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Post UTME Screening Exercise for 2012/2013 Academic Session

Bayero University, Kano invites all candidates who chose it as their First Choice University in the 2012 Unified Tertiary Matriculation Examination (UTME) conducted by the Joint Admission and Matriculation Board (JAMB) to a Screening Exercise scheduled to take place on Monday 10th, Tuesday 11th and Wednesday 12th September, 2012.

(A) QUALIFIED CANDIDATES ARE:

Candidates who scored 180 and above for the programmes in the Faculties of:

- Agriculture
- Arts and Islamic Studies
- Education
- Science

Candidates who scored 200 and above for the programmes in the Faculties of:

- Law
- Social and Management Sciences

- Engineering
- Medicine (except M.B.B.S candidates).

MBBS candidates who scored 220 and above.

(B) DATES FOR SCREENING:

The screening will take place in the University at New Campus along Gwarzo Road by 9.00am on each day. Candidates are advised to be at their assigned venues by 8.00am prompt, at the New Campus.

DAY 1: Monday, 10th September, 2012 – Biological and Physical Sciences.

This comprises applicants for the programmes: following All programmes the in Faculty of Medicine, P.H.E., **Biological** Sciences, Chemistry, Biochemistry, Chemistry, Education Industrial Biology, Education Chemistry and Faculty Agriculture; of all in the Faculty programmes Physics, Mathematics, Engineering, Geography, Computer Science. Technical Education, Education Mathematics. Education Physics,



Education Science, and Education Physics/Geography.

DAY 2: Tuesday 11th September, 2012 - Management, Social Sciences and All Education Social Sciences.

This comprises applicants for the following programmes: Management Science courses, Education Economics, Education Geography and all Social Science Courses including Mass Communications.

DAY 3 Wednesday 12th September 2012 – Law, Arts and All Education Arts. This comprises applicants for the following programmes: All courses in Faculty of Law, all courses in the Faculty of Arts and Islamic Studies, Adult Education, Special Education, Library Science and all Education Arts courses.

(C) METHOD OF APPLICATION

Payment and Registration for the screening exercise will commence from Wednesday 22nd August and close by Friday, 7th September, 2012.

The procedure for the 2012/2013 Post – UTME screening exercise is as follows:

- ✓ visit www.buk.edu.ng
- ✓ Click on <u>Post UTME Registration</u>

- ✓ Use your UTME Registration Number and UTME total score to log into the Registration Portal.
- ✓ Upload your picture and enter additional details before continuing the registration.
- ✓ After uploading your profile, proceed to download and print your Payment Invoice.
- ✓ To make the payment, applicants are to take the Payment Invoice to any branch of **Zenith Bank Nationwide** and pay a non-refundable fee of ₩2,500.00 (being cost of screening as well as Bank and Administrative charges).
- ✓ After making payment, Applicants should go back to the Portal, log in again and print their exam card (Preview and confirm your information before printing your Exam Card). Note that applicants cannot print their exam card until their payment is processed and verified.

NB:

- Applicants are to come to the screening centres with the following:
- a. Exam Card.
- b. Writing Materials (2B Pencil and Eraser).



- Applicants who chose the University as their SECOND choice are <u>NOT</u> qualified to register for the screening exercise.
- Candidates, whose UTME subject combinations are not appropriate to the programmes they applied for, are <u>NOT</u> qualified for the exercise.
- A comprehensive list of those who have met the requirement for both BUK and JAMB has been published in the University website – please check

www.buk.edu.ng

- GSM Phones are not allowed during the Post UTME screening exercise.
- Payment at Zenith Bank will be closed on Friday, 7th September, 2012.
- The Portal for the printing of Exam Card will be closed by midnight on Sunday, 9th September, 2012.

Any Candidate who fails to register for the screening exercise and/or fails to appear for the screening test on the stipulated date will not be considered.

Iftar: BUK Hosts Neighbouring Community Leaders

he Management of Bayero University has organized a grand iftar (breaking of fast) for the neighbouring Heads of Communities, Ward Heads and District Heads, during which it thanked them for their support and cooperation.

The iftar, which took place on Thursday 10th August, 2010, at the Indoor Sports Hall, New Site, was part of the University's continued effort to sustain its cordial relationship with the neighbouring communities and explore other meaningful avenues to assist them.

The Vice Chancellor, Professor Abubakar Adamu Rasheed, mni, said the University has extended the more than 20 years old Rimin Gata scholarship scheme, to all other neigbouring communities, as suggested during last year's iftar.

The Vice Chancellor, who was by the Deputy Vice represented Chancellor, Academics, **Professor** Muhammad Yahuza Bello. emphasized that annual awards under scholarship scheme would continue, as the University extends it to more beneficiaries.

Professor Rasheed said on the issue of land demarcation, the University



management has noted a few complaints and the University Land Management Committee was looking into them. He charged the community leaders to assist in cautioning Fulani herdsmen to desist from grazing in the University built-up environment and confronting security personnel, otherwise the management would take appropriate measures.

Speaking on behalf of the community leaders, the Village Head of Rimin Gata, Malam Aliyu Sani Usman, said they were short of words to thank the University for the invaluable gesture shown to them.

While praying for perpetual peace to thrive in BUK and Nigeria at large, Malam Usman expressed the leaders' total commitment to assisting towards the growth and development of the entire University community.

Eid el-Fitr: FG Declares Monday, Tuesday Public Holidays

Based on directives by the Federal government, the Management of Bayero University, Kano, has declared Monday and Tuesday next week as public holidays to commemorate Eid el-Fitr (sallah) celebration. As usual, staff on shift, emergency or essential services in relevant units will report for duty as scheduled.

This followed the Interior Minister, Patrick Abba Moro's declaration in a statement on Monday 13th August, 2012, in Abuja.

The Management accordingly wishes all members of the University community happy Eid el-Fitr celebrations. Work is expected to resume on Wednesday, 22nd August, 2012.

DVC Admin Heads Reconstituted Admissions Committee

The Deputy Vice Chancellor, (Admin), Professor Abdulrashid Garba has been appointed to head the re-constituted University Admissions Committee.

This was contained in a letter of appointment signed by the Registrar, Sani Ibrahim Amin, MNIM, which conveyed the approval of the Vice Chancellor, Professor Abubakar Adamu Rasheed, mni.

Other members of the committee are:

- 1- Professor Mustapha Isa Director, MIS *Member*.
- 2- Dr. Abdullahi B. Baffa Director, CIT *Member*.
- 3- Prof. M. Duze Director, APU *Member*.
- 4- Dr. Sadiq I. Radda Dean, *SPS Member*.
- 5- Dr. Salisu Shehu Director, CCEPD *Member*.
- 6- Deputy Dean, Faculty of Arts & Islamic Studies *Member*.



- 7- Deputy Dean, Faculty of Agriculture *Member*.
- 8- Deputy Dean, Faculty of Education *Member*.
- 9- Deputy Dean, Faculty of Engineering *Member*.
- 10- Deputy Dean, Faculty of Law *Member*.
- 11- Deputy Dean, Faculty of Medicine *Member*.
- 12- Deputy Dean, Faculty of Science *Member*.
- 13- Deputy Dean, Faculty of Social & Mngt. Sciences *Member*.
- 14- Deputy Dean, Faculty of Dentistry *Member*.
- 15- Dr. Mahmoud Lawal (Rep. of Congregation) *Member*.
- 16- Ag. Director, Academic Affairs *Secretary*.

Parts of the Committee's terms of reference are: to consider facilities available and the existing University regulations and recommend admission quota that would strive to achieve the national policy of 60:40 Science/Arts ratio; advise the Senate on procedures selection admission for and of in accordance students with University policy; and consider shortlisted candidates for provisional admission into various programmes in the University, as well as recommend same to the Vice Chancellor for approval.

Dr. M. Lawan Is now HOD Islamic Law

The Vice Chancellor, Professor Abubakar Adamu Rasheed, mni, has approved the appointment of Dr. M. Lawan, as the new Head of Islamic Law Department for two years.

The appointment took effect from 6th August, 2012.

Dr. A. T. Atanda Appointed Ag. HOD Pathology

Dr. A. T. Atanda has been appointed as the Acting Head of Pathology Department.

A letter of appointment signed by the Vice Chancellor, Professor Abubakar Adamu Rasheed, mni, said the appointment took effect from August 6, 2012 for two years.

Lost and Found

- 1- A statement of result belonging to Talatu Isa Usman, a graduate of Diploma in Library Information Management has been found.
- 2- A Certificate of birth belonging to Abubakar Sule, born at Dangaya, has also been found.
- 3- A purse containing an identity card of Julius Helen Ene of B.Ed (Tech) & some money has been found.

The bearers should come to Publications and Documentation Unit for collection.



August 2012 Deliberations of the Committee of Deans and Directors (CDD)

The Vice-Chancellor has approved the recommendations of the Committee of Deans and Directors (CDD) arising from its 118th regular meeting (and seventh monthly meeting for 2012) held on Friday, 10th August, 2012. Items approved include the following.

Conference Attendance in Nigeria and Abroad:

S/N	Name	Department	Venue	Total cost
1	Prof. M. S. Abdulkadir	History	USA	N 642,750
2	Abdullahi Ibrahim D.	PHE	Abeokuta	N 125,840
3	Musa Haladu Darma	PHE	Abeokuta	N 125,840
4	Gali Sa'idu	Adult Educ	Ile-Ife	₩ 106,000
5	Prof Abdulrasheed Garba	Education	Ile-Ife	N 147,600
6	Kabiru Bello Dungurawa	Education	Ile-Ife	₩ 106,000
7	Mubarak A. Saulawa	Education	Ile-Ife	N 106,000
8	Dr. Maigari Abdu	Education	Ile-Ife	N 106,000
9	Dr. Ahmed Iliyasu	Education	Ile-Ife	₩ 106,000
10	Ahmed Mohammed	Library Sci.	Ile-Ife	N 106,000
11	Dr. Kyauta Ibrahim	Special Educ.	Cameroun	₩ 352,000
12	Dr. Jibrin Isa Diso	Special Educ.	Makurdi	N 95,400
13	Ya'u Musa Danbatta	Special Educ.	Makurdi	N 95,400
14	Dr. Sunusi S. Adamu	Elect. Engr.	Ibadan	₩ 152,600
15	Abdullahi Abdu Adamu	Mech. Engr.	Ibadan	₩ 152,600
16	Yusuf Tijjani	Mech. Engr.	Malaysia	₩ 558,200
17	Ibrahim A. Rafukka	Mech. Engr.	Malaysia	₩ 558,200
18	Dr. Abbas B. El-ta'alu	Physiology	Calabar	N 116,4000
19	Dr. Musa I. Kurawa	Physiology	Calabar	№ 116,4000
20	Ibrahim Sulaiman	Physiology	Calabar	₩ 116,4000
21	Dr. Faruk Sarkinfada	Med. Micro.	Malaysia	¥ 526,800
22	Dr. Yusuf Mohammed	Med. Micro.	Awka	N 113,800
23	Dr. Auwal I. Kabuga	Med. Micro.	Awka	N 113,800
24	Dr. Isma'ila M. Zango	Sociology	Gombe	N 103,000
25	Usman Aliyu Dutsinma	Microbiology	Awka	N 113,800
26	20 Fac. of Engr. Staff for CO	Abuja	₩1,436,800	
	Tota		N 9,542,430	



Study Fellowships:

Study fellowship for 83 academic staff members has been approved, including for the following going for studies abroad.

S/N	Name	Department	Course	Venue	Duration
1	Abdulrahman Lado	Agronomy	Fulbright	USA	1 Year
2	Ahmad Shehu	Nig. Lang & Ling	MA	Malaysia	1½ Years
3	Audu George A.	Elect. Engr.	PhD	UK	3 Years
4	Nabila Ahmed Rufa'i	Elect. Engr.	MSc	UK	1 Year
5	Muhammad Buhari	Elect. Engr.	PhD	UK	3 Years
6	Zulfiqar Ibrahim Farouk	Mech. Engr.	MSc	China	2 Years
7	Abba Abdulhamid Abubakar	Mech. Engr.	M. Engr.	Saudi Arabia	2 Years
8	Dahiru Umar Lawal	Mech. Engr.	M. Engr.	Saudi Arabia	2 Years
9	Sagiru Musa Tanimu	Maths Sciences	MSc	UK	1 Year
10	Auwalu Musa	Physics	PhD	Malaysia	3 Years
11	Abubakar Aminu Wambai	Economics	PhD	Malaysia	3 Years
12	Sunusi Iguda	CCEPD	PhD	Sudan	3 Years

Extensions of study fellowship in favour of the following have also been approved:

S/N	Name	Department	Course	Venue	Period
1	Habibu Rabiu	Elect. Engr.	PhD	Malaysia	1-year extension
2	Musa Abdu Auyo	Lib. & Infor Sci.	PhD	BUK	2-year extension
3	Ahmed Mohammed	Lib. & Infor Sci.	PhD	BUK	2-year extension
4	Baffa M. Abubakar	Lib. & Infor Sci.	PhD	Malaysia	To 31/10/2012
5	Murtala Muhd Badamasi	Geography	PhD	UDUS	To 30/06/2013

SECURITY DIVISION

Security Alert

This is to inform the University community that in its effort to secure and protect the members of the University community and individual properties on the campuses, the Security Division has procured telephone lines to various operation Heads, Units and Beats. The lines are on 24hours alert. The distribution of the lines is as follows:

a) Officers:

- 1- Director of Security 08095212221.
- 2- OIC New Campus Unit 08095210665.

- 3- OIC Old Campus Unit 08095210641.
- 4- OIC Outpost Unit 08095212222.

b) New Campus Unit:

Deputy Room New Campus – 08095210652.

- 1- Gate 'B' (Main Gate) 08095210649.
- 2- Gate 'A' 08095212183.
- 3- Ramat Hall 08095210625.
- 4- Gate 'C' 08095212213.
- 5- VC's Lodge 08095210630.
- 6- Patrol Van New Campus 08095212179.

c) Old Campus Unit:

1- Duty Room Old Campus – 08095210646.



- 2- Gate 'B' (Main Gate) 08095210662.
- 3- Gate 'A' 08095212198.
- 4- I & J Gate 08095212202.
- 5- Nana Hall 08095210629.
- 6- Patrol Van Old Campus 08095212223.

d) Outpost Unit:

- 1- Mambayya House 08095210656.
- 2- CCE &PD 08095212204.
- 3- Zoo Road Flats 08095212212.

REPORT

Seminar by the International Institute of Islamic Banking and Finance (IIIBF) on 9th August, 2012

The 3rd IIIBF seminar series was held on Thursday 9th August, 2012. The title of the paper, which was presented by Dr. Nasiru A. Ahmad, was "Islamic Banking in the Context of Nigerian Laws."

The paper argued that although Islamic Banking business has not categorically referred to by the Nigerian Laws, it is quite permissible from the provisions of the 1999 Constitution and Banks and other Financial Institutions Act (BOFIA) 1991. With regards to the Constitution it enshrines religions freedom which guarantees every Nigerian the right to enjoy his religion in practice, worship and observance either alone or in community with others. On this ground, it is in the enjoyment of religious input that Muslims can practice a banking system in consonance with the dictates of their religion. The paper further argued that section 9 of BOFIA listed "profit and loss sharing bank" which is akin to Islamic bank.

The paper made a serious case for the review of the relevant Banking Laws in order to fully accommodate the peculiarities of Islamic Banking and to add jurisdiction to the Sharia Court of Appeal so that it can competently hear and determine all issues relating to Islamic Banking business.

The issues addressed by the paper generated serious discussion at the seminar, as a result of which the following resolutions were arrived at:

- That the IIIBF and concerned individuals and group are requested to pressure for the review of Nigerian Banking Laws in order to make adequate and clear provisions on Islamic banking.
- That in order to enjoy the benefits of Islamic banking, (particularly the avoidance of ribah (interest) and economic advancements through participatory investments), it is the duty of every one to patronize the newly established Jaiz Bank.

Registration of BIOSA Approved

The Dean, Student Affairs, Professor Mohammed O. Bhadmus has approved the registration of Biology Students' Association (BIOSA).

The approval is, however, subject to ratification by the Students' Welfare Board when next it meets.