

**From Kilimanjaro to the Rift Valley:
A sneak view of of openness in education through
an African's eyes**

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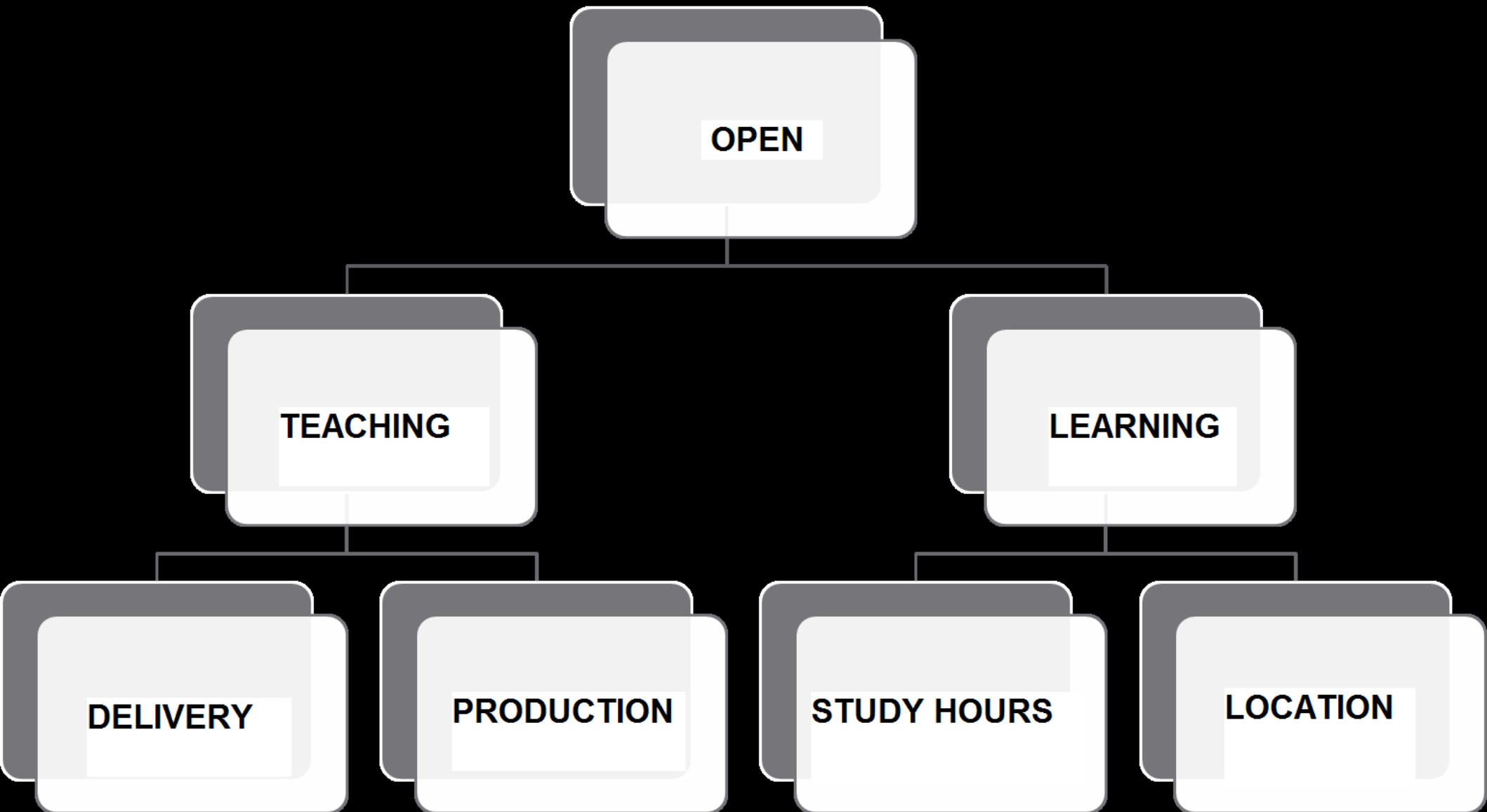
- Adults had knowledge. Children did not.
- Adult males taught in the open space
- Mothers and women taught in closed circles, mainly at home
- Knowledge was found in “Books”
- Knowledge was inherited, by child/group

THE EDUCATION I RECEIVED

My education has been complex, if not warped. I did primary school in Igbo language, high school in “Girls only” undergrad in a US System and Post grad in French system:

- The teacher or Prof, Advis[er] is “Most High”
- I went to school. In fact, for some, I LIVED there
- There were “school hours” and they are fixed
- I bought books and copied off black boards
- I learned stuff I needed to pass my exams

THERE ARE E/MERGING REALITIES



I HAVE A DREAM

AFRICA

ACCESS

**INTERNET
LITERACY
ELECTRICITY**

**COMPUTERS
SOFTWARE
MORE PLATFORMS**

POLICY

**LEARNING GUIDES
TEACHER TRAINING
ACADEMIC FUNDING
INFRASTRUCTURE**

**RESEARCH PRIORITY
GENDER EQUITY
SOCIAL STABILITY
OPENNESS IN BUDGET**



DREAM

WAKE UP

WORK



THANK YOU