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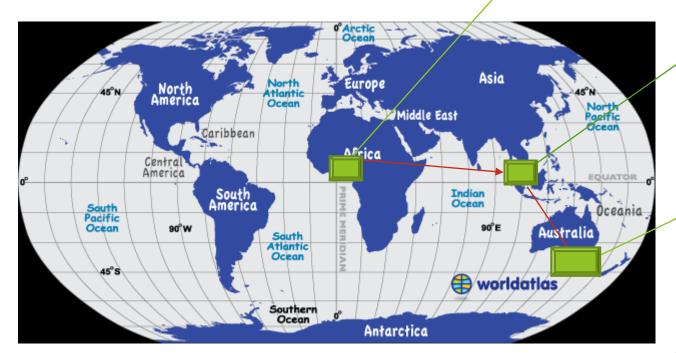
## Information about my country of origin

Nigeria

My country of origin is Nigeria in West Africa.

It is a democratic nation with over 160 million people with divers ethnic groups. I left Nigeria to study master degree in Malaysia and then PhD in Australia

Malaysia

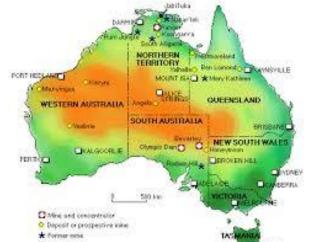




#### Information about Australia

- Australia is in the oceania continent
- ▶ It is commonly called officially the Commonwealth of Australia
- Australia has six states
- Two major mainland territories
- It is a wealthy country
- Australia has 39 universities among which is University of Tasmania







## Information about University of Tasmania

- University of Tasmania (UTAS) is a public research university primarily located in Tasmania.
- Officially founded in 1890.
- It was ranked in the top 10 research universities in Australia.
- ► Top two per cent of universities worldwide.
- Courses offered include microbiology, food safety, food innovation, biological sciences and agricultural sciences.





## Information about myself

- ▶ I am currently a doctoral (PhD) student at the university of Tasmania.
- My core research interest is microbial food safety and quality.
- My doctoral study is on predictive food microbiology to understand behaviour of foodborne pathogens in food.
- This study will help to extend shell life, quality and safety of food.
- ▶ I am interested in collaborating with researchers/students in the area of food safety.