



Campus News

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IMT FACES ACCREDITATION, AS NUC TEAM VISITS



Prof. Justice Emuoyibofarhe (m) explains a point as other members of the NUC Accreditation panel look on

A four-man accreditation panel from the National Universities Commission (NUC) has paid a courtesy visit to the Vice-Chancellor, Federal University of Technology, Minna, Prof. Abdullahi Bala, *fsssn*.

The team which is in the University to assess the undergraduate programme at the Department of Information and Media Technology (IMT), is lead by Prof. Justice Emuoyibofarhe from the Ladoke Akintola University of Technology (LAUTECH), Ogbomoso.

The Deputy Vice-Chancellor (Academic), Prof. Yahaya Ahmed Iyaka who received the team of assessors on behalf of the Vice-Chancellor said that the University looked forward to the accreditation exercise as it would help to highlight the strengths and weaknesses of the programme with a view to making improvements.

He assured them of the necessary support to make their assignment successful.

Responding, the team leader, Prof. Emuoyibofarhe, an alumnus of the University, assured that they would be objective in their assessment.

He thanked the University for its hospitality.

ELECTION OF DEAN

The Management has directed that election into the Office of Dean, School of Physical Sciences (SPS) be conducted by the Senate Secretariat while the election of other School Officers (including the Deputy Dean) shall be conducted by the School Board Secretariat accordingly.

The Deanship election is therefore slated for Tuesday, November 6, 2018.

Time: 10.00am

Venue: Lecture Theatre II, Bosso Campus

Procedure: The election procedures are as follows:

1. Eligibility:

- i) All Academic Staff in the School are qualified to vote during the election.
- ii) All Professors in the School are qualified to contest for Deanship of the School (SPS).

2. Nomination Forms:

- iii. Nomination form is free of charge.
- iv. Interested candidates are advised to collect nomination forms from the Office of the Registrar, Senate Building, Main Campus, Gidan Kwano as from Wednesday 24th – Tuesday 30th October, 2018.
- v. Each contestant's nomination shall be duly seconded by two (2) members not below the rank of Senior Lecturer from the School Academic Board.
- vi. All completed nomination forms must be submitted to the

Office of the Registrar on or before 4.00pm on Tuesday 30th October, 2018.

3. Guidelines for Deanship Election

1. Election:

- vii. The names of contestants will be displayed at the School Notice Board and Dean's office on Thursday 1st November, 2018.
- viii. The election shall be conducted by secret ballot.
- ix. The accreditation of voters will start at 10.00am on the day of election. All eligible voters are expected to be at the venue of the election before that time. All staff are required to present their ID cards for accreditation.
- x. In the event of a tie between two or more contestants who score the highest number of votes, there shall be a run-off election.

2. Election Result:

- xi. The election results shall be announced by the Registrar as the Returning Officer.
- xii. The counting of votes cast shall be done in the presence of School Board Members (the electorates).
- xiii. The candidate with the highest number of votes shall be declared winner, returned elected and therefore assume office a day after the date of end of tenure of the out-going Dean.

APPOINTMENTS

(i) Dean

Senate at its meeting held on Wednesday, July 25, 2018 considered and ratified re-election of **Prof. Oladiran Abubakre**, as the Dean, School of Infrastructure, Process Engineering and Technology (SIPET), for a period of two years with effect from August 3, 2018.

(ii) Visiting Lecturer

The Vice-Chancellor has approved the appointments of **Dr. I. M. Tyolumun and Dr. O. S. Olanrewaju** as Visiting Lecturers to the Department of Statistics, School of Physical Sciences (SPS), for a period of one year each, during the 2018/2019 Academic Session.

ATTENTION RETIREMENT OF ADVANCES

Sequel to earlier communication on Advances not retired, this is to serve as a reminder that the deadline for retirement of Advances is Wednesday, October 31, 2018.

Failure to comply will lead to stoppage of salaries.

ANUPA CORNER

If money is your hope for independence you will never have it. The only real security that a man will have in this world is a reserve of knowledge, experience and ability.

FITNESS! FITNESS!!

The University Sports Committee cordially invites staff, students and the University community to its monthly Walk Exercise slated as follows:

Date: Saturday, October 27, 2018

Time: 6:30 a.m. prompt

Departure Point: Front of University Gate, Bosso Campus.

FUNERAL

The Oladejo and Alonge families cordially invite the University community and the general public to the funeral ceremony of **Deaconess Maria Olufunmilayo Ajoke Oladejo (Nee Alonge)**, (University's Newspaper Vendor), who slept in the Lord on Thursday, September 20, 2018, aged 63:

WAKE KEEP/TESTIMONY NIGHT

Date: Friday, November 2, 2018

Time: 4:00pm

Venue: Her Residence, Angwan Tsohi, Behind St. Mary Catholic Church, Kpakungu, Minna, Niger State.

LYING-IN-STATE

Date: Saturday, November 3, 2018

Time: 7:30am

CAMPUS NEWS LAUNCHES MOBILE APP

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Interested persons can visit the android play store, search "**Futminna Campus News**" to download the App.

You can also follow us via our twitter handle **@infounitfutmx** and our Facebook page **Futminna Infounit** for real time update on live events, details of upcoming activities on campus, exclusive pictures of events and lots more.

COUNSELLING TIP

Learn to control your anger. The most powerful person on earth is not an army general, a warrior nor the richest person but he/she that can control him/herself, his/her utterances, attitude and action in the face of provocation. Ask for God's grace to be one of such.

**Guidance and Counselling Unit,
Students' Affairs Division.**

APPRECIATION

Mallam Abubakar Mahmoud Muhammad, Deputy Registrar, Vice-Chancellor's Office has, on behalf of his family, expressed sincere appreciation to the University Management, Staff and students for their prayers, gifts, presence and other forms of support during the Wedding Fatiha of his son, which was held recently.

He prayed God Almighty to bless and reward everyone abundantly.

Venue: Her Residence, Angwan Tsohi, Behind St. Mary Catholic Church, Kpakungu, Minna, Niger State.

BURIAL SERVICE

Date: Saturday, November 3, 2018

Time: 9:30am

Venue: At the Cemetery.

THANKSGIVING SERVICE

Date: Saturday, November 3, 2018

Time: 11:30am

Venue: Christ Apostolic Church (CAC), Kuta Road, Minna, Niger State.

Reception follows immediately.

LIST OF NEW BOOKS

N	TITLE	AUTHOR/ EDITOR	PUBLISHER	YEAR
1	Data Storage at The Nano Scale Advances and Applications	FUXI, G.	CRC Press	2015
2	Modeling And Control Of Vibration In Mechanical System	CHUN LING DU, L.	CRC Press	2010
3	Artificial Intelligence Tools Decision Support System In Conditions Monitoring and Diagnosis	DIEGO GALOR, P.	CRC Press	2015
4	Classical Mechanics: Applied Mechanics and Mechatronics	AWREJCEWICX, J.	Springer	2012
5	Risks of Artificial Intelligence	MULLER, V.C.	CRC Press	2016
6	Introduction to RF Power Amplifier Design and Simulation	EROGLU, A.	CRC Press	2016
7	Signals and Systems: A Primer With MATLAB	SADIKU, M.O	CRC Press	2016
8	Cognitive Networks: Applications and Deployments	MAURI, J.L	CRC Press	2015
9	Optical Fiber Communication Systems With MATLAB and Simulink Models	BINH, L.N	CRC Press	2015
10	Advanced Malware Analysis	ELISAN, C.C	McGraw Hill	2015

Money Matters

Weekly Financial Digest (Monday, October 12, – Friday, October 19, 2018)

SN	RECEIPTS	₦
1	Collection of Certificate	412,000.00
2	Transcript	435,000.00
3	Replacement of I.D Cards	2,000.00
4	Turnitin	467,500.00
5	Semesterial Result	3,400.00
6	Search FM	21,500.00
7	Verification/Confirmation of Certificate	25,000.00
8	Clearance Fees	9,000.00
9	Proficiency in English	6,000.00
10	Student Hire of Academic Gown	30,000.00
11	Teaching Practice	18,000.00
12	Hostel Fees	100,000.00
13	Tender Fees	40,000.00
14	Certification of Certificate	4,000.00
15	Acceptance Fees	13,620,000.00
16	Post Graduate School Fees	1,354,750.00
17	Pre Degree Forms	199,500.00
18	Post UTME Scratch Card	39,000.00
19	Post UTME	58,000.00
20	Use of CBT Centre	66,000.00
	TOTAL	16,910,650.00
	PAYMENTS	
19	Contractors/Suppliers	
	(i) Staff	
	(a) Advance	9,560,488.00
	(b) Refund	2,182,054.00
	(ii) Contractors/Suppliers	
	(a) Niger State Internal Revenue - Withholding tax (Jan-Sept 2018)	1,528,709.00
	(b) Arcreal Associate - Supply of Diesal	3,407,250.00
	(c) Arcreal Associate - Supply of Diesal	3,407,250.00
	(d) Arcreal Associate - Supply of Diesal	3,407,250.00
	(e) Leah Eyagi Yisa - Refreshment	892,650.00
	(f) Niger State Water Board - Water Bill	117,500.00
	(g) Mrs. O. Oladajo - Supply of Newspaper	33,200.00
	(i) DHL Int'l Nig. Ltd. - Courier Service	495,553.39
	(i) Abuja Electricity Dis. Comp. - Electricity Bill	5,254,616.85
	(e) External Examiners - Honorarium	3,179,941.00
	TOTAL PAYMENTS	33,466,462.24

WEDDING CEREMONIES

Dr. **Isaac Ayodele Olatunji** of the Estate Management and Valuation Department, cordially invites the University community and the general public to the Solemnization of Holy Matrimony of his daughter, **Olajumoke Victoria Olatunji** with **Babatunde Elijah Kelani**, which will by the grace of God take place as follows:

Engagement

Date: Friday, November 9, 2018

Time: 2:00pm prompt

Venue: Sanda Model School, Talba Estate, Along Bida Road, Minna, Niger State.

Church Wedding

Date: Saturday, November 10, 2018

Time: 10:00am prompt

Venue: Independent Baptist Church, Off NITECO Road, Tunga, Minna, Niger State.

Reception follows immediately at St. Michael's Multipurpose Hall, Bosso Road, Minna, Niger State.

CONDOLENCE

The Registrar has, on behalf of Management, Staff and Students of the Federal University of Technology, Minna condoled **Grace Ayejeyi Leonard** of the University Library Services, over the death of her mother, which occurred on Sunday, October 14, 2018.

May her gentle soul rest in peace.