

## **Biography of Professor Uche Scholastica Anaduaka**

Professor Uche Scholastica Anaduaka (nee Arinze) hails from Eziowelle in Anambra State, Nigeria. She attended Girls Secondary School Ozubulu in Anambra State before proceeding to University of Calabar, where she obtained a Bachelor of Science Education degree in Mathematics. She then taught Mathematics and Further Mathematics at Federal Government College Ugwolawo and later Ajaokuta Steel Company Staff Comprehensive Secondary School for some years. Within this period, she obtained her Masters and Doctorate degrees in Mathematics Education from the prestigious University of Nigeria, Nsukka in 1992 and 2008 respectively.

Professor Uche S. Anaduaka joined the service of the University of Abuja in 2008 as Lecturer II and rose to the rank of Professor of Mathematics Education in 2019. She is an astute scholar with keen interest in exploring avenues to make Mathematics learning an enjoyable experience for every child irrespective of their innate or other tendencies and has dedicated her career to enhancing the teaching and learning of the subject. Her researches focus on innovative strategies to make mathematics pleasurable for all students, believing according to Howard Gardner (in his Multiple Intelligences Theory) that every individual has the ability to learn Mathematics. Professor Uche has published extensively, supervised numerous graduate students, and contributed significantly to various educational initiatives across Nigeria and beyond. She is an active resource person and consultant, participating in numerous workshops aimed at improving mathematics and science education.

She has held many administrative responsibilities in the University which include Deputy Dean-Faculty of Education, Director- Institute of Education and is presently the Director Quality Assurance Unit in the University. She is a member of many professional bodies including the Mathematical Association of Nigeria (MAN), the Science Teachers Association of Nigeria (STAN) and the Nigerian Academy of Education (NAE). She is married with children and grandchildren.

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