

Front-Runners for Nigeria's Presidency

Name	Dr. Goodluck Ebele Jonathan	Mallam Nuhu Ribadu	Maj. Gen. Muhammadu Buhari	Mallam Ibrahim Shekarau
Party	PDP	ACN	CPC	ANPP
Date of Birth	Nov. 20, 1957 (age 53)	Nov. 21, 1960 (age 50)	Dec. 17, 1942 (age 68)	1955 (Age 55)
Home Town/State	Otueke/Bayelsa	Yola/Adamawa	Daura/Katsina	Kano/Kano
Education	Ph.D (Zoology)	BL/LLM	Military schools	Bachelor of Education (Mathematics)
Political Experience	Bayelsa Deputy Governor, 1999-2006 Governor, 2006-2007 Vice-President of Nigeria, 2007-2010 President, 2010-till Present	Chairman, Economic and Financial Crimes Commission (EFCC), 2003-2007	Military governor, defunct North-eastern State (1975-76); Minister of Petroleum and Natural Resources (1976-1978); Head of State (1983-1985).	Governor of Kano State (2003 till date)
Programmes	Proactive Peace and Security; Private sector-led, government-supported and regulated electric power development; Coordinated, accelerated and transparent Niger Delta development; Improving quality of education; Implement major reform in agriculture through innovative financing and land ownership	(1) Human Capital Development (2) the Economy (3) Infrastructure (4) Governance (5) Youth Employment (6) Agriculture and Food Security (7) Defence and National Security (8) Niger Delta (9) Foreign Policy	(1) Infrastructure (2) Youth and women empowerment (3) Agriculture (4) Prudent economic management (5) Security	(1) Honest, accountable and exemplary leadership (2) Security and Peace (3) Infrastructural development.