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Dr. Adamu is an experienced process facilitator whose preoccupation is to elicit excellent performance in organisations committed to transformation and renewal. She is a teacher, writer, manager, researcher, consultant, and above all, a program initiator, implementer and coordinator towards the achievement of desired goals.

Dr. Adamu is a **life member** of the Nigerian Economic Society, a **member** of the International Economic Association Young African Scholars Program, African Econometric Society, National Association for Research Development, and a **Fellow** of the Economics Institute / Consulting Economists Academy, West African (ECOWAS) Region. She is happily married with children and grandchildren.

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