

**NAME: AUGUSTINA CHARWAY-FELLI**

**DATE OF BIRTH: 20 AUGUST 1975**

**QUALIFICATIONS: MD, PhD, FGCPs**

**PROFESSION:** Medical Doctor, Neurologist

**WORK EXPERIENCE**

**Jan 2008 – Current Time:** Ministry of Defence; 37 Military Hospital, Medical Division. Accra, Ghana  
Position: SENIOR SPECIALIST (NEUROLOGIST)

**Sept. – Dec.2007:** Komfo Anokye Teaching Hospital. Kumasi, Ghana  
Position: SPECIALIST NEUROLOGIST

**Feb.2003-Feb.2007:** Department of Nervous Diseases, A.Ya. Kozhevnikov Clinic of Nervous Diseases, Memory Laboratory  
I.M. Sechenov Moscow Medical Academy (Renamed I.M Sechenov First Moscow State Medical University) Moscow, Russian Federation  
Position: NEUROLOGIST  
POST-GRADUATE RESEARCHER,  
TEACHING ASSISTANT

**Sept.2000-Dec.2002:** Department of Nervous Diseases, A.Ya. Kozhevnikov Clinic of Nervous Diseases, I.M. Sechenov Moscow Medical Academy (Renamed I.M Sechenov First Moscow State Medical University) Moscow, Russian Federation  
Position: RESIDENT NEUROLOGIST IN TRAINING/ORDINATOR

**EDUCATION**

**Feb.2003-Nov.2006:** Department of Nervous Diseases, A.Ya. Kozhevnikov Clinic of Nervous Diseases, I.M. Sechenov Moscow Medical Academy (Renamed I.M Sechenov First Moscow State Medical University) Moscow, Russian Federation  
Post graduate research/*aspirantura* (Fellowship Equivalent) Programme  
**Event-related potential P300 in cerebrovascular disease, Alzheimer's disease and healthy ageing**  
✓ Dissertation defended – 20 November 2006. Awarded degree – Doctor of Philosophy (PhD, Medical Sciences [Neurology]) (AKH № 008990).

**Sept.2000-Sept.2002:** Department of Nervous Diseases, A.Ya. Kozhevnikov Clinic of Nervous Diseases, I.M. Sechenov Moscow Medical Academy (Renamed I.M Sechenov First Moscow State Medical University) Moscow, Russian Federation  
Post Graduate Specialisation ( Clinical Ordinatura- Specialisation)

- ✓ Specialisation in Neurology: Certificate awarded № CO №006811 reg № 53 issued 18 December 2002.

**Sept.1994- June 2000:**

I.M. Sechenov Moscow Medical Academy (Renamed I.M Sechenov First Moscow State Medical University) Moscow, Russian Federation

- ✓ Faculty: Medical
- ✓ Qualification: (MD) *General Medicine*. Diploma awarded: № 0014845 registration № 74, issued 16 June 2000.

**MEMBERSHIP in PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES**

- ✓ **Fellow of the Ghana College of Physicians and Surgeons**; Faculty of internal Medicine; 2019
- ✓ African Academy of Neurology (AFAN) – **Secretary General Sep.2015-Aug.2019; President-elect Sep.2019-Aug.2021**
- ✓ Epilepsy Society of Ghana (International League Against Epilepsy (ILAE) Ghana Chapter) – **2<sup>nd</sup> vice president 2008 - present**
- ✓ Ghana Neuroscience Society – **Vice president (2017-2021)**
- ✓ International Parkinson and Movement Disorders Society (MDS) – **Education Committee Member (2019-2021; Africa Steering committee- Education committee member (2019-2021);**
- ✓ World Federation of Neurology (WFN) **Tropical and Geographical Neurology Research Group member**
- ✓ World Federation of Neurology (WFN) **Specialty group: Neuroepidemiology- member**
- ✓ World Federation of Neurology (WFN) **Specialty group: Rare diseases – member**
- ✓ European Academy of Neurology (EAN) – **Task force for Africa**
- ✓ World Stroke Organisation
- ✓ American Academy of Neurology
- ✓ International Brain Research Organisation

**PROFESSIONAL SPEAKING, TRAINING, TEACHING AND ADVOCACY ACTIVITIES:**

**CURRENT: Organising scientific committee AFAN- WFN e-learning day - Epilepsy.**

- ✓ **Multiple Televised and Radio Public Interviews on Epilepsy and related stigma**
- ✓ **World Congress of Neurology Kyoto 2017:** Epilepsy Burden: is it related to restricted resource? (session M01D: Epilepsy – Diagnosing and Treating Epilepsy and its Stigma in Resource-Restricted Settings)
- ✓ **IBRO – ILAE School (Dakar 2017):** Epilepsy and parasitosis
  - Antiepileptic medications
  - Onchocerciasis and Epilepsy
- ✓ **European Academy of Neurology SubSaharan Africa Regional Training Course**
  - Maputo, Mozambique; 10-12 November 2016
  - Epilepsy Treatment Gap and possible therapies in SSA;
  - Case studies: new onset Seizures in the context of HIV

- ✓ **European Academy of Neurology SubSaharan Africa Regional Training Course**
  - Ouagadougou, Burkina Faso – November 11-14, 2017
    - Epidemiology and Classification of Spinal cord disorders
- ✓ **Academy of Neurology SubSaharan Africa Regional Training Course; Antananarivo, Madagascar, Mozambique; 24-28 October 2018**
  - Epidemiology and new definition of Epilepsy
- ✓ **European Academy of Neurology congress; Oslo 2019: Selecting patients for epilepsy surgery**
- ✓ **World Congress of Neurology; Dubai 2019: The hidden threat of the dementias in Africa**
- ✓ **Joint European Academy of Neurology/African Academy of Neurology SubSaharan Africa Regional Training Course**
  - **Accra, Ghana; 4-9 September 2019**
    - Neuropathies and Myopathies;
    - Case studies
- ✓ **Neurological Society of Cote D'Ivoire Conference; Abidjan 2019: Clinical Aspects of Neuromyelitis Optica Spectrum disorders.**
- ✓ **European Academy of Neurology Congress – Amsterdam 2017: Women in Neurology**
- ✓ **International Tropical Neurology Conference (INTROPICON 2017) (Mumbai, India) – Diagnosing Neurodegenerative diseases in resource restricted settings**
- ✓ **Ghana College Of Physicians And Surgeons (Neurology Resource person/faculty):**
  1. 2016 Preconference Workshop (21 November) – Faculty Of Internal Medicine: Status Epilepticus Management – **Clinical Features/Causes Of Status Epilepticus**
  2. 2013 Neurology Update:
    - **Neurodegenerative Disorders**
    - **Cerebellar Disorders**
- ✓ **Narh Bitu Hospital, Tema Ghana**
  - 1) **UG-ORID (TDTC) (Tema) 4 October 2016: Practical Management Of Status Epilepticus – “Other Aspects Of Management Of Status Epilepticus”**
  - 2) The Effects of Non-Communicable Diseases on Today's Adult Patient: “Stroke, Parkinson's disease and the Dementias” 13 June 2018
  - 3) Through the heat to the brain: Sequelae of Haematological conditions on the heart and Brain: “neurological sequelae of haematological disease”; 3 April 2019
- ✓ **GLICO CPD –**
  - November 2015: Acute Management And Secondary Prevention Of Stroke
  - March 2017: **Epilepsy**  
Sleep disorders
  - June 2019: Overview of cognitive and Memory disorders
- ✓ **37 Military Hospital CPD Programmes (2012-2020):**
  - Epilepsy
  - The Dementias
  - Stroke
  - Neurological Emergencies
  - Neuropsychiatric Sequelae Of Traumatic Brain Injury
  - Neurodegenerative disease (Parkinson's disease; Dementias)
  - Neurodevelopmental disorders
  - Etc

- ✓ **IBRO – ISN** advanced school on the Neurological Aspects of Infectious diseases: from basic science to clinical implications (Kumasi, Ghana; 12-16 December 2016):
    - Introduction of the African Academy of Neurology
    - Botulotoxin in Dystonias and other neurological disease
    - Cognitive and Behavioural aspects of infections of the Nervous System
  
  - ✓ **Neurology For The Non-Neurologist** (Internation Parkinson And Movement Disorder Society) (September 2013) – Secondary Dementias
  
  - ✓ **Physiotherapy in Parkinson’s: A practical Approach** (Internation Parkinson And Movement Disorder Society) July 6-7, 2018
    - Medical management and implications for physiotherapy.
    - Assessment of a person with Parkinson’s: practical workshop with live model
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