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## **IPPIS Can Work If It Addresses Our Peculiarities - VC**

It Will Not Tamper with University Autonomy – IPPIS Coordinator

The Integrated Personnel Payroll Information System (IPPIS) can work effectively and enhance the payroll system if it addresses some peculiarities of Nigerian Universities such as staff on study fellowship abroad, sabbatical and other similar issues, Vice Chancellor, Professor Abubakar Adamu Rasheed, *mni*, MFR, has said.

Speaking at a one day sensitization workshop on **IPPIS** conducted Universities and other institutions in the Northwest on Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> March, 2014 at the Senate Chambers, BUK, the Vice Chancellor noted that the workshop enlightened members of the University on what IPPIS is all about. He also urged the federal government to strive hard to carry along all the University Unions through incorporating all their concerns and should exercise patience as the system is gradually put to practice.

The IPPIS Coordinator, Mrs. Nana Fatima Mede told the participants that the new system would not in any way temper with the autonomy of the University System, saying the workshop was aimed at critically examining some of the challenges of the new system with a view to brainstorming and coming up with a clear and well defined formula that would be acceptable to all.

She said the system roll-out which started in 2007 has 257,516 employees as at March 2014 drawn from 308 Ministries, Department and Agencies (MDAs), including 123 non-care agencies, 17 Teaching Hospitals and Medical Centres and 10 Colleges of Agriculture and Veterinary Science.

Delivering a power-point presentation, Dr. Kola Oladeji of the Office of the Accountant-General said IPPIS is part of the transformation agenda of the federal government with the aim of creating a centralized data base system to aid government's manpower planning and decision making.

He said IPPIS was also to facilitate automation and storage of personnel records, prevent wastage and leakages by ensuring staff remuneration is based on factually correct information and ensure prompt payment of salaries directly to employees account with appropriate deduction and remittance of third party payments (e.g. tax, pension, cooperatives, union dues etc).

The presenter said IPPIS is capable of handling primary, secondary even tertiary assignments and will design a template that will accommodate sabbatical, tenure and contract appointments. He explained that the system has levels of security and control that make it flexible yet secure. Participants from different Universities, agencies and BUK raised some fundamental observations on what should



be considered in addressing some of the challenges of the new system.

The Pro-Chancellor and Chairman of the Governing Council of Federal University of Technology, Minna, Professor Ahmed Rufa'i Alkali; the DVC Administration, Professor Sadiq Isah Radda; the Bursar, Alhaji Buhari Musa and many senior staff of the University were in attendance.

## Court Upholds Termination of Dr. Tahir Abdu Fagge's Appointment

A Federal High Court, sitting in Abuja, presided over by Justice A. Bello has dismissed a case "in its entirety for lack of merit" instituted by Malam Tahir Abdu Fagge, a former staff of the School of General Studies and then Deputy Dean of Student Affairs, BUK, challenging the termination of his appointment by Council in July 1998. The plaintiff through his Counsel had pleaded with the court to declare the termination of his appointment "illegal, null and void."

In his 21 page judgment delivered on 31<sup>st</sup> December, 2013, the Judge determined that the plaintiff's appointment as senior Lecturer of the defendant was terminated in accordance with Bayero University Law and Senior Staff Service Conditions and Regulations. He also ruled that the plaintiff was given fair hearing before his employment was terminated.

In reviewing the due process followed by the University before reaching a decision, Justice Bello noted that the Senate on 29<sup>th</sup> October 1996 set up a Committee to investigate massive failures and allegation of corruption in the General Studies papers and Remedial English Examination. The same Senate on 7<sup>th</sup> November 1997 accepted the findings of the Committee and referred some staff including the plaintiff to the Senior Staff Disciplinary and Appeals Committee, which accepted memorandum from and listened to the plaintiff defend himself.

The Appeals Committee report, as quoted in the judgment said: "Malam Tahir Abdu Fagge was accused of sexual harassment of female students, willful alteration of examination results, physical combat with the Director of the School of General Studies diverting and of students registration fees for his personal use. The committee finally concluded that the accused officer has committed acts of misconduct as specified under section P1(a) and (b) of the Senior Staff Conditions of Service and Regulations. His services were therefore considered no longer needed by the University. His appointment should therefore be terminated with immediate effect."

The Judge also noted that according to the laws of the University, all the Council needed was a "good cause" as grounds for terminating an appointment, contrary to the submission of Counsel to the plaintiff, who though his client should have been put through the more rigorous procedure put in place for staff recommended for dismissal, the difference being that terminated staff are entitled to payment of gratuity, pension other entitlements while those dismissed are not. Good cause having been defined as conviction for an offence, physical or mental incapacity, conduct of a scandalous or disgraceful nature, "conduct...of such nature as to render the



continued appointment or service of the person concerned prejudicial or detrimental to the interest of the University", amongst others.

The Judge had earlier noted that the case had dragged on from 29<sup>th</sup> May 1999 due to the transfer of judges and other adjournments as well as several motions which had to be determined before the main case could proceed.

## Prof. Rasheed Says BUK is Proud of CDA's Achievements

The Centre for Dry land Agriculture is one of the leading and best Centers in Bayero University both in terms of research and academic exploits, Vice Chancellor, Professor Abubakar Adamu Rasheed *mni*, MFR has said.

Professor Rasheed spoke through the Deputy Vice- Chancellor (Administration), Professor Sadiq Isah Radda while declaring open a two-day Workshop on the Potentials and Limitations of West African Dry Lands and Research, Priority for CDA which took place on Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> March, 2014 at CDA conference room.

The Vice-Chancellor said management of Bayero University is very much proud of the achievements of the Centre in terms of research, training capacity and competence which he said earned for the centre interventions funds from World Bank and other donor agencies and urged other Centres in the university to take a cue from CDA.

He said part of the exploits and efforts of the centre was the recent success it recorded in winning a World Bank grant of 8 million US Dollars for the conversion of the centre into Africa Centre of Excellence in Dry land Agriculture for the next four years.

Professor Rasheed charged staff of the centre to take the issue of World Bank funding seriously by ensuring judicious use, and by so doing convince the bank to continue to assist tertiary institutions with funds for teaching and research.

He said before now, World Bank only invested its resources in primary education, adding that only recently it had a change of mind and began to invest in the nation's tertiary institutions and that only judicious application of such resources would convince the Bank to continue to invest more and also give to other universities in the country.

The Vice Chancellor stated that the management would continue to listen and address challenges coming from not only CDA but all other centres but only if such centres live up to expectation in the area of their research interest.

Earlier, Director of the Centre, Professor Jibrin Jibrin said the workshop was organized by the centre to be able to mobilize ideas and information from senior academics with a view to charting a good direction towards conversion of the CDA into Africa Centre of Excellence in Dry land Agriculture.

He said the centre had gone into collaborations with national and international agencies and has been able to attract funding to conduct research and teaching in dry land agriculture.



Professor Jibrin said the workshop would go a long way to help the centre towards putting in place the necessary machinery for the full take off of the CDA as Africa Centre of Excellence in Dry Land Agriculture.

Some of the participants to the workshop include senior academics/research fellows from neighboring universities of Niger Republic; ICRISAT; Ministry of Agriculture, Kano State; University of Agriculture Abeokuta and Bayero University.

### Appointment of Chairman, Staff Housing Allocation & Maintenance Committee

The Vice Chancellor, Prof. Abubakar Adamu Rasheed, *mni*, MFR, has approved the appointment of Engr. Mustapha Hassan Bichi, FNSE as the Chairman of Staff Housing Allocation and Maintenance Committee for a two year term, in the first instance, with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> March, 2014.

A letter of appointment signed by the Registrar, Sani Ibrahim Amin, MNIM, said "you are required to take over from Mal. Mu'azu Mohammed Yusuf who has completed his tenures as the Chairman of the Committee."

### Layya At Ease 2014

This is to bring to the attention of members of the University Community that a new initiative that is geared towards assisting Bayero University Staff perform Layya (Sacrifice during the Islamic month of Zul Hijja) with minimal ease has been introduced.

The scheme is introduced in collaboration with some members of staff of the university and is called 'Buffer Layya and Feeding at Ease programme for maximum rewards.'

A statement signed by Engineer Habib I. Ahmad, Director Buffer Engineering and Management Consultancy Services, the promoter of the new programme, said interested applicants will register with the company and will be saving some amount of money monthly, depending on the animal category chosen.

It said rams have been categorized as follows: one and half years of age, \$\frac{1}{2}\$5,000 Naira, two years of age, \$\frac{1}{2}\$30,000 Naira and two and half years of age, \$\frac{1}{2}\$40,000 Naira, adding that applicants willing to subscribe over a specified period of 10 months before Zul Hijja should obtain a subscription form/contact its General Manager, Malam Umar Ibrahim Karaye, of the Department of Agricultural Economics and Extension on 08139745857.

The statement also added that prospective subscribers will pay a monthly amount, depending on the selected category of rams, through the company's bank account number 0000435934 and account name (Buffer Engineering and Management Consultancy Services) with Jaiz Bank Bello, Road Branch, Kano.

The company, the statement added, has made provisions for all Layya exercises and has units for different purposes which include: flaying, evisceration, splitting, dressing, handling, cold storage and



transportation of the carcasses (tubeless) and meat.

It said the individual and community benefits to be derived from the programme are enormous and could generate employment, waste re-cycling and reduced environmental pollution, among others. It will also provide training opportunities to polytechnic and university students of the various disciplines involved (Agricultural Engineering, Animal Science, Agronomy, Veterinary medicine/public health, etc).

### Danjuma Mahmud Scholarship: 23 Students Get №50,000.00 Each

Twenty three students on Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> March, 2014 received ¥50,000 each as part of Dr. Danjuma Mahmud scholarship scheme to support indigent medical students, in a brief ceremony held at the Dean's Office, Faculty of Medicine.

Presenting the money to the beneficiaries in the presence of the Vice Chancellor, Professor Abubakar Adamu Rasheed, *mni*, MFR, Dean of Medicine, Professor Abudrrazak G. Habib and other senior academics of the Faculty, Dr. Danjuma Mahmud said the scholarship scheme was borne out of his desire to assist the less privileged students, especially from the Faculty of Medicine, who find it difficult to cope financially in their study.

He said the scheme started in his home village, Dawakin Kudu where students were asked to bring receipt of the registration fees paid to their various schools and upon screening the philanthropy refunded their money. He said

as at now over 257 students are pursuing Masters Degree, Degree, Diploma and National Certificate of Education (N.C.E.) at different tertiary institutions through his scholarship scheme.

Dr. Mahmud added that last year two students benefitted but this year 21 students were added and said the scheme would be an annual exercise.

In an interview, Dr. Mahmud said he envisaged to see the beneficiary students become relatively stable and productive in future.

Speaking, the Vice Chancellor, Professor Abubakar Adamu Rasheed, mni, MFR on behalf of the management, staff and students expressed gratitude and Mahmud commended Dr. for his philanthropic gesture. He said the goodwill gesture would assist the indigent students greatly in their academic careers.

The Dean of the Faculty of Medicine, Professor Abdurrazak G. Habib said the spirit of philanthropism and the will to impact positively on the development of education have earned, Dr. Mahmud a good reputation that is cherished by people. He thanked him for the donation given to medical students.

Some of the student beneficiaries interviewed expressed their happiness and commended Dr. Mahmud for his timely intervention in their study.

Asiya Aminu Abdulfataha said she was very grateful to Allah for this intervention and thanked Dr. Mahmud for his kind



gesture. She said only God would reward him and promised to utilized the money in buying medical textbooks.

On his part, Khalifa Usman Abdullahi said having come from low income family, the money would assist him towards buying some expensive books which he could not earlier afford and help him solve some pressing financial problems.

All the students are from 100 Level excluding two who are from Level 400 and 200 respectively. The students are:

S/N	NAME	REG. NO.	STATE
1	Hassa Auwal	MED/08/MBBS/00405	Kaduna
2	Aliyu Muhammad Sani	MED/11/MBBS/00913	Kano
3	Imrana Ahmad Buhari	MED/12/MBBS/000	Kano
4	Halliru Yusuf Halliru	MED/12/MBBS/00042	Jigawa
5	Mansur Uba	MED/12/MBBS/00096	Kano
6	Khalifa Usman Abdullahi	MED/12/MBBS/00005	Kano
7	Abdul'aziz Yahaya Muhammad	MED/12/MBBS/00068	Kano
8	Abubakar Tijjani Shehu	MED/12/MBBS/00091	Kano
9	Abubakar Saminu Jibrin	MED/12/MBBS/00057	Kano
10	Asiya Aminu Abdulfatta	MED/12/MBBS/00002	Kaduna
11	Maryam Mahmud Ibrahim	MED/12/MBBS/00050	Kano
12	Isma'il Abba Rufa'i	MED/12/MBBS/00081	Kano
13	Hamza Sulaiman Ahmad	MED/12/MBBS/00012	Kaduna
14	Yusuf Haruna	MED/12/MBBS/000	Kano
15	Umma Darma Sufyan	MED/12/MBBS/00092	Katsina
16	Kabiru Ibrahim Tafida	MED/12/MBBS/00093	Bauchi
17	Abubakar Lawal	MED/12/MBBS/000	Kaduna
18	Isah Yusuf Salisu	MED/12/MBBS/00160	Kano
19	Hassan Sa'id Haruna	MED/12/MBBS/00045	Kano
20	Hassan Shamsiyya Turaki	MED/12/NUR/000	Kano
21	Isma'il Umar Ishaq	MED/12/NUR/00028	Kano
22	Salim Ahmad Lawal	MED/12/PHY/00059	Kano
23	Isah Isah Yusuf	MED/12/PHY/00120	Kano

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## **Department of Education:** *PhD Seminars*

The Department of Education invites all academic staff, PhD and M.Ed students to its PhD seminar, scheduled to hold as follows:

**Presenter 1:** Muhammad Kabir Ado

**Topic:** 'Construction and Validation of Measuring Instrument on Funding and the Development of Technical Education in Northwest Zone of Nigeria (2000 – 2009).'

Supervisor: Prof. S. O. Olubadewo

Presenter 2: Jummai Ali Kazaure

**Topic:** 'Validation of a Measuring Instrument on Efficiency and Effectiveness of Senior Secondary School Education in Jigawa State (2001-2005).'

Supervisor: Prof. S. O. Olubadewo

Presenter 2: Hadiza Hafiz

**Topic:** 'Construction and Validation of Measuring Instrument for Entrepreneurship Education and Skills Acquisition in Selected Technical and Vocational Tertiary Institutions in Northwest Zone of Nigeria.'

**Supervisor:** Dr. Garba Sa'ad

**Discussants:** Prof. A. O. Fagbemi and Prof. G. D. Azare.

**Date:** Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> March, 2014

**Time:** 11:00am to 1:00pm

Venue: Faculty Common Room



### **Department of Linguistics:** Departmental Seminar

The Department of Linguistics invites members of the University community to its Departmental Seminar, scheduled to hold as follows:

Presenter: Isa Yusuf Chamo, PhD

**Topic:** 'Tranglobal Media Influences in Film.'

**Discourse:** An Analysis of New Communication Practice in Kanywood Films **Chairman:** Prof. Mukhtar Abdulkadir Yusuf

Date: Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> March, 2014

**Time:** 11:00am

Venue: Departmental Conference Room.

## Department of Geography: PhD Departmental Seminar Series

The Department of Geography conducted its Departmental Seminar Series on Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> March, 2014 at A43 Geography Departmental Seminar.

**Presenter 1:** Saleh B. Momale (PGS/06/SMS/1753).

**Title:** 'Pastoralists Mobility, Conflicts with Farmers and Policy Implications in Northwestern Nigeria.'

Chairman: Prof. J. Afolabi Falola

Presenter 2: Murtala Shehu Ahmad

**Title:** 'Assessment of Ground Water Vulnerability and Risk to Contamination in Kaduna Metropolis, Nigeria.'

Chairman: Prof. Adamu Idris Tanko.

### **Department of Economics:** Departmental Seminar

The Department of Economics invites members of the University community to its Departmental Seminar, scheduled to hold as follows:

**Presenter:** Dr. Ahmad Muhammad Tsauni **Topic:** 'What is a Literatrue Review and How do I write One.'

Chairman: Dr. Mustapha Mukhtar

Date:) Wednesday, 19<sup>th</sup> March, 2014.

Time: 10:00am prompt.

Venue: Conference Hall, Dept. of Econs.

### Department of Sociology: M.Sc Internal Defense

The Department of Sociology invites members of the University community to its M.Sc Internal Defense, scheduled to hold as follows:

**Presenter 1:** Raliya M. Sambo (SPS/09/MSO/00024)

**Topic:** 'Awareness and Utilization of Vital Registration in Child Healthcare Management in Fagge Local Government Area, Kano State.'

Supervisor: Dr. M. A. Haruna

Internal Examiner: Dr. S. S. Kurawa

**Presenter 2:** Olubadewo Esther Jumoke (SPS/09/MSO/00004).

**Topic:** 'Parental Socio-Economic Status and Child Abuse in Gwale Local Government Area, Kano State.'

Supervisor: Dr. S. S. Kurawa

Internal Examiner: Dr. M. A. Haruna

Date: Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> March, 2014

**Time:** 10:00am

Venue: Departmental Board Room.

## Department of English and Literary Studies: *PhD Proposal Defence & M.A, Internal Defense*

The Department of English and Literary Studies invites members of the University community to its PhD Proposal Defence and M.A. Internal Defense, scheduled to hold as follows:

Chair: Dr. Amina Adamu

Presenter 1: Haruna Babagogata

(SPS/10/PEN/00001)



**Title:** 'Writing Skills: An Evaluation of Paragraph Deployment Techniques among Students of Kwara State College of Education, Ilorin.'

Supervisor: Dr. Sadiya Sani Daura Internal Examiner: Prof. Aliyu Kamal

**Presenter 2:** Ijeoma Paulette Ezuruike (SPS/11/PEN/00001)

**Title:** 'Negation Strategies Used by ESL Learners: A Case Study of Senior Secondary School Students in Kano Municipal.'

**Supervisor:** Prof. Mustapha Ahmad Isa **Internal Examiner:** Dr. Sadiya Sani Daura

Presenter 3: Usman Faruk (SPS/11/PEN/00002)

**Title:** 'The Analytic and the Holistic Methods of Assessing Compositions: Which is More Suitable for the ESL Context?'

Supervisor: Professor Aliyu Kamal

Internal Examiner: Professor Mustapha Ahmad

Isa

**MA Dissertation Internal Defence:** 

**Chairman:** Professor Muhammad Omowumi Bhadmus

**Presenter 1:** Ralia Maijama'a Abdullahi (SPS/10/MEN/00004)

**Title:** 'The Writing Self and the Ear of the Other in Autobiographical Representation: A Deconstructionist Study of Joseph Conrad's *The Congo Diary* and Terny Eagleton's *The Gatekeeper: A Memoir.*'

**Supervisor:** Professor Isma'ila Abubakar Tsiga **Internal Examiner:** Professor Mustapha Muhammad

Presenter 2: Adamu Idris (SPS/10/MEN/00013)

**Title:** 'Investigating Pre-Nominal Adjective Order Violation in Students' Continuous Writing: A Case Study of Level 100 Students of College for Legal and Islamic Studies, Misau, Bauchi State.'

Supervisor: Dr. Sadiya Sani Daura

Internal Examiner: Professor Mustapha Ahmad

Isa

Date: Thursday, 20th March, 2014

**Time:** 11:00am

Venue: Departmental Board Room.

Department of Mathematical Sciences: M.Sc Proposal Defence

The Department of Mathematical Sciences invites members of the University community to its M.Sc Proposal Defence, scheduled to hold as follows:

**Presenter 1:** Jewaidu Rilwan (SPS/11/MMT/00003)

**Topic:** 'Pursuit-Evasion Differential Game Problem with Multiple Number of Pursuer and Evader.'

Supervisor: Dr. Abbas J. Bakaya

**Presenter 2:** Adamu Isaku (SPS/11/MMT/00002) **Topic:** 'Mathematical Modeling of Sub-genomic Hepatitis-C Virus Replication in Hum-7 Cells.'

Supervisor: Dr. Nafi'u Hussain

**Presenter 3:** Nura M. R. Ahmad (SPS/11/MMT/00014)

**Topic:** 'Mathematical Modeling of M-Phase Control in Xenopus Oocyte Extracts.'

Supervisor: Dr Saminu I. Bala

**Presenter 4:** Yahaya Liti Uba (SPS/11/MMT/00018)

**Topic:** 'Three-Points Derivative Free Approach for Solving Large-Scale Systems of Nonlinear Equations.'

Supervisor: Dr. M. Y. Waziri

**Presenter 5:** Auwal Bala Abubakar (SPS/11/MMT/00004)

**Topic:** 'On Improved Broyden's-Type Method for Large-Scale Systems of Nonlinear Equation.'

Supervisor: Dr. M. Y. Waziri

**Presenter 6:** Aliyu Muhammad Auwal (SPS/11/MMT/00001)

**Topic:** 'Multi-Newton's Approach for Solving Large-Scale Systems of Nonlinear Equations.'

Supervisor: Dr. M. Y. Waziri

**Presenter 7:** Munira Abdullahi Sa'id (SPS/11/MMT/00016)

**Topic:** 'Inventory Policies of Delayed Deteriorating Items with Stock Dependent Demand and Partial Backlogging.'

**Supervisor:** Dr. Bashir M. Yakasai **Date:** Wednesday, 19<sup>th</sup> March, 2014

**Time:** 10:00am

Venue: Departmental Computer Lab