



Victor Chinemerem Muruako

Executive Chairman/Chief Executive Officer, Fiscal Responsibility Commission, Nigeria

Victor Chinemerem Muruako is currently the Executive Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of the Fiscal Responsibility Commission (FRC) of the Federal Republic of Nigeria in Abuja the Federal Capital Territory.

A 1992 Law Graduate of Abia State University, Uturu, Nigeria, Victor Muruako was called to the Nigerian Bar and admitted a Solicitor and Advocate of the Supreme Court of Nigeria in 1993.

In 1998 he was elected Vice Chairman, Owerri West Local Government Council, Imo State, Appointed Transition Committee Chairman, Owerri West LGA, 2003 – 2004, and elected Executive Chairman of Owerri West LGA 2004-2007.

Victor Muruako was elected the Legal Adviser of the Association of Local Government of Nigeria, (ALGON) Imo State chapter and later the National Legal Adviser of ALGON. He was also the Secretary, Constitutional and Judicial Committees of the Founding Congress of United Cities and Local Governments of Africa (UCLGA) in Tswanne, Pretoria, South Africa in 2005. He also led the Nigerian delegation of 774 Local Governments to the 4th Afri-cities (African) Conference held in Nairobi, Kenya.



In 2008, he was part of the Nigerian Delegation (National Assembly) to attend the 2008 Inter-Parliamentary Union (IPU) Conference held in Geneva, Switzerland. He was also a key member of Nigerian Economic Delegation to Peoples' Republic of China in April, 2009 and subsequently Leader of Delegation/Course Rep, at the 2016 One Month Course/Training on Fiscal Policy & Inauguration for Nigerian Officials organized by Central University of Finance and Economics, Beijing, China.

He was appointed Special Adviser (Legal Matters) to the Deputy Speaker, House of Representatives, Rt. Hon. Usman Bayero Nafada, CON in January 2008. He retained the position of Special Adviser Legal to the Deputy Speaker of the House of Representatives under Rt. Hon Emeka Ihedioha, CON until he was appointed Commission Secretary, Fiscal Responsibility Commission in February 2012. In December 2013 Victor Muruako was appointed Acting Chairman of the Commission by President Ebele Jonathan, GCFR.

During this period, Victor Muruako presented over fifty (50) papers on public finance and anti-corruption at both National and International fora. Some of his presentations include:

1. "Optimizing Governance and Fiscal Responsibility through Technology Innovation" – A paper presented at 19th Annual International Conference of Risk Management Association of Nigeria (Riman) at Eko Eotel & Suites on June 13, 2019, Victoria Island Lagos.
2. "Addressing Bottlenecks in Effective Project Delivery" presented at the 8th Nigerian International Project Management & Development Summit.
3. "An Overview of the Fiscal Responsibility Act, 2007" presented at the Civil Society Summit on the 2014 Budget on February 4, 2014 at Top Rank Hotel Galaxy, Abuja.
4. "Compelling need to sustain Fiscal Responsibility Commission" presented to the Ministerial Technical Committee on the Restructuring and Rationalization of Federal Government Agencies

He is a member of the International Bar Association (IBA) and the Nigerian Bar Association (NBA). He was a member of the Presidential Committee on Independent Power Project (IPP), Presidential Committee on Police Equipment Funds and the Presidential Implementation Committee on the Orasanya Report, 2014 – 2016.

Within the past six years, Victor Muruako has been accorded Honorary awards as Fellow and Advisory Board Member of the Society of Project Management and Development Professionals International; Fellow, Chartered Institute of Forensic and Investigative Professional of Nigeria, and Recipient of a Special

Award of Excellence by the Disciples of Democracy (Special Public Service Award) and Risk Management Association of Nigeria (RIMAN) among many others.