governor of Lagos state set up to rehabilitate 4,876 small businesses and inhabitants of Lagos who were affected by the aftermath of the END SARS protests and the Covid-19 pandemic.

We celebrate Hakeem’s nomination for the Future Awards Africa Prize for Governance. His extraordinary work in the Nigerian Public Service is being noticed.

Congratulations, Hakeem!

## ALUMNI UPDATE



Akinyemi Abayomi Tosin is the *Information Technology Manager at National Agency for Food and Drug Administration and Control (NAFDAC)*. He is also the Lead Implementer, Certified Risk Manager, ISO 27001 on information security and the Chairman, Information Management System (IMS) Expert Working Group under WAHO Medicine Regulation Harmonization (MRH) project.

Abayomi says that participating in the AIG Public Leaders Programme expanded his perspective beyond pursuing self-seeking goals and awakened in him the passion to drive positive change in his work.

“My participation in the AIG Public Leaders Programme in 2022 allowed me to learn from the best in the world and the experience of a few successful Nigerian public servants. Some of the lessons learnt during the programme have strengthened my stand to be a change agent. I would say that the programme made me a certified change agent”.

PLP candidates carry out a capstone project in their organisations, using their learnings from the programme. Abayomi’s project was titled **“The Automation of the Dossier Review Process in NAFDAC.”** The capstone project was inspired by the difficulties of managing the submission of large scientific documents in the NAFDAC review process and sustaining customer satisfaction, negatively impacting regulatory decisions. Abayomi applied knowledge gained from the PLP to develop a detailed Theory of Change for the dossier review process and adopted the ADKAR (Awareness, Desire, Knowledge, ability and Resilient) Change Management Model to establish and operationalise the Dossier Management system in NAFDAC.

The project impacted people and processes in NAFDAC through process reengineering, culture management, and customer support, which improved customer satisfaction and trust in the review process. The software application Abayomi developed received praise from both internal and external stakeholders and drew the attention of international organisations, some of whom expressed interest in turning his project deliverable into a model for regulatory activities and technology via a web-based, secure, user-friendly application.

Abayomi says that he has had the opportunity to travel across Africa and attend high-level meetings where he presented his innovative capstone project. He is in the process of presenting a business case to secure a grant to develop the software further.

## AFFILIATE UPDATE



The poster features a dark background with a starry night sky. At the top right is the PSHAN logo with the tagline 'Private Sector Health Alliance of Nigeria' and 'HEALTH | SUSTAINABILITY | VISIBILITY'. The main title 'PSHAN ANNUAL GALA & AWARDS NIGHT' is in large, bold letters. Below it is a laurel wreath with 'PSHAN AWARDS' in the center. To the right, the text 'Advancing Healthcare in Nigeria' is written in green, followed by a description of the event. The date '3rd November 2023' and time '5:00PM' are listed with icons. Below that, the event activities 'AWARDS | MUSIC | ART FASHION | COMEDY' are listed. A 'STRICTLY BY INVITATION' badge is in the bottom right. At the bottom, contact information is provided: 'For More Information: Communications@pschan.org | (01) 4549079 | pschan.org'. The 'Powered by:' section includes logos for Aliko Dangote Foundation, Zenith, and access.

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# PSHAN ANNUAL GALA & AWARDS NIGHT

## Advancing Healthcare in Nigeria

A magical evening of celebration, culture, and entertainment. Recognizing the efforts and achievements of individuals, organizations and institutions, in advancing healthcare and improving health outcomes in Nigeria.

 3rd November 2023

 5:00PM

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The inaugural edition of the PSHAN Annual Gala and Awards Night will take place on the 3rd of November, 2023. The event is dedicated to recognising individuals, organisations and institutions contributing to healthcare advancement in Nigeria. It promises to be a magical night of entertainment, culture, and celebration, all for advancing healthcare in Nigeria!

Nominations to spotlight these unsung heroes across different award categories and give them the recognition they deserve close on the 30<sup>th</sup> of September. Visit [pschan.org/gala](https://pschan.org/gala) to nominate.

Together, we can shape the future of healthcare in Nigeria and celebrate the heroes who lead the way.



# We Are Hiring LIAISON OFFICER (Ad hoc)

*The Liaison Officer/Site Inspector (Ad hoc) will work closely with the Project Facility Officer on a Primary Healthcare Centre in Rivers State*



## Requirements:

- Must reside within or around the Local Government Area of the PHC site
  - Must have a post-secondary degree (OND, HND, or a similar degree)
- (Visit <https://bit.ly/LiaisonRivers> for more information)



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PSHAN is currently receiving applications for the position of Liaison Officer / Site Inspector (Ad hoc) – Rivers State.

Responsibilities include but are not limited to:

1. Participating actively in basic stakeholder engagements with relevant agencies within states of operation.
2. Interfacing between the site Contractor and PSHAN, coordinating all contractor processes throughout PHC development.
3. Observing the quality and progress of the construction to ensure adherence to drawings, designs, and specifications with the Contract Documents and notify the Project Facility Officer immediately in the event of non-conformance.

Interested individuals can send their CVs and additional documentation via email to [hrrsupport@pshan.org](mailto:hrrsupport@pshan.org) using the Job Title as the email's subject.

Submissions end on the 5th of October. For more information, visit [pshan.org](http://pshan.org).

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