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## EDUCATION

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| <b>PhD in electrical engineering</b>  | <b>(May 2025)</b>      |
| <b>Concentration area: Power electronics and control theory</b>   |                        |
| <b>Institution: University of Douala</b>  |                        |
| <b>Master of Engineering in Electrical power systems</b>  |                        |
| <b>Concentration area: Renewable energy systems</b>   | <b>(January 2021)</b>  |
| <b>Institution: University of Buea</b>  |                        |
| <b>Master of Science in Electrical Engineering</b>  | <b>(November 2020)</b> |
| <b>Concentration area: Power electronics and control theory</b>   |                        |
| <b>Institution: University of Douala</b>  |                        |
| <b>Technical School Teacher's Diploma (DIPET 11) in Electrical power engineering, option: Electrotechnics</b> | <b>(July 2016)</b>     |
| <b>Institution: University of Bamenda</b>   |                        |

## RESEARCH INTEREST AND APPLICATION AREAS

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**Research interest:** The fields of power electronics, renewable energy systems, artificial intelligence, non-linear controllers, and optimization algorithms

**Application Areas:** Industry (smart manufacturing systems, transportation systems, renewable energy systems, critical events forecasting, performance assessment, communication networks), Electric vehicles, smart grids and autonomous systems.

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

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- **Currently working on performance analysis of control techniques applied to bidirectional DC-DC converters** (July 2025- Present)
- **Publishe the following articles:**
  - Accurate and optimal control of a bidirectional DC-DC converter: A robust adaptive approach enhanced by particle swarm optimization
  - PSO-adaptive sliding mode control of a bidirectional DC-DC converter with an improved reaching law
  - Robust adaptive integral sliding mode control of a half-bridge bidirectional DC-DC converter
  - Robust adaptive sliding mode control of a bidirectional DC-DC converter feeding a resistive and CPL based on PSO

**Institution: University of Douala** **(November 2024-June 2025)**

- Defended a PhD thesis on Design of a robust controller for a bidirectional DC-DC converter.

**Institution: University of Douala** (May 2025)

- Defended a Master of Engineering thesis on Improving the life time of a photovoltaic system by effective service management

**Institution: University of Buea** (January 2018-October 2021)

- Defended a Master of Science thesis on Design of a robust controller for a bidirectional DC-DC converter

**Institution: University of Douala** (January 2017-October 2020)

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

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**Course Instructor** **October 2015-**

**Present**

**Ministry of Higher Education (Estuary academic institute Bafoussam)**

- Develops lecture notes to meet the academic, intellectual, and social needs of students. Used a variety of teaching techniques to encourage student critical thinking and discussion in the following institutions :

**Institution: College of Technology (University of Buea)**

**Courses:** Electrical machines, Maintenance and repairs, Power electronics, control feedback systems etc.

Institution: Institut Universitaire de la Côte (Private Institution)

**Courses:** Control of electrical machines and drives

## **PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT/TRAINING**

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- Work as an electrician  
Enterprise: WELL Service Douala.
- Internship: Construction and maintenance of MV/LV lines, domestic installations in CENELEC enterprise, Bamenda
- Professional teachers training college for technical education Institution: University of Bamenda

## **PROFESSIONAL SERVICES**

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- Maintenance of installation of electrical systems
- Design and conception of electrical systems

## **COMMUNITY /VOLUNTEER SERVICE**

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In Charge of academic mentoring of engineering students for end of study projects in private universities

Supervision of Undergraduate and Graduate Students

## **OFFICIAL LANGUAGES PROFICIENCY**

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English: Fluent

French: Intermediate

## **REFERENCES**

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