



Zazootek Solutions to Nigerian Cripples

By Rabi'u M. Sagir

Through the consumption of content across multiple channels, an aspiring entrepreneur can identify various problems to solve. A business adage dictates that a community group company's product or service needs to solve a specific problem either for another business or for a consumer group. Through the identification of a problem, an aspiring entrepreneur is able to build a business through solving that problem.

That's what inspired five students from different disciplines to combine their entrepreneurship skills and experience to innovate a Zazootek machine, which is a proto-type of a cripples' bicycle that can help them in engaging themselves with business competence and performance.

The team leader, Isa Kabiru, from Department of

Mechanical Engineering while explaining what the innovation of Zazootek could do to the Vice Chancellor, Prof. Muhammad Yahuza Bello, on Monday, 31st December, 2018, said the main aim and objective of the project was to help and encourage cripples with the possibility of engaging themselves in business activities, so as to shun the bad habit of roaming about the streets

of the country.

Malam Kabiru said the Zazootek was a solar business venture machine that has 20 charging points and space which could be used in charging peoples' phones in order to earn cash for the service in addition to having a space for selling snacks and drinks.

The Vice Chancellor, Professor Bello, said the University was ready to support any entrepreneur that can bring about such social changes to enhance the wellbeing of the society.

The Dean, Dangote Business School, Professor Murtala Sabo Sagagi, thanked the Vice Chancellor for supporting the students with the sum of N250,000 that helped in making the project a reality and for constructing further projects.



Students demonstrating the use of Zazootek machine to University Management

Notice for the Collection of Dangote Business School's Admission Letters

This is to notify the general public that the Dangote Business School 2018/2019 admission list is out. Collection of Admission Letters will be from Monday, 7th to Friday, 18th January, 2019 at the School.

Mass Comm. 2007 Graduates Celebrate 11th Anniversary, Call for Network of Alumni

By Nura Garba

The graduates of Mass Communication Department Class of 2007 on Saturday, 31st December, 2018 celebrated 11th Year Anniversary since their graduation from the University.

The class unanimously agreed that a network of alumni of Mass Communication should be created in order to enable the graduates who live within and outside the country to promote friendship and share ideas of how to assist the department and, by extension, the faculty.

The members of the class expressed happiness over the transformation which led the department to become a full-fledged faculty.

The guest speaker at the occasion, Honourable Sani Zoro, who spoke on *the Role of Alumni in Institution Building*, said the network of alumni had now been leveraged by the power of information technology, which unified and enhanced the alumni associations. He said the alumni associations were mainly created to help the institutions they benefitted from, urging the 2007 class to use the available modern networks to connect with all the alumni in order to assist the faculty.

In his remarks, the Dean, Faculty of Communication, Professor Nasir Malam, recalled that when the Class of 2007 graduated, the faculty was then a department, but it had now metamorphosed into a faculty with three departments of Media and Information Studies, Mass Communication and Theatre and Performing Arts.

The Dean urged the alumni to help the faculty by furnishing it with relevant information that could assist it to get support or grant from governments or donor agencies.

The Chairman of the occasion, who was their level coordinator, Dr. Shehu Minjibir, expressed happiness of the re-union, noting that he was seeing the faces of the many old students for the first time, since their graduation.

The Coordinator of the re-union, Muhammad Muhammad Gaddafi, on behalf of the class, commended the department for nurturing them to become what they were now and promised to continue to assist the faculty in whatever form.

They presented textbooks and stationeries to the faculty as part of their contribution to their *alma mata*.



A group photograph of BUK Mass Comm 2007 Alumni

Thousands of BUK Students Apply to work as INEC Ad-hoc Staff

By Adamu Garba

As part of preparation for the 2019 general elections, BUK students have shown their readiness to assist by coming out *en masse* to collect and fill in nomination forms for INEC ad-hoc staff screening.

The Independent National Electoral Commission

(INEC) in a letter dated 17th December, 2018 requested BUK to mobilize both staff and students willing/desirous to participate in the forthcoming 2019 general election as ad-hoc staff.

The exercise, which commenced on Monday, 31st

December, 2018 at the Deanery of Student Affairs, had been arranged on 'first come first served basis'.



Students queuing to collect INEC ad-hoc staff nomination form

In addition, only students with valid student identity cards were issued the forms. Successful applicants will serve only in the 44 local governments of Kano State, depending on INEC's decision.

After the application, INEC will fix a date for screening

and training of the ad-hoc staff later.

It may be recalled that the INEC in its effort to conduct a free, fair and credible election usually collaborates with the Nigerian universities to source for professional staff who serve as their ad-hoc staff.

While supervising the exercise, the Dean of Student Affairs, Dr. Shamsuddeen Umar, stated that proper arrangement was made to ensure that genuine and non-partisan students were recruited. He added that the strategy employed in distributing the forms had contributed immensely in the smooth conduct of the distribution exercise. He pointed further that Student Affairs had provided 21 collection points for the distribution of the forms, which made the work easier, such that neither the staff nor the students suffered during the distribution/collection of the forms.

Both the SUG President, Comrade Salisu Haruna Salenco, and the SUG PRO, Comrade Mahraz Abdullahi Muhammad, expressed satisfaction with the arrangement so far made by the University.

“Class '12” Reunion Meeting:

Dean of Agriculture Challenges Graduands of the Faculty to Emulate “Class of 2012”

By Bala G. Abdullahi

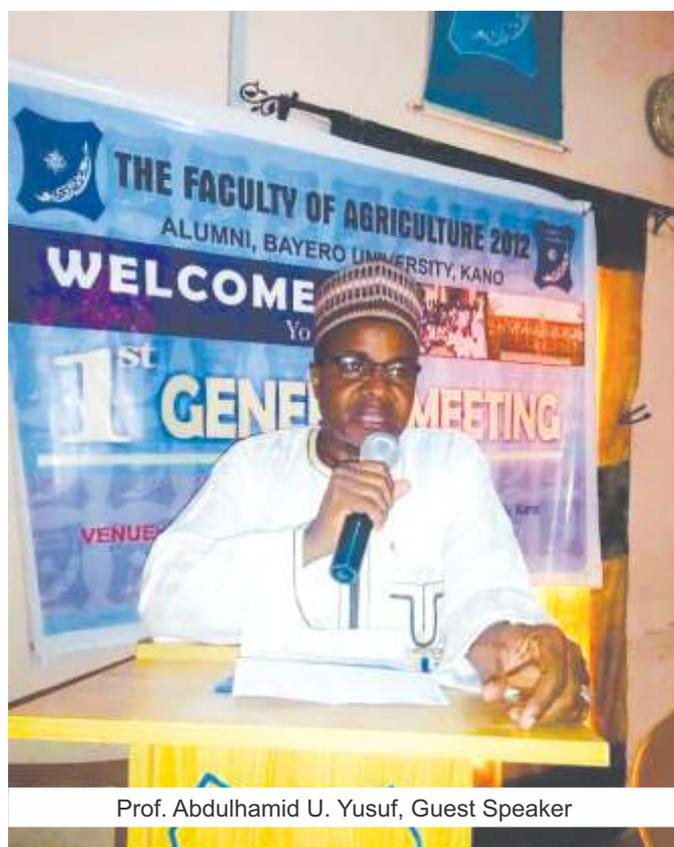
The record set by members of the Sixth Set, who graduated from the Faculty of Agriculture, Bayero University, in 2012, known as 'Class of 2012' will remain unbroken for a very long time to come, the former Dean of the Faculty, Professor Abdulhamid Umar Yusuf, has disclosed.

Professor Abdulhamid, who was the Level Coordinator of 'Class of 2012', was the Guest Speaker at the reunion meeting, which took place at the Faculty of Agriculture on Sunday, 23rd December, 2018.

He described members of the Class of 2012 as a unique set, with the lowest number of intakes (57 students), the best set in terms of academic performance and the most troublesome in terms of discipline.

The Guest Speaker went further to say that, in spite of their troublesome behaviour, they never compromised their books for whatever reasons. Hence, after graduation, the set produced three First Class graduates and numerous Second Class Upper results unprecedented in the history of the Faculty.

He, however, said such commendable performance would not have been possible without the tough measures taken by him as the set's Level Coordinator, with the full



Prof. Abdulhamid U. Yusuf, Guest Speaker

support of his colleagues (lecturers) to inculcate in them discipline and respect for the university's rules and regulations. 'Today, they are the major beneficiaries of the tough stand we took to train them,' he remarked.

In his address, the Dean of the Faculty, Professor Ahmad Muhammad Bakori, represented by the Deputy Dean, Dr. Halima Muhammad Isah, commended the initiative of the 'Class of 2012' for the reunion meeting, adding that the Faculty was ready to give them all the possible support they needed.

He said the Faculty would continue to be proud of the members of 'Class of 2012', who excelled in their academic voyage largely due to hard work and perseverance. He charged other graduands of the Faculty to emulate the good example of Class of 2012 and establish their set alumni.

Also speaking, the former Dean of the Faculty, Professor

B.M Auwalu, congratulated members of Class of 2012 and hoped that they would continue to be good ambassadors of the Faculty and, by extension, of the University.

Others who spoke at the occasion include; the Faculty's Examinations Officer, Dr. Yusuf Garba; Dr. Ali Abdullahi, Head, Department of Agricultural Economics & Extension and Dr. A. Lado of the Department of Agronomy.

Earlier, the leader of 'Class of 2012', Malam Sani Idris, said the class's reunion meeting was convened by members of the class to thank the lecturers of the faculty 6 years after, for taking the pains to inculcate in them not only knowledge but also good character, which enabled majority of them to excel in their chosen careers. Secondly, the meeting was convened to enable members of the class to interact with their colleagues after the 6 year separation and build new contacts.

Bursary Staff Honor Bursar, Dr. Sulaiman Bello

By Rabi'u M. Sagir

Staff of the Bursary Department, Bayero University, have organized a grand reception in honor of the University Bursar, who had recently obtained a PhD Degree in University of Utara, Malaysia, on 31st December, 2018, at the Senior Staff Recreation Centre, BUK.

Speaking on the occasion, the Vice Chancellor, Professor Muhammad Yahuza Bello, described the celebrant as an experimental element that could serve

as an inspiration to others.

Professor Bello, who was represented by the Deputy Vice Chancellor, (Academics), Professor Adamu Idris Tanko, said the management would continue to encourage many administrative staff to pursue higher degrees in order to strengthen the University system to meet up with global standards.

In her remarks, the Registrar, Hajiya Fatima Binta Mohammed, who was represented by the Director



A group photograph shortly after the occasion

General Administration, Malam Sabo Mijinyawa, said Dr. Suleiman Bello was a symbol of progress to the university that every staff needs to be proud of, for the outstanding performance he had shown during his education period in Malaysia.

The celebrant, Dr. Suleiman Bello, thanked the respective current and immediate past Vice Chancellors, Professor Muhammad Yahuza Bello and Professor Abubakar Adamu Rasheed for the kind gesture offered to him and his other colleagues by sponsoring their PhD study in Malaysia.

Former Registrar Sani Ibrahim Bags PhD from Utara University

By Adamu Garba

The immediate past Registrar, Sani Ibrahim Amin, who recently has obtained a Doctorate Degree from Utara University, Malaysia, has described the study period as challenging, combining administration and studies especially while serving as the University's Registrar.

The former Registrar acknowledged the support and encouragement rendered to him by the University Management for the sponsorship of his PhD, especially by the current Vice Chancellor, Professor Muhammad Yahuza Bello and his predecessor, Professor Abubakar Adamu Rasheed. He also recognized the support of the Executive Secretary TETFUND, Dr. A. B. Baffa, which he described as ultimate.

Recalling the experience encountered during the studies, Dr. Sani Ibrahim pointed out that there were enormous challenges studying abroad apart from travelling a long distance, coupled with age. He said the death of the former Bursar, Alhaji Buhari Musa, who was his colleague at Utara University really shocked him and nearly affected his studies, but he believes he had to accomplish the task for himself and the late Bursar.

Dr. Ibrahim encouraged young administrators in the University to improve their capacity through learning modern administrative techniques, while trying to

Dr. Bello said he was determined to justify the confidence reposed on him by the University Management by starting to take classes at School of Continuing Education, Dangote Business School and Faculty of Management despite the tight schedule he has as the Bursar of the University.

Dr. Bello also expressed his happiness to staff of Bursary Department for organizing the reception to honour him and assured them of carrying everybody along through ensuring effective service delivery in the department.

distinguish the University administration from other public sector administration. He said universities have a unique system of administration different from the usual civil service. He further urged them to be honest and committed to their work, which, he said, is the key to success.



Dr. Sani Ibrahim Amin

SSANU Beats ASUU 7-2, Meets NASU in Final of FUTSAL VC's Cup Friday

By Nura Garba

It was a goal harvest yesterday at the inaugural FUTSAL 6-aside Inter-Unions Staff Competition, tagged VC's Cup, in which Senior Staff Association of Nigerian Universities (SSANU) cruised into the final after thrashing Academic Staff Union of Universities (ASUU) by a resounding 7-2 played at the Senior Staff Recreation Centre.

Umar Lazy of SSANU scored four goals to help the non-teaching staff record a massive victory over ASUU and set a mouth-watering final with Non-Academic Staff Union of Universities (NASU), which came from 1-4 down to

beat NAAT 3-2 through a penalty shootout.

The final match will be played today, Friday, 4th January, 2019 at the same venue at 6:30pm under flood light, while the 3rd place match will take place prior to the final at 5pm between ASUU and NAAT.

The Deputy Vice Chancellor (Academics), Professor Adamu Idris Tanko, Professor Kabir Isa Dandago, Director CIT, Professor Muhammad Ajiya; Director, DEAR, Hajiya Amina Umar Abdullahi; Director, Public Affairs, Ahmad Shehu and a host of senior academics and administrative staff witnessed the match.



SSANU VS ASUU at Inter-Unions Staff Competition

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**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, Boko	2005	39	Sule Lamido University, Kafin Hausa	2013
8	Ladoke Akintola University of Technology, Ogbomosho	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, Ijagan	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 Uji	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	26	Obong University, Obong Ntak	2007	51	Chrisland University, Owode, Ogun State	2015
2	Madonna University, Okija	1999	27	Salem University, Lokoja	2007	52	Christopher University, Mowe, Ogun State	2015
3	Igbinedion University, Okada	1999	28	Tansian University, Umunya, Anambra State	2007	53	Hallmark University, Ijebu, Itele, Ogun State	2015
4	Bowen University, Iwo	2001	29	Veritas University, Abuja	2007	54	Kings University, Ode Ornu, Osun State	2015
5	Covenant University, Ota	2002	30	Wesley University of Science & Technology, Ondo	2007	55	Michael and Cecilia Ibru Uni., Owiode, Delta State	2015
6	Pan-Atlantic University, Lagos	2002	31	Western Delta University, Oghara, Delta State	2007	56	Mountain Top University, Ogun State	2015
7	Benson Idahosa University, Benin City	2002	32	The Achievers University, Owo	2007	57	Ritman University, Ikot Ekpene, Akwa Ibom State	2015
8	American University of Nigeria, Yola	2003	33	African University of Science & Technology, Abuja	2007	58	Summit University, Offa, Kwara State	2015
9	Redeemers University, Ede, Osun State	2005	34	Afe Babalola University, Ado-Ekiti, Ekiti State	2009	59	Edwin Clark University, Kiagbodo, Delta State	2015
10	Ajayi Crowther University, Oyo	2005	35	Godfrey Okoye University, Ugwuomu-Nike, Enugu State	2009	60	Hezekiah University, Umuadi, Imo State	2015
11	Al-Hikmah University, Ilorin	2005	36	Nile University of Nigeria, Abuja	2009	61	Anchor University, Ayobo, Lagos State	2016
12	Caritas University, Amorji-Nke, Enugu	2005	37	Oduduwa University, Ipetumodu, Osun State	2009	62	Arthur Jarvis University, Akpabuyo, Cross River State	2016
13	Bingham University, Auta-Balefi, Karu, Nasarawa State	2005	38	Paul University, Awka, Anambra State	2009	63	Clifford University, Owerri, Abia State	2016
14	Al-Qalam University, Katsina	2005	39	Rhema University, Obeama-Asa, Rivers State	2009	64	Coal City University, Enugu, Enugu State	2016
15	Renaissance University, Enugu	2005	40	Wellspring University, Evbuobanosa, Edo State	2009	65	Crown Hill University, Eiyenkorin, Kwara State	2016
16	Bells University of Tech, Ota, Ogun State	2005	41	Adeleke University, Ede, Osun State	2011	66	Dominican University, Ibadan, Oyo State	2016
17	Lead City University, Ibadan, Oyo State	2005	42	Baze University, Abuja	2011	67	Koladasi University, Ibadan, Oyo State	2016
18	Crawford University, Igbesa, Ogun State	2005	43	Landmark University, Omu-Aran, Kwara State	2011	68	Legacy University, Okija, Anambra State	2016
19	Kwararafa University, Wukari (formerly Wukari Jubilee Uni.)	2005	44	Samuel Adegboye University, Ogwa, Edo State	2011	69	Admiralty University, Ibusa, Delta State	2017
20	Crescent University, Abeokuta	2005	45	Elizade University, Ilara-Mokin, Ondo State	2012	70	Spiritan University, Nneochi, Abia State	2017
21	Novena University, Ogume, Delta State	2005	46	Evangel University, Akaze, Ebonvi State	2012	71	Precious Cornerstone University, Ibadan, Oyo State	2017
22	University of Mkar, Mkar	2005	47	Gregory University, Uburu, Abia State	2012	72	PAMO University of Medical Sciences, Port Harcourt, Rivers State	2017
23	Joseph Ayo Babalola University, Ikeji-Arakeji, Osun State	2006	48	McPherson University, Seriki Sotayo, Ajebo, Ogun State	2012	73	Alpha University, Ido, Oyo State	2017
24	Caleb University, Lagos	2007	49	Southwestern University, Okun Owa, Ogun State	2012	74	Eko University of Medical Sciences, Ijamikin, Lagos State	2017
25	Fountain University, Osogbo	2007	50	Augustine University, Ilara, Lagos State	2015	75	Skyline University, Nigeria, Kano State	2018

Notice For Collection of Permanent Voter Cards (PVCs)

This is to inform members of the University community who registered for their voter cards during the last voter registration exercise in New Campus that their Permanent Voter Cards are available and ready for collection.

A statement from Kano Resident Electoral Commissioner, Professor Riskuwa Shehu, advises all concerned members to go to INEC offices in their respective Local Government Areas for the cards collection.

National Universities Commission Training Announcement

POSTGRADUATE TRAINING PROGRAMME AT THE VIENNA SCHOOL OF INTERNATIONAL STUDIES

The National Universities Commission (NUC) is in receipt of a letter Ref. No. TSW/SIN/24/T dated 9 October, 2018 from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs announcing Postgraduate Training Programmes in European and International Studies offered by Vienna School of International Studies for 2019/2020 session.

In a letter signed by Mrs. Constance N. Goddy-Nnadi, Director, International Cooperation and Liaison Services said, the offer is open to qualified candidates, who have completed their first degree. The programme focuses on leaders, preparing for leadership careers in Public Administration, Diplomatic Services, European Institutions and International Organizations or the Private Sector.

Members of the University Community who are interested and qualified may apply via <http://www.d-vienna.ac.at/>.

SSANU COMPUTER TRAINING GRADUATION

The Senior Staff Association of Nigerian Universities (SSANU) cordially invites its members to the graduation ceremony of the Maiden Computer Training, scheduled as follows:

Date: Wednesday, 9th January, 2019

Time: 4:00pm

Venue: Senior Staff Recreation Centre, New Campus

Do You Know?

- That BUK consumes a lot of Energy Daily?
- That Power Supply by PHCN is Poor?
- That The University Relies on its Generators for Power Supply at Staff Quarters, Administrative, Academic and Students Areas?
- That The University Spends a lot of money on Diesel and Generators' Maintenance?
- That Some Staff members Leave Offices Without Switching-off Electrical Appliances?
- That 1 Extra Hour of Air-conditioning in a Room Uses Enough Energy to Power A TV for a Year?
- ✓ To Reduce Cost and for Safety, Help the University by Putting-off all Electrical Appliances when not in use!

