

## GEORGE OWUSU FORDAH

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### **OBJECTIVE**

To acquire internships that will improve and help me gain experience to become a successful Marine Ecologist and obtain my Master's degree and PhD.

### **EDUCATION**

#### **Institutions**

University of Ghana  
Legon, Ghana  
Major: Oceanography and Fisheries Science  
Current GPA: 3.67  
Expected Graduation Date: May 2011

**Date**  
2007-Present

Presbyterian Boys' Senior High School  
(West Africa Secondary Schools Certificate Examination)

2003-2006

### **POSITIONS HELD AND AWARDS**

- 2010 Assistant Class Representative; (Oceanography and Fisheries Third Year Class)
- 2007 Class Counselor, Christ Advanced Academy, Dansoman
- 2006-2007 General Secretary, Discipline Youth Club, Nankese
- 2003 Best Student, Suhum District (Basic Education Certificate Examination)

### **PRESENTATIONS**

- 2010 Damming by Beavers,  
Oceanography and Fisheries Department  
University of Ghana
- 2010 Determinants of Marine Species Diversity  
Oceanography and Fisheries Department  
University of Ghana
- 2010 Tidal Exchanges Between Rivers and Seas, Rivers

and Aquifers and Sub-surface Flow into the Sea  
Oceanography and Fisheries Department  
University of Ghana

### **WORK EXPERIENCE AND INTERSHIPS**

- 2010 Undergraduate Research Experience in Ocean, Marine, and Polar Science 2010  
Elizabeth City State University and University of Kansas  
Team: “Autonomous GPS Guided Watercraft”  
Mentor: Dr. Eric Akers
- 2007-2008 Quality Control Assistant Supervisor, Stripes Manufacturing and Trading Limited, (Darling), Spintex
- 2007 Mathematics Teacher, Christ Advanced Academy, Dansoman

### **SEMINARS ATTENDED AND THEIR ORGANIZERS**

- Climate Change, Its Effect on Biodiversity (Student Representative Council, University of Ghana, Legon)
- Trophic and Community Structure of Coral Reefs (Department of Oceanography & Fisheries, University of Ghana, Legon)
- Capacity Building & Entrepreneurial Seminar: Unleashing your Corporate Personality (Pentecost Students and Associates, University of Ghana, Legon)

### **RELEVANT SKILLS**

- Good communication skills with clear oral and written presentation skills
- Microsoft PowerPoint
- Ubuntu Linux
- Macintosh OS X
- Dreamweaver
- Adobe Photoshop
- Good team player
- Familiar with Microsoft Word 2003/2007
- JavaScript
- Introduction to GPS and GRID Computing