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**Imo E. Ekpo** obtained professional degrees in Science and Civil Engineering with B.Sc, M.Sc, PGDip. He graduated from the University of Ibadan and University of Newcastle Upon Tyne, UK in 1978, 1982 and 1986. He is a professional (COREN Registered) Engineer and Principal Partner of Micek Consult Ltd. and has handled several designs and civil engineering, and Hydropower projects in several parts of Nigeria Europe and Africa. He has made more than three decades of policy and technical contributions in dam engineering at **National, Regional and Global** levels.

Engr. Ekpo was appointed as an Independent consultant (Dam/Civil) at the 3050 Mambilla Hydropower project in 2017 an RCC dam with three underground tunnels. Member of the committees on Power on Grid/Network stability and Development of a framework for coal to Power. For more than 5 years while in Water Resources Ministry, he was a focal point member on Development issues of the United Nations Environment Program (UNEP) especially in the Dams Debate; this was published in the Confluence Newsletter of UNEP. He served as a member of a technical working group for the **Development of the National Integrated Infrastructure Master Plan in Nigeria.**

He was recognized as one of the **top 50 professionals in Nigeria by Thisday Newspaper in August, 2011.** He is recipient of **Justice Muhammed Lawal Uwais Public Service Award 2012 an Ambassador of ICPC.** He is **Honorary Vice President of the International Commission on Large Dams (ICOLD)** and the first Nigerian to be elected to that exalted office. He is currently the President of the Nigeria Hydropower Professional Association (NHPA).

He is currently a Board of Trustee member of Tunneling Association Nigeria (TAN), Engr Ekpo has been invested as Vice Chancellor of the World Academy of Letters by the American Biographical Institute (ABI). He has received certificate of Professional Excellence by the Nigerian Institution of Civil Engineers.