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# ABOUT THE GIAWARDS

The Ghana Integrity Initiative (GII) as part of efforts at promoting anti-corruption in public life instituted an integrity award titled the '**Ghana Integrity Awards' (GIAWARDS)** in 2019. The inaugural GIAWARDS recognized the efforts of outstanding individuals and public sector institutions upholding personal and professional integrity and undertaking initiatives aimed at reducing corruption in Ghana within the award timelines. Five categories of awards were presented during the inaugural awards including; Policy & Administrative Reforms Category, Transparency & Social Accountability Category, Efficient Public Service Delivery Category, Effective Internal Control Enforcement Category and Integrity Personality of the Year

In 2021, the GIAWARDS was expanded to recognise private sector's contribution to the fight against corruption. Specifically, private sector's application of integrity standards and effective corruption prevention mechanisms within their ecosystems and the country as a whole. To this end the GIAWARDS 2021 had the theme: "Promoting Integrity in doing business in Ghana, The Role of the Private Sector."

It is important to note that, corruption risks are of major concern for private enterprises, whether they are confronted with demands for bribes, faced with competitors acting corruptly or undermined by employees violating their codes of conduct. Therefore, responsible companies increasingly understand the need to adopt and implement clear anti-corruption policies and effective anti-corruption procedures. This is geared towards protecting their reputation, their shareholders and the communities in which they operate.

The GIAWARDS 2021 was held at the Alisa Hotel North Ridge, Accra on December 9, 2021.

## OBJECTIVES

**Essentially, the GIAWARDS seeks:**

- to use awards as incentives to influence positive behaviour in Ghana
- to promote corporate ethics, policy and procedure, integrity standards and practices, general business practices and good corporate social responsibility
- to provide an emotional reward to individuals and organizations doing the "right things" with integrity
- to provide genuine incentives for public institutions and individuals to demonstrate their anti-corruption and integrity efforts
- to highlight positive actions/initiatives of public institutions and individuals against the corruption fight
- to institute good role models for the guidance of the rest of society

# AWARDS CATEGORIES



## POLICY & ADMINISTRATIVE REFORMS CATEGORY

1 A strong and enduring institution is one that periodically reforms its legal systems, financial management guidelines, strengthens its internal auditing and other processes that block leakages. Policy and Administrative reforms are vital steps towards the fight against corruption.

The policy and administrative reform category looks for an innovative reform agenda/policy/project initiated by public institutions as an anti-corruption measure.

These include implementing minimum standards and guidelines for ethical procurement, building strong procurement practices, continuous training of staff on guidelines, investing in monitoring & research, adoption of integrity codes and many others.



## TRANSPARENCY & SOCIAL ACCOUNTABILITY CATEGORY

A successful strategy for curbing corruption is instilling a culture of openness, transparency and access to information in public institutions. Access to information increases the responsiveness of public institutions while simultaneously having a positive effect on the levels of public participation in a country.

Also strengthening stakeholders/citizens demand for transparency and empowering them to hold governments accountable is a sustainable approach that helps build mutual trust between citizens and governments.

The category honours public institutions that have adopted open contracting practices, proactively and timeously making financial information available for public access, demonstrated transparency in the procurement process, taken steps to implement the RTI law, and using other transparency methods.

It also honours initiatives by public institutions that empower their stakeholders and the general public to demand transparency and accountability for example through the publication of information about projects, participatory budgeting etc.



## EFFICIENT PUBLIC SERVICE DELIVERY CATEGORY

The provision of public goods and services is one of the main touch-points for corruption. Improving the processes of service delivery and customer service support in public institutions is a major tool for reducing cases of bribery and other corrupt acts.

This category seeks to award public institutions that invest in sustainable improvement of how services are delivered to the general public and their stakeholders.

In this regard, the GIAWARDS seeks innovative projects that cut red tapes, complex bureaucracy, ensure timely delivery of the institution's services, excellent customer service, deploys the best global practices, mainstream inclusiveness, etc.



## EFFECTIVE INTERNAL CONTROL ENFORCEMENT CATEGORY

With yearly increases in the amounts involved in infractions as reported by the Auditor General, questions have been asked as to the effectiveness of Internal control measures and their enforcement within covered entities in Ghana.

If internal controls are supposed to serve as the first line of defense in corruption and violations of laws and regulations then why the increases in infractions and judgement debts?

This category, therefore, aims at recognising a public institution that is playing the gate-keeping role and providing an objective assurance of systematic and discipline enforcement of compliance of laws, regulations and provisions of contracts and agreement





## BUSINESS INTEGRITY CATEGORY

Upholding a high ethical standard of behaviour towards all the stakeholders who operate within the business eco-system is a prerequisite to business integrity.

To be eligible, a private sector organisation, in addition to having a reputation for integrity,

- must have demonstrated and sustained a track record of initiatives relating to the promotion of code of ethics and conduct in business,
- procedures for reporting irregularities at the workplace and those for solving conflicts of interests, mechanisms for protecting the integrity of whistle-blowers,
- procedures for declaring and assessing gifts as well as internal control procedures to ensure good ethics and integrity in business operations.

GIAWARDS will require that applications contain evidence of the implementation of mechanisms for promoting integrity and anti-corruption standards in business. Hence, companies will present their own Code of Ethics and Conduct in Business, the procedures for reporting irregularities at the workplace and those for solving conflicts of interest, the mechanisms for protecting integrity of whistle-blowers, as well as internal control procedures.





## **INTEGRITY PERSONALITY OF THE YEAR**

Ghana is said to be well endowed with resources to guarantee exponential alleviation from poverty. Sadly, the reality does not seem consistent with what has been documented as the nation's wealth.

The gap as being argued is the integrity deficit that exists among individuals irrespective of the positions they occupy hence recognising an individual who has demonstrated integrity in rendering public service is key to strengthening the value and integrity systems of the country.

The Integrity Personality of the year award category recognizes an individual who has demonstrated courage and determination to fight against corruption in Ghana within the calendar year of the awards. It also recognises an individual who has demonstrated integrity in rendering services to the public.

This award category is open to the general public to nominate and vote for their integrity hero of the year.

## **WELCOME ADDRESS BY MRS. LINDA OFORI-KWAFO, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE GHANA INTEGRITY INITIATIVE**

- The Chairman, Mr. Joseph Whittal, Commissioner of the Commission on Human Rights and Administrative Justice (CHRAJ)
- Hon. Deputy Minister, Attorney General and Minister of Justice, Mr. Yeboah Tuah
- Honourable Members of Parliament present
- H.E. Mr. Jeroen Verheul, Ambassador of the Kingdom of Netherlands
- The Board Chair of GII Mrs. Elsie Buyan and Board Members of GII present
- The Chair and Members of GIAWARDS Evaluation Committee
- Dr. Abdallah Ali-Nakyea, Senior Lecturer, University of Ghana School of Law and Senior Partner of Ali-Nakyea & Associates
- Sponsors and partners of GIAWARDS 2021
- Heads of Public Institutions and CSOs organisations,
- Friends from the media,
- Ladies and Gentlemen,
- All protocol observed

Commissioner Chair, Distinguished Ladies and Gentlemen, on behalf of the Board and Members of Ghana Integrity Initiative (GII), I wish to welcome you all to the Ghana Integrity Awards (GIAWARDS) 2021 ceremony.

I wish to also congratulate all shortlisted individuals and institutions for making it this far. At this stage, you are all winners and deserve commendation for the various roles you play in the fight against corruption. I also wish to extend GII's much appreciation to the Esteemed Evaluators of GIAWARDS 2021.

Before I proceed, permit me to acknowledge the Netherlands Ambassador, whose endorsement video will be aired in due course. We say a big thank you to the Embassy of the Kingdom of Netherlands for the support offered GII in the last two years for the implementation of our Multi-Stakeholder Business Integrity Forum (MSBIF) project under which this award ceremony falls.

We also acknowledge the support of Newmont Africa (Ghana), Enterprise Group and Accra Brewery Limited. Indeed we are grateful and like Oliver Twist, We ask for more for the year 2022 and beyond.

Distinguished Ladies and Gentlemen as you may be aware, today, 9th December is being commemorated all over the world, as the International Anti-Corruption Day. It is a day set aside by the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC) to raise awareness of corruption and to assess the role of the United Nations Convention against Corruption (UNCAC), the only legally binding universal anti-corruption instrument in combating and preventing corruption. The theme for the 2021 International Anti-Corruption Day is "Your right, your role:

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Say no to Corruption" which seeks to highlight the rights and responsibilities of everyone in the fight against corruption. This theme is indeed a perfect fit for today's awards ceremony as we recognize the contribution of individuals and institutions promoting integrity and fighting corruption.

Commissioner Chair, Distinguished Ladies and Gentlemen, while acknowledging that, fighting corruption is no mean venture, it is encouraging though that Ghana has taken several measures since 1960 albeit corruption is still a major problem. Despite the low levels of success chalked, Ghana has remained resolute in its efforts with the NACAP currently presenting a wholistic approach of education, prevention and enforcement/deterrence.

It is instructive to note that, the fight against corruption in Ghana has relied more on sanctions which effectiveness depend largely on the risk of the perpetrators being caught. As the crime become more sophisticated as society develops, GII has recognized the critical importance to complement the sanctions regime with an award system that supports the preventive approach to the fight against corruption. With this in mind, in 2019 the GIAWARDS was birthed and an award ceremony organized during the climax of the commemoration of GII's 20th anniversary in December 2019.

The GIAWARDS seek to recognizes the efforts of outstanding individuals, private and public sector institutions upholding personal and professional integrity and undertaking initiatives aimed at reducing corruption in Ghana. In due course, you will know the various categories of awards and the processes followed.

At this juncture, distinguished ladies and gentlemen, permit me to emphasize that GII, appreciates the contributions of all stakeholders geared towards propelling the GIAWARDS to greater heights. We appreciate the constructive feedback and goodwill and commit to ensure that credibility of the awards is sustained. As the saying goes 'a journey of a thousand miles begins with a step' GII has taken this step and are of the conviction that it will get bigger in the years ahead. We therefore use this opportunity to call on corporate Ghana and all well-meaning Ghanaians to come on board the ship that has set sail.

Commissioner Chair, Distinguished Ladies and Gentlemen, as we commemorate the UN international anticorruption day today, I urge us all to emulate our esteemed shortlisted individuals and institutions to continue to demand from government, strong political will to ensure the sanctioning of political corruption, demand accountability from the relevant state institutions to enforce the prevention, investigation and sanctioning regimes, to strengthen other state institutions to implement good corporate principles and finally ensure protection for whistle-blowers in order to sustain citizens participation and activism in the fight against corruption.

Let me end by paraphrasing one of my favourite quotes by an American writer Buckminster Fuller, "On personal integrity hangs humanity's fate." It's certainly true that a culture of integrity makes our economies more productive, our public sector more efficient, our institutions more trusted, our societies more inclusive and cohesive. In short, integrity delivers better lives.

With this, I wish us all a successful GIAWARDS 2021 ceremony.

## REMARKS BY NETHERLANDS AMBASSADOR TO GHANA

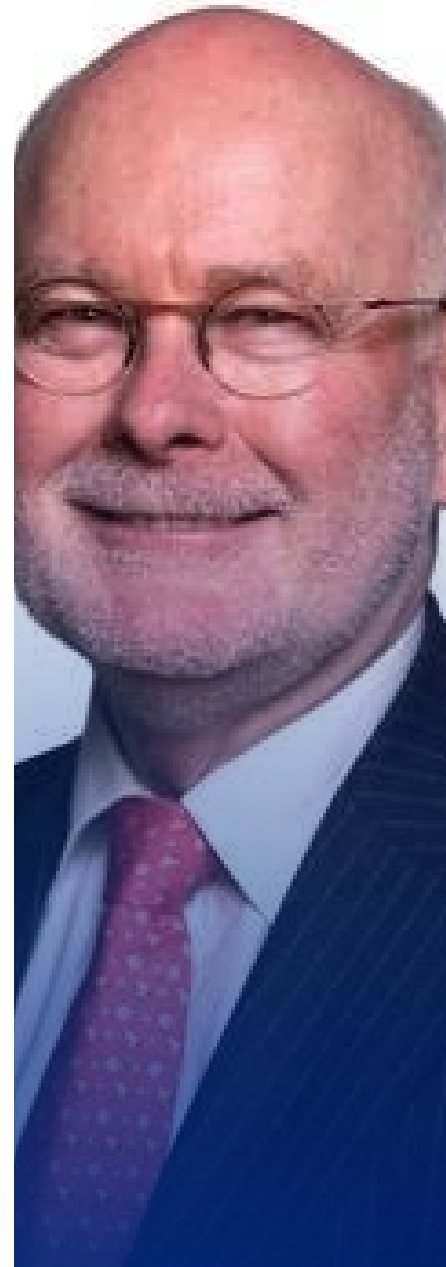
My name is Jereon Verrheul. I'm the Netherlands ambassador to Ghana.

I'm very pleased to endorse the Ghana integrity initiative's initiative to present Ghana integrity awards, for the Netherlands, it is extremely important that integrity is promoted and extended through Ghana for the Netherlands relationship between Ghana has evolved from a development cooperation relationship to a trade and investment relationship.

So, we are more and more investing in and trading with government and for debt trade and investment to flourish integrity and absence of corruption are very important.

So that is the reason why we are partnering with the initiative and that is the reason why we are endorsing this integrity awards.

*Endorsement of GIAWARDS 2021*



**REMARKS BY  
AMBASSADOR**



## **ADDRESS BY MR. REUBEN LIFUKA, VICE CHAIR, TRANSPARENCY INTERNATIONAL**

Good evening distinguished ladies and gentlemen, it gives me great pleasure, this evening to join this important event on behalf of Transparency international to say a few words with regards to the theme of this evening's event and also the importance of the awards that GII will be making this night.

First of all, most ethical business is important in a world where corruption solely, undermine public trust in government and in the private sector. Ethical business makes for good business is a demonstration by private that they will like to be good cooperate citizens and play their role in reading the world of the evils of corruption and any other unethical practices. A bit research focus on ethics demonstrates that it wants to go beyond just profits, it is looking at the people, it's looking at the planet. So, today's event and the theme that has been picked is extremely important.

It brings to the whole discussion the role the private sector can play, the private can be a good abiding sector or entity but the private sector can also be pacesetters so far as ethics is concerned. In so far as building ethics culture is equally concerned. So, I'm very happy at what GII is doing as our chapter in Transparency international will hold TI-GII in high esteem because they've been pacesetters in so many ways.

Coming into the awards, fighting corruption will promote integrity or ethics whether in the public or private sector takes a lot of courage. People have lost lives because they decided to come the fore and become icons of our time, so that when all is said and they can go down in history as person that promoted ethical conducts and also fought corruption in all its forms. So have a lovely evening and congratulations to all winners.

*NB: Remarks delivered virtually*

## **SPEECH DELIVERED BY HON. DEPUTY ATTORNEY-GENERAL AND DEPUTY MINISTER FOR JUSTICE, MR. ALFRED TUAH-YEBOAH**

I would like to thank the leadership of Ghana Integrity Initiative and organizers of this ceremony for the honour done to me in asking me to serve on this occasion as the Special Guest.

It is an honour to be here with you today at the commemoration of the International Anti-Corruption Day, 2021. Observing a day such as this, which is one of the most important in the world's calendar where we reflect meaningfully on how this global concern impacts on the lives of ordinary people – men, women and persons who are on the receiving end of the devastating impacts of corruption.

Distinguished Guests

We at the Office of the Attorney-General and Ministry of Justice value the efforts of the Ghana Integrity Initiative against corruption. A few notable projects include but not limited to

- advocating for the initiation and/or passage of transparency-enhancing and anti-corruption legislations, such as Freedom of Information Bill, Whistle-blower Law, Assets Declaration Law (Regulation)
- holding meetings with key stakeholders in the water sector on transparency and integrity in the water sector under another new GII project called Transparency and Integrity in Service Delivery in Africa (TISDA)
- organising ethics workshops titled "Zero Tolerance Against Corruption Campaign: The Role of Religious Bodies in Ghana" for religious groups throughout the country

As you know, International Anti-Corruption Day marks the adoption in 2003 of the United Nations Convention Against Corruption. Almost all countries in Africa have ratified the Convention. By doing so, they have obligated themselves to adopt and implement policies that prevent and penalize corruption.

Distinguished Guests

The full ambit of corruption is not fully known to the people. It is stated that there is no an all-accepted definition of corruption. This makes it difficult to convey the meaning of corruption from one entity to another. The United Nations Convention on Corruption (UNCAC) describes corruption as an insidious plague that has a wide range of corrosive effects on societies.

Corruption as we all know is not a new problem. It is as old as mankind itself. It is believed that the first humans (Adam and Eve) were bribed by a snake into disobeying the Lord. On that occasion, as in so many real-life cases ever since, the individual gain was modest (an apple), while the damage to others was colossal (namely, the whole of humanity was driven out of Eden).

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**KEYNOTE ADDRESS**

#### Distinguished Guests

The COVID-19 crisis has derailed development progress, while corruption, bribery and illicit financial flows have stolen away resources when we can least afford it.

It is evident that corruption constrains development - it empties off scarce resources that could improve infrastructure, strengthen education systems, and fortify public health. It stacks the deck so high against entrepreneurs that they cannot get their job-creating ideas off the ground. It erodes trust in public institutions and political processes, and undermines the healthy functioning of markets and competition. It negatively affects already tight public budgets, and helps organised crime groups do their dirty work due to the poisoning of the police forces.

#### Distinguished Guests

The media so far has exhibited bravery in uncovering and reporting on some of the most blatant abuses of the system, and there has been a growing recognition among people and politicians that this is a critical issue.

Increased use of communication technology and social networks is injecting small doses of transparency on both sides of the equation. This is progressively denaturing the equation and creating a new one with an "accepted margin" of the lack of transparency drawing close to zero.

#### Distinguished Guests

This is not a responsibility that just falls on the Government, or other official body. Each of us has a role to play in combatting corruption and none of us should be under any illusions as to the Herculean task that lies ahead. Everyone has a responsibility not to stand by, but to stand up to corrupt activity.

Everybody should reject and despise unequivocally and firmly any corrupt practice. And when someone is aware of such practices, the best course of action would be to report them to the competent authorities. There is no need for collective tears and complaints and moralism, but rather for concrete acts and actions.

This is why I, as the Deputy Attorney-General, say and will always say **NO TO CORRUPTION!**

***God bless you all***

***God bless our homeland Ghana***

***Thank you***

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SHORTLISTED NOMINEE

# INTEGRITY PERSONALITY OF THE YEAR 2021

## ABOUT THE NOMINEE

Hon. Samuel Okudzeto Ablakwa is the Member of Parliament (MP) for the North Tongu Constituency in the Volta Region; currently serving his third term. He was appointed Deputy Minister for Information and Education between 2009 and 2016. Mr. Okudzeto Ablakwa currently serves as the Ranking Member of the Committee on Foreign Affairs and represents Ghana at the Parliamentarians for Global Action. He is an Accredited Member of the Institute of Public Relations and a Fellow of the American Council for Young Political Leaders.

He holds among others a Master's Degree in Communications and Public Relations from the University of Leicester. Mr. Ablakwa is a recipient of numerous awards including Best Minority MP for 2019.



Hon. Samuel Okudzeto  
**ABLAKWA**  
MP, North Tongu

## Integrity/Anti-corruption Project/Initiative/Action for which nominated:

Notable among his crusade against graft and promoting transparency in governance, Mr. Ablakwa championed the exposé of the Oslo Chancery Scandal which saved the Ghanaian taxpayer about US\$4.2 million dollars. Working with journalists in Norway and other whistleblowers, he was successful in compelling the Government to reverse the transaction. His advocacy eventually led to the purchase of a similar property at half the original cost by the Foreign Ministry.

Again, his contributions on the exposé of the Frontiers scandal partly led to Parliament's agreement to hold a bi-partisan enquiry into the scandal. In relation to the Frontiers scandal, he contributed to the success of the advocacy for the reduction of the US\$150 antigen test charge to US\$50 for ECOWAS nationals. He continues to advocate for a further reduction in line with global trends.

The MP resigned from the Appointments Committee to protect his personal integrity.

# PROFILE



SHORTLISTED NOMINEE

## INTEGRITY PERSONALITY OF THE YEAR 2021

### ABOUT THE NOMINEE

Mr. Samson Lardy Anyenini is a senior partner at A-Partners @ Law and a known Media Practitioner on Multimedia platforms. He is the host of a weekly current affairs programme dubbed "Newsfile" and "the Law" on Joy News.

Mr. Anyenini holds among others a Master of Law Degree in Alternative Dispute Resolution with practice focus on International Commercial and Investment Arbitration. He is currently an Associate of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators and has been legal counsel for/served/serves on committees/boards including the chairman of the GFA NC Disciplinary C'ttee which worked to restore the beautiful game after Anas Aremeyaw Anas' #12 expose. He serves on the Board of International Lawyers Assisting Workers (ILAW) Network and is a GJA Journalist of the Year (2019) Award Winner.



Mr. Samson Lardy ANYENINI Esq.

Lawyer | Media Practitioner  
A-Partners @ Law | Multimedia Group

### Integrity/Anti-corruption Project/Initiative/Action for which nominated:

Through his moderation of 'NewsFile' a well patronized programme and his 'Samson's Take' initiative, Mr. Anyenini has publicly advocated on almost all grand corruption issues and related matters including the former Auditor-General, Daniel Domelevo's removal; former PPA Boss removal and represented especially the Multimedia Group Limited and some anti-corruption crusaders including Seth Kwame Boateng, Manasseh Azure Awuni, Kwetey Nartey, Modern Ghanaonline's Emmanuel Ajarfor in court.



# PROFILE



SHORTLISTED NOMINEE

## INTEGRITY PERSONALITY OF THE YEAR 2021

### ABOUT THE NOMINEE

Mr. Manasseh Azure Awuni is a Ghanaian Investigative Journalist and the Editor-in-Chief of The Fourth Estate, a journalism project (which started in 2021) by the Media Foundation for West Africa (MFWA). His investigative works over the past decade have led to the passage of legislation, jailing government officials and resulted in the cancellations of several dubious government contracts worth millions of dollars.

Mr. Awuni holds a Master's in Communication Studies. He has received numerous awards for his journalistic works. In 2018 and 2020, Mr. Awuni was crowned the Overall Best Journalist at the West Africa Media Excellence Awards.



**Mr. Manasseh Azure AWUNI**

Investigative Journalist & Editor-in-Chief The Fourth Estate

### Integrity/Anti-corruption Project/Initiative/Action for which nominated:

In 2019 and 2020, Mr. Awuni's investigative documentary titled "Contracts for Sale" dominated the Ghanaian media landscape and public discourse. The investigation revealed how government contracts were being sold by a company owned by the Chief Executive Officer of the Public Procurement Authority (PPA). It resulted in the dismissal of the CEO of the PPA, from office after CHRAJ concluded its investigations into the case.

In November 2020, Manasseh Awuni Azuri investigated another allegation of bribery involving the former Head of Legal Affairs at the Food and Drugs Authority (FDA) who had demanded a bribe of \$100,000 from the Chief Executive Officer of COA FS. This investigation became a subject of protracted legal battle until June 2021. His investigation resulted in the dismissal the Head of Legal Affairs of FDA and the denial of admission to pursue an LLM programme at Thomas R. Kline School of Law at the Drexel University in Philadelphia, USA

Other investigative exposé by Mr. Awuni during the period under review includes the "Grounded Wheels".



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SHORTLISTED NOMINEE

## INTEGRITY PERSONALITY OF THE YEAR 2021

### ABOUT THE NOMINEE

Hon. Bedzrah has been the Member of Parliament for Ho West Constituency in the Volta Region since 2008. He currently serves on several committees both in Ghana's Parliament and within the sub-region including; Government Assurance and ECOWAS Parliament, among others.

Hon. Bedzra holds an MSc in Development Finance and BSc Administration from the University of Ghana. He is a member of the National Open Government Partnership Steering Committee, Global Parliamentarians Against Corruption and the chair of the Ghana's chapter of African Parliamentarians Network Against Corruption (APNAC).



Hon. Emmanuel Kwasi **BEDZRAH**  
MP, Ho West

### Integrity/Anti-corruption Project/Initiative/Action for which nominated:

Hon. Bedzrah has through his advocacy both on the floor of Parliament and other fora publicly denounced and spoken against corruption related practices which resulted in his appointment to the Board of Global Organization of Parliamentarians Against Corruption (GOPAC) in 2019 in Qatar representing the African Region.

He instituted an initiative called "AGOO" - a monthly encounter with his constituents to inform them about works ongoing in Parliament and projects undertaken with allocations received as MP for the constituency in his effort to promote transparency and accountability in the use of public funds.

The member of Parliament is also known for his strict adherence to laid down procedures in the usage of his component of the District Assembly's Common Fund. He is also known for his statements on the floor of Parliament on International Anti-Corruption Day and working together with CSO to advocate for anti-corruption enhancing legislation.





SHORTLISTED NOMINEE

# INTEGRITY PERSONALITY OF THE YEAR 2021

## ABOUT THE NOMINEE

Mr. Confidence Fiagadzi is a Police Detective stationed at the Kaneshie District Police CID, Accra. He was enlisted into the Ghana Police Service in September, 2012 and has since served with dedication and exhibited a high sense of honesty and integrity.

He read Electrical Engineering at Kpando Technical Institute. He was part of the First 100 Men to be Selected for South Sudan international Missions Deployment in 2017. In 2019, He was Honored with the "Commandant's Special Award and Best in Criminal Investigation" at Detective Training Academy/Course 4.



**Mr. Confidence FIAGADZI**  
Detective Lance Corporal (CID)  
Kaneshie Police Station

### Integrity/Anti-corruption Project/Initiative/Action for which nominated:

Two instances are cited for consideration for the Integrity Personality of the year award. These include, a case of alleged assault and stealing involving an official of the State Transport Corporation (STC) in 2019. The other instance involved the case of five Police officers who extorted GHS 20,000 from an individual.

Mr. Fiagadzi demonstrated integrity when he used attempts to bribe him with an amount of GHS 4,000.00 and GHS 2,500.00 in the two cases respectively as exhibits against these public officers in court.

These acts led to sanctioning in the form of a fine in the STC case while the case involving the five Police Officers is still in court.



2021

# WINNERS

**MR. MANASSEH AZURE AWUNI**  
Investigative Journalist

**MR. CONFIDENCE FIAGADZI**  
Police Detective





2021

**WINNER**

**INTERNAL AUDIT AGENCY (IAA)**





2021

**WINNER**

**NATIONAL  
IDENTIFICATION  
AUTHORITY (NIA)**



**NATIONAL  
IDENTIFICATION  
AUTHORITY**



2021

**WINNER**

**NATIONAL  
COMMISSION FOR  
CIVIC EDUCATION  
(NCCE)**





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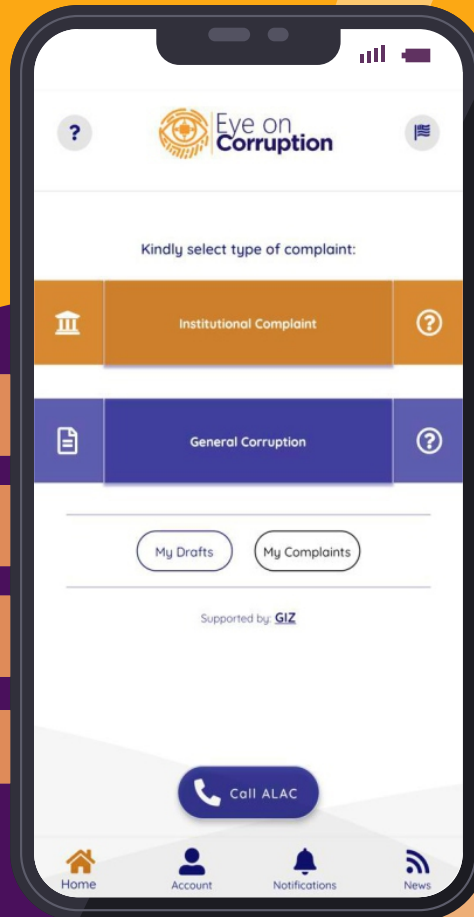
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# AGENDA

Date: December 9, 2021

Venue: Swiss Spirit Alisa Hotel

Time: 4:00 - 7:00pm

3:30pm - 4:15pm

**Arrival & Registration**

Ghana Integrity Initiative

**Musical Performance**

5:10pm - 5:33pm

4:00pm - 4:30pm

**Opening Prayer**

Ghana Integrity Initiative

**Keynote Address**

Hon Alfred Tuah-Yeboah

Deputy Minister, Office of the  
Attorney General & Ministry of Justice

**Welcome Remarks**

Mrs. Linda Ofori-Kwafo

Executive Director - GII

5:30pm - 7:00pm

**Brief Presentation -  
Ghana Integrity Awards  
(GIAWARDS) 2021**

Mrs. Linda Ofori-Kwafo

Executive Director GII

**Introduction of  
Chairperson  
& Special Guest**

Mrs. Mary A. Addah

Programmes Manager, GII

4:30pm - 5:10pm

**Chairperson's  
Opening Remarks**

Mr. Joseph Whittal

Commissioner, CHRAJ

**Short Video on  
Nominees & Initiatives**

Mr. Francis Dzamposu

IT Support, GII

**Reading of Citations &  
Presentation of Awards**

Moderator

**Endorsement**

H.E. Mr. Jeroen Verheul

Ambassador, Netherlands Embassy

**Closing remarks  
by Chairperson**

Mr. Joseph Whittal

Commissioner, CHRAJ

**Promoting  
Ethical Business in  
Ghana's Private Sector:  
The Role of Stakeholders**

Dr. Abdallah Ali-Nakyea

University of Ghana School of Law

7:00pm

**Vote of Thanks**

Mrs. Petra de-Graft Johnson

ALAC Officer, GII

**Remarks from  
Transparency  
International (TI)**

Mr. Reuben Lifuka

Vice-Chair, TI Board

**Closing Prayer**

**Remarks by other Sponsors**

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**Musical Performance  
Cocktail**

All

MODERATOR

*Mr. Kojo Yankson, Joy Fm*



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