

Brief profile of Professor Otchere

DR. ISAAC OTCHERE is a Professor of Finance at the Sprott School of Business, Carleton University in Ottawa, Canada. Prior to joining Carleton University in July 2006, he taught at the University of New Brunswick (Canada) and University of Melbourne (Australia). He has a Ph.D. in Finance from the University of Tasmania (Australia), Master of Management Studies (MMS) Finance and M.A in Public Administration from Carleton University, and BSc. Administration (Accounting) from the University of Ghana. Dr. Otchere is also a Chartered Accountant; he earned his professional accounting (CA) designation from the Institute of Chartered Accountants Ghana in 1994.

Dr. Otchere has extensive international experience. An award winning professor, Dr Otchere has taught a range of Finance courses at the executive education, graduate and undergraduate levels in many countries including Canada, Australia, Singapore, Ukraine, Trinidad, China, South Africa and Ghana. His research interests are in mergers and acquisitions, privatization and initial public offerings, corporate governance, and corporate payout policies. Dr Otchere has published extensively in finance journals and has made numerous presentations at different finance conferences. He has received several teaching and research awards from different universities in Canada and Australia. His scholarship has also received external recognition from prominent global financial institutions including the World Bank, IMF/African Institute.