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FG Committed to Making Education Accessible to All Nigerians - Tinubu

resident Bola Ahmed Tinubu, GCFR, has said that his administration would continue to commit resources to education to ensure that higher, quality and inclusive education was accessible to all Nigerians, irrespective of their status. He made this known while delivering his address at the Federal University of Lafia's combined 6th, 7th and 8th convocation ceremonies, held last week Saturday, at the University.

The President, who was represented by the Acting Executive Secretary of the National Universities Commission (NUC), Mr. Chris J. Maiyaki, stated that the Government was aware of the infrastructural deficits in the education sector, particularly in universities, saying that efforts were being made to surmount these challenges.

To this end, he said the Federal Government would ensure the full implementation of budgetary allocations to education in the 2024



fiscal budget.

The President declared that on the part of the universities and other tertiary institutions of

tripartite mandate of research, teaching and community service; championing demand-driven research, providing solutions to development challenges and



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

learning, there was an urgent need to imbibe strategies to respond to the ever-changing demands of modern-day world.

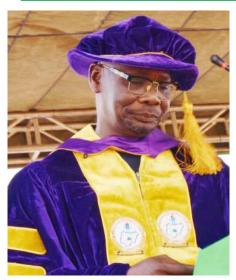
As citadels of learning and drivers of national development, he said universities should diligently implement their

inventing products that would serve the society in making human lives better and enriched.

The Visitor explained that Federal Government was aware that for universities to achieve their mandates, huge investment was needed, advising the universities



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Engineer Abdullahi A. Sule The Executive Governor, Nasarawa State

to evolve creative means of supplementing what they received as allocations and grants from the government. He added that beyond funding, the quality of education must meet the global standards, noting that it was important for the Nigerian University System (NUS) to adopt an all-embracing curriculum that was rich, globally compliant, and locally relevant and in tandem with 21st century demands, especially in the application of ICT, stressing that only then the System could produce sound graduates that would be marketable, globally competitive and relevant to effect meaningful change.

President Tinubu assured the Convocation that the Federal Government would give support, within the available resources, to every planned and sincere effort that was geared towards selfreliance and job-creation, saying that this was the hallmark of a buoyant economy. He said that an economy in which most of its young persons were self-employed was a prosperous economy. He said, however that, all hands must be on deck to re-orientate Nigerian youths towards developing an entrepreneurial mindset, as this was vital to poverty reduction and wealth creation, saying that it was for t h i s r e a s o n t h a t Entrepreneurship studies was gradually taking centre-stage in the CCMAS curriculum, recently released by the NUC.

The Visitor charged the Federal University of Lafia as well as other Universities and indeed all higher institutions of learning in the country to actively promote the teaching and learning of entrepreneurial skills, thereby exposing the youths to the basics and rudiments of starting and sustaining their own businesses. To achieve these, he said there was a dire need for universities to build closer and better relationships with the industrial sector as this would help to bridge the gap between theory and practice, with a view to addressing some of the most important and urgent needs of the nation.

He felicitated with all graduating students, parents, guardians, well-wishers, and dignitaries on the Convocation Ceremony, wishing the graduands that the degree being conferred on them become their life-saving tool for the benefit of humanity and Nigeria.

He also felicitated with the Chancellor, His Royal Highness, the Emir of Mubi, Alhaji Dr. Abubakar Ahmadu for his appointment as the Chancellor of the University and wished him good health and a successful tenure.

The President commended the Vice-Chancellor, Professor Shehu Abdul Rahman, all the Principal Officers, Management Staff, Members of Senate, Teaching and Non-teaching Staff for nurturing an academic culture that had produced the crop of eligible graduates that were celebrated at the ceremony.



Mr. Chris J. Maiyaki The Acting Executive Secretary, NUC

In his address, the Chancellor of the university commended the graduands for their hard work which translated to being awarded with different certificates.

He congratulated the new graduates of the University who were awarded certificates for the completion of a journey they started some years ago. He stated that the event marked the beginning of another journey into the reality of their lives. He advised the graduands who had earned various degrees; First Degrees, Post Graduate Diplomas, Master's degrees and Doctor of Philosophy Degrees to be good ambassadors of the institution.

The Chancellor noted that no success could be recorded in any higher institutions without the support of the management and staff. He congratulated them for their hard work which, according to him, had diligently produced the graduands, equipped them with the modern knowledge and skills for socio-economic development and indeed empowered them to start another phase of life's journey.

The Chancellor, who also commended the Federal Government for supporting the institution in numerous ways, acknowledged the contributions of Nasarawa State Government to the



Professor Shehu Abdul Rahman Vice-Chancellor, FULAFIA

development of the University from inception to date. He also acknowledged the contributions of individuals and groups who had help the institution in one way or the other to its present state of

development.

In his address, the Vice-Chancellor Professor Shehu Abdul Rahman said that the event was a special day in the history of Federal University of Lafia as it marked the third convocation ceremony of the institution since its establishment.

More importantly; it marked the institution's first convocation under his stewardship as the Vice-Chancellor. He stated that in the past three years of his stewardship, he had worked closely with all the stakeholders of the university to pursue and realize the purpose of its existence as an institution of higher learning.

Professor Abdul Rahman restated that Federal University of Lafia was established in 2011 to contribute to the much needed human capital development of the teeming populace of Nasarawa State and it's environs, noting that it had, over the years, steadily grown and expanded.

He said his predecessors built a formidable foundation based on three values: Integrity, Innovation and Excellence, while his administration had been conscious and deliberate in nurturing, sustaining, and transcending the lofty legacies of the previous administrations, within the limits and prospects of opportunities available.

The Vice-Chancellor stated that

the University had contended with a number of peculiar systemic challenges principally arising from the disruptions associated with the Covid-19 and the protracted industrial actions by the university unions; in addition to the operational setbacks imposed on the university administration by the IPPIS.



His Royal Highness, Alhaji Dr. Abubakar Ahmadu The Emir of Mubi and the Chancellor, FULAFIA

In spite of the obvious limitations and challenges, he said his administration had remained focused on making meaningful and sustainable impact in all ramifications of its responsibilities, mentioning some modest achievements to include Restoration of the disrupted academic calendar, having remedied all the backlogs arising from the exigencies of the Covid-19 and industrial strikes: expansion and diversification of the programme dossier of the university by creating additional faculties, departments, programmes, resource centres, and academic directorates (institutes and centres of training and consulting).



The VC highlighted others as the introduction and mainstreaming of e-learning modality in the programme offered by the university at both undergraduate and postgraduate levels; Reinvention of the Committee System model of university administration and governance; Reformation of the processes and procedures of staff promotion by making them more seamless and

A cross section of graduands

transparent; Building, renovation, and commissioning of physical infrastructure and facilities as well as Increasing access to internet connectivity on the campus; Collaboration with critical stakeholders through MOUs; Building a vibrant and sustainable academic culture that has intensified research activities/output and which, within three years resulted in the presentation of TEN (the Second to the Eleventh) inaugural lecture series and Providing agricultural extension services to the host communities, among others.

The total number of 6,499 were awarded different degrees from different faculties of the University with 50 graduating with first class honors.



PhD graduands

Photo Gallery Images from the FULAFIA Convocation

















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Ukraine Sumy State University Officials Visit NUC

The Acting Executive Secretary of the National Universities Commission (NUC) Mr. Chris Maiyaki, last week Wednesday welcomed a delegation from Sumy State University, Ukraine, led by Dr. Tetyana Mayboroda, Deputy Head, and International Affairs Department of the institution, in his office.

Briefing the Executive Secretary on the mission for the visit, Dr. Mayboroda said that Sumy State University had a long standing history and experience as a major high education provider for Nigerian Citizens, as well as a sustainable partnership with Nigerian institutions in education project implementation. She said the TNE Guidelines developed by NUC provided an opportunity for Ukraine to consider participating in educational development for Nigeria.

To do that Sumy State University took this opportunity to initiate a proposal for developing a transnational agreement with Nigerian universities under NUC's approval.

Dr. Mayboroda stressed that, considering the importance of adhering to the guidelines on Transnational Education (TNE) in Nigeria; she would like to highlight some of the models considered as most appropriate for Ukraine- Nigerian partnerships and which would align with the concepts and scope of TNE. She mentioned model 2 which is Twining and Articulation, the model has to do with Joint Degree Option and Parallel Degree Option, as well as Model to the special demands and needs of Nigeria for qualified Doctors and Nurses, the University also proposed partnership for a Master's degree in Medicine



The Acting Executive Secretary, NUC, Mr. Chris J. Maiyaki, receiving a souvenir from Deputy Head, and International Affairs Department, Sumy State University, Ukraine, Dr. Tetyana Mayboroda

5, the Open and Distance Learning (ODL). She explained that, with the two models, Sumy State University could ensure the provision of very high standard modern of e- learning and distance Learning technologies as well as platforms during the studying process.

The leader of the delegation stated that, under the TNE partnership, Sumy State University would offer Bachelor's and Master's Programmes in Business, Economics and Management, Marketing, International Relations, Project Management, C omputer Science, Environmental Protection Technologies, Journalism, among others. She said that, due (Doctor of Medicine, 6 years of studies) and a Bachelor's degree in Nursing (4 years of studies)

She said that in all the aforementioned areas and disciplines, Sumy State University could provide high international standards of curriculum, course syllabus, teaching methods and methodology, which would enlighten and strengthen academic capacity in Nigeria and boost collaboration in research exchange and other activities.

She informed the Executive Secretary that Sumy State University strongly believed in the importance of transparent partnership under the TNE in Nigeria guidelines, and hoped that



The meeting of the Acting Executive Secretary, NUC with the Sumy State University, Ukraine delegation in session

the University's proposal and intentions in establishing such transnational cooperation with Nigerian universities would be given the necessary support. She assured the NUC management that such educational projects would be mutually beneficial to Ukraine and Nigeria, in providing quality education, under international standards and recognized certification. Responding, the Executive Secretary of NUC warmly welcomed the delegation to the Commission and gave a brief historical background of NUC which has more than 270 universities in Nigeria today, with 61 Federal, 63 State and 146 private universities. He stated that the Commission had launched the framework and guidelines for transnational education, saying that the document was put together for the first time as a holistic document.

He said that the document provided a guideline for all interested players in Nigeria's higher education sector and enabled Nigerian universities to leverage on the vast potential of TNE, as well as the challenges of properly operationalizing it.



Mr. Maiyaki and Dr. Mayboroda (5th and 6th left), with the Sumy State University, Ukraine delegation and some members of NUC Management

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Mr. Maiyaki said that while the Commission was disposed to opening the Nigerian space and thus aligned with the realities of the 21st century and global best practices in relation to transnational education, the TNE framework would provide clear regulatory guidelines that would govern the operation of each model of TNE for the benefit of the nation.

He assured that the risks of inviting foreign partners would be minimized using TNE Guidelines as an operational document. The Executive Secretary expressed happiness that the delegation was in NUC to see where they could explore and partner with the Nigerian universities' sole regulatory body. He promised that the Commission would give them hundred percent technical support, so as to bring the partnership and collaboration to fruition.

Other members of Sumy State University's delegation included Olena Nedryhailo, Ukrainian Chamber of Commerce and Industry, Dr. Angela Adamu and Mr. Shitu M. Kabir.

The NUC Team included Alh. Haruna Lawal Ajo, Ag. Director, Directorate of Public Affairs (DPA), Engr. Abraham Chundusu, Ag. Director, Directorate of Accreditation (DA); Dr. Chinyere Ikechukwu, Deputy Director, DESO, as well as Dr. Abubakar Tanko, Head of Special Duties.

NUC Welcomes Nigeria-Portugal Exchange Programme

he Ag. Executive Secretary, National Universities Commission (NUC), Mr. Chris J. Maiyaki last Wednesday, welcomed a team of the Portugal-Nigeria Business Trade Investment (PNBTI), led by the founder, Stephenie Coker Rank, in his office.

The Acting Executive Secretary gave a rundown of the history of the Commission, its evolution, growth, development and challenges. He stated that the Commission started in 1962 as an advisory unit in the cabinet office.

The NUC as a creation of the Federal Government as a parastatal under the Federal Ministry of Education. Over the years, the Commission had transformed from a small office in the cabinet office to an important arm of government in the area of



The Ag. Executive Secretary, NUC, Mr. Chris J. Maiyaki with the founder, Portugal-Nigeria Business Trade Investment (PNBTI), Stephenie Coker Rank, during her visit the Commission

development and management of university education in Nigeria.

He enumerated the functions of NUC to include: granting approval for all higher educational institutions, offering degree programmes in Nigeria and ensuring quality of all academic programmes offered in Nigerian Universities.

The Executive Secretary said that



The meeting of the Acting Executive Secretary, NUC with the PNBTI team in session

the interest of the team in education was very welcoming and important, stressing that education brought opportunities to people and no matter what we did as humans, life would always gravitate to education because it remained the bedrock of development, exposure and civilization. He stressed that university education was a globalized enterprise. The world was in need of people who were culturally educated and research oriented with the capacity to proffer solutions to problems that plagued the universe and mankind. He explained that NUC was excited and ready to collaborate with Portugal, especially in the areas of education, high mobility, student staff exchange as well as research. He noted that the Commission was into a good number of partnerships with relevant stakeholders such as the



L-R: Ag. Directors, Public Affairs, Alh. Haruna Lawal Ajo; Finance and Account, Mrs. Hauwa Amos; Accreditation, Engr. Abraham Chundusu and Research, Innovation and Information Technology, Mal. Farouk Lawan.

Nigeria Economic Summit Group (NESG) with clear goal of adding value to the Nigerian graduates, stressing that NUC has created a Directorate of Skills Development and Entrepreneurship (DSDE) to ensure that graduates in Nigerian universities were equipped with different skills, including digital literacy before graduation.

The NUC scribe assured the visitors that NUC was ready to explore any area of benefit to Nigerian students in higher institutions of Learning. The Commission was also ready to strengthen University graduates through the new modified curriculum and deepen research culture, being the heart of the university, stressing that the higher institutions must be able to proffer solutions to problems.

In her address, the founder of PNBTI Stephenie Coker Rank said

that the forum served as a platform for distinguished business leaders, policy makers and knowledge partners, to engage in discussions centered around collaborative strategies for business and investment opportunities, capacity at strengthening the bilateral relationship between Portugal and Nigeria, while fostering mutual growth between the two nations.

She explained that there was immense potential for collaborations in education, exchange programmes and joint research projects. He said that students' mobility initiatives could also foster a global outlook for Nigerian and Portuguese students. She said that sharing expertise in specific field and promoting partnerships between universities could enhance educational standards and innovation.

The Portuguese Team included the Country Coordinator, Halima Ibrahim and other officer, Al-Amin Abdulkareem.

The NUC attendance included the Ag. Director, Directorate of Public Affairs (DPA); Alh. Haruna Lawal Ajo, Directorate of Research, Innovation and Information Technology (DRIIT), Mal. Farouk Lawan, Directorate of Human Resources (DHR); Mrs. Victoria Omorodion, Directorate of Accreditation (DA), Engr. Abraham Chundusu as well as Finance and Account, Mrs. Hauwa Amos. Others were Dr. Chinyere Ikechukwu, Deputy Director, DESO, and Dr. Abubakar Tanko, Head of Special Duties.



The Ag. Executive Secretary, NUC, Mr. Chris J. Maiyaki and the founder, PNBTI, Stephenie Coker Rank (5th and 6th right) in a group photograph with the PNBTI team and some members of NUC managent

FUTA VC Advocates Quality Education for Women

he Vice-Chancellor, University of Technology, Akure, Ondo State, Professor Adenike Oladiji, has called on the stakeholders to ensure women have quality education for the development of the country.

She noted that the women who had access to quality education were better equipped to make informed decisions about their lives, pursue meaningful careers, and contribute actively to their communities.

Professor Oladiji stated this in a keynote address at the annual public lecture of the Precision Online Newspaper, held in Akure, last week Sunday. The lecture was themed, 'Promoting women's rights to quality education and healthcare.'

According to the FUTA VC, a well-educated woman would be able to challenge societal norms, break gender stereotypes, and participate in the socio-economic and political spheres. She added that such a woman would be able to invest in the education of their children, breaking the cycle of intergenerational poverty and ignorance.

Professor Oladiji said, "Promoting women's rights to quality education and healthcare is not only a matter of justice but a prerequisite for sustainable development and societal progress.

The synergistic relationship between education and healthcare forms the foundation for women's relent in this regard. He said, "I stand before you today to reinforce the need for us as stakeholders, educators, leaders of thoughts, religious leaders to champion the cause to empower our women. It is our believe at



Prof. Adenike Oladiji Vice-Chancellor, FUTA, Ondo State

empowerment thereby enabling them to lead healthy, fulfilled lives and contribute meaningfully to their communities."

"By addressing the challenges in these spheres, societies can unlock the full potential of their population, fostering a more equitable and prosperous world for everyone."

In his remarks, the publisher, Precision Online Newspaper, Mr. Hakeem Adebumiti, stressed the importance of women's education and empowerment. He said the online newspaper would not Precision Online Newspaper, that for us to get the best out of our society, we must empower the girl child and by extension our women."

"There are a thousand reasons for us to be worried. The out-ofschool children population in the world, out of which Nigeria shares a substantial figure, stood at 20 million as of September 2022. It is easy to conclude that the 20 million figure announced by UNESCO then would be mostly girls. This alone should create fear in our minds." He concluded.

NATIONAL UNIVERSITIES COMMISSION, ABUJA



RE: ABOUT 100 FAKE PROFESSORS JUST UNCOVERED IN NIGERIAN UNIVERSITIES – NUC A REBUTTAL

The attention of the National Universities Commission (NUC) has been drawn to news items, circulating on the social media, some national dailies and television stations, to the effect that the Commission has just "discovered over 100 fake Professors in Nigerian Universities". The NUC wishes to deny these media reports categorically and unequivocally. They are fake, untrue and a figment of the imagination of the author(s), all happening at an unsuitable time, when the nation is awaiting the outcome of the investigation into the fake certificate saga from universities in some neighbouring countries. The Commission therefore finds this development as unfair to all stakeholders.

Specifically, the fake news items have been circulating in two forms – (i) as a link to a 2019 online news item; and (ii) as a separate list of names of the alleged fake Professors in various Nigerian Universities, which was not the case. We consider these unfounded publications as ill-conceived and a ploy by unscrupulous persons to create in plausible a tone, disquiet, panic and provoking outcries at both the national and international levels.

For the avoidance of doubt, the Commission can confirm that it initiated in 2019 a laudable project, with the intent of compiling and publishing a list of full Professors in the Nigerian Universities System (NUS) through the use of an online portal to collate the requisite data. During the exercise, the NUC found anomalies, such as Associate Professors being listed as full Professors. It is essential to also state clearly that the Commission as a responsible Federal Government Agency, does not engage in half-baked exercises capable of tarnishing the image of Nigeria and the NUS. That was why the Commission deemed it necessary to share the collated data with the Nigerian Universities for the purpose of authentication by the competent authourities as to who qualifies to be a full professor. Based on the verified data, the Commission then in a landmark accomplishment, first published the list of full Professors who participated in the exercise in 2019. It was understood that this

would be succeeded by a continuous process of updating the list of full Professors. It is important to state at this point that all the issues pertaining to the 2019 verification of full Professors in Nigerian Universities were concluded in 2019. Since then, the Commission has entrenched a more reliable system of generating the list of full Professors in the NUS. The Commission is also conscious of the fact that some of the academics not captured in the 2019 exercise may now have matured and progressed to become full Professors; this being the reason why it continuously updates the list of full Professors in the NUS.

The National Universities Commission questions the rationale behind recycling this stale 2019 news of an activity it initiated, conducted and laid to rest in the same year. The purpose and objective of resurrecting in 2024 (more than 4 years later) this-no-longer-fresh news, is clearly intended to generate unnecessary controversy at an unsuitable time, whilst lacing it with a false list of fake Professors.

The National Universities Commission owes it a solemn duty to protect and guard the integrity of the many hardworking and committed academics in the NUS, who have earned national and international respect and recognition. Therefore, the Commission has been saddled with the vital and strategic responsibility by its enabling laws, to uphold the sanctity of quality in all aspects of our University Education delivery.

The Commission wishes to use this medium to advise Government officials at all levels, members of the NUS, the international community, and the public, to please disregard these items of fake and stale news which have long been laid to rest in 2019. All information concerning the role of the NUC in the regulation of the NUS can be found on our official website www.nuc.edu.ng. Further enquiries can also be made via the Commission's official email address: info@nuc.edu.ng

Please be assured of our highest considerations, at all times and best wishes for a much more fulfilling and prosperous 2024.

Signed.

Chris J. Maiyaki Acting Executive Secretary National Universities Commission



FEDERAL MINISTRY OF EDUCATION

Federal Secretariat, Phase III, Abuja

Press Release SUSPENSION OF EVALUATION AND ACCREDITATION OF DEGREE CERTIFICATES FROM THE BENIN AND TOGO REPUBLICS.

The attention of the Federal Ministry of Education has been drawn to the commendable work of investigative journalism that led to the publication by the Daily Nigerian Newspaper dated 30th December 2023 titled "UNDERCOVER: How DAILY NIGERIAN reporter bagged Cotonou varsity degree in 6 weeks, participated in NYSC scheme". This was also carried in various social media.

 This report lends credence to suspicions that some Nigerians deploy nefarious means and unconscionable methods to get a Degree with the end objective of getting graduate job opportunities for which they are not qualified.

3. The Federal Ministry of Education vehemently decries such acts and with effect from 2nd January 2024 is suspending evaluation and accreditation of degree certificates from Benin and Togo Republics pending the outcome of an investigation that would involve the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Nigeria and the two countries, the ministries responsible for Education in the two countries as well the Department of State Security Services (DSSS), and the National Youths Service Corps (NYSC). The Ministry therefore wish to call on the General Public to support its efforts, show understanding and provide useful information that will assist the Committee in finding lasting solutions in order to prevent further occurrence.

 The Ministry has also commenced internal administrative processes to determine the culpability or otherwise of her staff for which applicable Public Service Rules would be applied. 5. The issue of degree mills institutions, i.e institutions that exist on paper or operate in dandestine manner outside the control of regulators is a global problem that all countries grapple with. FME has been contending with the problem including illegal institutions located abroad or at home preying on unsuspecting, innocent Nigerians and some desperate Nigerians who deliberately patronize such outlets. Periodically, warnings have been issued by the Ministry and NUC against the resort to such institutions and in some instances, reports made to security agencies to clamp down on the perpetrators. The ministry will continue to review its strategy to plug any loopholes, processes and procedures and deal decisively with any conniving officials.

6. The Ministry had always adopted the global standard for evaluation and accreditation of certificates of all forms which relies on receipt of the list of accredited courses and schools in all countries of the World.

7. The Ministry wishes to assure Nigerians and the general public that, it is already putting in place mechanisms to sanitise the education sector, including dissuading the quest for degree certificates (locally or from foreign countries) through a re-invigorated focus on inclusivity: reliance on all skill sets as directed by President Bola Ahmed Tinubu GCFR.

8. The Federal Ministry of Education is committed to collaborating with stakeholders, including civil society organizations, to consistently enhance the Nigerian education system and we value the public's understanding and patience as we strive to address these issues.

9. The Federal Ministry of Education wishes all Nigerians a happy new year. A year in which we would all work together to strengthen our education sector.

Signed Mrs. Augustina Obilor-Duru Acting Director, Press and Public Relations 2nd January, 2023

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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
- 2. Miva Open University, Abuja, FCT
- Iconic Open University, Sokoto, Sokoto State 3.
- 4. West Midland Open University, Ibadan, Oyo State
- 5. 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. 1.
- 2. University of Lagos, Distance Learning Institute.
- University of Abuja, Centre for Distance Learning and Continuing Education. 3.
- 4. University of Maiduguri, Centre for Distance Learning.
- 5. Obafemi Awolowo University, Ile-Ife, Centre for Distance Learning.
- 6. Modibbo Adama University of Technology, Yola, Centre for Distance Learning.
- 7. Ladoke Akintola University of Technology Open and Distance Learning Centre.
- Distance learning Centre, Ahmadu Bello University, Zaria. 8.
- Lagos State University Open and Distance Learning and Research Institute. 9.
- 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 1. establishment of the university
- 2 Interview of prospective proprietors 3.
- Collection of application forms 4
- 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 6. Directorate of Establishment of Private Universities (DEPU).

- 7. Interactive meeting of DEPU with the proposed university
- 8 First site assessment visit
- 9 Finalisation of document
- 10. Second (final) site assessment visit 11.
- Security screening of proprietors and Board of Trustees 12. Approval by NUC Management
- Approval by NUC Board 13.
- 14. Approval by FEC

Mr. Chris J. Maiyaki

Acting Executive Secretary, NUC Announcer

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LIST OF APPROVED UNIVERSITIES IN NIGERIA FEDERAL UNIVERSITIES

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S/N	INSTITUTIONS	Year Est.	S/N	INSTITUTIONS	Year Est.	S/N	INSTITUTIONS	Year Est.
1	University of Ibadan, Ibadan	1948	20	Abubakar Tafawa Balewa University, Bauchi	1988	39	Federal University, Gusau, Zamfara	2013
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 Resources, Effurun	2007	46	Federal University of Technology, Babura, Jigawa State	2021
9	University of Ilorin, Ilorin	1975	28	Federal University, Lokoja,	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,	1975	30	Nasarawa State Federal University, Kashere,	2011	49	Federal University of Health Sciences, Ila Orangun, Osun State	2021
12	Maiduguri Usmanu Danfodiyo University,	1975		Gombe State Federal University, Wukari,	-	50	King David Umahi University of Medical Sciences, Uburu, Ebonyi State	2022
10	Sokoto University of Port-Harcourt,		31	Taraba State	2011	51	Admiralty University, Ibusa, Delta State	2023
13	Port-Harcourt	1975	32	Federal University, Dutsin-Ma. Katsina State	2011	52	Federal University of Transportation.	2022
14	Federal University of Tech- nology, Owerri	1980	33	Federal University, Dutse, Jigawa State	2011	32	Daura, Katsina State,	2023
15	Federal University of Technology, Akure	1981	34	Alex Ekwueme University, Ndufu Alike, Ebonyi State	2011	53	African Aviation and Aerospace University, Abuja, FCT	2023
16	Modibbo Adama University of Technology, Yola	1981	35	Federal University, Oye-Ekiti, Ekiti State	2011			
17	Federal University of Technology, Minna	1982	36	Federal University, Otuoke, Bayelsa	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			

STATE UNIVERSITIES

S/N	INSTITUTIONS	Year Est.	S/N	INSTITUTIONS	Year Est.	S/N	INSTITUTIONS	Year Est.
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, Owerri	1992	27	Umaru Musa Yar'Adua University, Katsina	2006	45	Moshood Abiola University of Science and Technology, Abeokuta	2017
10	Benue State University, Makurdi	1992	28	Yobe State University Damaturu, Yobe State	2006	46	Gombe State University of Science and Technology, Kumo	2017
11	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, Osogbo	2006	48	Bayelsa Medical University Yenagoa, Bayelsa State	2019
13	Akungba - Akoko Kogi State University,	1999	31	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	2009	52	University of Delta, Agbor, Delta State	2021
	Science & Technology, Wudil	2000	34	Akwa Ibom State University, Ikot Ikpaden	2010	53	University of Science and Technology, Ozoro, Delta State	2021
17	Ebonyi State University, Abakaliki	2000	35	Ignatius Ajuru University of Education, Rumuolumeni	2010	54	Dennis Osadebay University, Asaba, Delta State	2021
18	Nasarawa State University, Keffi	2002	36	Bauchi State University, Gadau	2011	55	Lagos University of Education, LASUED, Oto/Ijanikin, Lagos State	2022

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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	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		

PRIVATE UNIVERSITIES

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S/N	INSTITUTIONS	Year Est.	S/N	INSTITUTIONS	Year Est.	S/N	INSTITUTIONS	Year Est.
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, Ovo 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	2005	47	Southwestern University Oku Owa, Ogun State	2012	80	Thomas Adewumi University, Oko-Irese, Kwara State	2021
16	Crescent University, Abeokuta, Ogun State	2005	48	Evangel University, Akaeze, Ebonyi State	2012	81	Maranatha University, Lekki,	2021
17	Lead City University, Ibadan, Oyo State	2005	49	Gregory University, Uturu, Abia State	2012	82	Lagos State Ave-Maria University, Piyanko,	2021
18	Kwararafa University, Wukari, Taraba State	2005	50	Augustine University, Ilara, Lagos State	2015	83	Nasarawa State AL-Istiqama University,	2021
19	Redeemer's University, Mowe, Ogun State	2005	51	Chrisland University, Owode, Ogun State	2015	84	Sumaila, Kano State Mudiame University, Irrua,	2021
20	Renaissance University, Enugu Enugu State	2005	52	Christopher University, Mowe, Ogun State	2015	85	Edo State 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	Kwara State Edwin Clark University,	2015	90	of Nigeria, Kano, Kano State	2021
27	Caleb University, Imota, Lagos State	2007	59 60	Kiagbodo, Delta State Hezekiah University, Umudi,	2015	91	Capital City University, Kano, Kano State	2021
28	Fountain University, Oshogbo, Osun State	2007	60 61	Imo State Anchor University Ayobo,	2015 2015	92	Ahman Pategi University, Patigi, Kwara State	2021
29	Obong University Obong Ntak, Akwa Ibom State	2007	62	Lagos State Arthur Jarvis University Akpabuyo,	2013	93	University of Offa, Offa, Kwara State	2021
30	Tansian University, Umunya,	2007	63	Cross River State Clifford University, Owermints Akia State	2010	94	Mewar University, Masaka, Nasarawa State	2021
31	Anambra State Wesley University of Science	2007	64	Owerrinta, Abia State Coal City University Enugu,	2010	95	Edusoko University, Bida, Niger State	2021
32	& Technology, Ondo State Western Delta University, Ochara Delta State	2007	65	Enugu State Ojaja University Ilorin, Kwara State	2010	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	North-Eastern University (Formerly Pen Resource), Gombe, Gombe State	2022	136	Mercy Medical University, Iwara, Iwo, Osun State	2023			
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			<u> </u>
102	Khalifa Isiyaku Rabiu University, Gadon \Kaya City Gate Kano, Kano State	2022	139	West Midland Open University, Ibadan, Oyo State	2023			
	Sports University, Idumuje, Ugboko, Delta State	2022	140	Amaj University, Abuja, FCT	2023			
	Baba-Ahmed University, Kano, Kano State, Kano, Kano State	2022		Prime University, Abuja, FCT	2023			
	Saisa University Of Medical Sciences And Technology, Sokoto, Sokoto State	2022	i	El-Amin University, Niger State	2023			
	Nigerian British University, Asa, Abia State	2022	1	College of Petroleum and Energy Studies, Kaduna, Kaduna State	2023			
107	Peter University, Achina-Onneh, Anambra State	2022		Jewel University, Gombe, Gombe State	2023			
108	Newgate University, Minna, Niger State	2022	145	Nigerian University of Technology	2023			
109	European University of Nigeria, Duboyi, Abuja, FCT	2022		Al-Muhibbah Open University, Abuja, FCT	2023			
110	Northwest University, Sokoto, Sokoto State	2022		Al-Bayan University, Ankpa, Kogi State	2023			
	Rayhaan University, Birnin Kebbi, Kebbi State	2023	147					
	Muhammad Kamalud-Deen University, Ilorin, Kwara State	2023						
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				-		
117	Peaceland University, Enugu, Enugu State	2023				-		
118	Amadeus University, Amizi, Abia State	2023				-		
119	Vision University, Ikogbo, Ogun State	2023						
120	Azman University, Kano, Kano State	2023	╟─					
121	Huda University, Gusau, Zamfara State	2023						<u> </u>
122	Franco British International University, Kaduna, Kaduna State	2023						<u> </u>
123	Canadian University of Nigeria, Abuja, FCT	2023						<u> </u>
124	Miya Open University, Abuja, FCT	2023						<u> </u>
125	Gerar University of Medical Sciences, Imope-Ijebu, Ogun State	2023						<u> </u>
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	2023						
133	Sciences, Kano, Kano State Venite UniversityIloro - Ekiti, Ekiti State	2023						

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NATIONAL UNIVERSITIES COMMISSION PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT 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
- 7) Royal University Izhia, P.O. Box 800, Abakaliki, Ebonyi State or 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 Campus
- 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 Nigeria
- 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
- 40) 41)
 - Federal College of Complementary and Alternative Medicine, Abuia.
- 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) Nigeria.
- 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
- North Central University, Otukpo, Benue State
- 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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NAMES			DATE OF BIRTH
JUMMAI	JOSPHINE	ALABI	12 February
CHIMEZIE		OKPARA	14 February
MARIAN	NWAKAEGO	OHADIUGHA	14 February
ONANWENYI	ARINZE	ANTHONY	15 February
NJIDEKA	JUSTINA	EME	15 February
CHIBUIKE		NWANKERE	15 February
MUSA	AHMED	AMIN	15 February
ABEL		ADUGBA	15 February
BASHIRU	ATEIZA	OKINO	18 February

Wishing You Many happy returns!

Best Wishes for the week TAKE RESPONSIBILITY DO YOUR BIT TO MOVE THE COMMISSION TO GREATER HEIGHTS **Dress Well and Earn** Respect. Courtesy: Directorate of Human Resources **SHUN CORRUPTION.** It Does not Pav Courtesy: Anti-corruption and Transparency Unit

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