



### **BUK Matriculates 5, 906 Students**

Bayero University has matriculated 5,906 students for the 2012/2013 academic session from 10 Faculties.

In a brief ceremony on Tuesday at the Musa Abdullahi Auditorium, the Vice Chancellor, Professor Abubakar Adamu Rasheed, *mni*, MFR congratulated the new students for gaining admission into one of the best citadels of learning with superlative academic accolades, including the recent 'A' rated status by the National Universities Commission (NUC).

Represented by the Deputy Vice Chancellor, (Academics) Professor Muhammad Yahuza Bello, the Vice Chancellor told the students that "you have entered this great University at a time it is transforming to be even greater. Various construction exercises are going on all campuses. The aim is to provide additional faculties and resources so as to improve the quality of learning, teaching and research, as well as prepare for the introduction of some new programmes."



*Some of the matriculating students at the occasion*

Prof. Rasheed stressed that the University had boosted the capacity of academic and non-teaching staff for enhanced and improved service delivery.

While enjoining the students to abide by the rules and regulations of the University, as well as exemplify good character, the Vice Chancellor tasked them to work hard and complete their studies within the stipulated time.

Some new students expressed their pleasure for gaining admission into the University.

Ibrahim Mohammed, a 200 Level Economics student, said it was great honour to be admitted into B.U.K. in spite of thousands of other competing applicants.



For Khadija Shitu, a Level 100 student of Biochemistry Department, “what attracted me to this University are its academic excellence, dress code and good learning environment.”

She advised the management to build more lecture theatres for better teaching and learning.

The Deputy Vice Chancellor, (Administration), Professor Sadiq Isah Radda, the Registrar, Sani Amin Ibrahim, Deans, Directors and some H.O.D,s were present at the occasion.

## **BUK INTRODUCES MID-SEMESTER BREAK**

### **... Adjusts 2012/2013 Session Calendar**

The Vice Chancellor has administratively approved the recommendation of the 140<sup>th</sup> meeting of the SBC held on 15<sup>th</sup> May, 2013 for the adjustment of the 2012/2013 session calendar, following the introduction of two mid-semester breaks: 2<sup>nd</sup> – 9<sup>th</sup> June, 2013 for the first semester and 29<sup>th</sup> September to 6<sup>th</sup> October, 2013 for the second semester. The adjusted calendar for the session is as follows:

<b>S/N</b>	<b>DATE</b>	<b>ACTIVITY</b>
1	Sunday, 31 <sup>st</sup> March 2013	Students report back
2	Monday, 1 <sup>st</sup> to Saturday, 6 <sup>th</sup> April, 2013	Registration
3	Monday, 8 <sup>th</sup> April to Saturday, 13 <sup>th</sup> July, 2013  a) 8 <sup>th</sup> April – 1 <sup>st</sup> June, 2013 b) 2 <sup>nd</sup> – 9 <sup>th</sup> June, 2013 c) 10 <sup>th</sup> June – 13 <sup>th</sup> July, 2013	First Semester Lectures (14 weeks)  First Half of First Semester (8 weeks) Mid-semester break (1 week) Second Half of the First semester (5 weeks)
4	Monday, 15 <sup>th</sup> to Saturday, 27 <sup>th</sup> July, 2013	First Semester Examinations (2 weeks)
5	Sunday 28 <sup>th</sup> July to Sunday 11 <sup>th</sup> August, 2013	First Semester Break
6	Monday, 12 <sup>th</sup> August to Saturday 16 <sup>th</sup> November, 2013  a) 12 <sup>th</sup> August – 28 <sup>th</sup> September, 2013 b) 29 <sup>th</sup> September – 6 <sup>th</sup> October, 2013 c) 7 <sup>th</sup> October – 16 <sup>th</sup> November, 2013	Second Semester Lectures (14 weeks)  First Half of 2 <sup>nd</sup> Semester (7weeks) Mid-Semester Break (1 week) Second Half of 2 <sup>nd</sup> Semester (6weeks)

7	Monday, 18 <sup>th</sup> November to Saturday 30 <sup>th</sup> November, 2013	Second Semester Examinations (2 weeks)
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## Final List of Female Scholarship Winners

The Vice-Chancellor has approved scholarships to the final set of four female academic staff members pursuing PhD studies in Bayero University, Kano. The total value is ₦3,000,000. Earlier, scholarships to 32 female academics with total value of ₦27,375,000 were approved. This brings the total number of beneficiaries to 36 and the total value of the special scholarship to ₦30,375,000. This set of beneficiaries is the final one as the funds for the grant have been fully exhausted, a statement from the Chairman of the CDD, who is also the DVC Academic, Prof. M. Y. Bello, has said. The four beneficiaries are as follows:

S/N	NAME	DEPT.	PROG.	PLACE	YEARS
1	Shmaila Hanif	Physiotherapy	PhD	BUK	1
2	Binta Sulaiman	Mass Comm.	PhD	BUK	3
3	Amina Aminu Idris	Agric. Econs.	PhD	BUK	3
4	Binta Usman	Electrical Engr.	PhD	BUK	3

### BUK's 2012/2013 Admission Reflects the 36 States & F.C.T.

All the thirty six (36) states in Nigeria and the Capital Territory, Abuja have been represent in the 2012/2013 admission exercise recently conducted by Bayero University, according to statistics presented by the Vice Chancellor, Professor Abubakar Adamu Rasheed, at the Matriculation ceremony held on Tuesday.

The statistics showed that 5,906 students were matriculated out of which 3,933, representing the ratio of 67% were male and 1,973, representing 33%, female.

The statistics also showed that in terms of Science/Arts ratio, 2,459 students representing 42% were science based and 3,447, representing 58%, Arts based.

The Faculty of Science accordingly admitted the highest number of students with 1,377, while the Faculty of Dentistry admitted the lowest with only 59 students.

### Campus Radio 98.9 Marks Awareness Week

By: Ummi Hassan Mohammed

Bayero University's FM Radio 98.9 last week celebrated a series of activities with the aim of publicizing the station, its existence and services to its target audience. The BUK FM week was held from 13<sup>th</sup> to the 16<sup>th</sup> May, 2013.

The first day started with a rally held from 10:00am to 1:00pm from the Old Campus that ended at the New Campus. Students and staff rallied around both Campuses

distributing posters and flyers so that the audience would get first hand information about what the station is all about.

Malam Abubakar Shehu Minjibir, a senior lecturer in the Department of Mass Communications, was interviewed live in the studio on Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> May, 2013. Malam Minjibir said since the establishment of the department, more emphasis was put on broadcast, though other areas of Mass Communication were also covered by the Department. He added that in 1986 “the department witnessed the visit of a Director-General from NTA in the person of Chief Vincent Maduka, an Engineer by profession, who expressed his happiness to the Department for having the best and well equipped broadcast oriented studio in the whole of Africa by his experience.”

The BUK 98.9 FM was formally commissioned in July 2012 after being licensed by the National Broadcasting Commission (NBC) to cover the communities, which include the Old and New Campuses and AKTH, among others. It is mandated to train students on practical radio broadcast operations and management.

In addition to this, the station serves as the voice of the University and contributes to the rapid socio-economic and intellectual development of the BUK community.

Some of the students interviewed showed appreciation and praised the Vice Chancellor for providing the Department of Mass

Communications with a radio transmitter. Others urge the University Management and the Head of Department, Dr. Balarabe Maikaba, to give whatever support is needed to ensure success of the station.

## **BUK Hot JAMB Choice, as 90,000 Applied - VC**

By: Hadiza Adamu

A total number of 30,213 candidates chose BUK as first choice University through (JAMB) and more than twice that number chose it as second choice. But 6,838 candidates were admitted and 5,906 students from 10 Faculties, including the new Faculty of Computer Science and Information Technology were matriculated. The matriculation ceremony, which took place on Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> May, 2013 at the Musa Abdullahi Auditorium, New Campus, was presided by the Deputy Vice Chancellor (Academics), Professor Muhammad Yahuza Bello, on behalf of the Vice Chancellor.

He explained that the University has decided to decentralize the teaching of Level One science courses. Instead of the students from Faculties of Agriculture, Engineering, Computer Science, Information Technology, Education and Medicine to go to the Faculty of Science for their courses, they will remain and be taught at their individual faculties, he added.

He further said, the aim of the University is to provide additional faculties and resources as well as the improvement of physical faculties so as to enhance service delivery of other academic and non-academic staff. Also, 500 computers have been made available at the Old Accounting department, which is now

transformed into the new E-centre at the New Campus. The aim of the University is to provide computers for all students for positive academic use.



At the end of the occasion, the Deputy Vice Chancellor, Professor Muhammad Yahuza Bello, called on all the newly matriculated students to be hard working and abide by the rules and regulations of the University, which are contained in the General Academic and Examination Regulations handbook, which will be issued to them by the Directorate of Academic Affairs.

He urged the new students to be of good character and behavior during their period of learning in the University because any student misconduct will attract appropriate sanctions.

## **11<sup>th</sup> Professorial Inaugural Lecture:**

### **Mechanized Farming Economically Viable But Detrimental to Agric Sustainability - Prof Essiet**

Professor Essiet U. Essiet of the Department of Soil Science Bayero University said though the introduction of Mechanized Agriculture has brought about a significant increase in food production, he argued that the consequences of using heavy plough on the farm do not often enhance agricultural sustainability.

He said much as the practice of using the tractor for land preparation and planting might be desirable from economic and mechanization points of view, it is, however,

not beneficial from the agricultural sustainability viewpoint.

Professor Essiet who delivered the 11<sup>th</sup> Professorial Inaugural Lecture on the topic: *Agricultural Sustainability in the Drylands of Nigeria: Realities and Prospects*, explained that the use of heavy machinery in farming activities, such as land preparation, often leads to the breakup of soil aggregates and smearing and compaction all of which encourage soil erosion and general land degradation, as well as destroy the soil and is therefore detrimental to agricultural sustainability.

He said for agricultural production to be sustainable in the drylands of Nigeria characterized by erratic rainfall and increase in aridity, land preparation should involve the use of less disruptive equipment like harrows and chisel ploughs, adding that the practice of minimum tillage or zero cultivation should be encouraged.

The Professor of Soil Science also suggested the use of a combination of organic plus inorganic fertilizers, as well as hand cultivation, saying that the two fertilizer materials act in a complementary manner to improve soil physical and chemical properties and in consequence give rise to agricultural sustainability. In addition, hand cultivation ensures less disturbance of the soil and so soil conservation and agricultural sustainability are enhanced.

He said another important farming practice widely adopted in the drylands believed to enhance soil conservation and sustainability is cereal/legume concurrent cropping. This

farming practice was the only one where no loss in the soil clay content was recorded, adding that additional benefit that could accrue from the cereal/legume mixtures is the enhancement of soil nitrogen status through nitrogen fixation by the root nodules of legumes.

On the future prospects of sustainable agriculture in the drylands of Nigeria, Professor Essiet said efforts should be concentrated on farming practices that are sustainable and that rigorous extension services should be embarked upon to get farmers to adopt those practices that encourage sustainability.

Inorganic fertilizers should be used in conjunction with organic ones to avoid the degradation of soil, the adding that to achieve these some farming habits would have to change, for example, the practice of gathering residues and burning them in the course of land preparation would have to stop. Rather, the residue should be incorporated into the soil to increase its organic matter content.

He said presently mechanization is often viewed as being synonymous with the use of heavy machines during land preparation. This perception has to change to the adoption of relevant or appropriate technology in farming operations. For example, operations such as sowing seeds, pest control and harvesting could be mechanized using simple machines.

Earlier, in his address, the Vice Chancellor, Professor Abubakar Adamu Rasheed *mni*, MFR represented by the Deputy Vice Chancellor (Academics), Professor Muhammad Yahuza Bello, commended the

Professorial Inaugural Lectures Committee for being able to convene two separate lectures within two months.

He charged the committee to maintain the tempo.

## **Dr. Sadiya Sani Daura Re-appointed HOD**

Dr. Sadiya Sani Daura has been re-appointed as Head of Department of English and Literary Studies for another two years, commencing from 21<sup>st</sup> May, 2013, according to a letter signed by the Vice Chancellor, Prof. Abubakar Adamu Rasheed, *mni*, MFR. He urged her to “encourage democratic participation by your colleagues in running the affairs of the Department.”

## **PG Students Online Registration**

The Secretary, School of Postgraduate Studies, Mijinyawa Sabo, reminds “all returning students that they should register immediately before the portal is closed. Failure to do so will mean the student has voluntarily withdrawn from the programme.”

## **Calendar of Events for Postgraduate Programmes 2012/2013 Academic Session**

The Calendar of events for Postgraduate programmes for the 2012/2013 academic session is as follows:

1. Monday 13<sup>th</sup> May – Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> August, 2013 – *1<sup>st</sup> Semester Lectures (14 weeks).*

2. Monday 19<sup>th</sup> August – Saturday 31<sup>st</sup> August, 2013 – *1<sup>st</sup> Semester Examinations (2 weeks)*.

3. Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> September – Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> September, 2013 – *Break (1 week)*.



4. Monday 9<sup>th</sup> September – Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> December, 2013 – *2<sup>nd</sup> Semester Lectures (14 weeks)*.

5. Monday 16<sup>th</sup> December – Monday 30<sup>th</sup> December, 2013 – *2<sup>nd</sup> Semester Examinations (2 weeks)*.

## **The 5<sup>th</sup> Late Capt. Yadudu Annual Lecture to Hold 25<sup>th</sup> May, 2013**

The 5<sup>th</sup> Annual late Captain Isma'ila A. Yadudu Liver Disease Workshop comes up on Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> May, 2013 at Aminu Kano Centre for Democratic Research and Training, Mambayya House, Kano.

The annual event is jointly organized by the Yadudu Foundation and Aminu Kano Teaching Hospital (AKTH), Kano.

A statement signed by the Chairman, Board of Trustees of the Yadudu Foundation, Prof. Auwalu Hamisu Yadudu, said the topic of this year's lecture is: "The Liver in Health and Disease" and would to be delivered by Dr. Mohammed Alkali Damban, Consultant Gastroenterologist and Chief Medical Director, Abubakar Tafawa Balewa University Teaching Hospital, Bauchi.

The statement further said that the Vice Chancellor of Bayero University, Professor Abubakar Rasheed *mni*, MFR and the CMD, AKTH, Professor A. M. Zakari, will co-host the event.

## **Correction of Date of Birth for NYSC Mobilization**

This is to inform all graduating students that the National Youth Services Corps has now decided to use JAMB database to screen and uphold the dates of birth for all the graduates presented for mobilization. According to a statement from the Student Affairs Division, "students are hereby informed that all cases of correction of dates of birth at mobilization will no longer be considered." It added that a Circular received from the National Headquarters of the NYSC, Abuja, said: "Dates of birth in the JAMB database for all graduates presented for mobilization will be used to screen their ages and [will be] upheld if different from the one in the institution's master list."

## **7<sup>th</sup> Pan – Commonwealth Forum on Open Learning**

### **(PCF7) Call for Abstract & Proposals**

Abstracts of papers and proposals for various formats of PCF7 participation are invited. All papers and proposals must address *Open Learning for Development: Towards Empowerment and Transformation* through one of PCF7's five themes:

- Girls' and Women's Education
- Skills Development



- Promoting Open Educational Resources (OER)
- Innovation and Technology
- Institutional Development

COL's Seventh Pan-Commonwealth Forum on Open Learning is a dynamic event with a variety of formats to enable participation, knowledge sharing, learning and networking. Apart from paper presentations, there will also be a variety of activities that address the interests, expectations and collaboration among all participants. These activities include: plenary and parallel sessions, panel discussions, training workshops, open networking streams, social networking and online media, roundtables, marketplace, "show and tell," etc. We welcome abstracts and proposals from individuals and organization.

PCF7: is scheduled for 2<sup>nd</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> December, 2013 in Abuja, Nigeria.

Deadline for abstracts and proposals: 30<sup>th</sup> April, 2013; 31<sup>st</sup> May, 2013 for EDFA submissions.

[www.col.org/PCF7](http://www.col.org/PCF7)

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## **ASUU-BUK Inaugurates New Faculty Reps.**

The Chairperson of the Academic Staff Union of Universities (ASUU-BUK), Dr. Mahmoud M. Lawan, has inaugurated the new Faculty representatives on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> May, 2013. The event took place at the Secretariat of ASUU-BUK, Old Campus,

according to a statement by Dr. Haruna Musa, ASUU Secretary.



During the inauguration, the Chairperson used the opportunity to thank the outgoing Faculty representatives for the selfless service they rendered to the union, which has really promoted the ideals and principles of ASUU.

He also urges the newly nominated representatives to maintain the tempo by working closely with the EXCO in coordinating the activities of ASUU in their various Faculties/Centres/Institutes. The detailed membership of the newly constituted representatives is as follows:

1. Dr. Rabi'u Sani Shatsari – *Faculty of Law*
2. Mal. Sulaiman Babura – *Faculty of Science*
3. Dr. M. Abbas – *Faculty of Medicine*
4. Dr. Ibrahim Maibushira – *Faculty of Arts & Islamic Studies*
5. Dr. Dahiru Sani Shu'aibu – *Faculty of Engineering*
6. Dr. M. I. Daneji – *Faculty of Agriculture*
7. Mal. Aminu Ali Jahun – *Faculty of Social & Management Science*
8. Mal. Abdulkadir Idris – *Faculty of Education*
9. Kemi J. Amadu – *University Library*
10. Dr. Aliyu Musa – *Centre for Study of Nigerian Languages*
11. Malama Amina Lawal - *Centre for Dry Land Agriculture*
12. Dr. Salihu Lawal – *Institute for Continuing Education*



13. Malama Rashida Lawal – *International Institute of Islamic Banking & Finance*

14. Dr. Sani Balarabe – *Faculty of Dentistry*

15. Malama Habiba Kakudi – *Faculty of Computer Sciences & Information Technology*



## **Science Opens Inter Faculty Games with Victory**

The Faculty of Science has opened the 2013 Inter Faculty/Hall Games campaign with a 1 – 0 slim victory over the Faculty of Law in the football event.

Ibrahim Kabir's 45<sup>th</sup> minute sublime volley was enough to keep the scientists in contention to retain the coveted trophy, having won it in 2011.

Earlier, before the kick off on Monday 20<sup>th</sup> May, 2013, the Emiola said the competition would serve as an avenue for a talent hunt that would represent the University in various games within and outside the country.

On his part, the Director of Sports, Professor Musa Garba Yakasai, who was represented by his Deputy Director, Malam Tijjani Usman, said male athletes would represent their faculties in various sports while females would compete under the umbrella of their halls.

The championship is expected to reach its climax on Saturday, 25<sup>th</sup> May, 2013.

## **ICE: Application for Admission Into Computer Studies Programmes**

Applications are invited from qualified candidates for admission into the following

Computer Studies Programmes at the Institute of Continuing Education (ICE).

### **Certificate in Computer Studies (CCS)**

**Entry Requirement:** 3 Credits (SSCE/NECO/WAEC/GCE/SISCE or equivalent)

**Duration:** Four (4) Months

**Form Fee:** ₦2,000

**Lecture:** Mondays – Thursdays (9.00am – 1.00pm)

### **Professional Diploma in Computer Studies (PDCS)**

**Entry Requirement:** Diploma Certificate In any field or 3 Credits (SSCE

NECO/WAEC/GCE/SISCE) with Computer background or equivalent

**Duration:** Six (6) Months – (2 Semesters)

**Form Fee:** ₦3,000

**Lecture:** Mondays – Thursdays (2.00pm – 5.00pm)

### **Higher Professional Diploma in Computer Studies (HPDCS)**

**Entry Requirement:** HND or Bachelors Degree and Above

**Duration:** Six (6) Months

**Form Fee:** ₦3,000

**Lecture:** Fridays (3.00pm – 5.00pm) & Saturdays (8.00am – 5.00pm)

### **Method of Application:**

Forms are available for all the interested Applicants in the Institute of Continuing Education (ICE), Bayero University, Kano with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> – 30<sup>th</sup>, to April 2013

## **Sales of Admission Forms For Staff Model Secondary School**

The Staff Model Secondary School Management wishes to notify the University community, parents and interested individuals that the sales of Admission Forms have commenced effective from Monday 20<sup>th</sup> May 2013 to 31<sup>st</sup> July, 2013.

1. J.S.S. 1 Entrance Form at ₦2,000
2. J.S.S. 2 to S.S. 2 Transfer Form at ₦3,000

Payment could be made through Bank Teller at any UBA Branch. **Account No. 1001602305.**

### **Tri-Cycle (Adai-daita Sahu) Operation in the Campuses**

In recent times the Tri-cycle has become a problem, as insurgents use it in most of their operations. As such, there is a need to regulate its entrance into our campuses. In order to safeguard its operation in the Campuses, the Office of the Director, Security Services notifies the University community that:

Staff or students who use the Tri-cycle (Adaidaita Sahu) in coming into the Campuses are to register with the Security Division on or before 19<sup>th</sup> June, 2013 for them to be allowed in. The registration forms are available at the security division. Any staff or student who does not register his tri-cycle will not be allowed into the Campuses with effect from **19<sup>th</sup> June, 2013.**

### **Calling Stanbic IBTC Pension Account Holders**

This is to inform the University staff who registered with the Stanbic IBTC Pension

Managers as their Pension Fund Administrator (PFA) that there is an Excel sheet format in the Pension Unit provided by the PFA for staff who registered with them to supply their e-mail addresses that will enable the PFA to forward correspondence electronically to registered staff as and when due and also help to resolve the issue of the non-receipt of statements.

### **SIGMA Pension Holds Customer Forum for BUK Staff**

The Sigma Pensions will hold a Customer Forum session with BUK staff who registered with Sigma Pensions and Amana Pensions, according to a statement by Muhammad Bello Garba of the Pension Unit, as follows:

**Date:** Tuesday, 4<sup>th</sup> June, 2013

**Time:** 10:00am

**Venue:** Musa Abdullahi Auditorium

### **Faculty/Departmental Seminar Series**

#### **Faculty of Engineering**

The Faculty of Engineering invites the University community to its seminar presentation, scheduled to hold as follows:

**Topic:** *'The Art of Publishing in an Impact Factor Journal.'*

**Presenter:** Dr. Mohammed Ajiya

**Chairman:** Professor Abdu Salihi

**Date:** Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> May, 2013

**Time:** 10:00am

**Venue:** Faculty of Engineering Conference Room.

## Department of Mathematical Sciences

The Department of Mathematical Sciences invites the University community to its departmental seminar scheduled to hold as follows:

**Topic:** *'A New Approximation Method for Common fixed Point for Finite Families of Nonexpansive Mappings and Solutions of Variational Inequalities.'*

**Presenter:** Dr. Bashir Ali

**Chairman:** Dr. Ibrahim Idris

**Date:** Wednesday, 29<sup>th</sup> May, 2013

**Time:** 2:00pm

**Venue:** Computer Lab.

## Department of Public & International Law

The Department of Public and International Law wishes to invite the University community to a seminar presentation scheduled as follows:

**Topic:** *'The Law and Development of Foreign Aid in the International Transfer of Capital.'*

**Presenter:** Dr. Mohammed Isah

**Date:** 30<sup>th</sup> May, 2013

**Time:** 4:00pm – 6:00pm

**Venue:** F204, Faculty of Law Conference Room

## International Conference on Prophetic Medicine

The Department of Islamic and Shari'ah collaboration with NUSRET – Educational and Cultural Foundation invites the University community and general public to a

one Day International Conference scheduled as follows:

**Topic:** *'Prophetic Medicine.'*

**Speaker:** (i) Dr. Ali Yurtsever  
(ii) Dr. Ibrahim Mu'azzam Maibushira

**Comment By:** Associate Professor Musa Borodo, AKTH, BUK.

**Chairman:** The Imam of Kano, Professor Muhammad Sani Zahrdeen, OFR

**Chief Host:** The Vice Chancellor, Bayero University, Kano Professor Abubakar Adamu Rasheed, *mni*, MFR

**Date:** Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> May, 2013

**Time:** 3:30pm

**Venue:** 1000 Seater, Musa Abdullahi Auditorium New Site, BUK.

**Note:** In addition to the Presentation, there is going to be a display of The Prophet's Sacred relics.

## IIIBF Lecture Series

### Global Financial Crisis & Islamic Banks

The International Institute of Islamic Banking and Finance wishes to invite University community to its lecture series scheduled as follows:

**Title:** *'The Impact of Global Financial Crisis on the World Economy: Lessons for Islamic Banks.'*

**Chairman:** Dr. Mustapha Mukhtar (Economics Department) BUK, New Site

**Presenter:** Prof. Muhammad Liman Muhammad, Deputy Dean, SPS & Professor of Accounting

**Date:** Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> May, 2013

**Time:** 10:00am

**Venue:** Conference Room, IIBF (New Site)

## **Transition: Health Services Announces Death of Nafi'u Abubakar**

“With heavy heart, deep sense of humanity and total submission to Almighty Allah, the Health Services Department announces the passing away of Nafi’u Abubakar, a Medical Laboratory Technician in the University Clinic,” a statement signed by Abdullahi Musa Bichi on behalf of the Director announced.

“He died on Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> May, 2013 as a result of motor accident along Zaria Road, leaving behind one wife and three children. He was buried according to Islamic rites at his home town, Gagarawa, in Jigawa State. May his soul rest in perfect peace, amin,” the statement concluded.

### **Wedding fatiha**

(1) The Registrar, Sani Ibrahim Amin, MNIM, on behalf of the families of the late Alh. Ibrahim Ahmad and Alh. Muhammad El-Idris Zango invites members of the University community to the wedding of their son, Barrister Auwal Sani Ibrahim, and daughter, Aisha Mohammed, scheduled as follows:

**Date:** Friday 31<sup>st</sup> May, 2013

**Time:** 1:00pm

**Venue:** Danfodio Mosque, Behind Kaduna Polytechnic, Unguwar Sunusi, Kaduna.

(2) Malam Kabiru Wali of the Bursary Department (Tetfund Desk) invites members of the University community to his wedding fatiha, scheduled as follows:

**Date:** Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> May, 2013

**Time:** 11:00am

**Venue:** Ja'en Layin Dagaci, Masallacin Malam Rabi'u

(3) Malam Shehu Mahiru of the Registry Department (Junior Staff Office) invites members of the University community to the wedding fatiha of his daughter, Hauwa Shehu Mahiru (Ummi), and her bridegroom, Muhammad Lawal T/Wada (Baffa D.O.), scheduled as follows:

**Date:** Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> May, 2013

**Time:** 11:30am

**Venue:** Engineer Balarabe Muhammad Sani's Residence No. HE/P/5 Kano Polytechnic, BUK Road

### **Appreciation**

The Deputy Vice-Chancellor (Academics), Professor Muhammad Y. Bello, and his family wish to express their profound and heart-felt appreciations to members of the University who attended the Wedding Fatiha/Ceremony of their daughter, Rasheedah, and/or sent their best wishes. May Allah the Almighty reward everyone abundantly, ameen.

