1. **ACADEMIC STAFF PROMOTIONS**

At its meeting of Thursday, 05 March, 2009, the Appointments and Promotions Committee for Academic Staff approved the following promotions:

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<th>S/NO.</th>
<th>NAME</th>
<th>DEPARTMENT</th>
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<td>1.</td>
<td>Dr. C.O.G. Ndubokwu</td>
<td>Classics</td>
<td>Senior Lecturer</td>
<td>Reader</td>
<td>1 October, 2002</td>
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<td>2.</td>
<td>Dr. Modupe O. Arowojolu</td>
<td>Preventive Dentistry</td>
<td>Reader</td>
<td>Professor</td>
<td>1 October, 2005</td>
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<td>3.</td>
<td>Dr. E.O. Ayoola</td>
<td>Mathematics</td>
<td>Senior Lecturer</td>
<td>Reader</td>
<td>1 October, 2005</td>
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<td>4.</td>
<td>Dr. A.M. Sunmola</td>
<td>Psychology</td>
<td>Reader</td>
<td>Professor</td>
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<td>5.</td>
<td>Dr. Chinedum P. Babalola</td>
<td>Pharmaceutical Chemistry</td>
<td>Reader</td>
<td>Professor</td>
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<td>6.</td>
<td>Dr. S.O. Oyetade</td>
<td>Linguistics and African Languages</td>
<td>Reader</td>
<td>Professor</td>
<td>1 October, 2006</td>
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<td>7.</td>
<td>Dr. V.O. Taiwo</td>
<td>Veterinary Pathology</td>
<td>Reader</td>
<td>Professor</td>
<td>1 October, 2006</td>
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<td>8.</td>
<td>Dr. A. Adenikinju</td>
<td>Economics</td>
<td>Reader</td>
<td>Professor</td>
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2. **APPOINTMENTS**

The following appointments have been made:

(a) **Senate Curriculum Committee**

Professor A. Idowu Olayinka  - Chairman, for a period of two years with effect from 01 February, 2009

Department of Geology

(b) **Queen Elizabeth II Hall**

Dr. Folashade O. Oyedeji  - Re-appointed Assistant Hall Warden, for a period of two years with retrospective effect from 02 October, 2008.

Department of Chemistry

(c) **Queen Idia Hall**

Dr. Sola Adedoja  - Assistant Hall Warden, for a period of two years with retrospective effect from 01 October, 2008.

Department of Teacher Education

(d) **Distance Learning Centre**

Dr. Edith O. Ajaiyeoba  - Deputy Director, for a period of three years with effect from 01 March, 2009.

Department of Pharmacognosy

(e) **Department of Theatre Arts**

Dr. H.O. Ekwuazi  - Acting Head, for a period of two years with effect from 01 March, 2009

3. **BENEFACTIONS**

The University acknowledges with thanks the following benefactions from:

(a) **Professor J.K. Olupona, Havard Divinity School, Havard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts, U.S.A.**

Donation of two (2) big volumes of books to the Department of Religious Studies.

(b) **Prince Lateef Fagbemi, SAN**

Donation of two million naira (N2,000,000.00) only to the Faculty of Law.

(c) **Professor J.B. Babalola, Department of Educational Management**

Donation of the following books to the Department of Educational Management Resource Centre:

i. **Introduction to Educational Planning, Administration and Supervision** by I.A. Ajayi (Ph.D.); J.B. Ayodele (Ph.D.) – 1 Copy.

ii. **Issues in School Management** by I.A. Ajayi (Ph.D.) – 1 Copy

iii. **The Impact of HIV/AIDS and Drug Abuse on Youth Education and Development** by Lucy A. Udida – 4 Copies


v. **Reforms in Higher Education in Nigeria** by Fayonyomi, A.A.; Njodi, I.A.

(d) **Pharmacist Ajao James Olufemi, Favour-Bel (Nig.) Limited, Plot 5, Lahan Binuyo Layout, Felele, Ibadan.**

Donation of one (1) flat screen Samsung 21 inch television set to the Pharmacy Unit of the University Health Service.

(e) **Miss Folashade Adeleye, 3438 Carriage Wallict, Laurel, MD 20724, USA.**

Donation of the following items to the Physical Therapy Unit of the University Health Service:

i. **Walking frame**

ii. **Quadrupod (Cane)**

iii. **A pair of dumbbell**

iv. **Leg Ergometer**

v. **Two (2) Exercise Rubber bands**
vi. Exercise Chart  

vii. Cork-up Splint  

(f) Mrs. Ellen Moore, c/o Dr. Ken Yeats, Staff Earth Scientist, JV Asset Development,  
Chevron Nigeria Limited, 2 Chevron Drive, Lekki Peninsula, PMB 12825, Lagos.  

Donation of fifteen (15) 1.5 cubic feet book boxes to the Mosobalaje Oyawoye Library in the  
Department of Geology.  

(g) Dr. Ebi Omatsola, FNMGS, FNAPE (Alumnus 1963), Chief Executive Officer, CONOIL  
Producing Limited, Plot 289, Ajose Adeogun Street, PMB 80027, Victoria Island, Lagos.  

Sponsorship of two (2) M.Sc. Students projects in the Department of Geology through the  
Nigerian Association of Petroleum Explorationists (NAPE) – University Assistance  
Programme (UAP) Grants-in-Aids Awards worth a sum of two hundred thousand naira  
(N200,000.00) only.  

(h)  

(i) Professor Lateef Hussein, Vice-Chancellor, Lagos State University  
Furnishing of Staff Common Room  

(ii) Mr. Olumide Adefeji, Standard Chartered Bank, Ahmadu Bello Way, Lagos  
Renovation of postgraduate lecture room and supply and installation of two  
Panasonic Split air conditioner units in the postgraduate cubicles.  

(iii) Mr. Cyril Okolo, North-West Energy (Nigeria) Limited, Lagos  
Renovation of 300 level classroom.  

(iv) Dr. Olatunde Oni, Department of Physics, Ladoke Akintola University of  
Technology, Ogbomoso.  

Supply and Installation of combined LAN and wireless internet facility.  
Donations (i-iv) were made to the Department of Physics.  

4. COURTESY CALLS  

(a) The Director/Chief Executive Officer of Centre for Black and African Arts and Civilization,  
Professor Tunde Babawale paid a courtesy call on the Vice-Chancellor, Professor Olufemi A. Bamiro, FNSE, FAS on Wednesday, 24 February, 2009 in his office. He was  
accompanied on the visit by the Deputy Director, Information Management, Mrs. Funmi Ladele; Deputy Director, Documentation Services, Lady Gloria Chuma-Ibe;  
Assistant Director, Research and Publication, Mrs. Ndidi Amineiwau; Personal Assistants  
to the Director, Messrs Ibrahim Muheeb and Segun Dosunmu. The Deputy Vice-Chancellor  
(Administration), Professor E.A. Bamgbaye received the visitors on behalf of  
the Vice-Chancellor. Present at the occasion were the Deputy Vice-Chancellor  
(Academic), Professor A.A.B. Agbaje; Director, Institute of African Studies, Professor  
O.O. Layiwola and the Assistant Registrar, office of the Deputy Vice-Chancellor  
(Administration), Mr. A.E. Odedele.  

(b) A team from National African Language Resource Centre and American Councils for  
International Education, Washington DC, United States of America paid a courtesy call on  
the Vice-Chancellor, Professor Olufemi A. Bamiro, FNSE, FAS on Tuesday, 10 March,  
2009 in his office. The team, led by the President, Dr. Dan E. Davidson included the Vice-  
President, Dr. David Pathon and Professor Antonia Folarin Schleicher. Present at the  
occasion were the Deputy Vice-Chancellor (Administration), Professor E.A Bamgbaye;  
Deputy Vice-Chancellor (Academic), Professor A.A.B. Agbaje; Registrar, Mrs. Omotayo O.  
Ikwun; Bursar, Alhaji J.A. Bankole; Librarian; Dr. B.A. Oladele; Director of Works, Engr.  
J.K. Ajibola; Director, Advancement Centre, Mr. Adebowale Adegben; Principal Assistant  
Registrar (Vice-Chancellor’s Office), Mrs. Margaret I. Aziba and the Assistant Registrar,  
office of the Deputy Vice-Chancellor (Academic), Mr. O.O. Afolabi.  

(c) A representative of the Honourable Minister of Education, an Assistant Director, Federal
Ministry of Education, Dr. (Mrs.) Flora Aderogba paid a courtesy call on the Vice-Chancellor, Professor Olufemi A. Bamiro, FNSE, FAS on Wednesday, 11 March, 2009 in his office. The Deputy Vice-Chancellor (Administration), Professor E.A. Bamgboye received the visitor on behalf of the Vice-Chancellor. Present at the occasion were some members of the University of Ibadan Anti-Cultism Campaign Committee viz: Acting Chairman, Professor Mobolaji Ogunsanya; Dr. M. Oloyede Abdurahman; Rev’d Dr. A.O. Tella; Mr. Abdulsalam Eyitayo Balogun; Mr. Adio Isiaka and Mrs. A.O. Akinpelu.

5. HONOURS AND DISTINCTIONS

(a) Mrs. Oluyemisi Bamgbose of the Faculty of Law was invited as Guest Speaker at the celebration of 100 years of Women in Law, at Saint Louis University, Saint Louis, Missouri, U.S.A. on 24 November, 2008. The topic of her paper was “Privatization of the Prison System: A Panacea for Nigeria?”

(b) Miss Emelda Obianuju Orakwe has won the year 2008 Ebi Omatsola- Nigerian Association of Petroleum Explorationists (NAPE) University Assistance Programme (UAP) Grants-in-Aids Award endowed by Dr. Ebi Omatsola, FNMGS, FNAPE, Alumnus 1963, to support her M.Sc. Project titled, “Subsurface Mapping Using Integrated Data Sources (Seismic, Well Logs, Production), Hi-Fi Reservoir, X-Field Deepwater Nigeria”. The award is worth one hundred thousand naira (N100,000.00) only.

(c) Miss Alaba Enestina Asije, has won the year 2008 Ebi Omatsola – Nigerian Association of Petroleum Explorationists (NAPE) University Assistance Programme (UAP) Grants-in-Aids Award endowed by Dr. Ebi Omatsola, FNMGS, FNAPE, Alumnus 1963, to support her M.Sc. Project titled, “Depositional, Sedimentological and Source Rock Potential of Sokoto Basin”. The award is worth one hundred thousand naira (N100,000.00) only.

(d) The International School, University of Ibadan has been recommended for full accreditation to present candidates for the National Examinations Council (NECO) Junior Secondary Certificate Examination (JSCE) and Senior Secondary Certificate Examination (SSCE).

6. 2008/2009 INAUGURAL LECTURE

The next in the series of Inaugural Lectures for the 2008/2009 session holds on Thursday, 19 March, 2009 at 5.00 p.m. in the Faculty of Education Lecture Theatre. The Lecture titled, “Drug Formulation: Between Art, Science and Technology” will be delivered by Professor O.A. Itiola of the Department of Pharmaceutics and Industrial Pharmacy on behalf of the Faculty of Pharmacy. The Vice-Chancellor, Professor Olufemi A. Bamiro, FNSE, FAS will preside. All are cordially invited.

7. AFRICA REGIONAL CENTRE FOR INFORMATION SCIENCE (ARCIS): 1ST DISTINGUISHED GUEST LECTURE

The 1st Distinguished Guest Lecture organized by the Africa Regional Centre for Information Science (ARCIS) comes up on Wednesday, 18 March, 2009 in Trenchard Hall at 4.30p.m. The Lecture titled, “Indigenising Language Technology for National Development” will be delivered by
Dr. (Engr.) Tunde Adegbola, the Executive Director of the African Languages Technology Initiative, a research Centre with the mandate of making modern ICTS relevant to African Languages.

8. STUDENT FINANCIAL AID SCHEME FORM

This is to inform students and members of the University Community that application forms for the Student Financial Aid Scheme are now available for the students of the University of Ibadan. All Indigent students who have spent a minimum of one year in the University are eligible to apply. Interested students are therefore requested to obtain the application forms from the Secretary, Student Financial Aid Scheme, Students Affairs Division with their Identity Cards as from Thursday, 26 February, 2009. The forms when completed should be returned to the Secretary, latest two (2) weeks after collection.

9. STAFF SEMINAR

A staff seminar organized by the Department of Sociology comes up on Thursday, 26 March, 2009 at 10.00 a.m. in Room 154 FSS, Department of Sociology, Faculty of the Social Sciences. The theme of the Seminar is “Towards an Anthropology of Price”. The Guest Speaker is Professor Jane I. Guyer, Department of Anthropology, John Hopkins University, U.S.A.

10. ICT – RELATED TRAINING FOR STAFF

This is to inform the University Community that Module III of the MacArthur Sponsored ICT training for the staff of the University will commence from Monday, 23 to Friday, 27 March, 2009. This module is strictly for teaching staff and non-teaching staff on CONTISS 09 and above who are involved in research activities. It must be noted that this module is not meant to teach computer skills but research and data analytical skill using the computer. Participants must already be computer literate. Registration of Staff who have been duly nominated will take place from Monday, 16 to Wednesday, 18 March, 2009 at the various venues.

11. COLLECTION OF NATIONAL IDENTITY CARDS

This is to request members of the University Community who registered at Queen’s Hall, Independence Hall, Awo Hall and other Centres within the campus to please call at room 008 Establishments Division, Registry as from 2.00p.m. daily for the collection of their National Identity Cards.

12. OBITUARIES

The Vice-Chancellor announces with regret the death of the following:

(a) Mrs. Kofoworola Olufunke Kolawole, a Senior Research Nursing Officer in the Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecology. The sad event occurred on Wednesday, 11 February, 2009.

(b) Dr. H.G. Adewusi, a Senior Lecturer in the Department of Forest Resources Management. The sad event occurred on Sunday, 15 February, 2009.

May their souls rest in peace. Amen.