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FUOYE PLANS WORLD-CLASS ENTREPRENEURIAL CENTRE.

The FUOYE Centre for Entrepreneurial Development and Support Services, (CEDSS), is primed to be a world-class skills-acquisition centre. This was the consensus reached at a brainstorming session on how to take CEDSS from where it is presently to the level it is expected to be not long from now. Speaking at a special forum conveyed by the Centre with the theme, Promoting Positive Synergy for Entrepreneurship Programme in FUOYE, the Vice Chancellor, Professor Isaac U. Asuzu, told the audience made up of Principal Officers, Deans of Faculties, Heads of Units and programmes and members of the management committee of CEDSS, that if the Centre is handled differently and very well too, CEDSS has the potential to be the best skills-acquisition centre in the nation. "I know that in some universities it is only theoretical learning they do, but here we combine teaching with practical skills acquisition. We have even added farming as part of our skills acquisition in FUOYE." He mentioned piggery, goatery, snailery and poultry as options to students.

He therefore employed all Faculties, Units and Centres to synergize and harmonize all "our activities so that students can benefit from what we have to offer."

The think-tank was challenged to come up with useful ideas and creative ways to move CEDSS forward. Among the speakers was an Adjunct Professor and member of CEDSS, Prof. Olu Makinde who saluted the VC for his 'courage to establish and fund a first-class entrepreneurial centre.' He noted that the programme is ours, "not their programme; it is our baby that should ignite our creativity."

Director of CEDSS, Professor Olu Atere enumerated some of the skill options available to students at the Centre to include screen printing, electrical installation, fashion designing, catering & confectionery, welding, photography, soap-making, carpentry and some support services. "We have gone beyond teaching to skills learning. Our target is to expand idea base of the Centre and that is why we are here today" he said.

Acting Registrar, D. A. Adeyemo said relevant funding expected to move the Centre to the next level should come from proposal writing. According to him, "Such funds expectations can even motivate and excite both staff and students to buy into the programme." In his contribution, Dean, Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences, Professor Rasaki O. Bakare canvassed the need for the Faculties to key into the whole essence of skills development and advised that all be mobilized and made to understand the principles of the university's skills development programme. Prof Atere was full of appreciation for the VC and the entire university management for obliging the Centre their commitment to the attainment of its goals, promising that "in one year from now the Centre would be able to stand and count their contributions to the overall growth and development of Federal University Oye-Ekiti."

JUNE UNIVERSITY-WIDE PUBLIC LECTURE

The Vice Chancellor Federal University Oye-Ekiti, Professor Isaac Uzoma Asuzu, in a bid to give fillip to on-going mobilization and sensitization towards the activities of the Centre for Entrepreneurial Development and Support Services, CEDSS, has volunteered to personally deliver the June edition of the monthly University-wide Public Lecture. In a resolution reached at a strategic and brain-storming session tagged 'Promoting Positive Synergy for Entrepreneurship Programme in FUOYE', the VC volunteered to deliver the lecture to sensitize FUOYE community on the relevance of skills acquisition.

The lecture is billed for the first Wednesday in June, 2015. Details of the lecture shall be published in a future edition of this bulletin

UNIVERSITY CALENDER

MARCH 2015

25	Wednesday	Senate Meeting
26	Thursday	Management Advisory Committee
27	Friday	Religious Activities Committee
31	Tuesday	Management Meeting

APRIL

1	Wednesday	University Wide Public Lecture
2	Thursday	Furniture loan committee
8	Wednesday	Departmental Board Meetings
10	Friday	University Accreditation Committee
14	Tuesday	Appointment & Promotion Committee
15	Wednesday	Faculty Board Meetings
17	Friday	Lectures End for 1 st semester
21	Tuesday	Revision/Examination Committee of Senate
22	Wednesday	Revision
23	Thursday	Students Welfare Board/Management
24	Friday	Advisory Committee/Committee of
27	Monday	Deans/Business Committee of Senate
		Religious Activities Committee
		First semester Examinations
		Begin/Curriculum Committee

VC LAYS FOUNDATION FOR 500-CAPACITY LECTURE THEATRE

The Vice Chancellor, Federal University Oye-Ekiti, Prof. Isaac U. Asuzu, has laid the foundation for a 500-capacity lecture theatre sponsored by the Implementation Committee of Federal Ministry of Education. The exercise took place on Monday March 23, 2015. Speaking at the event, the Vice Chancellor tasked contractor handling the project on quality work, charging him to keep to contract completion-time schedule. "If you do it according to schedule, you will not have problems with us," he cautioned, stating reassuringly his belief that for the contractor to have successfully scaled through the bidding process, he would deliver qualitatively and timeously, too. He therefore proceeded to perform the foundation-laying ceremony to the glory of God. In the creative and innovative spirit of FUOYE, acting Registrar D. A. Adeyemo, acting Bursar Obadiah Dyiltu, Dean Faculty of Humanities & Social Science, Prof Rasaki O. Bakare and Dean Faculty of Science, Prof Sylvia Uzochukwu, were also called upon to support the VC in the exercise by adding a block each to the foundation. Other officers of the university present were DOP Ikechukwu Areh, acting Director, PPU, Engr. Sade Adebayo, Head Legal Unit, Bar. Amaechi Eni as well as the project team leader, Ojo Ademola.

FUOYE COOPERATIVE MULTIPURPOSE SOCIETY LTD.

NOTICE OF INAUGURATION OF NEWLY ELECTED EXECUTIVES OF FUOYE CMS

This is to inform all Co-operators and indeed the entire University Community that following the successful election into various offices of the FUOYE CMS held on Tuesday, February 10, 2015, the management committee of the Society led by Mr. James Toyin Borishade will on Wednesday April 1, 2015 formally handover the mantle of leadership to the Mr. Sesan Adeleke led newly elected executives who will preside over the affairs of the organization for the next two years.

The event has been scheduled to take place at the University Auditorium Oye Campus by 10.am prompt.

NASU

You are invited to NASU FUOYE maiden Congress on Tuesday, March 31, 2015 @ FUOYE Main Auditorium (Oye) by 1pm prompt. Issues concerning staff will top agenda at the Congress.

FACULTY OF SCIENCE FEDERAL UNIVERSITY OYE EKITI,

Presents

An International Training Workshop on GRANT-WINNING PROPOSAL WRITING

Chief Host: Prof. I.U. Asuzu, Vice Chancellor, Federal University Oye-Ekiti.

Host: Prof. Sylvia Uzochukwu, Dean Faculty of Science.

Date: April 20 & 21, 2015. Venue: Faculty of Science Auditorium, FUOYE Phase II

Time: 10 am each day. Accommodation is available in various hotels in and around Oye-Ekiti at reasonable prices ranging from N2,500 to N7,500. For further information, contact Lawrence Okoror, Ph.D, Chairman, Faculty Research & Workshop/Conference Committee, 08035316548. (Lawrence.okoror@fuoye.edu.ng).

Topics to be covered are:

- i. Preparing a good article for publication in reputable journals
- ii. Choosing a reputable journal
- iii. Planning and preparing grant proposals
- iv. Grant opportunities /Various calls
- v. Grants with specific requirements
- vi. Searching for grants
- vii. Grant-winning proposals writing
- viii. Academic and Research work ethics

All Researchers in various fields are invited. To participate, send a short C stating your research interest to

science.faculty@fuoye.edu.ng

Fee: N5, 000; Students: N2,500. All payments will be made on site.

JOB APPOINTMENTS

OFFER OF APPOINTMENT AS ADJUNCT PROFESSOR

- 1) Prof. Olu Omoninje Makinde- GST Unit. (2014/2015 Academic Session)

RENEWAL OF APPOINTMENT AS ASSOCIATE LECTURER

- 1) Mr. Patrick Olanrewaju Ogunjobi- GST Unit (2014/2015 Academic Session)

REDESIGNATION OF APPOINTMENTS AS ENTREPRENEURIAL TRAINER

- 1) Miss Omolola Omorinbola as Entrepreneurial Trainer III (Fashion Designing) in the Centre for Entrepreneurial Development & Support Services. (CEDSS)
- 2) Mrs. Adekemi Oluwagbemiga as Entrepreneurial Trainer I (Confectionary) in the CEDSS
- 3) Miss. Bukola Caroline Olola as Chief Entrepreneurial Trainer (Knitting) in the CEDSS
- 4) Mrs. Funmilayo Bamgbose as Chief Entrepreneurial Trainer (Beads & Wire works) in the CEDSS
- 5) Mrs. Victoria Temitope Alabi as Chief Entrepreneurial