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# Kano Lawyer, Nureini **Jimoh SAN** Donates Books, Cash worth 10M

By Salisu Inusa Ismail

Kano based legal luminary and philanthropist, Nureini Jimoh SAN, has donated volumes of Supreme Court Law Reports from 1972 to 2023 to the Bayero University's Faculty of Law.

Equally, he announced a financial support to 100 indigent Law students.

The total donations were valued at over Ten Million Naira (10,000,000.00) as part of his support to ease their studies and registrations amid harsh economic realities of the day.

The Learned Silk handed over the Law Books and some Draft Checks to the Vice Chancellor at an official unveiling and symbolic presentation of the donation held on Monday 21st August, 2023 at the Moot Court room of the Faculty of Law, Bayero University Kano.

According to him the gesture was in partial fulfillment of his promise made at the Moot Court held in his honour sometimes in February this year. He said, "It is my wish to fulfill all my promises I made at the Moot Court Competition. In view of this, I seek to donate the entire Supreme Court Law Reports from inception in 1972 to date worth Five Million Naira (5,000,000.00) to support the Faculty in its programs".

BUK Management and the donor, Nureini Jimoh SAN, displaying the donated books

He further pointed out that the Law Reports are important companion for every student in their search for knowledge as well as a quick reference guide to legal practitioners in responding to legal matters even extempore in the course of proceedings.

While describing Bayero University's Faculty of Law as an award winning, the Learned Silk said it has produced several legal minds who have served this country in various capacities with high dignity and honour.

On financial support, the Senior Advocate said that his Law Firm and Foundation resolved to subsidize registration by forty thousand (40,000.00) for 100 indigents, five hundred thousand (500,000.00) to each of Kano and Oyo States students in BUK, totaling another Five Million Naira only (5,000,000.00).

In the same vein, he sought the approval of the University for an Annual Endowment Fund for Nureini Jimoh (SAN) Best Mooter of the year that would also attract some financial support and called on others to join him in making the Faculty a greater one.

Responding, the Vice Chancellor Professor Sagir Adamu Abbas who was represented by the DVC Academics, Prof. Muhammad Sani Gumel, described the gesture of the philanthropist as timely as the Faculty would face accreditation exercise.

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While extoling the donor's good virtues, he urged other well-meaning Nigerians to emulate this act of magnanimity.

He then on behalf of the management acknowledged and accepted the request for an Endowment Fund for Nureini Jimoh (SAN) Best Mooter Award.

Earlier in their separate remarks, the Dean of the Faculty of Law Dr Abubakar IsahUmar and a senior member of the Faculty, Prof. A.B. Ahmed paid tribute to the legal luminary for always identifying with the Faculty and his

firm believed in helping other people.

They prayed to God to replenish him in many folds.

The eminent personalities present were the Oba Yoruba of Kano, DVC Management services, Prof. Mahmud Umar Sani, Librarian, Dr. Kabir Dahiru Abbas, Ag. Registrar, Hajiya Amina Abdullahi Umar, Directors of Establishment Matters and Public Affairs, Hajiya Binta Y. K/Naisa and Malam Lamara Garba and the wife of the donor, Professor Monsurat Abdul Azeez respectively.

### **SSANU-BUK to Sponsor 100 Women for Cancer Screening** ....Holds Women Workshop

By Nura Garba



SSANU Chairman, Comrade Mustapha Aminu presenting his address at the SSANU Women Workshop

Senior Staff Association of Nigerian Universities (SSANU), BUK branch will sponsor 100 women for cancer screening especially cervical and breast cancers.

This was disclosed by the Chairman of SSANU BUK branch, Comrade Mustapha Aminu while declaring open the maiden women workshop organized by the Women Coordinator of the branch, Comrade Farida Sani Kamba on Thursday, 24th August, 2023.

According to Comrade Aminu, this has become imperative considering the prevalent cases of breast and cervical cancers in the country that are affecting the lives of women.

He said it was part of the welfare package of the union early stages.

to extend the hands of support to women.

The Chairman congratulated the Women Coordinator and LOC members for organizing a succesful workshop.

Dr Maryam Nasir presented a lecture on Breast Cancer and Cervical Cancer. She advocated the need for women to engage in daily exercise, eating healthy diet such as vegetables and fresh fruits, as well as drinking alot of water to protect themselves from cancer diseases.

Dr Maryam charged women to hurriedly seek for medical attention as soon as they detect any changes in their body so that the cancer can be treated in the early stages. Speaking on Agricultural Value Chain, Professor challenging world and occupy various positions. She Amina Mustapha dwelled on crop production, livestock production and fish farming

She said women have opportunitues to engage in agripreneur which is to take agriculture as a business.

Prof Amina Mustapha, who is the Deputy Director, Outreach and Publications, CDA, said Africa is blessed with arable and fertile land for farming and that there is high demand for agricultural produce.

She said people can engage in urban gardening, in which one can grow crops or engage in poultry or aquiculture (fish farming) inside the premises of one's house. She said with a small land one can grow as many crops as possible.

The Women Coordinator of Northwest, Comrade participated in the inaugural meeting. She said the welcome address, urged women to rise up to the and familiarize themselves with one another as well as

said women have a big role to play in making significant impact in the society.

The Acting Registrar, Hajiya Amina Umar Abdullahi, who was represented by the Director Establishment Matters, Hajiya Binta Yahaya Kofar Naisa said there are over 300 SSANU women in BUK. She said the university had recorded two Registrars before who were females and the acting Registrar now is a female.

The acting Registrar noted that women have a prominent role to play in the university and the nation at large.

The Women Coordinator of BUK branch of SSANU, Comrade Farida Sani Kamba welcomed all those who Hauwa Abdullahi Dambatta, who presented a idea was to bring SSANU women together to interact

#### Faculty of Education Organizes Sensitization Workshop for Academic Staff

In an effort to improve efficiency and productivity for enhanced service delivery, the BUK's Faculty of Education has organized a one day sensitization workshop for its new academic staff which held on Monday 14th August, 2023 at the Faculty Board Room.

Paper presenters took turn to re-acquaint and re-equip their new collegues with the best way and practice to improve on the execution of their duties and responsibilities at the Departmental, Faculty and the University levels.

Participants at the sensitization workshop were enjoined to imbibe strong principles of integrity in order to protect their hard earned good reputations and that of the Faculty as the teacher training ground of the University.

While enlightening the participants on range of topical issues such as effective teaching strategies, discipline, go integrity, accountability, Presenters used the occasion to warn staff to desist from any form of examination misconducts and shifting of lecture venues unnecessarily in order to avoid clashes.

As attendees at the event were

strongly prepared and engaged by the volumes of the lectures delivered on what is expected of them in the course of discharging their duties, Intricacies of BUKRESS and continuous assessments were equally simplified by the Those who spoke at the event were Prof. Muhammad Ibrahim Yakasai, Dr. Isah Ado Abubakar, Dr. Hauwa S. Ahmed, Dr. Babangida Ladan, Dr. Hayatuddeen Adamu and Egr. Aishat of CIT.

senior members of the Faculty.

Earlier the Dean, Prof. Ali Idris while commenting at the event, said the University will not condone laxity and non adherence to extant guidelines more especially relating to result compilation as erring staff would face the consequence of their actions.

He admonished them to be more serious, dedicated and committed to their assignments.



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# CASSON Holds 47<sup>th</sup> International Conference in BUK



Prof. Abdulrashid Garba presenting keynote speech

Counselling Association of Nigeria (CASSON) conducted its 47<sup>th</sup> International Conference in Bayero University, Kano with the theme: Counselling for National Safety and Security held between 23<sup>rd</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> August, 2023.

The keynote speaker, Professor Abdulrashid Garba who is the Vice Chancellor of Khalifa Isiyaka Rabi'u University Kano, said from counselor's point of view, it was only when everyone felt safe in a learning environment that they tend to repose confidence in the education system. He said putting physical and emotional safety in schools helps in putting students at ease and that is the only time when learning seems to be meaningful.

According to him, the lack of safety and security brought about by incursions on schools and abductions of students were more rampant and carried out more in the North-West, North-East and North-Central regions. He cited the UNIFEC's 2020 report which says 90% of the over 10 million out-of-the school children were from those regions.

Prof Garba, said one of the prominent laws that made provisions on school safety and security is the Child Rights Act, enacted in 2003, citing the Article 15 of the act which says, every child has the right to free, compulsory and universal education and it shall be the duty of the government to provide such education in a safe environment.

The keynote speaker explained that school; and outreach counselling measures can be of some benefit through effective use of strategic intelligence and reconnaissance activities; through effective policy measures and through effective preventive measures.

Counselling he said should step-up intelligence-led policing for effective use of early warning signals and also ensure that early counselling response mechanisms are properly instituted and situated in the overall diagnosis of safety and security issues generating concerns in the country.

He advocated for the use of key components for counselling to contribute meaningfully in addressing national safety and security concerns, to include that Counselling Practitioners Council must be active and vibrant and that Guidance and Counselling must be active and visible on all national strategic agenda.

He recommended that every state chapter of CASSON should conduct an independent assessment of the extent, scope society, region, width and breadth of their safety and security issues in order to come up with solutions in line with the outcome of their assessments.

In his address, the National President of CASSON, Professor Umar Malami Tambuwal said CASSON as association played a critical role in national safety and security. He called for a collective effort and engagement to address the challenges of the country.

Commissioner for Education in Kano State, Haruna Doguwa requested for effective collaboration between Kano State government and CASSON to address the 1.5 million out of children challenges facing the state. He pledged to assist the CASSON in many respects.

Royal father of the day, the Emir of Kano, Alhaji Aminu Adao Bayero, who was represented by Fagacin Kano, Alhaji Sayyadi Mamman Yola said he was highly delighted with the conference in Kano as it served as an avenue that brought participants from all the states in the federation. He said this would promote unity, oneness, peace and tranquility in the country.

Earlier, the Chairman Kano State Chapter of CASSON, Professor Ahmed Iliyasu welcomed all the icons, fellows, past presidents and current executives of CASSON to Kano, as well as delegates from 36 states including the FCT.

Awards of excellence were presented to the CEO of UYK, Alhaji Usman Yahata Kansila, Hajiya Neemat D. Abdulrahim, the Director ERC, FCT Abuja, Professor Ahmed Iliyasu and Dr Kabiru Bello Dugurawa, who is the LOC Chairman.

# APPOINTMENTS

(1) The Vice Chancellor, Bayero University, Kano, Professor Sagir Adamu Abbas has approved the appointment of **Professor Mahmoud Umar Sani (DVC Management Services)**, as the Chairman of the Bicycle Loan Committee for Distribution of Bicycle to Junior Staff. The appointment is for a two-year term with effect from 31<sup>st</sup> July, 2023.

Other members of the Committee are as follows:

1.	Mustapha Gide	-	Junior Staff Office -	Member
2.	Usman Gomina	-	Bursary Department -	Member
3.	Adamu Aminu	-	Internal Audit -	Member
4.	Barr Yusuf Mustapha	-	Legal Unit -	Member
5.	Nura Abbas Hamid	-	Dept of Political Science-	Member
6.	Nura Garba	-	Information and Publ -	Secretary

(2) The Vice Chancellor, Professor Sagir Adamu Abbas, has approved the reconstitution of the Advisory Board of the Centre for Quranic Studies, with HRH Alhaji Najib Hussaini Adamu (Emir of Kazaure), as the Chairman for another period of two (2) years effective 1<sup>st</sup> August, 2023.

Other members of the Committee include:

1.	Dr Bashir Shehu Galadanci	-	Member
2.	Professor Salisu Shehu	-	Member
3.	Gwani Yahuza Gwani Danzarga	-	Member
4.	HOD, Islamic Studies and Shariah	-	Member
5.	HOD, Arabic	-	Member
6.	Director, CICID	-	Member
7.	Dr Yusuf Isyaka Rabiu	-	Member
8.	Dr Mujtaba Ibrahim A. Ramadan	-	Member
9.	Gwani Aliyu Salihu Turaki	-	Member
10.	Mal. Muzzamil S. Hanga	-	Member
11.	Sheik Abdulwahab Abdallah	-	Member
12.	Alhaji Ibrahim Alaramma	-	Member
13.	ProfAhmad Murtala, Director (CQS)	-	Member/Secretary
14.	Prof Sani Musa Ayagi, Deputy Director (T&P)	-	Assistant Secretary
15.	Prof Abbas Umar Abdulkadir, Deputy Director (RD&P)	-	"
16.	Dr Shuaib Mukhtar Shuaib, Deputy Director (C&P)	-	٤٢

(3) The Vice Chancellor, Professor Sagir Adamu Abbas, has approved the appointments of the underlisted staff into various positions.

S/N	NAME	DEPARTMENT	APPOINTMENT	EFFECTIVE
1	Dr Zainab Uba	Department of	Acting Head,	7 <sup>th</sup> August, 2023
	Ibrahim	Chemical Pathology	Department of	
			Chemical Pathology	
2	Dr Maimuna Adamu	Department of	Head, Department of	14 <sup>th</sup> August, 2023
	Salihu	Accounting	Accounting	
3	Dr Salisu Iliyasu	Department of	Head, Department of	8 <sup>th</sup> August, 2023
		Education	Education	
4	4 Dr Tijjani Alhaji Sani Department of		Head, Department of	8 <sup>th</sup> August, 2023
		and Humanities	Arts and Humanities	
5	Dr Danladi Musa	Department of	Head, Department of	8 <sup>th</sup> August, 2023
		Science	Science	
6	Dr Kabir Ibrahim	Department of Social	Head, Department of	8 <sup>th</sup> August, 2023
		Science and	Social Science and	
		Administration	Administration	

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# **SEMINARS**

**Department Of Biochemistry:** Departmental PG **Seminar Notice PhD Second Progress Seminar** 1.Name of Presenter: Sadiya Ahmad Bichi (SPS/16/PBC/00005) Topic: Assessment of some Environmental Factors on Anopheles Mosquitoes Insecticides Resistance Profile in Parts of Sudan Savannah Region of Kano State. Degree in View: PhD. Biochemistry Supervisor: Dr. A. A. Imam M.Sc. Completion seminar 2.Name of Presenter: Sulaiman Muizz Olalekan (SPS/18/MBC/00129) Topic: Antibacterial activity and in-silico Molecular Prediction of Snake Venom (Bitis arietans & Naja nigricolis) against some Bacteria Chemical Isolates. Degree in View: M.Sc. Biotechnology Supervisor: Dr. Binta G. Kurfi Internal: Dr. Aminu Ibrahim 3.Name of Presenter: Abdulrasheed Musa Hussain (SPS/17/MBC/00084) **Topic:** Preservative and Antimicrobial Potential of Lactic Acid Bacteria Isolated from Fermented Cucumber: Cucumic sativum. Degree in View: M.Sc Biotechnology Supervisor: Dr. Nasiru Abdullahi Internal: Dr. Murtala Ya'u 4. Name of Presenter: Suleiman Ishaq Onuruoiza (SPS/18/MBC/00030) Topic: Prebiotic Effect of Jatropha tanjorensis on Hyperlipidemia and Gut Microbiota in Rats. Degree in View: M.Sc Biochemistry (Medical) Supervisor: Prof. Y. Y. Muhammad Internal: Dr. Salihu Ibrahim

DATE: Tuesday 29th August, 2023 Time: 10:00 am Prompt Chairman: Prof. A. M. Wudil **VENUE:** PG Seminar Room **Department of Environmental Management:** Faculty of Earth and Environmental Sciences First Presenter: Zilkiflu Muhammad Dabo **Topic:** Phytoplankton Assemblage as an Environmental Bioindicator of the Quality of Aquatic Habitats. A Review. (PhD Literature Review) Chairperson: Dr Mustapha Zakariyya Karkarna mn Second Presenter: Fiddausi Dayyabu **Topic:** Modeling of Groundwater Flow and Contaminants Transport. A Review. (PhD Literature Review) Chairperson: Dr Mustapha Zakariyya Karkarna mni Third Presenter: Sulaiman Shehu Sulaiman Topic: Impact of Solid Mineral Mining Area on Rural Livelihoods of Eastern Kogi State (PhD Progress Report II) Chairperson: Professor Ibrahim Baba Yakubu **Date:** Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> August, 2023 Time: 10:00am prompt Venue: Departmental Seminar Room *Note:* Attendance to Seminar is compulsory to all MSc I. MSc II, PhD I and PhD II **Department of Public Law:** *Monthly Seminar* **Topic:** A Critical Survey of the Legal Framework Governing Domestic Work in Nigeria Presenter: Dr Muhammad Nuruddeen Chairman: Dr Dahiru Jafaru Usman Date: 31/08/2023 **Time:** 2:00pm Venue: Faculty of Law Board Room

### **Darul Uloom Emerges Winner in Qur'anic Competition**

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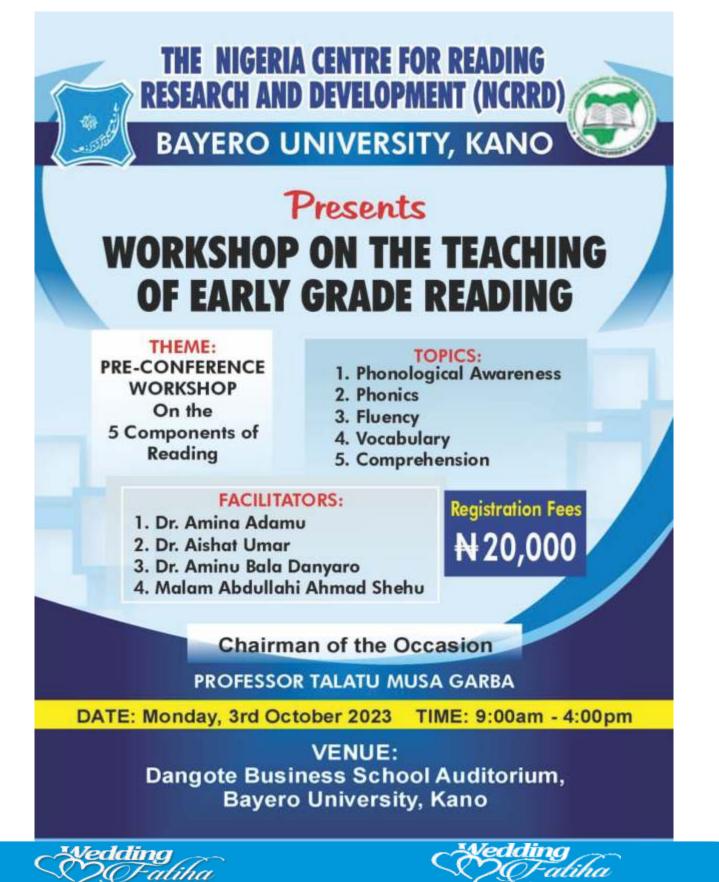
Darul Uloom Islamiyya of New Campus has emerged Director (Tahfeez), Muhammad Abubakar. victorious to beat 26 other participants in the recently concluded Qur'anic Recitation competition held on Saturday 19th August, 2023 at the Centre for Islamic Civilization and Interfaith Dialogue, Bayero University Kano. This was contained in a letter signed by the Deputy

"The competition was organized in order to inculcate the values of the Holy Our'an in children as well as cement cordiality among schools", the letter equally reads in parts.

### Search for a Lost Bag

Computer laptop, flash drive and research related Rasheed Senate Building or contact Abubakar Amadu on documents at the popularly VC's Mosque, near the 08022226237. University Bookshop on Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> August, 2023.

This is to bring to the attention of the University Please, if found, return it to the Information and Community of the supposedly loss of a bag containing Publication Unit, at Ground Floor, Prof. Abubakar Adamu



Muhammad Salisu Rabi'u of the Protocol office wishes to invite members of the University Community and the general public to the Wedding Fatiha of his Daughter Hannatu Salisu Rabi'u (Amira) and her fiancee, Sunusi Sani Muhammad scheduled to take place as follows:

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# **IHSAN SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION (ISF)**

The Ihsan Scholarship Foundation (ISF) is a voluntary and non-Profit organization with the following objectives:

- 1. To assist indigent students financially to enable them start, continue or complete their education;
- 2. To promote educational excellence among indigent students by alleviating their immediate financial difficulties;
- 3. To assist indigent students with capital so they can start small scale businesses to fend for themselves;
- 4. To influence individual and organizations to fund the education of indigent students;
- 5. To collaborate with similar organizations for the educational development of indigent students;

Since its inception in 2017, Ihsan Scholarship Foundation has sponsored many students both within and outside Kano State in terms of scholarships to pursue their education with some monthly up-keeps.

Below are the beneficiaries of the Foundation Scholarship:

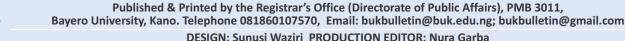
- 1. YEAR 2017: The Foundation offered scholarships to nine student totaling N366,000
- 2. YEAR 2018: The Foundation offered scholarships to 13 students totaling N539,900
- 3. YEAR 2019: It gave scholarship to 23 students totaling N552,550
- 4. YEAR 2020: It offered scholarship to 9 students at the cost of N240,500
- 5. YEAR 2021: In the year 2021, the foundation paid registration fees for 13 students for N648,600
- 6. YEAR 2022: It paid registration fees for 2 students for N66,600
- 7. YEAR 2023: The foundation paid registration fees for 19 students at the cost of N1,358,050
- Members of the Foundation Board of Trustees are as follows:
- 1.Alhaji Lawal Idris
- 2.Alhaji Garba Bello
- Chairman Deputy Chairperson I

Secretary

Treasurer

- 3.Hajiya Habiba Umar
- Deputy Chairperson II
- 4.Malam Bala Muhammad
- 5. Associate Prof Hajara U. Sanda-

*Signed:* Associate Professor Hajara Umar Sanda For: Foundation Chairman



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