

Life Returns to Campuses as ASUU Suspend Strike

It was a huge sigh of relief for students in the nation's public universities' campuses as Academic Staff Union of Universities (ASUU) announced the suspension of its three months industrial action penultimate Thursday ago. This followed a two and half hour meeting and subsequent signing of document between the Federal Government delegation, led by the Minister of Labour and Employment, Senator Chris Ngige and his Education counterpart, Malam Adamu and ASUU in Abuja.

The strike was suspended after the 10th marathon meeting between the government delegation and ASUU leaders which precipitated a final agreement on a new timelines based on the earlier 2017 Memorandum of Action, now regarded as MoA 2019. The MoA was signed by both parties which eventually sealed the long

negotiation between the union and government.

register for the new academic calendar in most institutions.



Dr. Chris Ngige
Hon. Minister of Labour and Employment/Leader of Government Negotiation Team

Meanwhile, following the strike action, students had been whiling away at home for nearly four months causing a disruption to their academic programmes and even inability of new intakes to

On its part, the union said it earlier embarked on the indefinite strike, following non-fulfilment of 2009 FGN/ASUU Agreement, on 4th November,

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2018, and subsequent MoUs, insisting that all those years government have not demonstrated enough commitment to meet their demands.



Malam Adamu Adamu
Hon. Minister of Education

Addressing newsmen after signing the Memorandum of Action (MoA), the Minister of Labour and his Education counterpart jointly expressed that “This is going to be a conclusive and reconciliatory meeting between Federal Government and ASUU. They both noted that the FGN and ASUU have unanimously resolved the eight contentious issues that prolonged the strike.

The ASUU President, Professor Biodun Ogunyemi concurred with the Minister on the issues in dispute, stating that the suspension of the strike was approved at the National Executive Council (NEC) meeting of the union after considering offers by the federal government.

He said “while we put a close to

this phase of struggle, it is our hope and desire that the Nigerian governments (federal and state) will play the roles expected of them in order to make the new memorandum work.”

Professor Ogunyemi explained the MoA contained in the document and reached by the parties to include:

1. In addition to N20 billion for 2018, the sum of N25 billion would be released in April/May, 2019, after which government would resume full implementation of the MoU of 2013.

2. Part-payment of the outstanding arrears of Earned Academic Allowances (EAA); defraying the balance up to 2018 in four tranches within 36 months; and mainstreaming further payments of EAA into the annual budgets, beginning from 2019 budget.

3. Presidential Initiative on Continuous Audit (PICA) verification and the release of the arrears of salary shortfalls at



Prof. Abubakar A. Rasheed
ES, NUC

Federal University of Agriculture, Makurdi (UAM), not later than 15th February, 2019.

4. Strengthening the Consultative Committee of state-owned Universities (CCSOU) inaugurated on Monday, 28th January, 2019 to look into the issues of proliferation, underfunding and governance to consistently deliver on its mandate.

5. Payment of outstanding Earned Academic Allowances, arrears of all eligible staff of the University of Ilorin, especially



Prof. Biodun Ogunyemi
ASUU President

loyal ASUU members whose appointments were illegally terminated by 7th February, 2019.

6. Acknowledgement and appreciation of government for facilitating the release of the final letter of approval for the granting of license to NUPEMCO.

7. Visitation to all Federal Universities would commence tentatively by 11th March, 2019.

8. Provision of documented guidelines on procedures and roles of parties in the process of negotiating FGN-ASUU Agreement of 2009 which would commence not later than 18th February, 2019 and end by Friday, 29th March, 2019.

While highlighting the stand of the union on the reached agreement,





Professor Ogunyemi noted that the union's National Executive Committee (NEC) had resolved that the current strike be suspended conditionally with effect from 12:01 a.m. on

Friday, 8th February, 2019.

He, however, warned that government must not renege on its part of the agreement as reflected in the 2019

Memorandum of Action. ASUU, according to him, shall resume its suspended strike as the union deems necessary, if the spirit and the letter of the agreement were not adhered to subsequently.

NUC to Partner NESG on Review of Education Blueprint

The Nigeria Economic Summit Group (NESG) penultimate week ago visited the Executive Secretary, National Universities Commission (NUC), Professor Abubakar Adamu Rasheed, mni, MFR, FNAL, in his office, for collaboration in the area of the review of the NUC blueprint on the rapid revitalization of university education in Nigeria.

Addressing the delegation, the NUC Scribe said that Nigerian Universities must be revitalized to unleash its potentials as a catalyst for socioeconomic development in Nigeria. He lauded the envisaged collaboration with the NESG, describing it as the first of its kind in the several attempt to reform university education in the country. According to him, "there is a missing link between the university system and the industrial sector and this has over time affected the type of graduates we produce from our universities as most of them are not employable".

He expressed hope that the collaboration would bridge the gap by unravelling the skill-needs of the industrial sector thereby, empowering the Universities to adequately train their students to fit into the labour

market upon graduation.

The Executive Secretary bemoaned the infrastructural decay in the universities which had widened the gap between the universities and the industrial

channeled to areas of needs, leaving the universities in a state of infrastructural deficit, inadequate man-power training and learning resources.

Prof. Rasheed stressed that the



ES, NUC, Prof. Abubakar A. Rasheed displaying a document and assisted by the Head, Policy Intelligence, NESG, Mr. Seun Ojo

sector, noting that the NUS was not in shortage of interventions, as they have continued to receive funding in terms of grants and special interventions from Tertiary Education Trust Fund (TETFund), Central Bank of Nigeria (CBN), Private individuals and Philanthropists, the World Bank, as well as Budgetary Allocation from the federal government. He however, noted that such interventions were often not properly

NUS was capable of driving the proposed strategic goals of revitalization, which, he noted, covered specialised areas like Agriculture, Entrepreneurship and skill development, Engineering, Information Technology, amongst others. NUC, he said, would forward the recommendation to the government, while on its part provide the necessary guidance and monitoring to ensure that the



recommendations are well implemented.

According to him, the Student Industrial Work Experience Scheme (SIWES) programme had outlived its usefulness as

Universities has risen from zero in the last twenty years to 75 and still counting.

He hinted that plans were on ground to also provide “safety nets” in form of loan or grants for students who may secure

two parties synergise, identify challenges that had over the years led to graduate unemployment.

Mr. Seun noted that the group was already collaborating with National Institute for Policy and Strategic Studies (NIPSS), Kuru, to seek



R-L: Prof. Rasheed, Mr. Ojo and Tope Toogun

most students hardly find placement due to over subscription to the programme as well as shrinking number of industries and lack of proper monitoring of SIWES students to ensure they acquired the relevant skills.

He called for a review of the scheme and for the industrial sector to fund researches in the NUS on areas beneficial to them, as a way of promoting academic excellence and meeting the aspirations of employers of labour.

Professor Rasheed informed the NESG delegation that the commission was making effort to solve the challenges of access to University Education in Nigeria, adding that the number of Private

admission into these Private Universities whose parents could not afford the fees. This, he said, would enable private universities meets their admission quota, which they hardly achieve.

The Executive Secretary beckoned on the NESG to bring on board the Executive Secretaries of Tertiary Education Trust Fund (TETFund) and Industrial Training Fund, to be part of the initiative.

Responding on behalf of the Chief Executive Officer, Head of Policy Intelligence NESG, Mr. Seun Ojo expressed gratitude to the Executive Secretary for providing the platform for Captains of Industries and the academics to meet. He stated that the initiative would enable the

ways of advancing education in Nigeria. He assured the Executive Secretary that all critical stakeholders will be on brought on board as they have found them critical in the pursuit of a productive and result oriented education system.

To build a knowledge and solution-driven University, he noted that the group had trained academics from 26 universities in South Africa on Entrepreneurship Development in Higher Education.

He however lamented that NESG collaborated with General Electric to host similar training in Nigeria, but failed because of lack of enabling platform for the programme to take-off. He pledged that NESG was willing to



collaborate with the NUC to ensure that the programme become a success.

In a vote of thanks, the Deputy Executive Secretary appreciated the group for making out time to be part of the epoch collaboration and hoped that the outcome of the review of the NUC blueprint on rapid revitalization of University

Education in Nigeria would advance the cause of the NUS at large.

Other stakeholders at the meeting were representative of the NESG Policy Commission, Dr. Sani Sufi, Tope Toogun, and NIPPS, Kemi O. Sijuwade, mni.

Present at the meeting were the

NUC Directors of Research, Innovation, Information and Technology, Dr. Suleiman Ramon-Yusuf; Executive Secretary's Office, Mr. Chris Maiyaki; International Cooperation and Liaison Services, Mrs. Constance Goddy-Nnadi; Open and Distance Education, Dr. Esther Adesina; Student Support Services, Dr. Mariam Sali.

Professor Taura Emerges New VC Sule Lamido University

The Governing Council of Sule Lamido University (SLU), Kafin Hausa, Jigawa State has appointed Professor Lawan Sani Taura, the new Vice-Chancellor of the University. His appointment became effective from December 2018. He replaced Professor Abdullahi Yusuf Ribadu, whose tenure as the pioneer Vice-Chancellor has elapsed.

Following his appointment, the new Vice-Chancellor last week visited the Executive Secretary, National Universities Commission (NUC), Professor Abubakar Adamu Rasheed, *mni*, *MFR*, *FNAL*, to familiarise himself with the workings of the Commission and the Nigerian University System (NUS).

Born on 10th June, 1960, the new Vice-Chancellor, who is a Professor of Solid State Physics, hails from Taura local

Government Area of Jigawa State. He started his educational career by obtaining the Nigeria

he graduated with the Bachelors of Science (B.sc) Physics in 1990; M.sc Physics from the Ahmadu



ES, NUC, Prof. Abubakar A. Rasheed and the New VC, SLU, Prof. Lawan Sani Taura,

Certificate in Education (NCE) with distinction in 1985 from the Gumel Advanced Teachers' College, Kano.

Thereafter, he proceeded to the Bayero University Kano, where

Bello University (ABU) Zaria in 1999, with his area of specialisation in Solid State Physics and a PhD from Bayero University Kano in 2009 with specialisation in Computational Solid State Physics.



Between 1992 and 1995, Professor Taura was an Assistant Lecturer in the Department of Physics in BUK and rose through the ranks to become a substantive Professor

metamorphosed to Jigawa State University (now Sule Lamido University) Kafin Hausa in 2013. His current research interest is in Computational Solid State Physics.

The new Vice-Chancellor has also undertaken several Community services which include: Chairman, Committee for the Recruitment of Teachers for the Ministry of Education, Science and



Prof. Rasheed, Taura (2nd and 3rd right) and Mr. Chris J. Maiyaki (1st left)

in 2013. Prior to this appointment as the second Vice-Chancellor of SLU, Professor Taura was the pioneer Deputy Vice-Chancellor, Administration of the University.

He also served as pioneer Dean, Faculty of Natural & Applied Sciences as well as Head, Department of Physics in SLU. He also served as the Provost of the defunct Jigawa State College of Remedial and Arts Studies (JICORAS) which

He has successfully assessed one candidate for the promotion to the rank of a professor in addition to the supervisions of seventy-nine projects/dissertations/theses at both postgraduate and undergraduate levels.

He is a member of Nigerian Association of Mathematical Physics (NAMP) and Nigerian Association of Physics (NIP) and also a serving Member of the Editorial Board of the Journal of Transactions of the Nigerian Association of Mathematical Physics.

Technology, Jigawa State in December 2018; Patron, Taura Local Government Students Association, 2014; Member, NCCE Accreditation Team in Integrated Science of All State College of Education Akure and Best Legacy College of Education, Ogbomosho in 2010. Professor Taura is happily married with Children.

The *Monday Bulletin* team wishes him a successful tenure.



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The Executive Secretary
National Universities Commission
Attn., Mrs. Constance N. Goddy-Nnadi
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Maitama District
Abuja.

Dear Madam

Subject: Recruitment of Qualified Persons to Fill Positions at the University of the West Indies St. Augustine Campus Trinidad and Tobago

I should be grateful if the attached advertisements and further particulars could be brought to the attention of all persons likely to be interested, on behalf of The University of the West Indies, St. Augustine, Trinidad and Tobago.

The posts to be advertised are:

**1. Senior Lecturer/Lecturer in Chemical Engineering
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Department of Parachemical Sciences
Faculty of Medical Sciences
The University of the West Indies
St. Augustine

3. Senior Lecturer/Lecturer in Public Health & Primary Care

Department of Para clinical Sciences
Faculty of Medical Sciences
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In this regard, kindly note that the deadline date for submission of all applications is **13th January 2019**. Should you require further clarification please do not hesitate to contact this Mission.

Sincerely,

f/High Commissioner

5. Senior Lecturer/Lecturer in Marketing

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The above is for your information and necessary action.

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cc: Vice-Chancellor
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NUC MAKES HISTORY IN RANKING OF OPEN EDUCATIONAL RESOURCES (OER)

The National Universities Commission has made history in conducting the first-ever ranking of Open Educational Resources (OER) held in institutional repositories. It is the first exercise of its kind in the world and it was initiated by the Executive Secretary of NUC, Professor Abubakar Rasheed, mni, MFR for application in the Nigerian University System. The exercise showed that with 12,070 quality OER holdings presented by 50 universities for the inaugural exercise, Nigerian Universities are now among the best in Africa in OER. It is estimated that with full release of the OER holdings and participation by all universities, this number may quadruple in the next two years making the Nigerian University system the richest in OER in Africa. The OER ranking exercise is to be conducted twice a year.

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The OER ranking exercise was conducted by the 12-member National Experts Group on OER Ranking (NEGOR) and a four-person team of external experts from outside Nigeria.

Fifty universities that participated in the inaugural edition were ranked by (a) ownership (federal, State and private) and (b) generation within ownership. The results are shown below.

2017 NUSOER RANKING

Federal-First Generation (out of 6 universities)

Rank	University	Total Count	Total OER Score
1	University of Lagos	1244	25
2	University of Ibadan	1015	25

Federal-Second Generation (out of 9 universities)

Rank	University	Total Count	Total OER Score
1	Federal University of Technology, Owerri	891	30
2	Nnamdi Azikiwe University, Awka	522	19
3	University of Port Harcourt	295	13
4	University of Maiduguri	795	12
5	Usmanu Danfodiyo University	532	10
6	Federal University of Technology, Minna	41	0

Federal-Third Generation (out of 11 universities)

Rank	University	Total Count	Total OER Score
1	University of Abuja	385	10
2	Federal University of Technology, Akure	354	5
3	Modibbo Adama University of Technology	32	0

Federal-Fourth Generation (out of 10 universities)

Rank	University	Total Count	Total OER Score
1	Federal University, Ndufu-Alike Ikwo	98	6
2	Federal University, Kashere	13	0

State Universities-First Generation (out of 21 universities)

Rank	University	Total Count	Total OER Score
1	Lagos State University	375	16
2	Cross River University of Technology	142	4
3	Abia State University	53	1
4	Ekiti State University	9	0

State Universities-Third Generation (out of 12 universities)

Rank	University	Total Count	Total OER Score
1	Edo University, Iyamho	563	25.1
2	University of Medical Science, Ondo City	679	19.4

Private Universities-First Generation (out of 23 universities)

Rank	University	Total Count	Total OER Score
1	Covenant University	634	25
2	Redeemer's University	656	21
3	Babcock University	480	15
4	Crawford University	257	10
5	Afe Babalola University	221	5
6	Caleb University	92	5
7	Salem University	7	0
8	Al-Hikmah University	0	0
8	Bells University of Technology	0	0
8	Joseph Ayo Babalola University	0	0
8	University of Mkar	0	0

Private Universities-Second Generation (out of 20 universities)

Rank	University	Total Count	Total OER Score
1	Mountain Top University	535	26.3
2	Landmark University	724	16
3	Wellspring University	131	6.9
4	Arthur Jarvis University	46	3.4
5	Adeleke University	117	2
6	Coal City University	65	1.1
7	Kings University	50	1
8	McPherson University	15	0
9	Edwin Clark University	2	0

Overall Ranking out of 160 Universities

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26	Coal City University	65	1.1
27	Abia State University	53	1
28	Kings University	50	1
29	Federal University of Technology, Minna	41	0
30	Modibbo Adama University of Technology	32	0
31	McPherson University	15	0
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*Executive Secretary***A. B. Baffa, PhD.****To:** All Heads of TETFund Beneficiary Institution**From:** Executive Secretary, TETFund**Subject:** Disclaimer**Date:** November 13, 2017

The attention of the Management of the Tertiary Education Trust Fund (TETFund) is drawn to the mischievous activities of some unscrupulous elements that are visiting public Universities, Polytechnics and Colleges of Education and some regulatory agencies and presenting themselves as staff of, and working with, the Chairman-designate of the Board of Trustees of TETFund. They usually meet the head of an institution, the bursar and/or director of works/physical planning to make all sort of offers/promises of TETFund intervention projects to be allegedly brought to the institution by the Chairman-designate. In exchange, they make different frivolous requests including nominating contractors/consultants and, in many cases, request for financial gratifications.

The Management of the Fund therefore wishes to inform the beneficiary institutions of TETFund in particular and entire public in general that these mischief-makers have nothing to do with TETFund and all their entreaties should be ignored. Anyone that enters into any transaction with them does so at his/her own risk.

All TETFund Staff on official assignment to any institution carry identification and an introduction letter to the head of the institution.

Heads of our beneficiary institutions or members of the public who require any clarification on the activities of the Fund may also call **0800-TETFUND (0800-8383863)** or visit our website www.tetfund.gov.ng.

AB BAFFA**Executive Secretary**

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RE: SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMME OF TURKISH GOVERNMENT

The National Universities Commission is in receipt of a letter, Ref. 330.04/19/01 dated 02 January, 2019, from the Embassy of the Republic of Turkey, Abuja notifying the Commission of the Scholarship Programme of the Turkish Government. The Programme is aimed at further strengthening the bond between Nigeria and Turkey.

Consequently, I am to inform all Vice Chancellors that the application process for the Scholarship Programme will commence from 15th January to 20th February 2019, while oral interviews would be conducted in April-May, 2019. The results would be announced in July, 2019.

I am to also implore the Vice-Chancellors to widely circulate and publicise the Scholarship Programme in their respective Universities, for the benefit of stakeholders.

For additional information on Scholarship Calendar the application, kindly visit www.turkiyeburslari.gov.tr



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Approved Open Universities and Distance Learning Centres in Nigeria

The National Open University of Nigeria (NOUN), which has 72 study/resource centres nationwide, is currently the only approved open university in the Nigerian University System (NUS).

List of approved Distance Learning Centres in Nigeria
Eleven universities in the Nigerian University System, currently have the approval of the National Universities Commission to operate distance learning centres as follows:

1. Distance Learning Centre, University of Ibadan.
2. Distance Learning Institute, University of Lagos.
3. Centre for Distance Learning and Continuing Education, University of Abuja.
4. Centre for Distance Learning, University of Maiduguri.
5. Centre for Distance Learning, Obafemi Awolowo University, Ile-Ife.
6. Centre for Distance Learning, Modibbo Adama University of Technology, Yola.
7. Ladoke Akintola University of Technology Open and Distance Learning Centre.
8. Distance Learning Centre, Ahmadu Bello University, Zaria.
9. Lagos State University Open and Distance Learning and Research Institute
10. Joseph Ayo Babalola University Centre for Distance Learning
11. University of Nigeria, Nsukka Centre for Distance and e-Learning





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, Enugu State
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, Umunya, 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
6. Ambrose Ali University, Ekpoma, Edo State
7. Enugu State University of Science & Technology, Enugu State
8. Tai Solarin University of Education, Ijagun, Ogun State
9. Rivers State University of Science & Technology, Port Harcourt
10. Ebonyi State University, Abakaliki, Ebonyi State
11. Benue State University, Makurdi, Benue State
12. Niger Delta University, Yenagoa, Bayelsa State
13. Lagos State University, Ojo, Lagos State
14. Adekunle Ajasin University, Akungba – Akoko, Ondo State
15. Anambra State University, Uli, Anambra State
16. Osun State University, Osogbo, Osun State
17. Abia State University, Uturu, Abia State
18. 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. Wesley University of Science and Technology, Ondo, Ondo State
8. Fountain University, Osogbo

Dr. Gidado Kumo

Director, Academic Planning

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



LIST OF APPROVED UNIVERSITIES IN NIGERIA

FEDERAL UNIVERSITIES

S/N	INSTITUTIONS	Year Est.	S/N	INSTITUTIONS	Year Est.	S/N	INSTITUTIONS	Year Est.
1	University of Ibadan, Ibadan	1948	16	Modibbo Adama University of Technology, Yola	1981	31	Federal University, Wukari, Taraba State	2011
2	University of Nigeria, Nsukka	1960	17	Federal University of Technology, Minna	1982	32	Federal University, Dutsin-Ma, Katsina State	2011
3	Obafemi Awolowo University, Ile-Ife	1962	18	Nigerian Defence Academy, Kaduna	1985	33	Federal University, Dutse, Jigawa State	2011
4	Ahmadu Bello University, Zaria	1962	19	University of Abuja, Abuja	1988	34	Federal University, Ndufu-Alike, Ebonyi State	2011
5	University of Lagos, Lagos	1962	20	Abubakar Tafawa Balewa University, Bauchi	1988	35	Federal University, Oye-Ekiti, Ekiti State	2011
6	University of Benin, Benin City	1970	21	University of Agriculture, Makurdi	1988	36	Federal University, Otuoke, Bayelsa	2011
7	Bayero University, Kano	1975	22	Federal University of Agriculture, Abeokuta	1988	37	The Nigeria Police Academy, Wudil, Kano State	2012
8	University of Calabar, Calabar	1975	23	University of Uyo, Uyo	1991	38	Federal University, Birnin-Kebbi, Kebbi	2013
9	University of Ilorin, Ilorin	1975	24	Nnamdi Azikiwe University, Awka	1992	39	Federal University, Gusau, Zamfara	2013
10	University of Jos, Jos	1975	25	Michael Okpara University of Agriculture, Umudike	1992	40	Federal University, Gashua, Yobe	2013
11	University of Maiduguri, Maiduguri	1975	26	National Open University of Nigeria, Lagos	2002	41	Nigeria Maritime University Okerenkoko, Delta State	2018
12	Usmanu Danfodiyo University, Sokoto	1975	27	Fed. Univ. of Petroleum Resources, Effurun	2007	42	Air Force Institute of Technology, Kaduna	2018
13	University of Port-Harcourt, Port-Harcourt	1975	28	Federal University, Lokoja, Kogi State	2011	43	Nigerian Army University, Biu	2018
14	Federal University of Technology, Owerri	1980	29	Federal University, Lafia, Nasarawa State	2011			
15	Federal University of Technology, Akure	1981	30	Federal University, Kashere, Gombe State	2011			

STATE UNIVERSITIES

S/N	INSTITUTIONS	Year Est.	S/N	INSTITUTIONS	Year Est.	S/N	INSTITUTIONS	Year Est.
1	Rivers State University of Science & Technology, Port Harcourt	1979	17	Ebonyi State University, Abakaliki	2000	33	Sokoto State University, Sokoto	2009
2	Ambrose Alli University, Ekpoma	1980	18	Nasarawa State University, Keffi	2002	34	Akwa Ibom State University, Ikot Ikpaden	2010
3	Abia State University, Uturu	1981	19	Adamawa State University, Mubi	2002	35	Ignatius Ajuru University of Education, Rumuolumeni	2010
4	Enugu State University of Science & Tech, Enugu	1982	20	Gombe State University, Gombe	2004	36	Bauchi State University, Gadau	2011
5	Olabisi Onabanjo University, Ago-Iwoye	1982	21	Kaduna State University, Kaduna	2004	37	Maitama Sule University, Kano	2012
6	Ekiti State University, Ado-Ekiti. (formerly University of Ado-Ekiti)	1982	22	Cross River University of Technology, Calabar	2004	38	The Technical University, Ibadan.	2012
7	Lagos State University, Ojo, Lagos	1983	23	Plateau State University, Bokkos	2005	39	Sule Lamido University, Kafin Hausa	2013
8	Ladoke Akintola University of Technology, Ogbomoso	1990	24	Ondo State University of Technology, Okiti Pupa.	2008	40	Ondo State University of Medical Sciences	2015
9	Imo State University, Owerri	1992	25	Ibrahim Babangida University, Lapai, Niger State	2005	41	Edo University, Iyamho	2016
10	Benue State University, Makurdi	1992	26	Tai Solarin University of Education, Ijagun	2005	42	Eastern Palm University, Ogboko	2016
11	Delta State University, Abraka	1992	27	Umaru Musa Yar'Adua University, Katsina	2006	43	University of Africa, Toru-Orua	2016
12	Adekunle Ajasin University, Akungba - Akoko	1999	28	Yobe State University Damaturu, Yobe State	2006	44	Borno State University	2016
13	Kogi State University, Anyigba	1999	29	Kebbi State University of Science and Technology, Aliero	2006	45	Moshood Abiola University of Science and Technology, Abeokuta	2017
14	Niger-Delta University, Yenagoa	2000	30	Osun State University, Osogbo	2006	46	Gombe State University of Science and Technology, Kumo	2017
15	Odumegwu Ojukwu University Uli	2000	31	Taraba State University, Jalingo	2008	47	Zamfara State University, Talata-Mafara	2018
16	Kano University of Science & Technology, Wudil	2000	32	Kwara State University, Ilorin	2009			





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PRIVATE UNIVERSITIES

S/N	INSTITUTIONS	Year Est.	S/N	INSTITUTIONS	Year Est.	S/N	INSTITUTIONS	Year Est.
1	Babcock University, Ilishan Remo	1999	27	Salem University, Lokoja	2007	53	Hallmark University, Ijebu, Itele, Ogun State	2015
2	Madonna University, Okija	1999	28	Tansian University, Umunya, Anambra State	2007	54	Kings University, Ode Omu, Osun State	2015
3	Igbinedion University, Okada	1999	29	Veritas University, Abuja	2007	55	Michael and Cecilia Ibru Uni., Owode, Delta State	2015
4	Bowen University, Iwo	2001	30	Wesley University of Science & Technology, Ondo	2007	56	Mountain Top University, Ogun State	2015
5	Covenant University, Ota	2002	31	Western Delta University, Oghara, Delta State	2007	57	Ritman University, Ikot Ekpene, Akwa Ibom State	2015
6	Pan-Atlantic University, Lagos	2002	32	The Achievers University, Owo	2007	58	Summit University, Offa, Kwara State	2015
7	Benson Idahosa University, Benin City	2002	33	African University of Science & Technology, Abuja	2007	59	Edwin Clark University, Kiagbodo, Delta State	2015
8	American University of Nigeria, Yola	2003	34	Afe Babalola University, Ado-Ekiti, Ekiti State	2009	60	Hezekiah University, Umudi, Imo State	2015
9	Redeemers University, Ede, Osun State	2005	35	Godfrey Okoye University, Ugwuomu-Nike, Enugu State	2009	61	Anchor University, Ayobo, Lagos State	2016
10	Ajayi Crowther University, Oyo	2005	36	Nile University of Nigeria, Abuja	2009	62	Arthur Jarvis University, Akpabuyo, Cross River State	2016
11	Al-Hikmah University, Ilorin	2005	37	Oduduwa University, Ipetumodu, Osun State	2009	63	Clifford University, Owerinta, Abia State	2016
12	Caritas University, Amorji-Nke, Enugu	2005	38	Paul University, Awka, Anambra State	2009	64	Coal City University, Enugu, Enugu State	2016
13	Bingham University, Auta-Balefi, Karu, Nasarawa State	2005	39	Rhema University, Obeama-Asa, Rivers State	2009	65	Crown Hill University, Eiyenkorin, Kwara State	2016
14	Al-Qalam University, Katsina	2005	40	Wellspring University, Evbuobanosa, Edo State	2009	66	Dominican University, Ibadan, Oyo State	2016
15	Renaissance University, Enugu	2005	41	Adeleke University, Ede, Osun State	2011	67	Koladai University, Ibadan, Oyo State	2016
16	Bells University of Tech, Ota, Ogun State	2005	42	Baze University, Abuja	2011	68	Legacy University, Okija, Anambra State	2016
17	Lead City University, Ibadan, Oyo State	2005	43	Landmark University, Omu-Aran, Kwara State	2011	69	Admiralty University, Ibusa, Delta State	2017
18	Crawford University, Igbesa, Ogun State	2005	44	Samuel Adegboyega University, Ogwa, Edo State	2011	70	Spiritan University, Nneochi, Abia State	2017
19	Kwararafa University, Wukari (formerly Wukari Jubilee Uni.)	2005	45	Elizade University, Ilara-Mokin, Ondo State	2012	71	Precious Cornerstone University, Ibadan, Oyo State	2017
20	Crescent University, Abeokuta	2005	46	Evangel University, Akaeze, Ebonyi State	2012	72	PAMO University of Medical Sciences, Port Harcourt, Rivers State	2017
21	Novena University, Ogume, Delta State	2005	47	Gregory University, Uturu, Abia State	2012	73	Atiba University, Oyo, Oyo State	2017
22	University of Mkar, Mkar	2005	48	McPherson University, Seriki Sotayo, Ajebo, Ogun State	2012	74	Eko University of Medical Sciences, Ijanikin, Lagos State	2017
23	Joseph Ayo Babalola University, Ikeji-Arakeji, Osun State	2006	49	Southwestern University, Okun Owa, Ogun State	2012	75	Skyline University, Nigeria Kano State	2018
24	Caleb University, Lagos	2007	50	Augustine University, Ilara, Lagos State	2015	76	Greenland University, Kasarami Kaduna State	2019
25	Fountain University, Osogbo	2007	51	Chrisland University, Owode, Ogun State	2015	77	Dominion University, Ibadan Oyo State	2019
26	Obong University, Obong Ntak	2007	52	Christopher University, Mowe, Ogun State	2015	78	Trinity University, Laloko Ogun State	2019
						79	Westland University, Iwo Osun State	2019



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 :

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| 1. Abubakar Tafawa Balewa University, Bauchi | 16. University of Benin, Benin City |
| 2. Ahmadu Bello University, Zaria | 17. University of Calabar, Calabar |
| 3. Bayero University, Kano | 18. University of Ibadan, Ibadan |
| 4. Federal University of Technology, Akure | 19. University of Ilorin, Ilorin |
| 5. Federal University of Technology, Minna | 20. University of Jos, Jos |
| 6. Federal University of Technology, Owerri | 21. University of Lagos, Akoka |
| 7. Michael Okpara University of Agriculture, Umudike | 22. University of Maiduguri, Maiduguri |
| 8. Modibbo Adama University of Technology, Yola | 23. University of Nigeria, Nsukka |
| 9. National Open University of Nigeria, Lagos. | 24. University of Port Harcourt, Port Harcourt |
| 10. Nigerian Defence Academy, Kaduna | 25. University of Uyo, Uyo |
| 11. Nnamdi Azikiwe University, Awka | 26. Usmanu Danfodiyo University, Sokoto |
| 12. Obafemi Awolowo University, Ile-Ife | 27. Federal University, Lafia |
| 13. University of Abuja, Gwagwalada | 28. Federal University, Dutse |
| 14. University of Agriculture, Abeokuta | 29. Federal University of Petroleum Resources, Effurun |
| 15. University of Agriculture, Makurdi | |

State Universities :

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| 1. Abia State University, Uturu | 15. Lagos State University, Ojo. |
| 2. Adamawa State University, Mubi | 16. Nasarawa State University, Keffi |
| 3. Adekunle Ajasin University, Akungba-Akoko | 17. Niger-Delta University, Wilberforce Island |
| 4. Ambrose Alli University, Ekpoma | 18. Olabisi Onabanjo University, Ago-Iwoye |
| 5. Anambra State University, Uli | 19. Rivers State University of Science and Technology, Port Harcourt |
| 6. Benue State University, Makurdi | 20. Umaru Musa Yar'Adua University, Katsina |
| 7. Cross River University of Technology, Calabar | 21. Gombe State University, Gombe |
| 8. Delta State University, Abraka | 22. Ibrahim Babangida University, Lapai |
| 9. Ebonyi State University, Abakaliki | 23. Kano State University of Science and Technology, Wudil |
| 10. Ekiti State University, Ado-Ekiti | 24. Kebbi State University of Science and Technology, Aliero |
| 11. Enugu State University of Science and Technology, Enugu | 25. Kwara State University Malete |
| 12. Imo State University, Owerri | 26. Bauchi State University, Gadau |
| 13. Kogi State University, Anyigba | 27. Yobe State University, Damaturu |
| 14. Ladoke Akintola University of Technology, Ogbomosho | 28. Ignatius Ajuru University of Education, Rumuolumeni |

Private Universities :

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| 1. African University of Science and Technology, Abuja | 11. Joseph Ayo Babalola University, Ikeji-Arakeji, Osun State |
| 2. American University of Nigeria, Yola | 12. Nigerian Turkish Nile University, Abuja |
| 3. Babcock University, Ilishan-Remo | 13. Afe Babalola University, Ado-Ekiti, Ekiti State |
| 4. Benson Idahosa University, Benin City | 14. Lead City University, Ibadan, (MSc. only) |
| 5. Bowen University, Iwo | 15. University of Mkar, Mkar (MSc. only) |
| 6. Covenant University, Ota | 16. Madonna University Okija |
| 7. Igbinedion University, Okada | 17. Al-Hikmah University, Ilorin (MSc. only) |
| 8. Pan-African University, Lekki | 18. Godfrey Okoye University, Uguomou-Nike, Enugu State |
| 9. Redeemer's University, Mowe, Ogun State | 19. Adeleke University, Ede |
| 10. Caleb University, Lagos | |

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. Abubakar Adamu Rasheed, *mni*, MFR, FNAL
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 CAPE 3 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 Udoso 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, Mbaize, 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 University, Iba-Oku, Akwa-Ibom State
- 55) Kaduna Business School, Kaduna
- 56) Royal University of Theology, Minna, Niger State
- 57) West African Union University, in Collaboration with International Professional College of Administration, Science and Technology Nigeria, operating anywhere in Nigeria.
- 58) Gospel Missionary Foundation (GMF), Theological University. 165 Iselo road, Cele bus stop, Egbe-Ikotun, Lagos.

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, Arochuku, 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.
- 9) L.I.F.E Leadership University, Benin City, Edo State.

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.**

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This Week's Birthdays



NAME			DATE OF BIRTH
LAMI	UGOCHUKWU		11 February
AKINLABI	ONIYIDE	AKINOLA	11 February
JUMMAI	JOSPHINE	ALABI	12 February
SAMUEL	ABAH	ADIKWU	13 February
CHIMEZIE	OKPARA		14 February
MARIAN	NWAKAEGO	OHADIUGHA	14 February
ONANWENYI	ARINZE	ANTHONY	15 February
NJIDEKA	JUSTINA	EME	15 February
CHIBUIKE	NWANKERE		15 February
MUSAAHMED	AMIN		15 February
ABEL	ADUGBA		15 February
IBRAHIM	IRO	ALIYU	16 February
OSAMUDIAMEN	O.	OSAYANDE	16 February
JOLA-ADE	ADEBIYI	ADEOLA	17 February
JOHN OJONIKO	ABBAH		17 February

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



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