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Tinubu Orders Payment of Salaries owed Lecturers over ASUU Strike

he President and Commander-in-Chief of the Armed Forces, Federal Republic of Nigeria, Bola Ahmed Tinubu, GCFR, has approved a partial waiver of the "No Work, No Pay" order on striking members of the Academic Staff Union of Universities (ASUU) and ordered the release of four months of withheld salary.

President Tinubu's spokesperson, Chief Ajuri Ngelale, disclosed this in a statement last Friday, saying that the waiver was granted invoking the Principle of the Presidential Prerogative of Mercy, and in recognition of the faithful implementation of terms that were agreed upon during the fruitful deliberations between ASUU and the Federal Government of N i g e r i a .

Mr. Ngelale stated that the waiver "will allow for the previously striking members of ASUU to receive four months of salary accruals out of the eight months of salary which was withheld during the eight-month industrial action

undertaken by the union."

The ASUU strike, which began on February 14, 2022 and ended on October 17, 2022, was the longest in the union's history.

Mr. President had directed that the Federal Ministry of Education (FME) and the Federal Ministry of Labour and Employment secure a Document of Understanding (DoU)



His Excellency Bola Ahmed Tinubu, GCFR President and Commander-in-Chief of the Armed Forces, Federal Republic of Nigeria

It would be recalled that the strike was called over demands for improved funding for universities, increased salaries for lecturers, and better working conditions by the striking union.

establishing that this exceptional waiver granted by the President would be the last one to be granted to ASUU and all other Education Sector Unions.

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Presidential Prerogative of Mercy, Chief Ngelale said the President sought to "mitigate the difficulties being felt during the implementation of key economic reforms in the country, as well as his recognition of the faithful implementation of terms which were agreed upon during the deliberations between ASUU and the Federal Government of Nigeria."

NUC Interacts with Proposed Leadership University Kuje

he Acting Executive Secretary, National Universities Commission (NUC), Mr. Chris J. Maiyaki, last Tuesday received a delegation and promoters of the proposed Maiyaki, stressed that the Commission would continue to ensure that quality was maintained in the establishment of Universities in the country, stating that all private individuals intending to

towards increasing access to university education.

The Acting Executive Secretary informed his guests that the NUC remained the foremost regulatory body for all



The Acting Executive Secretary, National Universities Commission (NUC), Mr. Chris J. Maiyaki with the proprietor of the proposed University, Dr. Yahaya Musa Mohammed

Leadership University, Kuje, Federal Capital Territory (FCT), who paid a courtesy visit to the Commission for an interactive session with the Management of the Commission in fulfillment of one of the eight major requirements leading to the approval and recognition of the proposed University.

Receiving the delegation, Mr.

establish a private University must meet all the statutory requirements laid down by the Commission.

Mr. Chris added that the NUC would always partner as well as encourage well-meaning Nigerians to invest in the provision of University education to do so, bearing in mind the impact it would create

universities in Nigeria and was saddled with the responsibility to ensure the orderly development of universities in the country, lay down minimum academic standards, grant approval for the take-off of new academic programmes as well as accredit all degree programmes and ensure quality was guaranteed in the system.



The meeting of the Acting Executive Secretary and his management with the Proposed Leadership University team in session

He assured the Proprietor of the proposed University of the Commission's support untill their dream comes to fruition.

In his remarks, the proprietor of the proposed University, Dr. Yahaya Musa Mohammed, thanked the NUC for the warm reception accorded to him and the willingness to support his mission keenly demonstrated by the Executive Secretary.

He alluded that the commitment gave credence to its effective supervision of the university system.

He further noted that the vision for the proposed Leadership University was conceived as a result of the successes recorded with the ILA College of Health Technology, Kuje, the first indigenous and private health training institution in the FCT.

He informed the Acting Executive Secretary that though the proposed institution was a faith-based University, it would be a conventional University opened to all Nigerians, irrespective of their religion.

He added that staff of ILA College of Health Technology were drawn from all religion and tribe, one of the reasons the institution had recorded huge



L-R: Deputy Executive Secretary (Academics), Dr. Noel Biodun Saliu; Directors of Establishment of Private Universities, Mrs. Constance Goddy-Nnadi; Executive Secretary's Office, Mr. John Mairafi Ahmadu and Ag. Director of Inspection and Monitoring (DIM), Mrs. Lydia T.Imorua.

successes within the few years of its existence.

He assured the NUC that all was set for the Commission's first onsite visit as enough investments had been made in terms of infrastructural development.

The high point of the event was the presentation of all official documents including duly completed application forms, Academic Brief Volume1and11, Draft Master Plan, Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Report, Subject Investigations Report and Draft University Law to the Acting Executive Secretary of the NUC.

In the proposed University's Planning and Implementation Committee (PIC) included the Chairman, Professor A. M. Erut; while other members were, Mr. Kombu Umar, Mr. Yusuf Mohammed Auwal, Mr. Ango Abdulahi Suleiman and Mr. Yakubu Muhammed Kiama.

At the event were the NUC Deputy Executive Secretary (DES) Academics, Dr. Noel Biodun Saliu; NUC Directors of Establishment of Private Universities (DEPU), Mrs. Constance Goddy-Nnadi; Executive Secretary's Office (DESO), Mr. John Mairafi Ahmadu; Open, Distance and e-Learning (DODel), Engr. Kayode Odedina, PhD; Ag Director of Inspection and Monitoring (DIM), Mrs. Lydia T.Imorua.



Mr. Maiyaki and Dr. Mohammed (8th and 9th right) in a group photograph with some members of NUC Management and the Proposed Leadership University team

El-Amin University Minna Delegation Pays Courtesy Visit on Ag. ES

he Acting Executive Secretary of the National Universities Commission (NUC) Mr.Chris J. Mayaki, last Wednesday received in audience a three-man delegation from the ElAmin University Minna, one of the recently licenced Private universities in the country, on a courtesy visit in his office.

Receiving the team, the Acting

Executive Secretary congratulated the University for passing through the rigours of the Commission's 14-step process for establishing a private university.



The Acting Executive Secretary, NUC, Mr. Chris J. Maiyaki with the leader of the El-Amin delegation, Alh. Mohammed Babangida

He said there was an attempt also in the recent past by the proprietor to establish Heritage University, which did not see the light of the day, due to facts and factors beyond anyone's control.

He, however, stated that what was lost in heritage have been gained in El-Amin.

He told the meeting of the efforts of well-meaning Nigerians such as the likes of Afe Babalola towards improving the nation's university education landscape.

Mr. Maiyaki argued that there was no way the history of private universities would be mentioned without mentioning Afe Babalola, who had done well and his best to establish a university with renowned reputation in his name.

He reiterated the NUC's commitment to quality assurance and expansion of access to university education as Nigeria currently needed more universities with the current admission seekers yearly put at 2million and only about a little above quarter of the number securing enrolment.

The NUC scribe recounted that the USA has about 5000 universities while Brazil with comparable population as Nigeria boasted of 1000 universities, stressing that Nigeria was undersubscribed when viewed alongside its growth rate.

He however, noted that with the investment efforts of wellmeaning Nigerians like the proprietors of El-Amin, the issue of access to education would be a



The meeting of the Acting Executive Secretary and his management with the El-Amin delegation in session

thing of the past.

He said NUC would not shy away from performing its mandate in ensuring quality in the NUS.

Responding to the felicitation from the Former President, Ibrahim Badamasi Babangida (IBB), the Acting Executive Secretary extended greetings, respect, bestwishes and good health to him.

He acknowledged that the former President was someone who was not afraid to employ intellectuals during his days with the likes of Professors Wole Soyinka, Jibril Aminu and Tai Solarin, with others too numerous to mention, being part of his government.

He said the management of NUC would be looking into the report of the Resource Verification exercise and give a verdict so that the University could, if positive, commence admission into the 2023/2024 academic session.

Earlier, in his speech on behalf of the University delegation, Mohammed Babangida, son of former President Ibrahim Babangida thanked the Acting Executive Secretary for the opportunity to meet with him and his Management even at short notice with the busy schedule of the NUC.

He was elated at the capacity of the NUC management to embrace stakeholders in the System, stating that he brought the warmest regards and best wishes of the former President to the Acting Executive Secretary and prayed that he succeed in administering the Nigerian University System (NUS).

Mr. Babangida said they were on ground to inform the Commission of their concerted preparedness to commence admission for 2023/2024 academic session, if granted

permission, after going through the resource verification exercise.

He further appreciated the support and commitment of the Commission in ensuring that the newly established and licenced universities succeed.

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Mr. Maiyaki and Alh. Mohammed Babangida (7th and 8th right) in a group photograph with some members of NUC Management and the El-Amin delegation

NUC Trains Staff on Four Key DODEL Guidelines

he National Universities Commission (NUC), last week, organized an inhouse training session on the four guidelines of the Directorate of Open, Distance and e-learning (DODEL) for the staff.

the Country, noting that the Covid-19 pandemic brought a lot of changes in the education sector, which NUC had to adapt to changing trends that led to Transnational Education (TNE).

benefits that could be gained for improved service delivery in the Commission.

He emphasized that NUC staff should be knowledgeable on the new trends in the education sector.



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In his address, the Acting Executive Secretary, Mr. Chris J. Mayaki expressed his delight that the sensitization seminar on the four DODEL key guidelines was meant to keep the staff\ of the Commission abreast of the new trends in the Transnational Education (TNE) approach.

He added that "the reason why NUC management decided to organize this sensitization seminar was to keep NUC staff abreast with the four DoDel guidelines, so that NUC staff can be good ambassadors where ever they find themselves."

Mr. Mayaki said the world considered NUC to provide direction in tertiary Education in

He said a team of nine professionals was assembled to formulate the guidelines, stressing that every staff of NUC should be aware of the changing trends, not only on the four DODEL guidelines but also on the new CCMAS.

He said it was with a deep sense of pride to welcome staff of the Commission to the one day sensitization seminar on four key Doel guidelines and urged staff to apply themselves with the guidelines.

In his welcome remarks, the Deputy Executive Secretary (Academics), Dr. Noel Saliu said, though the seminar was an in house event, there were a lot of

As stakeholders, he stressed that it was imperative to sensitize NUC staff to be worthy ambassadors of the Commission.

In her presentation on the Guidelines for the establishment of Private Open Universities in Nigeria, the Deputy Director, ODL, Hajia Hadiza Ramalan, said that "Private Open University is a normal university but the only difference is the mode of delivery". She said Private Open University resembles a conventional university but one striking difference has to do with access. The latter has unlimited barrier to admission requirements.

She said the guidelines has four headings: the Criteria for the



Mr. Chris J. Maiyaki Acting Executive Secretary, NUC

establishment of an institution of higher education in Nigeria; Guidelines for establishing private open universities in Nigeria; Conditions for the establishment of open universities in Nigeria and Steps in the processing of applications for the establishment of private open universities.



Engr. Kayode Odedina, PhD Director, Open, Distance and e-Learning

She said all promoters wishing to establish Universities or degree awarding institutions must comply with the Federal Government approved guidelines and conditions under the NUC Act Cap. E3 Laws Laws of the Federation of Nigeria 2004.

She said Federal Government: States, duly registered companies in Nigeria, individuals or group of individuals who were citizens of

Nigeria and who satisfied the guidelines and conditions of establishing universities or degree awarding institutions could seek to establish a higher education institution.

She added that applications to establish a private open university shall be made to the Minister of Education through the NUC.

In his presentation, on the Implementation of National Policy on Open Educational Resource, the Deputy Director, Open Educational Resource (OER), Mr. Tukur Ladan took the meeting through memory lane on the background of the National Policy of the OER.

He said that the Federal Ministry of Education, through the Commission, established the National Steering Committee on OER in 2017, to draft a National OER Policy and to design and create an OER repository for the Tertiary Education System.

Mr. Ladan said, NUC championed the development of OER Policy for Higher Education in Nigeria and the Policy was presented to the global community at the second world OER congress in Ljubljana, Slovenia in September, 2017. kit was approved for implementation during the Ministerial Session of the 63rd NCE in August, 2018 by Federal Government.

Mr. Ladan said guidelines for the implementation of national policy on OER in Nigerian higher education goals of the guidelines included provision of framework

for the operationalization of OER in Nigerian Higher Institutions; to ensure the development and deployment of OER materials in consonance with the national vision and National Policy on Education and associated instruments as well as to ensure



Dr. Noel Biodun Saliu Deputy Executive Secretary (Academics), NUC

that OERs align with the objectives of the Core Curriculum Minimum Academic Standards (CCMAS).

Others, he added, included to provide context and structure for the promotion and advancement of OER in Nigerian Higher Institutions; to promote the philosophy and culture of OER in



Hajia Hadiza Ramalan Deputy Director, Open and Distance Learning

Nigerian Institutions and to motivate research, scholarship and funding of OER in Nigerian Higher Institutions, among others.

In her presentation, the Deputy Director, Transnational Education, Mrs. Funke Sule said Transnational Education (TNE) refered to the movement of people, programmes, providers, knowledge, ideas, projects and services across national boundaries. The term was often used interchangeably with "offshore education" and "borderless education".

Transnational Education involved educational partnerships, developmental cooperation projects, academic exchange programmes and commercial initiatives.

She said Nigeria had been a member of the World Trade Organization (WTO) since 1st January, 1995. "All members of the organization are party/signatories to the 1995 General Agreement on Trade in Services (GATS), which was designed to increase trade liberalization.

The National Universities Commission (NUC) hopes to widen

access and fully exploit the provisions of GATS for the benefit of Nigerians."

Mrs Sule said the benefits of TNE included being a borderless education system, Transnational Education has the potential to increase access to quality education, considering the limited space in the brick and mortar system of education.

The TNE strengthens academic capacity in research for National Development, meaning that the global demand for education, training and research propels the unprecedented worldwide mobility of academics from diverse field of life for the purpose of research for national development.

It also provides internationally recognized education at one's space and time, being a system of education with a variety of models that cut across national and international boundaries. TNE addresses the challenge of space and time.

Dr. Gabriel Ligari, the Deputy Director e-Learning Division, in his presentation on guidelines for e-learning in Nigerian universities, noted that emerging global trends had necessitated the integration of e-learning into the process of teaching and learning.

He further explained that the revolution in Information and Communications Technology (ICT) had opened tremendous opportunities for improving pedagogies in higher education institutions.

Dr Ligari said the aims and objectives of the e-learning guidelines included; mainstreaming modern e-learning modes in the NUS; serve as a framework for the orderly integration of e-learning into university programmes. It ensured adherence to standards and outcomes of creativity and innovation, entrepreneurship and critical thinking, laid out in the Core Curriculum Minimum Academic Standards (CCMAS).



Some NUC staff at the training



TETFUND Begins Second Phase of Employability Prog. for Instns.

he Tertiary Education Trust Fund (TETFund), in collaboration with the **International Finance Corporation** (IFC) have commenced the second phase of employability programme in Nigerian universities.

The TETFund Executive Secretary, Architect Sonny Echono, who spoke at the National Employability Programme (NEP) implementation support workshop said the Fund had deliberately refocused its intervention activities to support learning outcomes and employability of Nigerian tertiary education graduates.

According to Architect Echono, the second phase of the employability programmes focused on the implementation of the recommendations from the bench-marking exercise and capacity building in the five employability dimensions which the IFC Vitae instrument examined.

It would be recalled that IFC assisted the Fund to conduct the employability bench-marking assessment programme for some selected universities, reflecting representative samples across the country between September 2022 and January 2023.

The Report indicated that the objective of undertaking the assessment of practices and processes supporting employability in higher institutions, was to identify sector trends and provide comparative

institutional findings on employability situations on a system level, to provide a starting baseline to guide the development of specific interventions at both institutional and system level.

all our universities for necessary action.

"The Report of the employability benchmarking exercise covers the five dimensions of employability viz: relevance of learning,



Architect Sonny Echono Executive Secretary, TETFund

Architect Echono said, "The IFC has deployed its Vitae Employability Tool through a programmatic sector level approach by engaging the institutions to develop a sector level language and data-driven understanding of employability.

"The stakeholders debriefing session held on 6 February 2023 on the early findings provided the opportunity for IFC to obtain inputs from key stakeholders, and enriched the final Report with far-reaching recommendations submitted to the Fund in April 2023. The Final Report was forwarded to

governance and strategy, employer engagement, career services/guidance, and alumni management.

It highlighted how student employability support at the universities aligns to good practices globally.

"The Report indicates that the aggregate average score of Nigerian benchmark institutions across the five dimensions of employability is 2.3 out of 4.0 which is just above the average of all institutions benchmarked globally (2.2).

"The Report which also covers the assessment of the institutions' Digital Learning Strategy shows that surveyed universities lagged behind global best practices in application of digital learning strategies, access to large multidisciplinary databases and digital course-reserves as well as the level of faculty digital skills.

This obviously requires deliberate action on the part of all stakeholders to address our peculiar challenges."

Speaking further, Architect Echono said Nigeria being a developing economy had been faced with the challenges of high unemployment, particularly youth unemployment which has quadrupled in the country.

According to him, an increasing number of young Nigerian graduates from tertiary education institutions were being released into the labour market with a continuously shrinking absorptive capacity.

The structure of the economy which was largely import dependent, he said, has further limited the ability of the country to generate commensurable jobs due to low level of industrialization, thereby aggravating the unemployment situation in Nigeria.

"Thus, aligning our intervention activities to meet our changing needs, and strengthening our education delivery towards fostering an entrepreneurship

culture are some of the best ways for unleashing the enormous youth potential, addressing unemployment as well as other societal problems, and growing the economy.

The TETFund ES asserted that strengthening entrepreneurship education and training were considered crucial in that regard.

"As an Intervention Agency for tertiary education in Nigeria, TETFund is deliberately refocusing its intervention activities to support learning outcomes and employability of Nigerian tertiary education graduates.

"I am pleased to report that the Strategic and Operational Plan for refocusing TETFund entrepreneurship intervention for employability and innovation was approved by the Federal Ministry of Education in March 2023. Consequently, the requirements and guidelines for accessing entrepreneurship development intervention of the Fund were revised in line with the approved Plan," he said.

Adding, he noted that the Fund is in the process of establishing entrepreneurship and innovation hubs in our beneficiary institutions across the six geopolitical zones of the country, to link them with industry with a view t o enhance entrepreneurship development, innovation and employability in line with contemporary global best practices.

These interventions, The TETFund Boss added, would help promote the transformation of our beneficiary institutions into catalysts for knowledge creation and organizing the translation of knowledge into usable products and services for addressing societal problems.

"All these efforts are geared towards facilitating the link between Research, Development, and Innovation with the processes of promoting and enhancing entrepreneurship development to ensure graduate employability for national development. The aim is to enable Nigerian tertiary institutions serve as catalysts for regional and national economic development by unlocking the knowledge potential to solve critical societal challenges.

"The Implementation Support Workshop for which we are all gathered here today, marks the commencement of the second phase of the employability programmes, focusing on the implementation of the recommendations from the benchmarking exercise and capacity building in the five employability dimensions which the IFC Vitae instrument examined," he said.

The Executive Secretary further said the workshop would focus on establishing a common understanding of the sector based on the IFC global framework with actionable opportunities on the findings and recommendations from the bench-marking exercise, and promoting the adoption of best practices and lessons learned from around the world in improving the processes and operations in tertiary level education institutions in Nigeria, and thus provide improved employability services nationally.

It would also facilitate broader strategic conversations around employability that contextualizes the challenges across student journey from access to employability, with a focus on implementing quality frameworks which emphasizes key performance indicators. employability support services and stronger linkages with industry.

Architect Echono, who said the quality of tertiary education and its contribution to national development remained the focus of TETFund's interventions and issues central to employability and

job-readiness of tertiary institutions graduates were particularly significant, said it was not surprising that the Honourable Minister of Education, Professor Tahir Mamman at his maiden briefing charged the Fund to focus on improving research infrastructure and entrepreneurship development to support employability for sustainable growth.

He added; "For our part, the Fund is committed to the implementation of the recommendations from the employability bench-marking exercise. We strongly believe that the implementation would ultimately improve graduate employment, and thus reduce the high rate of unemployment in

Nigeria.

"In line with the recommendations, the Fund is also organizing a capacity building programme for Career Unit Staff of our universities."

Meanwhile, the stakeholders debriefing session held on 6 February, 2023, on the early findings provided the opportunity for IFC to obtain inputs from key stakeholders, and enriched the final Report with far-reaching recommendations submitted to the Fund in April 2023.

The Final Report itself was forwarded to all the universities for necessary action.



Executive Secretary, TETFund Arch. Echono (5th right front row) in a group photograph with some participants of the second phase of employability programme in Nigerian universities



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The attention of the Association of African Universities (AAU), Accra, Ghana, has been drawn to a purported incorporated Association of African Universities-NA, (AAU- NA), by three individuals who have no authorization from the Association of African Universities to represent its interest in the United States of America.

The Association of African Universities (AAU) wishes to inform the public that the only organization approved to represent her in the United States of America, is the North America Office of the Association of African Universities (NAMO)

All our stakeholders are directed to note that the so-called 'Association of African Universities-NA' (AAU-NA), has been illegally incorporated without due authorization and do not represent the interests of the Association of African Universities. "NAMO" is not equivalent with "AAU-NA".

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Yours in the service of higher education in Africa

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NATIONAL UNIVERSITIES COMMISSION

Approved Open University and Distance Learning Centres in Nigeria

Open Universities in Nigeria

List of approved Open Universities in Nigeria, Five Open Universities currently operating in the NUS are as follows:

- 1. The National Open University of Nigeria (NOUN), which has 72 study/resource centres nationwide
- Miva Open University, Abuja, FCT
- Iconic Open University, Sokoto, Sokoto State
- West Midland Open University, Ibadan, Oyo State
- Al-Muhibbah Open University, Abuja, FCT

List of approved Distance Learning Centres in Nigeria, Twenty Universities in the NUS, currently have the approval of the National Universities Commission to operate distance learning centres as follows:

- Distance Learning Centre, University of Ibadan.
- University of Lagos, Distance Learning Institute.
- University of Abuja, Centre for Distance Learning and Continuing Education.
- 4. University of Maiduguri, Centre for Distance Learning.
- Obafemi Awolowo University, Ile-Ife, Centre for Distance Learning.
- Modibbo Adama University of Technology, Yola, Centre for Distance Learning.
- Ladoke Akintola University of Technology Open and Distance Learning Centre.
- Distance learning Centre, Ahmadu Bello University, Zaria.
- Lagos State University Open and Distance Learning and Research Institute.
- 10. Joseph Ayo Babalola University Centre for Distance Learning.
- 11. University of Nigeria, Nsukka Centre for Distance and e-Learning.
- 12. Federal University of Technology Minna, Centre for Open Distance and e-Learning.
- 13. Babcock University Ilisan-Remo, Centre for Open Distance and e-Learning.
- 14. University of Ilorin, Centre for Open and Distance Learning.
- 15. Afe Babalola University, Ado-Ekiti Open and Distance Learning Centre.
- 16. Olabisi Onabanjo University, Ago-Iwoye, Open and Distance Learning Centre.
- 17. Ignatius Ajuru University of Education, Porthacourt, Institute of Distance Education.
- 18. Usmanu Danfodio University Centre for Open and Distance Education (CODE), Sokoto
- 19. Enugu State University of Science and Technology Open and Distance Learning Centre, Agbani
- 20. University of Benin Centre for Distance Learning, Edo State

Fourteen-Step Process for the Establishment of Private Universities in Nigeria

The National Universities Commission (NUC), wishes to announce to the general public, especially prospective promoters of private universities, the fourteen-step procedure for establishing private universities in Nigeria.

- Application in writing stating the intent for the establishment of the university
- Interview of prospective proprietors
- Collection of application forms
- Submission of application forms and relevant documents
- 5. Intensive review/analysis of documents by experts in relevant NUC departments
- Revision of documents by proprietors, based on report of the Directorate of Establishment of Private Universities (DEPU).

- Interactive meeting of DEPU with the proposed university
- First site assessment visit
- Finalisation of document
- Second (final) site assessment visit
- Security screening of proprietors and Board of Trustees
- Approval by NUC Management
- Approval by NUC Board
- 14. Approval by FEC

Mr. Chris J. Maiyaki

Acting Executive Secretary, NUC Announcer



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LIST OF APPROVED UNIVERSITIES IN NIGERIA

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	University of Ibadan, Ibadan	1948	20	Abubakar Tafawa Balewa University, Bauchi	1988	39	Federal University, Gusau, Zamfara				
	University of Nigeria, Nsukka	1960	21	Joseph Sarwuan Tarka University, Makurdi, Benue State	1988	40	Federal University, Gashua, Yobe				
	Obafemi AwolowoUniversity, Ile-Ife	1962	22	Federal University of Agriculture, Abeokuta	1988	41	Nigeria Maritine University Okerenkoko, Delta State				
	Ahmadu Bello University, Zaria	1962	23	University of Uyo, Uyo	1991	42	Air Force Institute of Technology, Kaduna				
	University of Lagos, Lagos	1962	2.4	Nnamdi Azikiwe University,	1992	43	Nigerian Army University, Biu	Γ			

2	University of Nigeria, Nsukka	1960	21	Joseph Sarwuan Tarka University, Makurdi, Benue State	1988	40	Federal University, Gashua, Yobe	2013
3	Obafemi AwolowoUniversity, Ile-Ife	1962	22	Federal University of Agriculture, Abeokuta	1988	41	Nigeria Maritine University Okerenkoko, Delta State	2018
4	Ahmadu Bello University, Zaria	1962	23	University of Uyo, Uyo	1991	42	Air Force Institute of Technology, Kaduna	2018
5	University of Lagos, Lagos	1962	24	Nnamdi Azikiwe University, Awka	1992	43	Nigerian Army University, Biu	2018
6	University of Benin, Benin City	1970	25	Michael Okpara University of Agriculture, Umudike	1992	44	Federal University of Health Sciences, Otukpo, Benue State	2020
7	Bayero University, Kano	1975	26	National Open University of Nigeria, Lagos	2002	45	Federal University of Agriculture, Zuru, Kebbi State	2020
8	University of Calabar, Calabar	1975	27	Fed. Univ. of Petroleum	2007	46	Federal University of Technology, Babura, Jigawa State	2021
9	University of Ilorin, Ilorin	1975	28		2011	47	Federal University of Technology Ikot Abasi, Akwa Ibom State	2021
10	University of Jos, Jos	1975	29	Kogi State Federal University, Lafia,	2011	48	Federal University of Health Sciences, Azare, Bauchi State	2021
11	University of Maiduguri, Maiduguri	1975	30	Nasarawa State Federal University, Kashere,	2011	49	Federal University of Health Sciences, Ila Orangun, Osun State	2021
12	Usmanu Danfodiyo University, Sokoto	1975	31	Gombe State Federal University, Wukari,	2011	50	King David Umahi University of Medical Sciences, Uburu, Ebonyi State	2022
13	University of Port-Harcourt, Port-Harcourt	1975	32	Taraba State Federal University, Dutsin-Ma.		51	Admiralty University, Ibusa, Delta State	2023
14	Federal University of Technology, Owerri	1980	33	Katsina State Federal University, Dutse,	2011	52	Federal University of Transportation, Daura, Katsina State,	2023
15	Federal University of Technology, Akure	1981	34	Jigawa State Alex Ekwueme University, Ndufu Alike, Ebonyi State	2011			
16	Modibbo Adama University of Technology, Yola	1981	35	Federal University, Oye-Ekiti, Ekiti State	2011			
17	Federal University of Technology, Minna	1982	36		2011			
18	Nigerian Defence Academy, Kaduna	1985	37	The Nigeria Police Academy, Wudil, Kano State	2012			
19	University of Abuja, Abuja	1988	38	Federal University, Birnin- Kebbi, Kebbi	2013			

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1	Rivers State University of Science & Technology, Port Harcourt	1979	19	Adamawa State University, Mubi	2002	37	Maitama Sule University, Kano	2012
2	Ambrose Alli University, Ekpoma	1980	20	Gombe State University, Gombe	2004	38	Technical University, Ibadan	2012
3	Abia State University, Uturu	1981	21	Kaduna State University, Kaduna	2004	39	Sule Lamido University, Kafin Hausa	2013
4	Enugu State University of Science & Tech, Enugu	1982	22	University of Cross River State, Calabar	2004	40	Ondo State University of Medical Sciences	2015
5	Olabisi Onabanjo University, Ago-Iwoye	1982	23	Plateau State University, Bokkos	2005	41	Edo University, Iyamho	2016
6	Ekiti State University, Ado-Ekiti. (formerly University of Ado-Ekiti)	1982	24	Olusegun Agagu University of Science and Technology, Okitipupa, Ondo State.	2008	42	Kingsley Ozumba (K.O) Mbadiwe University, Imo State	2016
7	Lagos State University, Ojo, Lagos	1983	25	Ibrahim Babangida University, Lapai, Niger State	2005	43	University of Africa, Toru-Orua	2016
8	Ladoke Akintola University of Technology, Ogbomoso	1990	26	Tai Solarin University of Education, Ijagun	2005	44	Borno State University	2016
9	Imo State University,	1992	27	Umaru Musa Yar'Adua University, Katsina	2006	45	Moshood Abiola University of Science and Technology, Abeokuta	2017
10	Owerri Benue State University,	1992	28	Yobe State University Damaturu, Yobe State	2006	46	Gombe State University of Science and Technology, Kumo	2017
11	Makurdi Delta State University,	1992	29	Kebbi State University of Science and Technology, Aliero	2006	47	Zamfara State University, Talata-Mafara	2018
12	Abraka Adekunle Ajasin University,	1999	30	Osun State University,	2006	48	Bayelsa Medical University Yenagoa, Bayelsa State	2019
13	Akungba - Akoko Kogi State University,	1999	31	Osogbo Taraba State University,	2008	49	University of Agriculture and Environmental Sciences, Umuagwo, Imo State	2019
14	Anyigba Niger-Delta University,		32	Jalingo Kwara State University,	2009	50	Bamidele Olumulia University of Education Science and Technology, Ikere - Ekiti State	2020
14	Yenagoa Chukwuemeka Odumegwu	2000	_	Ilorin Sokoto State University,		51	Confluence University of Science and Technology Osara, Kogi State	2020
15	Ojukwu University, Uli Aliko Dangote University of	2000	33	Sokoto Akwa Ibom State University,	2009	52	University of Delta, Agbor, Delta State	2021
-	Science & Technology, Wudil	2000	34	Ikot Ikpaden	2010	53	University of Science and Technology, Ozoro, Delta State	2021
1,	Ebonyi State University, Abakaliki	2000	35	Ignatius Ajuru University of Education, Rumuolumeni	2010	54	Dennis Osadebay University, Asaba, Delta State	2021
	Nasarawa State University, Keffi	2002	36	Bauchi State University, Gadau	2011	55	Lagos University of Education, LASUED, Oto/Ijanikin, Lagos State	2022

56	Lagos University of Science and Technology, Ikorodu, Lagos State	2022	60	Emmanuel Alayande University of Education, Oyo, Oyo State	2022		
57	Shehu Shagari University of Education, Sokoto, Sokoto State	2022	61	Sa'adatu Rimi University of Education Kumbotso, Kano, Kano State	2023		
58	Enugu State University of Medical and Applied Sciences, Igbo-Eno, Enugu State	2022	62	Kogi State University, Kabba, Kogi State	2023		
59	University of Ilesa, Osun State	2022	63	Niger State University of Education, Minna, Niger State	2023		

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1	Babcock University, Ilishan- Remo, Ogun State	1999	33	Salem University, Lokoja, Kogi State	2007	66	Dominican University, Ibadan, Oyo State	2016
2	Madonna University, Okija, Anambra State	1999	34	Afe Babalola University Ado-Ekiti - Ekiti State	2007	67	Kola Daisi University, Ibadan, Oyo State	2016
3	Igbinedion University, Okada, Edo State	1999	35	Godfrey Okoye University, Ugwuomu-Nike, Enugu State	2007	68	Legacy University, Okija, Anambra State	2016
4	Bowen University, Iwo, Osun State	2001	36	Nigerian-Turkish Nile University, FCT Abuja	2009	69	Spiritan University, Nneochi, Abia State	2017
5	Benson Idahosa University, Benin City, Edo State	2002	37	Oduduwa University, Ipetumodu - Osun State	2009	70	Precious Cornerstone, Ibadan, Oyo State	2017
6	Covenant University, Otta, Ogun State	2002	38	Paul University, Awka, Anambra State	2009	71	PAMO University of Medical Sciences, Port-Harcourt, Rivers State	2017
7	Pan-Atlantic University, Lekki- Express Way, Lagos State	2002	39	Rhema University, Obeama- Asa, Rivers State	2009	72	Atiba University, Oyo, Oyo State	2017
8	American University of Nigeria, Yola, Adamawa State	2003	40	Wellspring University, Evbuobanosa, Edo State	2009	73	Eko University of Medical Sciences, Ijanikin, Lagos	2017
9	Ajayi Crowther University, Ibadan, Oyo State	2005	41	Adeleke University, Ede, Osun State	2011	74	Skyline University, Nigeria, Kano, Kano State	2018
10	Al-Hikmah University, Ilorin, Kwara State	2005	42	Baze University, FCT Abuja	2011	75	Greenfield University, Kasarami- Kaduna, Kaduna State	2019
11	Al-Qalam University, Katsina, Katsina State	2005	43	Landmark University Omu- Aran, Kwara State	2011	76	Dominion University, Ibadan, Oyo State	2019
12	Bells University of Technology, Otta, Ogun State	2005	44	Glorious Vision University (formerly Samuel Adegboyega University), Ogwa, Edo State	2011	77	Trinity University, Laloko, Ogun State	2019
13	Bingham University, New-Karu, Nasarawa State	2005	45	Mcpherson University, Seriki Sotayo, Ajebo, Ogun State	2012	78	Westland University, Iwo, Osun State	2019
14	Caritas University, Enugu, Enugu State	2005	46	Elizade University, Ilara-Mokin, Ondo State	2012	79	Topfaith University, Mkpatak Akwa-Ibom State	, 2021
15	Crawford University, Igbesa, Ogun State Crescent University, Abeokuta,	2005	47	Southwestern University Oku Owa, Ogun State	2012	80	Thomas Adewumi University, Oko-Irese, Kwara State	2021
16	Ogun State Lead City University, Ibadan,	2005	48	Evangel University, Akaeze, Ebonyi State	2012	81	Maranatha University, Lekki, Lagos State	2021
17	Oyo State	2005	49	Gregory University, Uturu, Abia State	2012	82	Ave-Maria University, Piyanko, Nasarawa State	2021
18	Kwararafa University, Wukari, Taraba State	2005	50	Augustine University, Ilara, Lagos State	2015	83	AL-Istiqama University, Sumaila, Kano State	2021
19	Redeemer's University, Mowe, Ogun State	2005	51	Chrisland University, Owode, Ogun State	2015	84	Mudiame University, Irrua, Edo State	2021
20	Renaissance University, Enugu Enugu State	2005	52	Christopher University, Mowe, Ogun State	2015	85	Havilla University, Nde-Ikom,	2021
21	University of Mkar, Mkar, Benue State	2005	53	Hallmark University, Ijebu- Itele, Ogun State	2015	86	Cross River State Claretian University of Nigeria,	2021
22	Novena University, Ogume, Delta State	2005	54	Kings University Ode-Omu, Osun State	2015	87	Nekede, Imo State Karl-Kumm University, Vom,	2021
23	Joseph Ayo Babalola University, Ikeji-Arakeji, Osun State	2006	55	Michael & Cecilia Ibru University, Owhode, Delta State	2015	88	Plateau State Nok University, Kachia,	2021
24	Veritas University, Abuja, FCT	2006	56	Mountain Top University, Makogi/Oba, Ogun State	2015	-	Kaduna State James Hope University,	
25	Achievers University, Owo, Ondo State	2007	57	Ritman University, Ikot Ekpene, AkwaIbom State Summit University, Offa,	2015	89	Lekki, Lagos State Maryam Abacha American University	2021
26	African University of Science & Technology, Abuja, FCT	2007	58 59	Kwara State Edwin Clerk University,	2015	90	of Nigeria, Kano, Kano State Capital City University, Kano,	2021
27	Caleb University, Imota, Lagos State	2007		Kiagbodo, Delta State Hezekiah University, Umudi,	2015	91	Kano State	2021
28	Fountain University, Oshogbo, Osun State	2007	60	Imo State Anchor University Ayobo,	2015	92	Ahman Pategi University, Patigi, Kwara State	2021
29	Obong University Obong Ntak, Akwa Ibom State	2007	62	Arthur Jarvis University Akpabuyo,	2016	93	University of Offa, Offa, Kwara State	2021
30	Tansian University, Umunya, Anambra State	2007	63	Cross River State Clifford University, Owerrinta, Abia State	2016	94	Mewar University, Masaka, Nasarawa State	2021
31	Wesley University of Science & Technology, Ondo State	2007	64	Coal City University Enugu,	2016	95	Edusoko University, Bida, Niger State	2021
32	Western Delta University, Oghara,Delta State	2007	65	Enugu State Crown-Hill University Eiyenkorin, Kwara State	2016	96	Philomath University, Kuje, Abuja	2021
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97	Khadija University, Majia, Jigawa State	2021	134	Shanahan University, Onitsha, Anambra State	2023			
98	ANAN University, Kwall, Plateau State	2021	135	The Duke Medical University Calabar, Cross River State	2023			
99	Pen Resource University, Gombe, Gombe State	2022	136	Mercy Medical University, Iwara, Iwo, Osun State	2023	П		
100	Al-Ansar University, Maiduguri, Borno State	2022	137	Cosmopolitan University, Abuja, FCT	2023			
101	Margaret Lawrence University, Galilee, Delta State	2022	138	Iconic Open University, Sokoto, Sokoto State	2023			
102	Khalifa Isiyaku Rabiu University, Gadon \Kaya City Gate Kano, Kano State	2022	139	West Midland Open University, Ibadan, Oyo State	2023			
103	Sports University, Idumuje, Ugboko, Delta State	2022	140	Amaj University, Abuja, FCT	2023			
104	Baba-Ahmed University, Kano, Kano State, Kano, Kano State	2022	141	Prime University, Abuja, FCT	2023			
105	Saisa University Of Medical Sciences And Technology, Sokoto, Sokoto State	2022	142	El-Amin University, Niger State	2023			
106	Nigerian British University, Asa, Abia State	2022	143	College of Petroleum and Energy Studies, Kaduna, Kaduna State	2023			
107	Peter University, Achina-Onneh, Anambra State	2022	144	Jewel University, Gombe, Gombe State	2023			
108	Newgate University, Minna, Niger State	2022	145	Nigerian University of Technology and Management, Apapa, Lagos State	2023			
109	European University of Nigeria, Duboyi, Abuja, FCT	2022	- 10	Al-Muhibbah Open University, Abuja, FCT	2023			
110	Northwest University, Sokoto, Sokoto State	2022		Al-Bayan University, Ankpa, Kogi State	2023			
111	Rayhaan University, Birnin Kebbi, Kebbi State	2023				Н		
112	Muhammad Kamalud-Deen University, Ilorin, Kwara State	2023				Н		-
113	Sam Maris University, Supare, Ondo State	2023						
114	Aletheia University, Ago-Iwoye, Ogun State	2023						
115	Lux Mundi University, Umuahia, Abia State	2023						
116	Maduka University, Ekwegbe - Nsukka, Enugu State	2023				Н		
117	Peaceland University, Enugu, Enugu State	2023				Н		-
118	Amadeus University, Amizi, Abia State	2023						
119	Vision University, Ikogbo, Ogun State	2023				Н		
120	Azman University, Kano, Kano State	2023				Н		
121	Huda University, Gusau, Zamfara State	2023						
122	Franco British International University, Kaduna, Kaduna State	2023						
123	Canadian University of Nigeria, Abuja, FCT	2023						
124	Miva Open University, Abuja, FCT	2023						
125	Gerar University of Medical Sciences, Imope-Ijebu, Ogun State	2023						
126	British Canadian University, Obudu, Cross River State	2023						
127	Hensard University, Toru-Orua, Bayelsa State	2023						
128	Phoenix University, Agwada, Nasarawa State	2023						
129	Wigwe University Isiokpo, Rivers State	2023						
130	Hillside University of Science and Technology, Okemesi Ekiti, Ekiti State	2023						
131	University on the Niger, Umunya, Anambra State	2023						
132	Elrazi University of Medical Sciences, Kano, Kano State	2023						<u> </u>
133	Venite UniversityIloro - Ekiti, Ekiti State	2023						
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List of Illegal Universities Closed Down by NUC

he National Universities Commission (NUC) wishes to announce to the general public, especially parents and prospective undergraduates, that the under-listed "Degree Mills" have not been licensed by the Federal Government and have, therefore, been closed down for violating the Education (National Minimum Standards etc.) Act CAP E3 Law of the Federation of Nigeria 2004. The "Universities" are:

- 1) University of Accountancy and Management Studies, operating anywhere in Nigeria.
- Christians of Charity American University of Science & 2) Technology, Nkpor, Anambra State or any of its other campuses
- University of Industry, Yaba, Lagos or any of its other campuses 3)
- University of Applied Sciences & Management, Port Novo, 4) Republic of Benin or any of its other campuses in Nigeria
- Blacksmith University, Awka or any of its other campuses 5)
- 6) Volta University College, Ho, Volta Region, Ghana or any of its other campuses in Nigeria
- Royal University Izhia, P.O. Box 800, Abakaliki, Ebonyi State or 7) any of its other campuses
- 8) Atlanta University, Anyigba, Kogi State or any of its other campuses
- 9) United Christian University, Macotis Campus, Imo State or any of its other campuses.
- 10) United Nigeria University College, Okija, Anambra State or any of its other campuses.
- 11) Samuel Ahmadu University, Makurdi, Benue State or any of its other campuses.
- 12) UNESCO University, Ndoni, Rivers State or any of its other campuses
- 13) Saint Augustine's University of Technology, Jos, Plateau State or any of its other campuses
- 14) The International University, Missouri, USA, Kano and Lagos Study Centres, or any of its campuses in Nigeria
- 15) Collumbus University, UK operating anywhere in Nigeria
- Tiu International University, UK operating anywhere in Nigeria 16)
- 17) Pebbles University, UK operating anywhere in Nigeria'
- London External Studies UK operating anywhere in Nigeria. 18)
- 19) Pilgrims University operating anywhere in Nigeria.
- 20) Lobi Business School Makurdi, Benue State or any of its campuses in Nigeria.
- 21) West African Christian University operating anywhere in Nigeria.
- 22) Bolta University College Aba or any of its campuses in Nigeria.
- 23) JBC Seminary Inc. (Wukari Jubilee University) Kaduna Illegal
- 24) Westlan University, Esie, Kwara State or any of its campuses in Nigeria.
- St. Andrews University College, Abuja or any of its campuses in 25) Nigeria.
- 26) EC-Council University, USA, Ikeja Lagos Study Centre.
- Atlas University, Ikot Udoso Uko, Uyo Akwa Ibom State or any 27) of its campuses in Nigeria
- 28) Concept College/Universities (London) Ilorin or any of its campuses in Nigeria
- 29) Halifax Gateway University, Ikeja or any of its campuses in Nigeria
- 30) Kingdom of Christ University, Abuja or any of its campuses in Nigeria
- Acada University, Akinlalu, Oyo State or any of its campuses in 31) Nigeria.
- 32) Fifom University, Mbaise, Imo State or any of its campuses in
- 33) Houdegbe North American University campuses in Nigeria.
- 34) Atlantic Intercontinental University, Okija, Anambra State
- 35) Open International University, Akure
- Middle Belt University (North Central University), Otukpo 36)
- 37) Leadway University, Ughelli, Delta State

- Metro University, Dutse/Bwari, Abuja 38)
- Southend University, Ngwuro Egeru (Afam) Ndoki, Rivers State 39)
 - Olympic University, Nsukka, Enugu State
- Federal College of Complementary and Alternative Medicine, 41)
- 42) Temple University, Abuja
- Irish University Business School London, operating anywhere in 43) Nigeria.
- 44) National University of Technology, Lafia, Nasarawa State.
- University of Accountancy and Management Studies, Mowe, 45) Lagos - Ibadan Expressway and its Annex at 41, Ikorodu Road, Lagos.
- University of Education, Winneba Ghana, operating anywhere in 46)
- 47) Cape Coast University, Ghana, operating anywhere in Nigeria.
- 48) African University Cooperative Development (AUCD), Cotonou, Benin Republic, operating anywhere in Nigeria.
- 49) Pacific Western University, Denver, Colorado, Owerri Study Centre.
- 50) Evangel University of America & Chudick Management Academic, Lagos
- 51) Enugu State University of Science and Technology (Gboko Campus)
- 52) Career Light Resources Centre, Jos
- 53) University of West Africa, Kwali-Abuja, FCT
- 54) Coastal University, Iba-Oku, Akwa-Ibom State
- Kaduna Business School, Kaduna 55)
- 56) Royal University of Theology, Minna, Niger State
- 57) West African Union University, in Collaboration with International Professional College of Administration, Science and Technology Nigeria, operating anywhere in Nigeria.
- 58) Gospel Missionary Foundation (GMF), Theological University. 165 Iselo road, Cele bus stop, Egbe-Ikotun, Lagos.

In addition to the closure, the following Degree Mills are currently undergoing further investigations and/or ongoing court actions. The purpose of these actions is to prosecute the proprietors and recover illegal fees and charges on subscribers.

- National University of Nigeria, Keffi, Nasarawa State
- 2) North Central University, Otukpo, Benue State
- 3) Christ Alive Christian Seminary and University, Enugu
- 4) Richmond Open University, Arochukwu, Abia State.
- West Coast University, Umuahia. 5)
- Saint Clements University, Iyin Ekiti, Ekiti State 6)
- Volta University College, Aba, Abia State. 7)
- 8) Illegal Satellite Campuses of Ambrose Alli University.
- L.I.F.E Leadership University, Benin City, Edo State.

For the avoidance of doubt, anybody who patronises or obtains any certificate from any of these illegal institutions does so at his or her own risk. Certificates obtained from these sources will not be recognised for the purposes of NYSC, employment, and further studies.

The relevant Law enforcement agencies have also been informed for their further necessary action.

* This list of illegal institutions is not exhaustive.

Mr. Chris J. Maiyaki ACTING EXECUTIVE SECRETARY NATIONAL UNIVERSITIES COMMISSION ANNOUNCER



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