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R-L: President Muhammadu Buhari, *GCFR*, congratulating the Honourable Minister of Education, Mall. Adamu Adamu, after the Swearing in ceremony at the State House.

The newly appointed Minister of Education, Mallam Adamu Adamu and the Minister of State for Education, Professor Anthony Gozie Anwukah, on Wednesday, 11 November, 2015, assumed office at the Federal Ministry of Education (FME) Headquarters, shortly after the swearing-in of the Federal Executive Council (FEC) by the President and Commander-in-Chief of the Federal Republic of

Nigeria, Muhammadu Buhari, *GCFR*.

The Honourable Ministers were received at the Ministry by the Acting Permanent Secretary, Hajia Hindatu Abdullahi and other Principal Officers of the Ministry. While welcoming them, Hajia Abdullahi pledged the support of all the staff of the Ministry to the new Appointees, adding that the Ministry was now ready to hit the

ground running since education was a social service that required passion, commitment and technical know-how.

Mallam Adamu was born in Azare in Katagum Local Government Area of Bauchi State. He attended Government Secondary School, Azare and obtained his Bachelor's degree in Accounting from Ahmadu Bello University, Zaria. He also holds a Master's degree in Journal-

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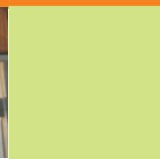
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ism from Columbia University, USA. Mallam Adamu started his working career as an Accountant before joining the New Nigerian Newspapers as a Special Correspondent and Member of the newspaper's Editorial Board. He rose, through the ranks, to become the Deputy Editor of the Daily Newspaper.

The Honourable Minister was Secretary of the Arewa Consultative Forum (ACF) between 2000 and 2001; Secretary of the Board of Trustees of the defunct Congress for Progressive Change (CPC) and Member/Secretary, Strategy Committee of the All Progressives Congress (APC)'s Presidential Transition Committee. He is fluent in Arabic, Persian and French.

Born in 1951, Professor Anthony Gozie Anwukah hails from Oguta Local Government Area of Imo State. He studied



Prof. Anthony G. Anwukah
Honourable Minister of State for Education

English Language and Literature at the Fourah Bay College, University of Sierra Leone, from 1970 to 1974. He obtained his Master's degree in Educational Administration and Planning at the University of Portland, Oregon, USA, in 1975 and

bagged a Doctorate degree in General Curriculum, specialising in System Analysis and Social Studies at the University of Washington, Seattle, USA, in 1977.

The Honourable Minister of State was a lecturer at the University of Maiduguri and consultant to the National Teachers Institute, Kaduna, from 1983 to 1989. He was appointed Professor of Education at the then Imo State University, now Abia State University, Uturu, in 1989. He was later appointed Vice-Chancellor of Imo State University, Owerri.

Professor Anwukah is a recipient of many professional laurels and is a fellow of several professional associations in Nigeria and the United States.

Monday Bulletin wishes each of the Honourable Ministers a successful tenure.

...Yemi-Esan, New PS, FME

The Federal Government, on Tuesday, 10 November, 2015, approved the redeployment of the Permanent Secretary, Federal Ministry of Information, Dr. Folasade Yemi-Esan, to the Federal Ministry of Education.

Born on 13 August, 1964, in Kaduna State, Dr. Yemi-Esan, who hails from Kogi State, had her primary education at Bishop Smith Primary School in Ilorin, Kwara State. She attended the Federal Government College in Ilorin, before proceeding to the University of Ibadan, where she gradu-



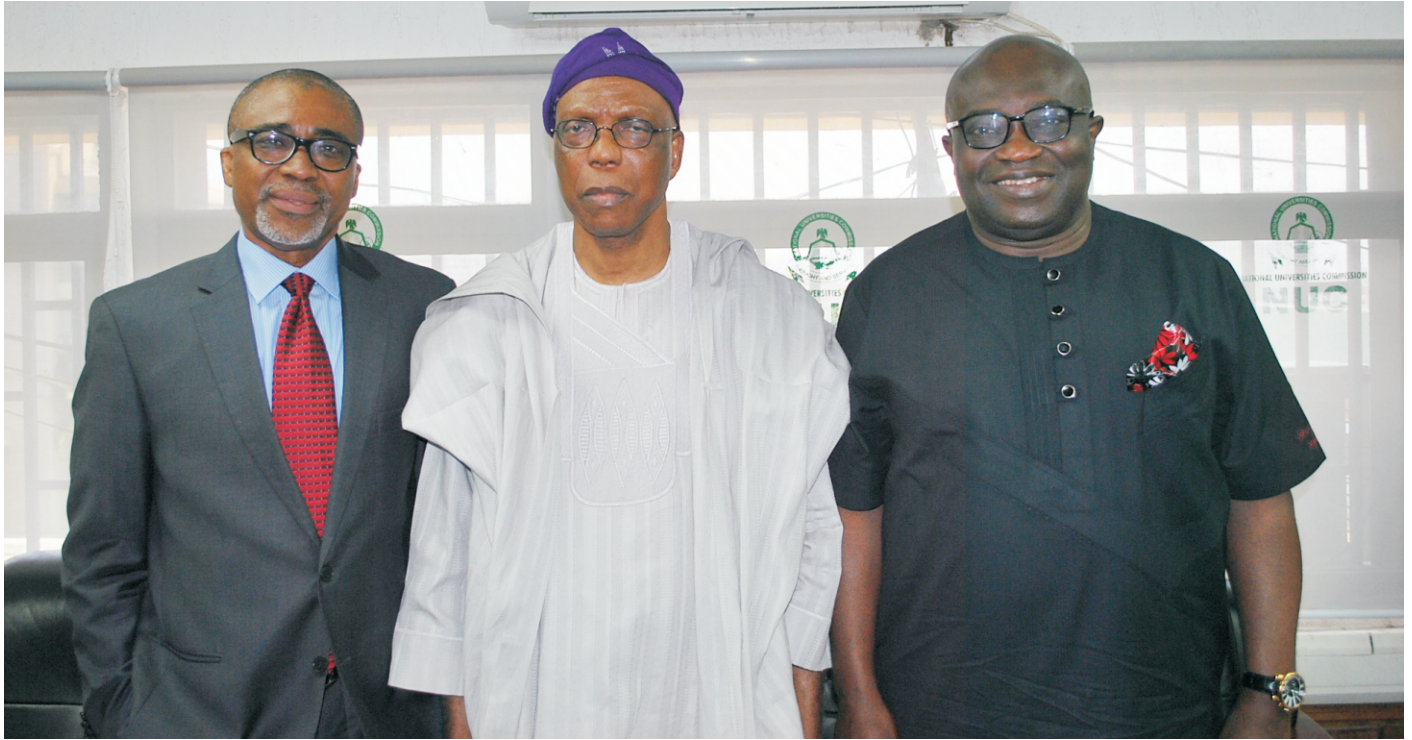
Dr. Folasade Yemi-Esan
Permanent Secretary, FME

ated as the best Bachelor of Dental Surgery student in 1987. Dr. Yemi-Esan also holds a Masters of Public Administration (MPA) degree from the University of Lagos.

While at the Federal Ministry of Information, the new Permanent Secretary distinguished herself by driving several professional developments, aimed at positively managing the nation's reputation and perception, both locally and abroad.

Dr. Yemi-Esan is happily married with children.

NUC Lauds Gov. Ikpeazu on Technical Education



L-R: Sen. Enyinnaya Abaribe, Prof. Julius Okojie and Dr. Okezie Ikpeazu

The Executive Secretary, National Universities Commission (NUC), Professor Julius A. Okojie, *OON*, on Thursday, 12 November, 2015, commended the Governor of Abia State, Dr. Okezie Ikpeazu, for giving top priority to technical education in the State's education programmes. The Executive Secretary, who gave the commendation when he received the Governor and his entourage on a courtesy visit to the Commission, said that technical education had “the potentials to develop and revive the skills of artisans as well as produce middle-level manpower for the garment and shoe manufacturing industries for which the State is known”. He stressed that the focus on technical education would not only improve the economy of Abia State, but would also reposition the nation's econ-

omy, by creating a value-chain, similar to that of the agricultural sector.

Professor Okojie stated that although state universities faced serious challenges due to the quick political succession and interference that often affected their Governing Councils, Nigerian universities were globally competitive, adding that the Commission had resolved not to visit any university (for the purpose of accreditation and monitoring) that had not properly constituted its effective Governing Council after a notice of six months. He advised the Governor to provide an enabling environment for the state university to thrive, especially to conduct staff and students audit in the Institution, to ascertain their numbers as it was the best step towards the consolidation of its programmes. He also

called for a strong relationship between the State and the Federal Government as doing so would impact the education sector positively.

The Executive Secretary advocated a close synergy between the universities and the industries, observing that in Japan, Toyota provided 200 vehicles to a university for research. He noted that such partnership promoted healthy research. The NUS Scribe said that the world over, there were three kinds of institutions namely, the Ivy Leagues, Regional as well as the Community Colleges. According to him, the Ivy Leagues concentrated their efforts in conducting research that most big companies used to solve national issues, while the Regional and Community Colleges addressed local needs of their immediate communities by

attracting a flow of students that usually acquired special technical skills for small and medium scale entrepreneurial purposes.

Professor Okojie noted that even the Ivy Leagues and the Regional universities were currently sending their graduates to the Community Colleges to acquire the skills they required to function in today's world. He said that technical education was an off-shoot of the Innovations Enterprise Institutions (IEIs) model, emphasising that by adopting the model in Abia State Secondary Schools, the Governor had widened his knowledge-base, as an academic, and gainfully employed it as a politician in governance. He stated that people with such backgrounds were needed as Chief Executives in the states.

The NUC Scribe said that the quality any system would attain began with the formative years of the child, especially in the primary schools and stressed the need for the establishment of quality programmes right from the basic level. He advocated that free

education should be made compulsory from 0 levels to 18 years for all children of school age. He reiterated the need for a revert to the boarding school system, saying that it would help to instill discipline and morals on students as well as give them total education which the off-campus system had destroyed. He added that outside of governments at the state and federal levels, the communities had roles to play in funding and repositioning all strata of the education sector.

Professor Okojie further said that Nigerians should not create illusions about the standards of education and quality of graduates of the Nigerian University System (NUS), as it was wrong to classify graduates of the system as unemployable when a good number were competing favourably with their counterparts abroad. He told the Governor that, under his watch, the NUC had been conducting regulatory activities in the universities regularly and that at every point where infractions were noticed, the Commission evolved methods and policies aimed at

addressing them for the benefits of the universities and the society.

In his speech, the Governor said that he came to the Commission for two important reasons. According to him, the first was to felicitate with the NUS, which was a home coming, as an academic lecturer with Enugu State University of Technology (ESUT), before he ventured into politics. The visit was also to intimate the Executive Secretary about recent developments in the education sector in Abia State, from the primary to the tertiary levels, a few of which the Government had succeeded in resolving, after a diagnoses of the challenges.

Gov. Ikpeazu agreed with the Executive Secretary that there was the need to invest in primary education and that the primary level remained the foundation for any meaningful achievements of quality and standards in the sector. He informed the Executive Secretary that the State Government had started rehabilitating some of the poorest primary schools with the selection and completion of four



Dr. Ikpeazu signing the Visitors' register

schools by taking into cognisance other social factors, including the boosting of the morale of the pupils with the purchase of their school uniforms, writing materials and laptops, to keep them abreast with modern learning facilities. He expressed delight that he was able to woo some of his friends to buy into the project which, he hoped to replicate in other schools.

The Governor further disclosed that, at the secondary level, technical schools were being rehabilitated and given special priority, through the concept of Education for Employment (EE) especially with Aba, as the commercial nerve city. The aim, he added, was to train the critical manpower that would use their hands to revive the shoe and garment industries on termination of their schooling at the secondary level.

Gov. Ikpeazu commended the Executive Secretary for driving the various developmental strides of the NUC in the NUS which, he said, had changed the face of the system. He also stated that the visit was aimed at soliciting the cooperation of the NUC Management to approve the establishment of another private university in Abia, following the relocation of Veritas University, formerly in Obe-Asa, Abia State, to Abuja, stressing that it would complement the already existing ones, especially ABSU.

Responding on the Veritas University issue, the Executive Secretary said that theirs was peculiar, as the proprietors of the Institutions, had their operational base and headquarters in Abuja and needed to effectively monitor and run the University as enshrined in its original laws. He observed that the Act establishing the Commission

was weak as it did not spell out clearly the sanctions to be imposed on those who flout university laws and traditions, especially those operating illegal universities. He, however, said that the NUC had been exercising its regulatory powers in all the federal, state and private universities, by way of accreditation. In the process, he stressed, some universities found to be operating below standards in their programmes had such programmes denied accreditation and stopped from admitting students until they were remedied.

Among those in the entourage of the Governor were Senator Enyinnaya Abaribe, (representing Abia South Constituency); Special Adviser to the Governor on Strategy, Mr. Ben Onyechere; as well as his Media Adviser, Mr. Uchenna Iwuoha.



L-R: Dr. Ikpeazu, Prof. Okojie, Prof. Mafiana, Dr. Saliu, Mrs Goddy-Nnadi and Mr. Maiyaki

NUS to train Manpower for Hospitality Sector – Prof. Okojie Assures, Receives ABE Fellowship

The Executive Secretary of the National Universities Commission (NUC), Professor Julius A. Okojie, *OOON*, has pledged the Commission's commitment to developing skilled manpower in the Nigerian University System (NUS), for the nation's hospitality sector, in order to reduce the high level of unemployment and fulfil the President's mandate to Ministries, Departments and Agencies (MDAs), to eradicate poverty and create more jobs for the nation's teeming youths.

Speaking on Thursday, 12 November, 2015, when he received a delegation comprising the Association of Business Executives (ABE), United Kingdom; National Institute for Hospitality and Tourism (NIHOTOUR) and Wini Group Incorporated, the Executive Secretary called for more interaction between government agencies and the private sector. He observed that the partnership between the Commission and ABE was already yielding results. He informed the gathering that the Association sponsored the Colloquium of the Commission's Annual National Entrepreneurship Week (ANEW) in



Prof. Julius A. Okojie, NUC Scribe

2014, which was a week-long programme to promote Entrepreneurship Education in the NUS as well as to serve as an outreach platform to project entrepreneurship to the larger society.

Professor Okojie recalled that it was in response to addressing the growing rate of unemployment in the country that the Federal Government, in 2006, directed that Entrepreneurship Education be introduced as a part of the General

Studies Curriculum in the NUS. He added that in order to ensure the effective implementation of the directive, the Commission created the Department of Student Support Services in May, 2007.

Professor Okojie further disclosed that the Commission had already developed institutional frameworks that would ensure proper implementation and development of Entrepreneurship Education in Nigerian universities, stressing that



R-L: ABE CEO, Mr. Gareth Robinson; NUC Executive Secretary, Prof. Okojie, DG NIHOTOUR, Dr. (Mrs.) Chika Balogun and Chairman, Wini Group Incorporated, Mr. Tim Akano



Prof. Chiedu F. Mafiana
NUC Deputy Executive Secretary I

these intervention steps would address the challenges of graduate under-employment and unemployment in country.

The Executive Secretary informed the visitors that the Commission was not only engaged in monitoring and assuring quality in the NUS, but also in developing new programmes and streamlining existing ones. He said that, although the thrust of the NUS in the past few decades had been on Science, Technology and Innovation (STI), the Commission had, in recent times, introduced some new concepts such as Gerontology, Autism and Mechatronics, among others. These, he said, were to ensure that Nigerian universities had the capacity to develop the required critical mass of human

resources in all fields of academic endeavour.

In his remarks, the Association's CEO, Mr. Gareth Robinson, expressed gratitude to the Executive Secretary, Management and staff of the NUC, for working, tirelessly, to encourage Nigerian universities to make entrepreneurship a core part of their teaching. He used the forum to confer on the NUC Scribe, a Fellowship of the ABE, revealing that Professor Okojie was now among three persons to have been so honoured in Africa, including former Head of State, Chief Earnest Shonekan and a former President of Mozambique.

Mr. Robinson disclosed that his Association was partnering Nigerian institutions for the promotion of ABE Entrepreneurship Education in the NUS, adding that the objective of the partnership was to promote other related business fields on a broader scale in order to promote education and economic transformation in the country. He noted that the partnership had the potential of making Nigerian universities attain world-class status and compete favourably with their counterparts abroad. He also told the Executive Secretary that ABE was willing to sponsor the ANEW exercise for the next five years, as part of its contribution to



Mallam Ibrahim Dan'Iya
NUC Deputy Executive Secretary II

sustaining the annual programme and reaching out to more enterprising youths.

The CEO informed the NUC Scribe that ABE was well-equipped to bring practical approach, international industry-education relationship and joint-strength in the provision of up-to-date top-up degrees to Nigerian students. He, therefore, declared his Association's willingness to continue to partner the NUS to support the nation's brightest youths to draw from ABE's experience of over 40 years, which had enhanced the development of individuals, communities and economies around the world. Mr. Robinson observed that the partnership would help move the nation's skills education to a more



Prof. Okojie in a group photograph with some NUC Management staff and the delegation from ABE, NIHOTOUR and Wini Group Inc.

dynamic, resourceful and excellent research outputs, where creativity, job creation and international education integration would take precedence.

The Director-General of NIHOTOUR, Dr. (Mrs.) Chika Balogun, in her remarks, informed the Executive Secretary that her Institute had, since inception, produced over 5,000 skilled and craft trainees servicing the various sub-sectors of the nation's travel, tourism and hospitality industry. She added that the Institute was striving to meet a training target of 3,000 and more trainees a year to meet the over 40,000 technical craft and skilled manpower, required to service the travel, tourism and hospitality sector of the economy in the next three to five years.

The Director-General appealed to the Commission and other relevant agencies, particularly the Joint Admissions and Matriculation Board (JAMB), to consider and encourage the use of other qualifications such as diplomas, as

alternative entry qualifications for related university degrees. She disclosed that the short courses, organised by the Institute, prepared students for the challenges of university education and ensured that they performed better than their counterparts who gained admission straight from the secondary level. She also expressed the hope that the meeting would provide an opportunity for a mutually beneficial partnership.

Speaking, the Chairman of Wini Group Incorporated, Mr. Tim Akano, expressed gratitude to the Executive Secretary, whom he noted, had encouraged entrepreneurship and the use of Information Communications Technology (ICT) to fill the skills-gap in the NUS, even while he was Vice-Chancellor of the Federal University of Agriculture, Abeokuta (FUNAAB). He informed the gathering that his company was representing ABE in Nigeria and working to fulfil its mandate of changing the lives of the nation's citizens, by providing them with

the skills to create wealth and become employers of labour.

Also, in his remarks, the Managing Director, ABE Africa, Mr. Bradley Wadely, revealed that, although Africa was the biggest market for the Association, ABE was not established in Nigeria until recently. He told the gathering that the Association provided flexible professional business qualifications which could eventually prepare the student for a university degree.

The Managing Director added that all ABE qualifications were accredited in the United Kingdom by Ofqual and by other equivalent quality assurance agencies elsewhere in the world. He added that over 50,000 students were studying in the Association's programmes, scattered in different colleges worldwide.

The meeting was attended by some NUC Management staff as well as representatives of ABE, NIHOTOUR and Wini Group Inc.

Channel Grievances duly, Okojie advises USSA

The University Secretarial Staff Association (USSA), led by its President, Mr. Eze. F. Ogbonnaya, on Tuesday, 10 November, 2015, paid a courtesy visit to the Executive Secretary, National Universities Commission (NUC), Professor Julius A. Okojie, OON, in his Office. The Executive Secretary charged members of the Association to channel their demands for the implementation of the circular for the conversion of Chief Secretarial Assistants to Data Processor Cadre, through their mother union.

The Executive Secretary, who was represented by the Deputy Executive Secretary 1, Professor Chiedu



L-R: Mr. E. K. Osungbehungbe, Mr. Uwem James, Prof. Julius Okojie, Mr. Festus Ezene Ogbonnaya and Mr. Ben Oseyomon

Mafiana, advised USSA to liaise with other universities that had already implemented the circular, for counsel on how they achieved

their conversion. He advised the Association to be patient and steadfast in pursuing their demands, adding that the initiators

of such efforts rarely benefitted from their implementation, and should, therefore, not be deterred in their struggle.

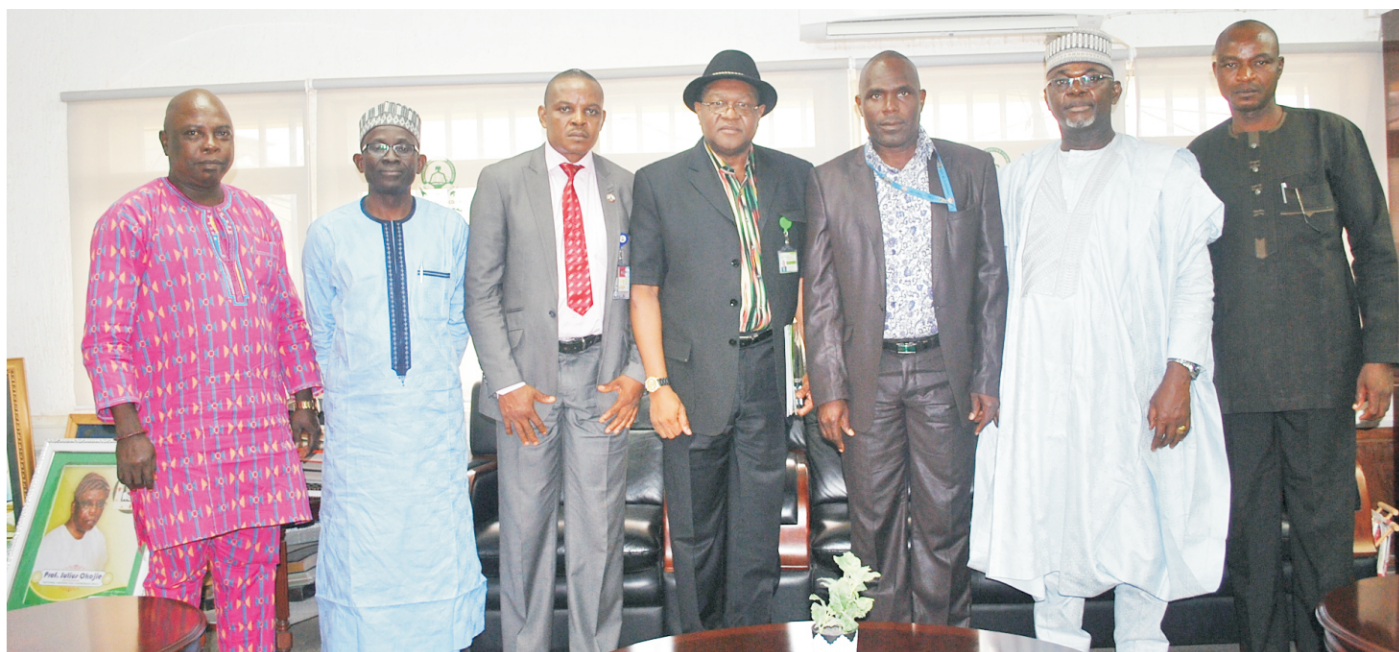
The Executive Secretary advised the Association to furnish the Commission with the names of those universities that were yet to implement the directive for her information and possible intervention.

Earlier, the President, Mr. Ogbonnaya said that USSA had suffered a lot of administrative injustice and neglect from various managements, especially with the

implementation of the directive from the Office of the Head of Civil Service of the Federation in 2012, on the conversion of Secretarial Assistants to Data Processing Officers Cadre and the payment of Earned Allowances. Part of his letter reads: "While trying not to join issues with anybody, we sincerely wish to draw your attention to the fact that most of our members directly affected have only three to four years to end their career yet some university Managements and Councils have flagrantly refused to address their plight".

The President appealed to the Commission to intervene in addressing their plight.

At the meeting were NUC's Deputy Executive Secretary II, Mr. Ibrahim Dan'Iya and Director, Management Support Services, Barr. Victor Onuoha. The USSA delegation had the Vice President from the Obafemi Awolowo University (OAU) Ile-Ife, Mr. E.K. Osungbehungbe; National Secretary, from University of Uyo (UNIUYO), Mr. Uwem James; as well as an Officer from the Ambrose Ali University, Ekpoma, Mr. Ben Oseyomon.



L-R: Mr. Osungbehungbe, Mr. James, Prof. Mafiana, Mr. Ogbonnaya, Barr. Onuoha and Mr. Oseyomon

Follow Guidelines, Invest Wisely - *Okojie tells Proposed SCU, MUA*

The Executive Secretary, National Universities Commission (NUC), Professor Julius A. Okojie, OON, has admonished the promoters of the proposed Sport City University (SCU) and Medical University of Americas (MUA), Nigeria, to invest judiciously in their institutions. He stated this on Wednesday, 11 November, 2015, at

an interactive session with the representatives of the two proposed universities, who came to indicate interest in the establishment of their institutions.

The Executive Secretary urged them to ensure that they took the right steps in the pursuit of their dreams as the establishment of a university was a tasking project. He

also informed them that investment in a university was not a one-off venture, but a continuous process that lasted as long as the life of an institution. He added that a university should be well-located and be broad-based in order to attract quality staff and students as well as produce quality graduates that could compete with their

counterparts globally.

Professor Okojie advised the visitors to seek assistance, if the need arose, from those who had gone through the process, adding that they must be flexible enough to

glean best practices in order to establish effective programmes. He advised them to pursue the vision and objectives of the proposed universities when approved, saying that some universities had deviated from their original mandates. Responding, the promoters of the

universities assured the Executive Secretary that they would abide by the rules and regulations guiding of the Commission. They thanked him for the advice and acknowledged that they were better informed on the expectations of running a university.

RE-2016 UNESCO ISRAEL (MASHAV) CO-SPONSORED FELLOWSHIPS

The National Universities Commission (NUC) has received, through the Federal Ministry of Education, a UNESCO circular on the 2016 UNESCO/ISRAELI (MASHAV) Co-Sponsored Fellowship Programme-2016 on the Educational Methodologies: Preventing of Drop-out of School and Re-Insertion of Youth at Risk, scheduled to hold at Ahron Ofri International Training Centre, in Ramat Rachel, Israel, from 6th March to 6th April, 2016.

Interested candidates are requested to study the guidelines and forward completed application forms to the Commission, not later than Friday 20th November 2015, to allow for internal processing and to enable Nigeria meet the 1st December, 2015 deadline.

QUALIFICATIONS REQUIRED

Candidates must meet the following criteria:

- High-level educational staff, at the regional or national level, dealing with the target population, school principals, counsellors, supervisors, lecturers at teacher training institutions and researchers in relevant fields;
- Be proficient in reading and writing in the language of instruction (if the language of instruction is not the mother tongue, a certificate of language proficiency must be provided);
- Holder of at least a BSc degree or BA in Economics;
- Proficient in English;
- Not more than 35 years of age.

All Application forms and other information may be obtained at the nearest Israeli mission or at MASHAV's website: <http://mashav.mfa.gov.il/MFA/mashav/Courses/Pages/default.aspx>. Completed application forms, including the medical form, should be sent to the relevant Israeli mission in the respective country.

Candidates are also requested to clearly indicate the course they are applying, which should be endorsed by the relevant Government body (such as the National Commission or Permanent Delegation) and must be made on a UNESCO Fellowship Simplified Application form. Each Member State can nominate a maximum of two (2) candidates which should be sent imperatively on or before 1 December, 2015, only by e-mail: a.zeitune@unesco.org and ibn-mokrane@unesco.org.

N.B: The applications should be submitted with the following attachments:

- UNESCO Application Form, duly completed
- Certified copies of diploma (s)
- Certificate of language proficiency (if needed)
- A medical certificate of good health. **DO NOT SUBMIT** a medical examination report at this stage. Only **selected candidates** will be required to provide a certificate of good health issued by a physician).

The final selection of the fellowship beneficiaries will be made by the MASHAV (Israel).

PUBLICATION OF 2016/2017 PTDF SCHOLARSHIP SCHEME (OVERSEAS & LOCAL)

The National Universities Commission is in receipt of a call notice from the Petroleum Technology Development of Technology (PTDF) inviting suitably qualified candidates for Overseas and in-country i.e Local MSc and PhD Scholarships. The Award will be granted for studies in the United Kingdom, Germany, Norway, Australia, USA and France (Grenoble INP) as well as PTDF upgraded Universities in Nigeria.

Application Forms can be accessed online at www.ptdf.cinfore.com using an ATM (Interswitch, Master Card & Visa card) or through purchase of a scratch card from designated main branches of First Bank of Nigeria PLC in all the 36 States and FCT, upon payment of a **NON-REFUNDABLE** sum of N1,000(One Thousand Naira Only).

The criteria for prospective applicants include a minimum of Second Class Upper (2.1) in Oil and Gas related field OR a 2.2 with oil and gas industry experience, NYSC Certificate, be computer literate, possess O/level with credit in English Language; at least C6 in WAEC/SSCE OR C4 and above in NECO and not be above 30 years of age. Those for Overseas (OSS) must be in possession of the following, Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) (USA), Graduate Record Examination, GRE (USA); GMAT for Management related courses (USA) and International English Language Testing System (IELTS) UK.

For PhD (OSS & LSS)

- Applicants must be in academics in Nigerian Institutions, teaching oil and gas related discipline
- Applicants must possess minimum of 2.2 in their first degree and a good second degree certificate;
- Applicants must submit a research proposal relevant to the oil and gas industry (of not more than 5 pages) to include: Topic, introduction, objective, methodology and mode of data collection.
- Applicants must include a valid admission letter, must be over 40 years of age; and must include their Masters Degree project.

For the Split-side PhD programme, please click on this link [split PhD](#).

N.B: Applicants are advised to note that only those who met the requirements shall be shortlisted and invited for a Computer Based Aptitude Test, in the case of MSc applicants, while oral interview will be conducted for PhD applicants (full time and Split-site) on dates to be announced later. Following the aptitude tests and interview, successful candidates will be selected and awarded the PTDF Scholarship.

Applicants are also to scan copies of the following documents and attach to their online application forms:

1. First Degree Certificate or Statement of Result
2. NYSC Discharge Certificate
3. WAEC/GCE/SSCE/NECO Results or provide PIN numbers on the application forms to enable PTDF view the results on the relevant website.
4. Recent Passport Photograph
5. Local Government Identification Letter
6. Master's Degree Certificate (PhD Applicants only)
7. Admission Letter (PhD Applicants)

Meanwhile, the Possession of a valid University Admission letter is compulsory for LSS, MSC & PHD applicants.



**DANGOTE FOUNDATION ENDOWS 17 PROFESSORIAL CHAIRS IN
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P.M.B. 3244, Kano www.kustwudil.edu.ng.

EXTERNAL ADVERTISEMENT FOR POSITIONS OF PROFESSORS AND READERS

Following intervention of the Chancellor of the Kano University of Science and Technology, Wudil, Alhaji Aliko Dangote, GCON, President Dangote Group, to sponsor 17 Professorial Chairs in the University, applications from within and outside the country are invited from suitably qualified candidates for positions of Readers and Professors in the following areas of specialisations:-

1. Mathematics
2. Computer Science
3. Statistics
4. Civil Engineering
5. Electrical Engineering
6. Mechanical Engineering
7. Architecture
8. Geology
9. Urban and Regional Planning
10. Biology
11. Chemistry
12. Physics
13. Microbiology
14. Biochemistry
15. Educational Psychology
16. Educational Planning and Administration
17. Philosophy of Education

1. QUALIFICATIONS, REQUIREMENTS AND EXPERIENCE:

PROFESSORS (CONUASS 7)

A candidate must have a minimum of Sixty (60) points from publication and must be a PhD holder from a recognized Institution. He must have done supervision of Postgraduate students and have at least a minimum of thirteen (13) years cognate teaching experience at the University level.

In addition, he must have:

- Disseminated knowledge through professional and academic activities.
- Provided Academic leadership and the ability to attract and inspire others.
- Demonstrated Administrative ability and

administrative experience.

Impeccable integrity.

Favorable External Assessment.

Evidence of supervision of Post graduate students.

Must show verifiable evidence of community service

READERS (CONUASS 6)

A candidate must be a PhD holder from a recognized Institution. In addition, he must have a minimum of Forty (40) points from publication, eight (8) years cognate teaching experience at the University level and may be subjected to external assessment if not already a Reader.

In addition he must have:

Disseminated knowledge through professional and



- academic activities.
- Administrative ability and administrative experience.
- General academic leadership and the ability to guide others.
- Impeccable integrity and favourable External Assessment.
- Must show verifiable evidence of community service.

**The Registrar,
Kano University of Science and Technology,
Wudil,**

Applications not received within four (4) weeks of this publication will not be considered.

Professors and Readers all over the world are encouraged to apply. Applications for contract and leave of absence may be considered.

METHOD OF APPLICATION

Candidates should submit 12 copies each of applications, Curriculum Vitae, Credentials and other supporting documents that can assist the University in the Comprehensive assessment of their Publications, Exposure, Experience and capabilities. Applications should be addressed to:

Applicants should request their three Referees to forward CONFIDENTIAL REPORTS on them.

Only applications of shortlisted candidates will be acknowledged, please.

Signed:

Alhaji Usman Yakubu, FIPMA
REGISTRAR

Invitation to Participate/Exhibit at the 4th Nigeria Bio-Summit

The National Universities Commission is in receipt of a call circular from the Federal Ministry of Education, inviting institutions and stakeholders to participate and showcase research findings in the 4th Exhibition of the Nigeria Bio-Summit, October, 2015 holding as follows:

Date: 29 - 31 October, 2015

Venue: Banquet Hall, Government House, Uyo, Akwa-Ibom State

For further enquiry please contact the National Coordinator, NigeriaBio, Federal Secretariat Complex, Phase 1, Annex 3, 5th floor, Three Arm Zone, Abuja. Nigerian@bio.gov.ng, website: www.bio.gov.ng Tel: 0902914923

APPLICATION FOR 2016 MAB YOUNG SCIENTISTS AWARDS

The National Universities Commission is in receipt of a call circular from the Secretary-General, Nigerian UNESCO, requesting for nominations for the 2016 Young Scientists Award. One of the objectives of the award is to encourage young scientists in particular those from developing countries to use MAB research, project sites and biosphere reserves in their research.

All nominations are to be submitted for endorsement to the Chairman, MAB National Committee, Professor B.A. Ola-Adams via the following: E-mail: olaadamsb@yahoo.com and copy mamaidoh@yahoo.com for processing and onward transmission to the MAB Secretariat, Paris before UNESCO deadline of 31st October, 2015.

CALL FOR NOMINATIONS FOR MEMBERSHIP OF THE UNESCO INTERNATIONAL BIOETHICS COMMITTEE 2016-2019

The National Universities Commission is in receipt of a call circular from the Nigerian National Commission for UNESCO, for nominations to the membership of the UNESCO International Bioethics Committee (IBC), for a period of four years, from 2016-2019.

Member states are invited to propose to the UNESCO Director-General, the names of suitable personalities for consideration for the renewal of one half of the membership, whose terms of office will expire by the end of 2015.

Nominated candidates should include eminent personalities who are specialists in the Life Sciences, Social and Human Sciences including Law, Human Rights, Philosophy, Education and Communication, with the required competence and efficiency to perform the IBC's duties.

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NATIONAL UNIVERSITIES COMMISSION



ADVERTORIAL CONFIRMATION OF APPROVAL OF THE NIGERIAN UNIVERSITIES e-LEARNING PROGRAMME

The general public is hereby informed that whereas the Commission maintains its stand that online degrees are not accepted in Nigeria at the moment, this does not include the approved Nigerian Universities e-Learning Programme run within the shores of Nigeria.

The Nigerian Universities e-Learning Programme is a legitimate and well thought out pilot e-learning initiative. It is a Public Private Partnership between the National Universities Commission (NUC), Park Associates E-Learning Group, and four federal universities. Its goal is to provide new opportunities for students to access university education in Nigeria.

The four Participating Universities are:

- i. University of Uyo;
- ii. National Open University of Nigeria;
- iii. Usmanu Danfodiyo University, Sokoto; and
- iv. University of Maiduguri.

Students enrolled in the Programme can select any of the following undergraduate degree programmes: Economics, Banking & Finance, Accounting, Business Administration and Marketing for which they have requisite qualifications. The Programme for now is only available for candidates who wish to obtain BSc Degree in Economics.

The Commission wishes to use this medium to allay all fears and doubts concerning the legitimacy or NUC endorsement of the Nigerian Universities e-Learning Programme. This is one of the avenues that the National Universities Commission is exploring to increase access to university education without compromising quality. Students in the Programme are therefore advised to continue to pursue their studies without fear and prospective applicants are encouraged to enrol. Concerned parents, guardians, students and the general public may contact the Commission for further clarification on the Programme under reference.

Signed

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NATIONAL UNIVERSITIES COMMISSION

IMPLEMENTING STEPS FOR NEW MEDICAL SCHOOLS, ACCREDITATION ISSUES AND THE NEW MINIMUM BENCHMARK (2015) FOR THE MBBS/BDS PROGRAMMES

PROGRAMMES

Following several Stakeholders' meetings in the last two years and as a prelude to the formal release of the New Minimum Academic Benchmark (2015), proprietors of Medical and Dental Schools in Nigeria (both current and prospective) are requested to note the following implementing steps including relevant adjustments relating to accreditation of Medical/Dental Schools.

1. From 1st September 2015, both current and prospective proprietors of Medical and Dental Schools should:
 - a. Write a letter to the Executive Secretary stating their intent and provide relevant information as available.
 - b. On receipt, (if NUC has no obvious reasons to disqualify the application), they would be sent a copy of the BMAS for MBBS/BDS and advised firmly to ensure that they are strictly complied with.
 - c. The setting up of medical schools is not an emergency exercise. To this end, prospective proprietors must own and have in place (prior to a request for a Resource Verification), a fully functional and well run tertiary type hospital. In the circumstance of the above not being in place, consideration for an affiliation with a tertiary government-owned institution may be given only when the said university owns a medical institution fully functional with a minimum of 150 beds and a rural health medical unit. (See Appendix 4 of the BMAS).
 - d. A Pre-clinical Accreditation would be expected to take place within two years of a positive Resource Verification. Students can only sit for the second MBBS professional examination (Anatomy, Physiology and Biochemistry) when they have a successful preclinical accreditation. The preclinical accreditation would, amongst others, concentrate largely on the Department of Anatomy, Biochemistry, Physiology, Pathology and Pharmacology and to a lesser extent, Community Health. All evaluated departments must have the minimum requirements in terms of academic staff, non academic staff and laboratory facilities. (See Appendix 3 of the BMAS)
 - e. The Commission has now approved a Clinical Accreditation expected to take place within twelve months of a successful preclinical accreditation. Subsequent to that, a reaccreditation exercise will take place every five years.
2. With respect to established medical schools, (and irrespective of their accreditation status), it should be noted that only institutions that (by the deadline of March 20th, 2016) have requested and obtained formal approval from the National Universities Commission for a re-evaluation based on the following considerations would be allowed to admit students into the MBBS/BDS programmes from the 2016/2017 academic year:
 - a. All Medical and Dental schools must have an approved, and appropriately utilized, Clinical Skills/Simulation centre.
 - b. Ensure strict adherence to the proper use of the course system for all approved programmes in Nigerian Universities. The implication of the above is that a particular programme (subject) is taught not only broken into cluster units of 1-4 but also have the components of university supervised examinations. For clarity, current end of posting examinations (practiced by some medical/dental schools) that neither have units allocated nor follow the standards of a University examination, do not conform to the Minimum Academic Standards as established by the National Universities Commission.
 - c. Universities are strongly urged to immediately review their current methods of teaching medical and dental students to include more tutorials, self study group teaching, use of IT in the delivery of courses and simulation/competency based evaluations that must be signed by a lecturer not below the status of a senior lecturer. It must be noted that the confirmation of a successful simulation/competency based evaluation should be a mandatory requirement before the students are eligible to sit for the various professional/sessional examinations



3. Proprietors are urged to note the Essential Component changes of the new curriculum expected to be in use from the 2016/2017 academic session. Details of these changes are available in the New Minimum Academic standards booklet and at the National Universities Commission website. (www.nuc.edu.ng) Major components include the following:
 - (a) The approval of three alternative models viz;
 - i. A seven year MBBS/BDS programme that encompass a mandatory seamless four-year acquisition of the B.Sc. (Basic Medical Science) with interest in either Anatomy/Physiology/Biochemistry. At the end of seven years, students would have acquired the Bachelor of Basic Medical Science, Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery degrees. In case of the dental programmes, the students would have acquired a degree in Basic Dental Science and Bachelor of Dental Surgery.
 - ii. In order to allow for career change for interested non-medical health professionals, the Commission has also approved a four year programme leading to MBBS/BDS for interested and qualified graduates of Nursing, Pharmacology, Physiotherapy, Image Science, Paramedics, Anatomy, Physiology, Biochemistry and Pharmacology. It must be noted for such to be considered for admission they must have at the WAEC/NECO levels minimum credit scores in Mathematics, English, Physics, Chemistry and Biology at one sitting, prior to the admissions for their first degrees. They must also have a good CGPA.
 - iii. Admission into universities based on the current six year programme would be allowed to continue as suitable alternative based on the discretion of the University.
 - iv. It should be noted and emphasized that all the above degrees have the Bachelor appellation as they remain undergraduate programmes.
 - (b) Specific periods of posting to the department of Family Medicine. The obvious implication here is that, the Universities should create the Department of Family Medicine following their due process.
 - (c) Redesignation of the Department of Pharmacology to the Department of Pharmacology and Therapeutics. The department is now expected to provide relevant basic clinical teaching and conduct relevant professional examination in Pharmacology. They will also be expected to provide relevant clinical teaching in Therapeutics. All Universities should set in motion the machinery to achieve the above.
4. In view of the above essential component changes of the new curriculum, the Commission will be organising a National training for Medical teachers in Nigerian Universities. Details of the training would be made available shortly.
5. Interested stakeholders are invited to send comments/suggestions on the above to: The Executive Secretary, NUC, okojie_julius@yahoo.com and copy to chiedu.mafiana@gmail.com

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Call for Admission: University of Bucharest

The National Universities Commission is in receipt of a call circular from the University of Bucharest, Romania inviting interested and qualified candidates to apply for a Masters programme in Globalisation Studies and Cultural Diplomacy in the University of Bucharest, Faculty of Philosophy, for the 2015/2016 academic session. .

How to apply: interested candidates are requested to contact filosofie@ub-filosofie.ro or call: +40213181556, +40213182974, fax: +40213185289.

Deadline for application: Candidates should contact the above on or before **15th of September, 2015**.

For more details about the programme visit: www.unibuc.ro,
www.unibuc.de, www.culturaldiplomacy.org and www.filosofie.unibuc.ro

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH AND INNOVATION FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT IN AFRICA

The National Universities Commission (NUC) is in receipt of a call circular from the Nigerian Permanent Delegation in the Republic of Sudan to UNESCO, through the Federal Ministry of Education (FME), announcing an International Conference on Scientific Research and Innovation for Sustainable Development in Africa, organised by the Graduate College and Scientific Research and Cultural Relations Directorate of the University of Khartoum, Khartoum Sudan. The International Workshop is scheduled to be held on 20th – 23rd February, 2016, at the premises of the Central Compass, University of Khartoum.

Interested scientists and researchers in and outside Sudan are kindly requested to submit abstract of their papers of 250 words (maximum) electronically through the official website of the conference or to the Secretariat of the conference through the e-mail: gradreg@uofk.edu or confsecretariat@uofk.edu. The deadline for the abstract is 31st August, 2015, while the full papers should be submitted on or before 30 November, 2015. Also the deadline for registration for training courses and workshops as well as electronic registration is 20 December, 2015.

N.B The participants are to read the details about the conference and to also do their registration which is open through the website of the conference www.sgcac.uofk.edu.

CALL FOR NOMINATIONS FOR MEMBERSHIP OF THE UNESCO INTERNATIONAL BIOETHICS COMMITTEE 2016 - 2019

The National Universities Commission (NUC) is in receipt of a call circular from the Nigerian National Commission for UNESCO, for nominations to the membership of the UNESCO International Bioethics Committee (IBC), for a period of four years, from 2016 - 2019. Member States are invited to propose to the UNESCO Director-General, the names of suitable personalities for consideration for the renewal of one half of the membership, whose terms of office will expire by the end of 2015. Nominated candidates should include eminent personalities who are specialists in the Life Sciences, Social and Human Sciences including Law, Human Rights, Philosophy, Education and Communication, with the required competence and efficiency to perform the IBC's duties.

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UNESCO-WTA INTERNATIONAL TRAINING WORKSHOP IN DAEJEON METROPOLITAN CITY, REPUBLIC OF KOREA, 22ND - 25TH SEPT, 2015.

The National Universities Commission is in receipt of a call circular from UNESCO-WTA International Training Workshop in Daejeon Metropolitan City, Republic of Korea.

The Training workshop are two associated events, the 2015 Daejeon Global Innovation forum and 12th WTA Daejeon High-Tech Fair.

Theme: "Establishing the Regional Innovation Platform based on science and technology parks (STP)"

NOTE: Invitation is specially extended to well-known lecturers and expert in STPs' development, and those whose professional activities are related to developing and managing STPs.

Prospective Participants are expected to forward their curriculum vitae to wta.workshop@gmail.com

However successful applicants will be expected to submit a 5-page paper on experiences or plans on developing and managing STPs in their regions. Selection will be made from submissions and the author of the selected best cases will have the opportunity of presenting at the country presentation session on 24th September, 2015.

The WTA Secretariat will sponsor the hotel accommodation for 5 nights as well as the local transportation cost of successful applicants.

5TH INTERNATIONAL WORKSHOP ON 'INTERNET SECURITY: ENHANCING INFORMATION EXCHANGE SAFEGUARDS' (SEPTEMBER 14-18, 2015, ANKARA, TURKEY)

The National Universities Commission (NUC) is in receipt of a call circular from the Commission on Science and Technology for Sustainable Development in the South (COMSATS) in collaboration with the Islamic Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (ISESCO); the Inter Islamic Network on Information Technology (INIT); the COMSATS Institute of Information Technology (CIIT), Pakistan; and the Statistical, Economic and Social Research and Training Centre for Islamic Countries (SESRI), Turkey, announcing the 5th International Workshop on 'Internet Security: Enhancing Information Exchange Safeguards'. The international workshop is scheduled to be held on September 14-18, 2015, in Ankara, Turkey.

Interested persons are kindly requested to nominate young researchers, practitioners, academicians, executives, system administrators, system programmers and students, working in the field of Internet/information security and cryptography, for participating in the above-mentioned international workshop. The filled-in registration form, CV and scanned copy of the first two pages of passport of each nominated individual should reach to the undersigned latest by August 24, 2015, in order to be considered for participation by scientific committee of the workshop. Selected participants' should noted that economy class air travel to/from Ankara (Turkey) as well as boarding & lodging expenses will be covered by ISESCO and INIT.

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NATIONAL UNIVERSITIES COMMISSION

RE: MORATORIUM ON PART-TIME PROGRAMMES

The National Universities Commission, cognizant of the need to streamline the operations of Part Time and Sandwich programmes in Nigerian universities, had through a publication in the print media, including the Guardian and Sun Newspapers of Monday, 19th March, 2012, placed a moratorium on admission into parttime programmes in Nigerian universities. In the publication, the universities were requested to fully disclose all Part-Time and Sandwich programmes, with respect to enrolment and staffing profile, within four weeks of the publication, and to conduct in-house staff and student audit and forward same to the Commission. As a follow up to this, the Commission vide a letter dated 14 January, 2013, sent a reminder to the universities requesting those that were yet to provide information on their Part-Time and Sandwich programmes as well as affiliation arrangements to do so on or before 15 February, 2013.

2.0. Universities That Made Submission

Based on the submissions received, a total of forty (40) universities indicated that they would run Part-Time and Sandwich programmes as detailed below:

A. Federal Universities

1. Federal University of Technology, Owerri
2. University of Benin, Benin
3. University of Calabar, Calabar
4. University of Lagos
5. Nnamdi Azikiwe University, Awka
6. University of Port Harcourt, Port Harcourt
7. University of Uyo, Uyo
8. University of Abuja, Abuja
9. Federal University of Agriculture, Abeokuta
10. Michael Okpara University, Umudike
11. Modibbo Adamawa University of Technology, Yola
12. University of Agriculture, Markurdi
13. Usman Danfodio University, Sokoto
14. University of Jos, Jos

B. State Universities

1. Ambrose Ali University, Ekpoma, Edo State
2. Olabisi Onabanjo University, Ago-Iwoye, Ogun State
3. Ekiti State University, Ado-Ekiti, Ekiti State
4. Adekunle Ajasin University, Akungba-Akoko, Ondo State
5. Imo State University, Owerri, Imo State
6. Tai Solarin University of Education, Ijagun, Ogun State
7. Rivers State University of Science and Technology, Port Harcourt
8. Enugu State University of Science and Technology,

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9. Ignatius Ajuru University of Education Education, Port Harcourt
10. Delta State University, Abraka, Delta State
11. Ladoke Akintola University of Technology, Ogbomoso
12. Lagos State University, Ojo, Lagos State
13. Niger Delta University, Amasoma, Bayelsa State
14. Anambra State University, Uli, Anambra State
15. Ebonyi State University, Abakaliki, Ebonyi State
16. Cross River State University of Technology, Calabar
17. Abia State University, Uturu, Abia State
18. Osun State University, Osun State
19. Nasarawa State University, Keffi, Nasarawa State

C. Private Universities:

1. Crescent University, Abeokuta, Ogun State
2. Caleb University, Imota, Lagos State
3. Igbinedion University, Okada, Edo State
4. Lead City university, Ibadan, Oyo State
5. Achievers University, Owo, Ondo State
6. Benson Idahosa University, Benin – City, Edo State
7. Tansian University, Umuaya, Anambra State
8. Wesley University of Science and Technology, Ondo, Ondo State

3.0. APPROVALS GRANTED TO UNIVERSITIES TO RUN PART-TIME/ SANDWICH PROGRAMMES.

Up to date, a total of thirty six (36) universities forwarded their completed documents, based on the approved format. Following the analysis of the submissions by the Department of Academic Standards and having satisfied the laid down guidelines for running Part – Time programme and Sandwich courses in Nigerian universities, all the thirty six (36) institutions were recommended to the Executive Secretary for approval. Consequent upon Executive Secretary's approval, letters were communicated to the universities accordingly. The universities are:

A. Federal Universities

1. University of Lagos
2. University of Port Harcourt
3. University of Calabar
4. University of Benin
5. University of Abuja
6. University of Uyo
7. University of Jos
8. Obafemi Awolowo University, Ile-Ife
9. Nnamdi Azikiwe University, Awka



10. Federal University of Agriculture, Abeokuta
11. Federal University of Technology, Owerri
12. Usman Danfodiyo University, Sokoto
13. Bayero University, Kano
- B. State Universities
1. Ekiti State University, Ado – Ekiti, Ekiti State
2. Cross River State University, Calabar, Cross River State
3. Imo State University, Owerri, Imo State
4. Ignatius Ajuru University of Education, Rivers State
5. Olabisi Onabanjo University, Ago-Iwoye, Ogun State
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8. Fountain University, Osogbo

Dr. Gidado Kumo

Director, Academic Standards

For: Executive Secretary

GUIDELINES ON PART-TIME AND SANDWICH PROGRAMMES IN NIGERIAN UNIVERSITIES

Below are guidelines for conducting Part-time and Sandwich programmes in Nigerian universities. All universities currently operating Part-time programmes are expected to comply with the guidelines on programme by programme basis.

Consequently, universities still interested in running Part-time programmes are advised to forward fresh applications to the NUC on programme by programme basis.

This is, however, subject to the readiness of the university to comply with the following extant guidelines on part-time programmes:

1. The admission and graduation requirements, Staffing, Library and physical facilities requirements must be in line with the Benchmark Minimum Academic Standards (BMAS) for the various full-time academic programmes;
2. For a programme to be eligible to run on part-time basis, the approved full-time equivalent must be available in the university, must have earned full accreditation and must be run within approved campuses;
3. The enrolment into part-time programmes must not exceed 20% of total students' population in the programme;
4. The minimum duration of the part-time programmes must be 150% of the approved duration of the Full-Time equivalent;
5. Approval shall not be granted for part-time programmes in Environmental Sciences, Engineering/Technology, Law, Medicine/Medical Sciences, Pharmacy /Pharmaceutical Sciences, Dentistry; and Veterinary Science;
6. All admissions into part-time programmes must be through the Joint Admissions and Matriculation Board (JAMB). Part-time programmes must be run within approved campuses of universities where the human and material resources for the teaching of the programmes are domiciled, i.e. on the main campus of the university;
7. Part-time programmes shall be subjected to the NUC accreditation assessment upon maturity of the programme;
8. For any programme to be eligible for part-time mode, it must have produced two (2) sets of graduates and satisfied the Resource Verification Requirements.
9. Commencement of a part-time programme MUST be subject to NUC's approval. Approval of commencement of all parttime programmes must be obtained.

The National Universities Commission shall not hesitate to apply appropriate sanctions on any university which violates any of the stipulated Guidelines on Part-Time and Sandwich Programmes.

Signed
Management



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FEDERAL			STATE			PRIVATE		
S/N	INSTITUTIONS	Year Est.	S/N	INSTITUTIONS	Year Est.	S/N	INSTITUTIONS	Year Est.
1	University of Ibadan, Ibadan	1948	1	Rivers State University of Science & Technology, Port Harcourt	1979	1	Babcock University, Ilishan Remo	1999
2	University of Nigeria, Nsukka	1960	2	Ambrose Alli University, Ekpoma	1980	2	Madonna University, Okija	1999
3	Obafemi Awolowo University, Ile-Ife	1962	3	Abia State University, Uturu	1981	3	Igbinedion University, Okada	1999
4	Ahmadu Bello University, Zaria	1962	4	Enugu State University of Science & Tech, Enugu	1982	4	Bowen University, Iwo	2001
5	University of Lagos, Lagos	1962	5	Olabisi Onabanjo University, Ago-Iwoye	1982	5	Covenant University, Ota	2002
6	University of Benin, Benin City	1970	6	Ekiti State University, Ado-Ekiti. (formerly University of Ado-Ekiti)	1982	6	Pan-Atlantic University, Lagos	2002
7	Bayero University, Kano	1975	7	Lagos State University, Ojo, Lagos	1983	7	Benson Idahosa University, Benin City	2002
8	University of Calabar, Calabar	1975	8	Ladoke Akintola University of Technology, Ogbomosho	1990	8	American University of Nigeria, Yola	2003
9	University of Ilorin, Ilorin	1975	9	Imo State University, Owerri	1992	9	Redeemers University, Ede, Osun State	2005
10	University of Jos, Jos	1975	10	Benue State University, Makurdi	1992	10	Ajayi Crowther University, Oyo	2005
11	University of Maiduguri, Maiduguri	1975	11	Delta State University, Abraka	1992	11	Al-Hikmah University, Ilorin	2005
12	Usmanu Danfodiyo University, Sokoto	1975	12	Adekunle Ajasin University, Akungba - Akoko	1999	12	Caritas University, Amorji-Nke, Enugu	2005
13	University of Port-Harcourt, Port-Harcourt	1975	13	Kogi State University, Anyigba	1999	13	CETE P City University, Lagos	2005
14	Federal University of Technology, Owerri	1980	14	Niger-Delta University, Yenagoa	2000	14	Bingham University, Auta-Balefi, Karu, Nasarawa State	2005
15	Federal University of Technology, Akure	1981	15	Anambra State University, Uli	2000	15	Al-Qalam University, Katsina	2005
16	Modibbo Adama University of Technology, Yola	1981	16	Kano University of Science & Technology, Wudil	2000	16	Renaissance University, Enugu	2005
17	Federal University of Technology, Minna	1982	17	Ebonyi State University, Abakaliki	2000	17	Bells University of Tech, Ota, Ogun State	2005
18	Nigerian Defence Academy, Kaduna	1985	18	Nasarawa State University, Keffi	2002	18	Lead City University, Ibadan, Oyo State	2005
19	University of Abuja, Abuja	1988	19	Adamawa State University, Mubi	2002	19	Crawford University, Igbesa, Ogun State	2005
20	Abubakar Tafawa Balewa University, Bauchi	1988	20	Gombe State University, Gombe	2004	20	Kwararafa University, Wukari (formerly Wukari Jubilee Uni.)	2005
21	University of Agriculture, Makurdi	1988	21	Kaduna State University, Kaduna	2004	21	Crescent University, Abeokuta	2005
22	Federal University of Agriculture, Abeokuta	1988	22	Cross River University of Technology, Calabar	2004	22	Novena University, Ogume, Delta State	2005
23	University of Uyo, Uyo	1991	23	Plateau State University, Boko	2005	23	University of Mkar, Mkar	2005
24	Nnamdi Azikiwe University, Awka	1992	24	Ondo State University of Technology, Okiti Pupa.	2008	24	Joseph Ayo Babalola University, Ikeji-Arakeji, Osun State	2006
25	Michael Okpara University of Agriculture, Umudike	1992	25	Ibrahim Babangida University, Lapai, Niger State	2005	25	Caleb University, Lagos	2007
26	National Open University of Nigeria, Lagos	2002	26	Tai Solarin University of Education, Ijagun	2005	26	Fountain University, Osogbo	2007
27	Fed. Univ. of Petroleum Resources, Effurun	2007	27	Umaru Musa Yar'Adua University, Katsina	2006	27	Obong University, Obong Ntak	2007
28	Federal University, Lokoja, Kogi State	2011	28	Bukar Abba Ibrahim University, Damaturu, Yobe State	2006	28	Salem University, Lokoja	2007
29	Federal University, Lafia, Nasarawa State	2011	29	Kebbi State University of Science and Technology, Aliero	2006	29	Tansian University, Umunya, Anambra State	2007
30	Federal University, Kashere, Gombe State	2011	30	Osun State University, Osogbo	2006	30	Veritas University, Abuja	2007
31	Federal University, Wukari, Taraba State	2011	31	Taraba State University, Jalingo	2008	31	Wesley University of Science & Technology, Ondo	2007
32	Federal University, Dutsin-Ma, Katsina State	2011	32	Kwara State University, Ilorin	2009	32	Western Delta University, Oghara, Delta State	2007



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34	Federal University, Ndufu-Alike, Ebonyi State	2011	34	Akwa Ibom State University, Ikot Ikpaden	2010	34	African University of Science & Technology, Abuja	2007
35	Federal University, Oye-Ekiti, Ekiti State	2011	35	Ignatius Ajuru University of Education, Rumuolumeni	2010	35	Afe Babalola University, Ado-Ekiti, Ekiti State	2009
36	Federal University, Otuoke, Bayelsa	2011	36	Bauchi State University, Gadau	2011	36	Godfrey Okoye University, Ugwuomu-Nike, Enugu State	2009
37	The Nigeria Police Academy, Wudil, Kano State	2012	37	Northwest University, Kano	2012	37	Nigerian Turkish Nile, University, Abuja	2009
38	Federal University, Birnin-Kebbi, Kebbi	2013	38	The Technical University, Ibadan.	2012	38	Oduduwa University, Ipetumodu, Osun State	2009
39	Federal University, Gusau, Zamfara	2013	39	Sule Lamido University, Kafin Hausas	2013	39	Paul University, Awka, Anambra State	2009
40	Federal University, Gashua, Yobe	2013	40	Ondo State University of Medical Sciences	2015	40	Rhema University, Obeama-Asa, Rivers State	2009
						41	Wellspring University, Evbuobanosa, Edo State	2009
						42	Adeleke University, Ede, Osun State	2011
						43	Baze University, Abuja	2011
						44	Landmark University, Omu-Aran, Kwara State	2011
						45	Samuel Adegboyega University, Ogwa, Edo State	2011
						46	Elizade University, Ilara-Mokin, Ondo State	2012
						47	Evangel University, Akaeze, Ebonyi State	2012
						48	Gregory University, Uturu, Abia State	2012
						49	McPherson University, Seriki Sotayo, Ajebo, Ogun State	2012
						50	Southwestern University, Okun Owa, Ogun State	2012
						51	Augustine, University, Ilara, Lagos State	2015
						52	Chrisland University, Owode, Ogun State	2015
						53	Christopher University, Mowe, Ogun State	2015
						54	Hallmark University, Ijebu, Itele, Ogun State	2015
						55	Kings University, Ode Omu, Osun State	2015
						56	Michael and Cecilia Ibru Uni., Owode, Delta State	2015
						57	Mountain Top University, Ogun State	2015
						58	Ritman University, Ikot Ekpene, Akwa Ibom State	2015
						59	Summit University, Offa, Kwara State	2015
						60	Edwin Clark University, Kiagbodo, Delta State	2015
						61	Hezekiah University, Umudi, Imo State	2015

- BOOK OF THE MONTH -

Book Title: Nigeria Yesterday Today

Author: Godwin Sogolo

Publisher: Safari Books Ltd

Place of Publication: Ibadan

Year of Publication: 2012

A book is a device to ignite the imagination

– Alan Bennett.



List of Universities with Approved Postgraduate Programmes

The National Universities Commission (NUC) has observed with great concern that some Nigerian universities are running unapproved postgraduate programmes, leading to the award of Masters and PhD degrees. The Commission has also observed that some Parastatals and Institutes are awarding these same Postgraduate degrees, either on their own or through unapproved affiliations with Nigerian and foreign Universities. Such practices are not only unethical, but also antithetical to time-tested quality assurance best practices. The qualifications/awards resulting therefrom are not recognized. The Commission hereby notifies the general public that only the following universities have approval to offer postgraduate programmes at the Masters' and Ph.D levels in Nigeria, as of 30th July, 2012:

Federal Universities :

1. Abubakar Tafawa Balewa University, Bauchi
2. Ahmadu Bello University, Zaria
3. Bayero University, Kano
4. Federal University of Technology, Akure
5. Federal University of Technology, Minna
6. Federal University of Technology, Owerri
7. Michael Okpara University of Agriculture, Umudike
8. Modibbo Adama University of Technology, Yola
9. National Open University of Nigeria, Lagos.
10. Nigerian Defence Academy, Kaduna
11. Nnamdi Azikiwe University, Awka
12. Obafemi Awolowo University, Ile-Ife
13. University of Abuja, Gwagwalada
14. University of Agriculture, Abeokuta
15. University of Agriculture, Makurdi
16. University of Benin, Benin City
17. University of Calabar, Calabar
18. University of Ibadan, Ibadan
19. University of Ilorin, Ilorin
20. University of Jos, Jos
21. University of Lagos, Akoka
22. University of Maiduguri, Maiduguri
23. University of Nigeria, Nsukka
24. University of Port Harcourt, Port Harcourt
25. University of Uyo, Uyo
26. Usmanu Danfodiyo University, Sokoto

State Universities :

1. Abia State University, Uturu
2. Adamawa State University, Mubi
3. Adekunle Ajasin University, Akungba-Akoko
4. Ambrose Alli University, Ekpoma
5. Anambra State University, Uli
6. Benue State University, Makurdi
7. Cross River University of Technology, Calabar
8. Delta State University, Abraka
9. Ebonyi State University, Abakaliki
10. Ekiti State University, Ado-Ekiti
11. Enugu State University of Science and Technology, Enugu
12. Imo State University, Owerri
13. Kogi State University, Anyigba
14. Ladoke Akintola University of Technology, Ogbomoso
15. Lagos State University, Ojo.
16. Nasarawa State University, Keffi
17. Niger-Delta University, Wilberforce Island
18. Olabisi Onabanjo University, Ago-Iwoye
19. Rivers State University of Science and Technology, Port Harcourt
20. Umaru Musa Yar'Adua University, Katsina
21. Gombe State University, Gombe
22. Ibrahim Babangida University, Lapai
23. Kano State University of Science and Technology, Wudil

Private Universities :

1. African University of Science and Technology, Abuja
2. American University of Nigeria, Yola
3. Babcock University, Ilishan-Remo
4. Benson Idahosa University, Benin City
5. Bowen University, Iwo
6. Covenant University, Ota
7. Igbinedion University, Okada
8. Pan-African University, Lekki
9. Redeemer's University, Mowe, Ogun State
10. Caleb University, Lagos
11. Joseph Ayo Babalola University, Ikeji-Arakeji, Osun State
12. Nigerian Turkish Nile University, Abuja
13. Afe Babalola University, Ado-Ekiti, Ekiti State
14. Lead City University, Ibadan, (MSc. only)
15. University of Mkar, Mkar (MSc. only)
16. Madonna University Okija (MSc. only)
17. Al-Hikmah University, Ilorin (MSc. only)

Employers of labour, educational institutions and other stakeholders are to note that only certificates issued by these universities, for their approved programmes, are valid for employment, further studies and other purposes. When in doubt about the status of any programme or certificate, the National Universities Commission should be contacted through webmaster@nuc.edu.ng and the following telephone numbers: 08027455412, 07054407741, 08067787753, 07039254081 and 07082024412 (FAX). Further information can also be obtained from the Commission's website: www.nuc.edu.ng

Signed:
MANAGEMENT

Fourteen-Step Process for the Establishment of Private Universities in Nigeria

The National Universities Commission (NUC), wishes to announce to the general public, especially prospective promoters of private universities, the fourteen-step procedure for establishing private universities in Nigeria.

1. Application in writing stating the intent for the establishment of the university
2. Interview of prospective proprietors
3. Collection of application forms
4. Submission of application forms and relevant documents
5. Intensive review/analysis of documents by experts in relevant NUC departments
6. Revision of documents by proprietors, based on report of

SCOPU

7. Interactive meeting of SCOPU with the proposed university
8. First site assessment visit
9. Finalisation of document
10. Second (final) site assessment visit
11. Security screening of proprietors and Board of Trustees
12. Approval by NUC Management
13. Approval by NUC Board
14. Approval by FEC

Prof. Julius A. Okojie, OON,
Executive Secretary, NUC
Announcer





NATIONAL UNIVERSITIES COMMISSION

PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT

List of Illegal Universities Closed Down by NUC

The National Universities Commission (NUC) wishes to announce to the general public, especially parents and prospective undergraduates, that the under-listed “Degree Mills” have not been licensed by the Federal Government and have, therefore, been closed down for violating the Education (National Minimum Standards etc.) Act CAP E3 Law of the Federation of Nigeria 2004. The “Universities” are:

- 1) University of Accountancy and Management Studies, operating anywhere in Nigeria.
- 2) Christians of Charity American University of Science & Technology, Nkpor, Anambra State or any of its other campuses
- 3) University of Industry, Yaba, Lagos or any of its other campuses
- 4) University of Applied Sciences & Management, Port Novo, Republic of Benin or any of its other campuses in Nigeria
- 5) Blacksmith University, Awka or any of its other campuses
- 6) Volta University College, Ho, Volta Region, Ghana or any of its other campuses in Nigeria
- 7) Royal University Izhia, P.O. Box 800, Abakaliki, Ebonyi State or any of its other campuses
- 8) Atlanta University, Anyigba, Kogi State or any of its other campuses
- 9) United Christian University, Macotis Campus, Imo State or any of its other campuses.
- 10) United Nigeria University College, Okija, Anambra State or any of its other campuses.
- 11) Samuel Ahmadu University, Makurdi, Benue State or any of its other campuses.
- 12) UNESCO University, Ndoni, Rivers State or any of its other campuses.
- 13) Saint Augustine’s University of Technology, Jos, Plateau State or any of its other campuses
- 14) The International University, Missouri, USA, Kano and Lagos Study Centres, or any of its campuses in Nigeria
- 15) Collumbus University, UK operating anywhere in Nigeria
- 16) Tiu International University, UK operating anywhere in Nigeria
- 17) Pebbles University, UK operating anywhere in Nigeria`
- 18) London External Studies UK operating anywhere in Nigeria.
- 19) Pilgrims University operating anywhere in Nigeria.
- 20) Lobi Business School Makurdi, Benue State or any of its campuses in Nigeria.
- 21) West African Christian University operating anywhere in Nigeria.
- 22) Bolta University College Aba or any of its campuses in Nigeria.
- 23) JBC Seminary Inc. (Wukari Jubilee University) Kaduna Illegal Campus
- 24) Westlan University, Esie, Kwara State or any of its campuses in Nigeria.
- 25) St. Andrews University College, Abuja or any of its campuses in Nigeria.
- 26) EC-Council University, USA, Ikeja Lagos Study Centre.
- 27) Atlas University, Ikot Udosu Uko, Uyo Akwa Ibom State or any of its campuses in Nigeria
- 28) Concept College/Universities (London) Ilorin or any of its campuses in Nigeria
- 29) Halifax Gateway University, Ikeja or any of its campuses in Nigeria
- 30) Kingdom of Christ University, Abuja or any of its campuses in Nigeria
- 31) Acada University, Akinlalu, Oyo State or any of its campuses in Nigeria.
- 32) Fifom University, Mbaise, Imo State or any of its campuses in Nigeria
- 33) Houdegebe North American University campuses in Nigeria.
- 34) Atlantic Intercontinental University, Okija, Anambra State
- 35) Open International University, Akure

- 36) Middle Belt University (North Central University), Otukpo
- 37) Leadway University, Ughelli, Delta State
- 38) Metro University, Dutse/Bwari, Abuja
- 39) Southend University, Ngwuro Egeru (Afam) Ndoki, Rivers State
- 40) Olympic University, Nsukka, Enugu State
- 41) Federal College of Complementary and Alternative Medicine, Abuja.
- 42) Temple University, Abuja
- 43) Irish University Business School London, operating anywhere in Nigeria.
- 44) National University of Technology, Lafia, Nasarawa State.
- 45) University of Accountancy and Management Studies, Mowe, Lagos - Ibadan Expressway and its Annex at 41, Ikorodu Road, Lagos.
- 46) University of Education, Winneba Ghana, operating anywhere in Nigeria.
- 47) Cape Coast University, Ghana, operating anywhere in Nigeria.
- 48) African University Cooperative Development (AUCD), Cotonou, Benin Republic, operating anywhere in Nigeria.
- 49) Pacific Western University, Denver, Colorado, Owerri Study Centre.
- 50) Evangel University of America & Chudick Management Academic, Lagos
- 51) Enugu State University of Science and Technology (Gboko Campus)
- 52) career Light Resources Centre, Jos
- 53) University of West Africa, Kwali-Abuja, FCT
- 54) Coastal Univversity, Iba-Oku, Akwa-Ibom State
- 55) Kaduna Bussiness School, Kaduna
- 56) Royal University of Theology, Minna, Niger Delta

In addition to the closure, the following Degree Mills are currently undergoing further investigations and/or ongoing court actions. The purpose of these actions is to prosecute the proprietors and recover illegal fees and charges on subscribers.

- 1) National University of Nigeria, Keffi, Nasarawa State
- 2) North Central University, Otukpo, Benue State
- 3) Christ Alive Christian Seminary and University, Enugu
- 4) Richmond Open University, Arochukwu, Abia State.
- 5) West Coast University, Umuahia.
- 6) Saint Clements University, Iyin Ekiti, Ekiti State
- 7) Volta University College, Aba, Abia State.
- 8) Illegal Satellite Campuses of Ambrose Alli University.

For the avoidance of doubt, anybody who patronises or obtains any certificate from any of these illegal institutions does so at his or her own risk. Certificates obtained from these sources will not be recognised for the purposes of NYSC, employment, and further studies.

The relevant Law enforcement agencies have also been informed for their further necessary action.

** This list of illegal institutions is not exhaustive.*

Professor Julius A. Okojie, OON
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NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA

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PUBLIC NOTICE

APPROVED STUDY CENTRES AND OPERATION OF ILLEGAL STUDY CENTRES

The Management of the National Open University of Nigeria (NOUN) wishes to bring to the attention of the public the under-listed approved study centres, as at March, 2015.

GEO-POLITICAL	STUDY CENTRE	FULL ADDRESS
NORTH EAST	BAUCHI STUDY CENTRE	NOUN Study Centre, Former NRC Building Federal Low Cost Housing Estate. Bauchi, Bauchi State. bauchistudycentre@noun.edu.ng
	BOGORO COMMUNITY STUDY CENTRE	NOUN,Community Study Centre, Bogoro, Bauchi State.
	AZARE COMMUNITY STUDY CENTRE	NOUN,Community Study Centre, Azare, Bauchi State.
	YOLA STUDY CENTRE	NOUN Study Centre, Army Barracks Road, Yola. yolastudycentre@noun.edu.ng
	MAIDUGURI STUDY CENTRE	NOUN Study Centre, Baga Road, P. O. Box 548, Maiduguri, Borno State. maiduguristudycentre@noun.edu.ng nounborn2005@yahoo.com
	DAMATURU STUDY CENTRE	NOUN Study Centre, Former Amusement Park, Maiduguri Road, Damaturu, Yobe damaturustudycentre@noun.edu.ng nounyobe@yahoo.com
	JALINGO STUDY	NOUN Study Centre, Education Resource Centre, Former T/C Staff Quarter Jalingo, Taraba State. jalingostudycentre@noun.edu.ng
	GOMBE STUDY CENTRE	NOUN Study Centre, After All Saints College, Gombe Federal Low Cost, P. M. B 0163, Gombe. gombestudycentre@noun.edu.ng
	COMMUNITY STUDY CENTRE, GULAK	NOUN Study Centre, Former SDP Party Secretariat, Maiduguri - Mubi Express Way. gulakstudycentre@noun.edu.ng
North West	KANO STUDY CENTRE,	NOUN Study Centre, Independence Road, Sauna-Dakata, Kano nounkano@yahoo.com kanostudycentre@noun.edu.ng
	DUTSE STUDY CENTRE	NOUN Study Centre, 3rd Floor Federal Government Secretariat. Kiyawa Road, Dutse dutsestudycentre@nou.edu.ng
	GUSAU STUDY CENTRE	NOUN Study Centre, Federal College of Education (Technical), Zaira Road, Gusau. qusaustudycentre@noun.edu.ng
	KADUNA STUDY CENTRE	NOUN Study Centre, Kaduna Campus (old NETC) by Trade Fair Complex, KM 4 Zaria Road, Kaduna. kadunacentre@nou.edu.ng
	NOUN Special Study Centre, Nigerian Air force	NOUN Study Centre, 325 Ground Training Group, Nigerian Air Force Base, Kaduna. kadunanafbasespecialstudycentre@noun.edu.ng
	SOKOTO STUDY CENTRE	NOUN Study Centre, Shehu Shagari College of Education, Sokoto. sokotostudycentre@noun.edu.ng
	KEBBI STUDY CENTRE	NOUN Study Centre, Jega, Birnin - Kebbi Road. aarzika@noun.edu.ng kebbistudycentre@noun.edu.ng
	KATSINA STUDY CENTRE	NOUN Study Centre, After Katsina State House of Assembly, Kaita Road, Katsina State, katsinastudycentre@noun.edu.ng
	BATSARI COMMUNITY STUDY CENTRE	NOUN,Community Study Centre, Batsari, Katsina State.
North Central	JOS STUDY CENTRE	NOUN Study Centre, Lomay International Hotel Road, P.M.B.0983, Bukuru, Sabon Barki, Jos. josstudycentre@noun.edu.ng
	COMMUNITY STUDY CENTRE, OFFA	NOUN,community study centre, Igosun Road , Offa ,Kwara State. offastudycentre@noun.edu.ng



North Central	Ilorin Study Centre	NOUN Study Centre, Kulende Housing Estate, Ilorin. ilorinstudycentre@nou.edu.ng
	NOUN Special Study Centre, Nigerian Army.	NOUN Special Study Centre for the Nigerian Army, (Army School of Education) Sobi Cantonment, P.M.B 1514, Ilorin. sobistudycentre@noun.edu.ng, nigeriaarmyspecialstudycentreilorin@noun.edu.ng
	Abuja Study Centre	NOUN Study Centre, 5 Dar-E-Salaam, (Off Amino Kano Crescent) Wuse II Abuja. abujastudycentre@noun.edu.ng,
	NOUN,Special Study Centre for federal Road Safety Corps (FRSC),Abuja	NOUN,Special Study Centre for federal Road Safety Corps (FRSC), Abuja
	NOUN,Special Study Centre for National Assembly	NOUN,Special Study Centre for National Assembly, National Assembly Complex, Abuja.
	NOUN Special Study Centre, Nigerian Public Service Institute	NOUN Special Study Centre, Public Service Institute of Nigeria (PSIN) Study Centre, Kubwa Express Way, Dutsen Alhaji Abuja.
	NOUN Special Study Centre, Nigerian Immigrations Services	NOUN Study Centre, Pension Board Office, (immediately after Atlas Hotel) Secretariat Road Gwagwalada, Abuja. nigerianimmigrationspecialstudycentreabuja@noun.edu.ng
	NOUN Special Study Centre, Nigerian Prisons Services - Enugu Maximum Prisons - Portharcourt Maximum Prisons - Kirikiri Maximum Prisons	NOUN Study Centre, Bill Clinton Avenue, Sauka, Abuja prisonservicespecialstudycentreabuja@noun.edu.ng
	NOUN Special Study Centre, Nigerian Security and Civil Defense Corps(NSCDC)	NOUN Special Study Centre, Civil Defense Academy, Sauka-Abuja specialstudycentreforcivildefencecorpsabuja@noun.edu.ng
	NOUN Special Study Centre, National Union of Road Transport Workers (NURTW)	NOUN Special Study Centre, Plot 1236, Sepele Street, Garki II, Abuja. nurtwstudycentre@noun.edu.ng
	NOUN Special Study Centre,Nigerian Police	NOUN Study Centre, Directorate of Police Education Complex (Beside Mopol Barracks) Suleja Express Way Dei dei, Kubwa, Abuja. nounpolicecentre@noun.edu.ng
	Minna Study Centre	NOUN Study Centre, NRC Secretariat, Opp Mariam Babangida Girls Science College, Bosso, Minna, Niger State. minnastudycentre@noun.edu.ng
	Makurdi Study Centre	NOUN Study Centre, (Former NDE Office) Opposite Mechanic Village, Kanschio, Makurdi, Benue State makurdistudycentre@noun.edu.ng
	OtuKpo Study Centre	NOUN Study Centre, 59/ 60 Upu Road OtuKpo, Benue State. otukpostudycentre@noun.edu.ng
	Community Study Centre, OGORI	NOUN Study Centre, Aiyeromi along Ogori-Ekpe Road, before General Hospital Ogori. ogoristudycentre@noun.edu.ng
South East	Lokoja Study Centre	NOUN Study Centre, Defunct NRC Secretariat, Opposite Bishop Dennis College, Lokoja, Kogi State. lokojastudycentre@noun.edu.ng
	Community Study Centre, IYARA	NOUN Study Centre, (Defunct Party Building Secretariat) Iyara – Kabba Road. iyaracentre@yahoo.com iyarastudycentre@noun.edu.ng
	Lafia Study Centre	NOUN Study Centre, Bukan – Sidi, Jos Road, Lafia. lafiastudycentre@noun.edu.ng
	Owerri Study Centre	NOUN Study Centre, c/o Federal Polytechnic, Nekedi, Owerri/Aba Road, P.M.B 1036, Nekede, Owerri. owerristudycentre@noun.edu.ng nounowerri2005@yahoo.com
	Umudike Study Centre	NOUN Study Centre, National Root Crop Institute P M B 7296 Umuahia, Abia State umudikestudycentre@noun.edu.ng
South South	Enugu Study Centre	NOUN Study Centre, Nike-Lake Road, Enugu, Enugu State. enugustudycentre@noun.edu.ng
	Awgu Community Study Centre	NOUN Community Study Centre, Awgu ,Along old Okigwe Road by Orie Awgu, Off Enugu / Port-Harcourt Highway,Awgu Town, Awgu Enugu State.awgustudycentre@noun.edu.ng
	Awka Study Centre	NOUN Study Centre,Defunct Party Building P. M. B. 2017, Abagana, Anambra State. nounabagana@yahoo.com, awkastudycentre@noun.edu.ng
South South	Asaba Study Centre	NOUN Study Centre Federal College of Education (Technical), Asaba asabastudycentre@noun.edu.ng
	Emevor Community Study Centre	NOUN Study Centre, 72 Emevor-Ughelli Road , Emevor, Isoko North Local GOVT. Area, Delta State. emevorcommunitystudycentre@noun.edu.ng

	CALABAR STUDY CENTRE	NOUN Study Centre, Murtala Mohammed Highway, Opposite Zone 6 Police Hqtrs (Former Teachers training Collage) Calabar, Cross River State. calabarstudycentre@noun.edu.ng
	UYO STUDY CENTRE	NOUN Study Centre, 3 Mbaba Afia Street, Off Aka Road,Uyo., Akwa Ibom uyostudycentre@noun.edu.ng
	PORTHARCOURT STUDY CENTRE	NOUN Study Centre, St. John Campus (Aba Road, near Garrison), Rumuolumeni PMB 5047, Port Harcourt. riversstudycentre@nou.edu .ng
	BENIN STUDY CENTRE	NOUN Study Centre, Ekenwa Road, (Old SDP Secretariat) Benin City, Edo State. nounbenin_centre@yahoo.com beninstudycentre@nou.edu.ng
	FUGAR COMMUNITY STUDY CENTRE	NOUN,Fugar Community Study Centre, Edo State
	YENAGOA STUDY CENTRE	NOUN Study Centre,Swali Road, Beside UBA Bank Yenagoa. yenagoastudycentre@nou.edu.ng
South West	IBADAN STUDY CENTRE	NOUN Study Centre, Former Party Secretariat, Faith Clinic Road Ijokodo Junction, Sango-Eleyele PMB 5061, Ibadan. ibadanstudycentre@nou.edu.ng
	COMMUNITY STUDY CENTRE, AWA-IJEBU	NOUN Study Centre, Ijebu Awa, East Local Govt. Area, Ogun State. awa-ijebustudycentre@nou.edu.ng
	ADO-EKITI STUDY CENTRE	NOUN Study Centre, Government Housing Estate, Afao Road, Ado-Ekiti. adoekitistudycentre@noun.edu.ng
	ABEOKUTA STUDY CENTRE	NOUN Study Centre NNPC Mega Station, Ogun State. abeokutastudycentre@nou.edu.ng
	AKURE STUDY CENTRE	NOUN Study Centre, Old NRC Building Idanre Road, Ondo State akurestudycentre@nou.edu.ng,
	OKA AKOKO COMMUNITY STUDY CENTRE	NOUN Study Centre, Oka Akoko, Ondo State
	OSOGBO STUDY CENTRE	NOUN Study Centre, Beside St. Charles, Okedo, Former SDP Building, Ilesha Road, Oshogbo, Osun State osogbostudycentre@nou.edu.ng
	OTAN AYEGBAJU COMMUNITY STUDY CENTRE	NOUN Study Centre, No 4 Ikotun Street, Otan AyegbajuBoluwaduro LGA, Osun State.
	LAGOS STUDY CENTRE	NOUN Study Centre, NERDC, Agidingbi Beside Fela Shrine, Ikeja. lagosstudycentre@nou.edu.ng
	MACARTHY STUDY CENTRE	NOUN Study Centre, No. 38/40 McCarthy, Off Obalende Road, Opp Ghana High Commission, Lagos Island, Lagos.
	NOUN Special Study Centre, Nigerian Navy	NOUN Study Centre, Nigerian Navy NNS QUORRA, Apapa, Lagos nigeriannavyspecialstudycentreapapa@noun.edu.ng
FCT	Abuja Planning Office	5 Dar-E-Salaam, (Off Amino Kano Crescent) Wuse II Abuja. kadunaplanningoffice@noun.edu.ng
North	Centre For Educational Technology and Entrepreneurial Development (CETED)	Old NETC, By Trade Fair Complex, KM 4 Zaria Road, Kaduna. kadunacampus@noun.edu.ng
OPERATION OF ILLEGAL STUDY CENTRES It has been observed that some unscrupulous elements are operating illegal study centres across the country. So far, the underlisted illegal centres have been identified		
North Central	Notita Tutorial Centre	Notita Tutorial Centre, No. 3 Dares Salaam Street, off Aminu Kano Crescent, Wuse II, Abuja
South South	Olomoro Centre	Olomoro Promary School, Olomoro Community, Isoko South LGA, Delta State
	Auchi Centre	South Ibie Study Centre, opposite Polytechnic, Auchi, Edo State
	Ugheli Study Centre	No. 285 Ugheli/Patani Express way, Delta State.
South west	Ikorodu Study Centre	No. 23 Obafemi Awolowo Way, Opposite Public Toilet, Igbogbo, Ikorodu, Lagos
	Petin Centre for Lectures	14F Obafemi Awolowo Way, beside MAO plaza Ayetoro, Osogbo, near boorepo supermarket, Osogbo, Osun State.
	Students Cybernetics Cafe	No.6 Adebare Street, Oworoshoki, Lagos State.

Signed
Josephine O. Akinyemi (Mrs)
 Registrar



This Week's Diary

DATE	ORGANIZATION	EVENT	TIME	VENUE
Monday, 16-17 November, 2015	FME	Invitation to A 2-day meeting to bring-up data collection instruments for other sub-sectors of education.	9:00am	Statistics & NEMIS Conference Room (FME Annex)
Monday, 16th-19th November, 2015	Association of African Universities Association DES Universities Africaines	Invitation to the 7th Project Steering Committee (PSC) meeting of the World Bank Africa Centres of Excellence (ACE) project and 4th ACE project workshop Cotonou, Benin Republic		Cotonou, Benin Republic
Tuesday, 17th - 19th November, 2015	National Information Technology Development Agency (NITDA)	Invitation to attend eNigeria 2015 International Conference and Exhibition		The International Conference Center, Abuja.
Tuesday, 17th November, 2015	The Senate committee on Ethics, Privileges & Public Pettings	Invitation to a hearing of the Senate Committee on Ethics, Privileges and Public Petitions	2.00p.m	Meeting room 120, New Senate Building, National Assembly Complex, Abuja
Friday, 20 th November, 2015	Federal University of Technology, Akure, Nigeria	Special Invitation to the 27th Convocation ceremonies of the Federal University of Technology, Akure (FUTA)		

This Week's Birthdays

NAME	DATE OF BIRTH	DEPT
Bessie Chinyere Agu	16 November	DSSS
Abraham Lucas Chundusu	17 November	DAS
Olanrewaju Babatunde Akinyemi	17 November	DESO
Ikechukwu Paul Ebegbuna	17 November	LO
Oyepa Janet Inmalo	17 November	DPP
Kelvin Longter Parlong	18 November	DAS
Hadiza Abdulrahman	19 November	DQA
Jibril Ibrahim Kofar-Mata	19 November	DMSS
Benson Etim Urom	19 November	DFA
Aondoma Cletus Lanshima	20 November	DODE
Modupe Mojisola Asebiomo	20 November	DPP
Joy Abu Obaje	21 November	DMSS
Ijeoma Precious Ebere-Uneze	21 November	DICT
Obeahon Eyere Ayere	21 November	DICT
Peter Oluwafemi Esanola	21 November	DPP
Suleiman Jimo Saka	22 November	DMSS
Monsurat Olasumbo Alli-Yusuf	22 November	DRI
Shuaibu Jibrin	22 November	DPP
Blessing Ngozi Onu	22 November	DMSS

Wishing You Many happy returns! Best Wishes for the week.

"VOYAGE OF DISCOVERY" A Television Documentary Programme

This is a National Universities Commission (NUC) - sponsored television documentary programme for Nigerian Universities to celebrate outstanding researchers, showcase their findings and promote their linkage with the industry.

The programme is aired every week on:

(a) Nigerian Television Authority (NTA) on Mondays 1.30-2.00pm

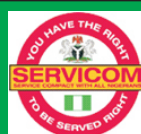
(b) African Independent Television (AIT) on Tuesdays 4:30 - 5.00 pm

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