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Lessons Learned

Collaborators.

Institution commitments and supports from external sustainability of the program must be backed by local.

The implementation of the curriculum and the changes

increases the confidence needed to promote innovative and

It was discovered that collaboration enhances strength and
This initiative from the Department of nursing has strengthened relationships across the two universities.

Change at individual and group levels.

Collaborative work is about learning, adaptation and...
Challenges

- Lack of funds for the roll out of the program.
- Lack of PhD prepared faculty in Central University.
Collaborative research

Student and faculty exchange

the intents of:

institutions covering all departments and faculties with
memorandum of understanding between the two

This collaboration has also led to the signing of a

produced a curriculum for implementation soon.

Dickson University and Central University China,

accordance with the missions and goals of Fafieghi

Collaboration between Diaspora and African Scholars in

Results
Robust document for implementation.

The Fellow worked with selected members to produce a

Midwives Association.

Midwifery Council and Ghana Registered Nurses/
Health, National Accreditation Board, Nursing and
nurses, students, members of the civil society, Ministry of
stakeholders meeting were held involving practicing

collaboration.

University met its obligation in cost – sharing for the

The Fellow arrived in Ghana in December 2014. Central

METHODOLOGY
nurses are eager to enhance their education in administration, practice and to conduct practice-related research. Also many graduate nurses are needed to facilitate more evidence-based practice. Some schools have been given accreditation by the National Accreditation Board to commence nursing programs but cannot roll out the programs due to lack of faculty. Faculty positions for the programs output. Ghana demands more graduate prepared nurses to take on the sudden private sector involvement in nursing education in

**PROBLEM STATEMENT**
AIMS

- Facilitate delivery of high-quality care.
- To expand the educational opportunities for nurses to members and nurse administrators.
- To produce well-educated nurses to function as faculty.
- To implement a sustainable master's program.
- To develop a robust curriculum through assessment of needs.
Central University, Ghana.

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