

## PROFESSOR TIYANJANA MALUWA

**Name:** Tiyanjana MALUWA  
**Year of birth:** 1954  
**Place of birth:** Malawi  
**Present employment title:** H. Laddie and Linda P. Montague Professor of Law, Pennsylvania State University, Dickinson School of Law.

### **Academic history and schools attended:**

University of Cambridge (1980-84): Ph.D.

University of Sheffield (1978-79): LL.M.

University of Malawi (1972-77): LL.B.

### **Title of thesis:**

*Some Aspects of International Law and the Evolution of International Riparian Organizations in West Africa*, (unpublished Ph.D. dissertation, University of Cambridge, 1984).

### **Employment history:**

Jan. 18, 2004 to date: Professor of Law, Pennsylvania State University, Dickinson School of Law.

Nov. 15, 2001 to Dec. 14, 2003: Legal Adviser/Counsel, Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights.

Jan. 1, 1998 to Nov. 10, 2001: Legal Counsel, Organization of African Unity/African Union.

June 1, 1993 to Dec. 31, 1997: successively Associate Professor and Professor of Law in the Department of Public Law, University of Cape Town, South Africa.

Dec. 1, 1986 to May 31, 1993: successively Lecturer and Senior Lecturer in Law, University of Botswana.

July 1, 1984 to Nov. 30, 1986: Lecturer in Law, University of Malawi.

### **Areas of academic interest:**

Public International Law, International Organizations, International Human Rights and Refugee Law, International Criminal Law.

**Record of publication:**

Over seventy books, articles, conference papers and commissioned/consultancy reports during the period 1982 to 2005.

**Current board, commission or jury assignment:**

Member of editorial boards of four international academic law reviews, and judge (over the last ten years) in the continent-wide Annual African Human Rights Moot Court Competition.

**National or international assignments:**

Have been appointed to international assignments by the United Nations, including as Special Rapporteur for Human Rights in Nigeria (1997) and Legal Adviser to the Cameroon-Nigeria Mixed Commission established by the UN Secretary-General (2002/3).

**Awards, honors, fellowships, etc received:**

Recipient of a number of academic and research awards and fellowships from various bodies and institutions, including International Institute of Human Rights, Hague Academy of International Law, Max Planck Society, United Nations, UNRISD, UNHCR, ILO and ICRC.