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RESEARCH

Interests Health Informatics · Clinical trials

Areas General Health Professions · Public Health, Environmental and Occupational Health · Health Information Management · Pediatrics, Perinatology and Child Health · Finance · Economics and Econometrics

RESEARCH SUMMARY

49	1,308	15	19	4.24	48%
Publications	Citations	h-index	i10-index	Field-weighted impact	World top 10%

Counted from the 49 publications listed below, 2001–2026. Field-weighted impact is the mean over the 40 works scored for it; 1.00 is the world average for works of the same field, type and year. 19 of the 40 papers scored for it are among the world's most cited tenth for their field, type and year.

POSITIONS

Senior Lecturer

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EDUCATION AND QUALIFICATIONS

Heidelberg University

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PUBLICATIONS

Journal articles 46

1. Kasim Abdulai, Nathan Kumasenu Mensah (2026). Admission Morbidity Characteristics as Predictors of Hospital Length of Stay in Diabetic Patients: A Retrospective Study from Ghana. *Integrated Health Research Journal*. <https://journal.ucc.edu.gh/index.php/ihrj/article/view/2015>
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Stephen Benyi Johnson, Christabell Opoku, Cephas Hallo, Richard Okyere Boadu (2024). Health professionals' perceptions of electronic health records system: a mixed method study in Ghana. *BMC Medical Informatics and Decision Making*. <https://doi.org/10.1186/s12911-024-02672-3>

19. Richard Okyere Boadu, Kwame Adu Okyere Boadu, Nathan Kumasenu Mensah, Godwin Adzakupah, Fortune Afaglo, Rosemary Bermaa Abrefa, Emmanuella Aryee, Nancy Gyamena Botwe, Dinah Baiden-Amisah, Dennis Bless Ashiavor, Larry Lee Mensah, Lovemond Kojo Asamoah, Judith Obiri-Yeboah (2024). Healthcare Providers' Adherence to COVID-19 Prevention and Control Practices in Health Records and Information Management, Ghana. *Global Health*. <https://doi.org/10.1155/2024/8862660>
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Theses 1

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