

PERSONAL PROFILE

REV. FR. EDMUND CHUKWUDALU IGBOANUSI



Fr. Igboanusi is a seasoned professional with more than 20 years experience as a lecturer and administrator. He began his career as a Lecturer and has served as Director and member on national and international administrative boards in ecclesiastical and academic institutions. He has done pioneering work in audiovisual productions and Information and Communication Technology outfits.

Edmund Igboanusi holds a PhD in Media Ethics from the St. Louis University, Missouri, USA. He studied philosophy and theology at undergraduate levels in Nigeria; took an interdisciplinary Masters Degree in Philosophy and Social Communications at the Gregorian University in Rome in 1992. His experience in Rome and internship at a Jesuit Audiovisual Production Studio in St. Louis Missouri, USA helped him focus his career in the area of communications, particularly audiovisual productions. His doctoral work offered him a privileged theoretical base for tackling issues in professional ethics in the media.

In his teaching career, Fr. Igboanusi lectured extensively and undertook administrative duties at the Claretian Institute of Philosophy, [an affiliate of the University of Port Harcourt] where he was Academic Dean, and the Imo State University, Owerri, where he has been teaching courses in professional ethics. His availability in the teaching field and engagement in professional platforms, through workshops, seminars and papers gives him a rare access to the challenges of moral and technical policies faced by professionals.

Fr. Igboanusi has worked extensively in Radio and Television productions and documentaries; pioneered the establishment of the Claretian Communications [CLACOM] in 1995, and was in the Board for over 12 years. He was also the provincial Director of schools for the Claretian Missionaries Province of Nigeria, and represented the province in the General Economic Council in Rome. He has developed and run key computer training programs, along with other threshold projects like the Living Flames Studios – an audiovisual production center in Owerri.

Likewise Fr. Igboanusi has several publications to his title: 9 books, over 36 Journal and Conference papers, 18 other creative works including 6 electronic resources [an audio-bible set, documentaries, teachings and musicals in CDs and MP3s], among others.

Currently as Director of ICT in Imo State University, he continues to develop his skills and proficiency in the Information Technology platforms that propel and guide the interfaces between ethics and the professions.

His interest is to continue to extend his services to professional groups and consultancies that need his skills and leverage to maximize the ethical standards of their profession and working environment for overall productivity.