

ICC Judicial Nomination – Model curriculum vitae

FAMILY NAME:	OUSSEINI DJIBAGE	
FIRST NAME:	MAMAN	
MIDDLE NAME:	SANI	
GENDER:	Male	
DATE OF BIRTH:	24/10/1965	
NATIONALITY:	NIGERIEN	
REGIONAL CRITERIA:	Africa	
SECONDARY NATIONALITY: (IF APPLICABLE)	N/A	
MARITAL STATUS:	Married	
LIST A/LIST B	List A	
LANGUAGES	Mother tongue: Hausa	
- ENGLISH	(written) Intermediate	(oral) Intermediate
- FRENCH	(written) Advanced	(oral) Advanced
- OTHERS	Arabic : (written) Basic	(oral) Basic
	Zarma : (written) Advanced	(oral) Advanced
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EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS: <i>Date, institution, qualification(s) obtained (starting with most recent)</i> - Please copy/paste if more entries are needed		
<p>January 1991 - June 1992</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Institution:</i> Ecole Nationale de la Magistrature de Paris, International Section (France) - <i>Qualification(s) obtained:</i> Diploma of Judge of the courts (Magistrat de l'Ordre Judiciaire) <p>October 1985 - December 1989</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Institution:</i> Abdoul-Moumouni University in Niamey (Niger) - <i>Qualification(s) obtained:</i> Masters in public law <p>October 1982 - June 1985</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Institution:</i> Amadou Kouran Daga general college in Zinder (Niger) - <i>Qualification(s) obtained:</i> Baccalauréat, stream A4 (Philosophy and Humanities) 		

October 1978 - June 1982

- *Institution:* General secondary school No 1 in Zinder (Niger)
- *Qualification(s) obtained:* Middle school diploma (Brevet d'études)

October 1972 - June 1978

- *Institution:* Birni Est primary school in Zinder (Niger)
- *Qualification(s) obtained:* Primary school certificate (certificat de fin d'études primaires élémentaires)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE: Date, employer, post title, other information (starting with most recent)

- Please copy/paste if more entries are needed

- Please indicate the relevance of the experience to the candidacy under list A or list B, as appropriate

May 2022 - To date

- *Employer:* Ministry of Justice
- *Post title:* Chair of the National Mechanism for preparing reports and following up on the recommendations of the regional and international Treaty Bodies on human rights and on universal periodic review
- *Other information:* Focal point for the ICC, Treaty Bodies and Human Rights Council. Also responsible for presenting and championing these reports at the Office of the United Nations in Geneva.

January 2022 - To date

- *Employer:* Ministry of Justice
- *Post title:* Chair of the National Committee tasked with Reviewing and Amending the Criminal Code and Code of Criminal Procedure
- *Other information:* I currently hold this post concurrently with the one above. I am tasked, inter alia, with ensuring that our criminal legislation is compliant with international standards, specifically the abolition of the death penalty, and incorporating all the crimes falling within the jurisdiction of the ICC and of international humanitarian law. This overhaul will be completed in the next few months when the new laws are passed.

January 2017 - January 2022

- *Employer:* Ministry of Justice
- *Post title:* Permanent Secretary of the Inter-ministerial Committee responsible for producing Niger's reports for the Treaty Bodies and the Universal Periodic Review
- *Other information:* Also responsible for presenting and championing these reports at the United Nations Office in Geneva

September 2020 - January 2021

- *Employer:* Ministry of Justice

- *Post title:* Director-General of the Central Office for the Standardisation of State Coats of Arms and Seals
- *Other information:*

September 2015 - September 2020

- *Employer:* Ministry of Justice
- *Post title:* Inspector of the judicial authorities and the prison service
- Other information:*

December 2013-September 2015

- Employer: Ministry of Justice
- Post title: National Director of the Prison Service

September 2005-September 2007

- Employer: Ministry of Justice
- Post title: Public Prosecutor at the Regional Court (Tribunal de Grande Instance) of Arlit.

October 1996-September 2005

- Employer: Ministry of Justice
- Post title: Investigating magistrate at various district courts (tribunaux d'instance) in Niger

October 1992-October 1996

- Employer: Ministry of Justice
- Post title: Deputy Public Prosecutor at the Regional Court (Tribunal de Grande Instance) of Zinder

OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES:

- Please copy/paste if more entries are needed

October 2012-Current

- *Activity:* Part-time lecturer of Criminal law and Criminal procedure on courses at state and private universities in Niger

October 2009-Current

- *Activity:* Part-time lecturer of Criminal law and Criminal procedure at the National Civil Service and Judiciary College (Ecole Nationale d'Administration et de la Magistrature) in Niamey

October 2008-Current

- *Activity:* Responsible for courses in International Human Rights Law, International Humanitarian Law and International Public Law in Institutes and Grandes Ecoles
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MOST RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS

1. **La problématique du Contrat d'expatriation au Niger, cas du secteur minier, 1989, final dissertation;**
2. **Le Coutumier juridique au Niger : Cas du département de Guidan Roumdji, Eudes PDLN, 2002;**
3. **Stratégie de lutte contre les violences conjugales au Niger, Bruxelles Monde Selon les Femmes CIEF, 2010**
4. **Le Niger au rythme des Organes des Traités et de l'Examen Périodique Universel, Revue la Chancellerie, 2018;**
5. **Les juridictions nigériennes et leurs compétences, ENA course, 2019.**

MOST RELEVANT SEMINARS

10-15 March 2003: Attended the seminar to approve the draft amendments to the Criminal Code and Code of Criminal Procedure in Niamey;

18-22 October 2004: Training seminar for judges and criminal police officers on CEDAW and violence against women;

24-26 February 2005: Attended discussion days on the topic of "The role of lawyers in the fair administration of criminal justice" in Niamey;

3-7 April 2006: Seminar to train judges in Criminal Law and Criminal Procedure in Niamey;

25-27 October 2006: Attended the seminar on ethics and deontology for judges in Niamey;

13-15 March 2007: Seminar on criminal justice vis-à-vis financial institutions in Niamey;

3-6 April 2007: Continuous professional development seminar for judges on criminal, economic and financial proceedings in Zinder;

10-14 March 2009 in Niamey: Attended the seminar to train gender focal points from government departments on gender equality;

10-14 August 2009: Attended the workshop on Level 1 disaster management planning against a backdrop of insecurity, organised by the Level 1 US Emergency Operations Centre;

15-19 October 2012: Attended the workshop on advanced disaster management planning against a backdrop of insecurity, organised by the US Emergency Operations Centre;

10-17 June 2008: Training seminar in Dakar on money laundering;

17 April - 11 June 2010: International training course on gender as a condition for sustainable development at the Centre for Gender Studies and Training;

26-27 July 2010: Seminar to approve proposals on judicial assistance and legal aid in Niamey;

6-20 December 2011 in Accra (Ghana): Training course on African mechanisms to safeguard human rights and promote democracy;

17 to 28 June 2013 in Strasbourg (France): Training on international human rights law and international humanitarian law at the International Institute of Human Rights;

5-9 May 2014: Training seminar in Kollo for prison chiefs on national and international standards for the treatment of prisoners;

17 to 28 June 2014 in Strasbourg (France): international training seminar on international humanitarian law;

10-15 September 2015: Training seminar in Tahoua for prison nurses on legal standards regarding the health of prisoners;

November 2014: International conference on prison reforms in the Sahel states organised by UNODC;

23-28 February 2015: seminar in Bamako on International Criminal Law and Human Rights;

6-24 July: training in Strasbourg on “Children and International Human Rights Law”

August 2015: Conference on the challenges facing the prison service in Niger in the context of terrorism;

24-26 July 2018: International Conference in Dakar on the Universal Periodic Review (UPR);

6-8 September 2022: International conference in Geneva on implementing UPR recommendations;

December 2022: Regional seminars on outreach involving the conventions against torture and enforced disappearance;

17-18 January 2023: International Conference in Dakar on the theme of “The way forward in torture prevention in West Africa: challenges and outlook”;

MEMBERSHIP OF PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS AND SOCIETIES

Member of the Nigerien Association for the Protection of Human Rights;

Member of the TIMIDRIA Association to combat slavery and related practices;

Member of the independent union of judges of Niger (syndicat autonome des magistrats du Niger);

Member of the International Association of Judges.

AWARDS AND HONOURS

Honours

1. Honour of Chevalier de l'Ordre de Mérite du Niger conferred upon me by the President of the Republic in 1999;
2. Honour of Chevalier de l'Ordre National du Niger conferred upon me by the President of the Republic in 2020;
3. Honour of Officier de l'Ordre de Mérite du Niger conferred upon me by the President of the Republic in 2022;
4. I have received a number of official positive testimonials from my superiors and civil society organisations about my efforts to promote human rights.

PERSONAL INTERESTS

Combating injustice, helping and supporting my fellow human beings, helping others find a zest for life, helping victims whose rights have been violated, promoting and protecting the rights of vulnerable persons, etc.

OTHER RELEVANT FACTS

I hold a number of training certificates on Human Rights, International Human Rights Law and International Criminal Law from the International Institute of Human Rights in Strasbourg. I am one of the initiators of the ratification by my country of several international instruments to promote and protect human rights, including the amendments to the Rome Statute and the non-applicability of statutory limitation for crimes within the jurisdiction of the ICC. I was one of those who facilitated the surrender of Ahmed Al Faqi of Mali, accused of war crimes, to the ICC in 2015.

Interests: Travel, reading, documentaries, traditional music from around the world.