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Profile

Dr. Okello Ivan Odongo is an educational psychologist, academic leader, and researcher with extensive experience in university teaching, teacher education, and academic administration. He specializes in educational psychology and has a strong track record in teaching, research, and student supervision. He is committed to advancing quality education through innovative teaching, impactful research, and community engagement.

Academic Qualifications

- PhD in Educational Psychology, Makerere University (2022–2025)
- Master of Education in Educational Psychology, Makerere University (2017–2019)
- Bachelor of Teacher Education, Kyambogo University (2014–2016)

Research Interests

Educational Psychology, Cognitive Psychology, and Social Psychology.

Professional Experience

- Ag. Head of Department & Lecturer, Lira University (2024–Present)
- School Practice Coordinator, Lira University (2024–2025)
- Assistant Lecturer, Lira University (2022–2024)
- Centre Coordinating Tutor & Graduate Tutor, Bishop Willis Core PTC, Iganga (2019–2022)
- Education Assistant, Lira District Local Government (2012–2019)
- Deputy Head Teacher & Classroom Teacher, St. Anne Primary School, Lira (2008–2012)

Selected Publications

- Making Sense of Ability Grouping: Understanding the Educational Rationale and Psychological Effects of Ability Grouping in Uganda's Secondary Schools.
- Exploring Context-Based Determinants of Turnover Intention among In-Service Teachers in Lira City.
- Intervention Strategies for Teacher Turnover Intention.
- Emotional Intelligence and Turnover Intention among Teachers.
- Effects of Classroom Streaming in Sub-Saharan Africa.
- Classroom Streaming and Self-Esteem among Students.