

## ***Brief Profile: Sir Jonathan Uzodiegwu Nwaroh, P.Eng***

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**Sir (Engr) Jonathan Nwaroh** is the second son of late Igwe S A N Nwaroh (Mkpume 1 of Neke) and Mrs. Patience Nwaroh (nee Ugwueze). Engineer Nwaroh had his elementary school at then St Paul's Primary School, Nsukka and secondary school at Colliery Comprehensive College Enugu Ngwo, before proceeding to University of Ibadan, where he obtained a B.Sc. degree in Mechanical Engineering. He later obtained a Master's degree in Engineering Management and a PhD in Environmental Sciences through part-time studies. He was at various times a House Prefect, University of Ibadan (UI) Independence Hall House Secretary, President of Ilorin Youth Corpers Association, Vice Chairman Nigerian Society of Engineers Port Harcourt branch, and a Member of COREN monitoring team, and other professional bodies both in Nigeria and overseas.



Jonathan Nwaroh was a member of St Paul's Boys Brigade and a Scripture Union (SU) member in secondary school. He was also a member of Ibadan Varsity Christian Union (IVCU), Student's Christian Movement (SCM), a leading Usher at Chapel of Resurrection, Chief Editor of IVCU Shocks magazine, member Kwara State Christian Corpers Fellowship. Church Council member of International Christian Church in Assen, The Netherlands, and St John & St Phillip Anglican church in The Hague, Holland. Sir Jonathan Nwaroh was inducted into the Knighthood of St Paul by Bishop Ikonuba of Nsukka Diocese in 1998.

Jonathan Nwaroh was brought up in a typical Anglican tradition, which helped him make a firm and informed personal decision for Christ while in secondary school. He has continued his Christian journey since then without regrets. Sir Nwaroh's favorite bible verses include John 3:16 (*For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have everlasting life*) and Psalm 20:7 (*Some trust in chariots, and some in horses; But we will remember the name of the Lord our God*).

Engr Nwaroh's professional career has taken him to many parts of the world, having worked for large multinational companies like UACN, Michelin, AG Leventis, Royal Dutch Shell and Statoil ASA. He is presently the Managing Partner of JOPAN Limited, an international engineering consulting company. He is a member of many national and international professional bodies. Hobbies includes travelling, sightseeing and volunteering services.