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Report Any Case of Sexual Harassment – Students Advised

Students in Bayero University, especially females, have been advised to report any case of sexual harassment against them, as the University upholds high moral standards at all times.

Dr. Nu’uman Habib, Deputy Dean of SMS and staff of Sociology Department, who gave this advise at the orientation ceremony organized by the Student Affairs Division for fresh students on Tuesday, 9th September, 2014, said sexual harassment induces in most victims debilitating stress, nausea, sleep disorders, or depression and in the school environment it demoralizes them from concentrating on their academic studies.

Dr. Habib, whose lecture was titled: ***Ethics, Sexual Harassment: What Students Need to Know***, emphasized that some victims were afraid of reporting such cases because of the fear that the offender may lose his job, or being blamed and the notion that no action will be taken.

He called on the students to overcome their fears and report any case to either the Student Affairs Division or call any of the University’s Principal Officers through their official phone numbers because action will be taken.

Speaking on the ***Conduct of Examinations and Regulations on Examination***

, the Director, Examinations, Admission and Records, Fatima Binta Mohammed charged the new students to adhere strictly to the examination regulations as contained in the student handbook and distance themselves from committing any form of examination malpractice, as it would lead to expulsion.

In his paper, ***The Bayero University Environment: What Students Need to Know***, Dr. Shamsuddeen Umar told the new students to make maximum use of the facilities provided for them to pursue their academic journey and try as much as possible to keep the environment clean.

Dr. Umar, who is the Deputy Dean, Old Campus also tasked the students to engage in group discussion, dress decently, cooperate with security personnel, seek the assistance and guidance of their level coordinators and engage in sporting activities.

The newly appointed Director, University Health Services, Dr. Maryam S. Waziri, called on the new students to register with the University Clinic in order to enjoy the health and medical facilities provided for them. She advised them to always consult doctors, who are available from 8am – 9pm Monday to Friday and 10am to 12noon during weekends, if they need medical attention.

Earlier in his welcome remarks, the Vice Chancellor, Professor Abubakar Adamu

Rasheed, *mini*, MFR, who was represented by the Deputy Vice Chancellor, Academics, Professor Muhammad Yahuza Bello, challenged the students to be good ambassadors of their respective faculties and be law-abiding throughout their study.

Also, the Dean, Student Affairs, Professor Isma'il Zango, congratulated the new students for being admitted into one of the highly rated Universities in Nigeria.

I am Depressed By Problems in Democracy

- Barrister A. B. Mahmud

A Senior Advocate of Nigeria (SAN) Barrister A. B. Mahmud, has said that he is depressed by the problems militating against Nigeria's democracy, urging all Nigerians irrespective of their status to join hands together to save the polity.

Barrister Mahmud, who was speaking as Chairman of a one-day Workshop with the theme: ***Democracy, Governance and Accountability***' organized by the Department of Political Science on 11th September, 2014 at Musa Abdullahi Auditorium, said all Nigerians have roles to play in the current democratic processes.

He said the workshop was relevant because it was organized at a time when democracy was on trial and with the academia, other stakeholders attending the workshop, Nigerian citizens will understand what was really going on in the democracy for the possible solution.

Barrister Mahmud said recommendations and observations of the workshop need to be extended to the politicians and leaders whom he said needed prayer for them to move in the right direction.

He congratulated Bayero University for organizing such a critical discourse, expressing

concern however that some stakeholders, more especially those in government who should benefit from the workshop are absent. He said in the future when a similar forum is convened this important group of stakeholders should endeavor to attend in the interest of the nation.

The Vice Chancellor, Professor Abubakar Adamu Rasheed *mini*, MFR, represented by the Deputy Vice Chancellor, Administration, Professor Saddiq Isah Radda, charged the participants to summarize issues discussed in the workshop and send them to appropriate quarters, so that Nigeria as a whole could benefit from the workshop.

The Head of Political Science Department, Dr. Aisha Ismail in her welcome address, told the participants to study critically the trends of our democracy and come up with solutions.

In his paper, Professor Abdullahi Sule-Kano, of the Department of Political Science titled ***"The Politics of Democracy in Nigeria,"*** said since 1999 no government has accounted fully to the people for its policies and actions, adding that the period considered by many to be that of the ascendancy of democracy in Nigeria corresponds to an era of vulgarization of the concept and practice of democracy.

Professor Sule-Kano said "this is an era that witnessed trends in non-scientific thinking in almost all aspects of democratic thoughts as they relate to the struggle for power that have direct or indirect relations with the processes of societal control."

He said presently democracy in Nigeria lacks political liberation of the public domain and that from a liberal capitalist perspective democracy has to do with opening-up, tolerance, moderation and moving away from authoritarianism. He said further that democracy encompasses a process of establishing,

strengthening or extending the principles, mechanisms and institutions, but none of these is happening in the Nigerian polity in a significant magnitude that could allow Nigeria to be listed among serious democratizing countries.

Professor Sule-Kano said for Nigeria to claim democracy it has to amongst other things allow open, free and independent press, respect for the rules of law that include political equality of citizens and the protection of their rights and availability of independent judiciary as well as a culture of respect for judicial processes.

BUK SUG Emerges 2nd Best At Inter-University Debate

The Student Union Government (SUG) has emerged as the second best at the just concluded Inter-University debate competition held at the Ibrahim Babangida University, Lapai, Niger State.

According to the P.R.O. of BUK SUG, Nuhu Ja'afar, Abdulmutallib A. Lawal, Political Science; Johnson Isaac Wisdom, Political Science; Shehu Usman Suleiman, Adult Education and Community Services; Paul Jatau, Library and Information Sciences and Abdullahi Baba Mohammed of Mass Communication Department represented Bayero University.

The topic of the debate was titled: Military Solution: The Panacea to Ending Boko Haram Insurgency in Nigeria and it was based on the British Parliamentary debate style.

Bayero University scored 54 points to emerged as the runner up behind the host University, IBB, Lapai.

The SUG President, Comrade Liman Abdullahi Usman, Nuhu Ja'afar (PRO) and Amina

Abdullahi Dogara (Food Director), led the BUK contingent to Niger State.

School of Postgraduate Studies (SPS) Review of Prospectus

All Heads of Department have been directed to request the following information from their Department and forward same to the SPS, as part of the efforts to review the prospectus of the school. They are to provide the following:

- i) Name of Faculty and Department.
- ii) List of all approved Postgraduate Programmes.
- iii) List of academic staff for the Program(s), including their qualifications and area of specialization in the format below:

S/No	Name	Qualifications	Rank	Remarks

A statement signed by the Secretary of the prospectus committee, Mairo D. Sulaiman, said for those in medical line Departments, both academic and professional qualifications are to be provided as appropriate. The status of the staff (Permanent, Sabbatical or Visiting) is to be entered under remark column.

Departments are, therefore, requested to submit both hard and softcopies in Microsoft Word to the Secretary of the Committee latest by 15th September, 2014 at Room 5, School of Postgraduate Studies.

Service for Scientific Identification of Plant Specimens

The Department of Plant Biology hereby informs students (*Under and Postgraduate*), researchers and others that we have experienced Botanist, recognized, enriched herbarium collections and are prepared to offer all services related to *Scientific names, Accession number and description of Plant Specimens*.

A note signed by Dr. I. L. Abdullahi HOD, Plant Biology, said interested individuals or bodies within and outside the University should come forward with their specimens directly to the Herbarium curator, **Baha'uddeen Sa'id Adam**, or contact him through this number **08066277513**.

Nurses' Association Congratulates New Director of Health Services

The National Association of Nigerian Nurses and Midwives (NANM) BUK branch through its Chairman, Adamu Abubakar Getso, has congratulated Dr. Maryam Waziri on her appointment as the new Director of Health and prayed for Allah's guidance through her office stay. In a signed statement, the association also commended the outgoing Director, Dr. M. S. Ado, for transforming the department to a modern health facility.

SEMINARS

The following College(s)/ Centre(s)/ Faculties and Departments invite the University Community to their seminars, scheduled as follows:

Faculty of Social & Management Sciences **Faculty Seminar Series**

Presenter 1: Dr. Abubakar Jika Jiddere
Title: *'Political Party Defection and Democratic Consolidation in Nigeria.'*

Presenter 2: Nasiru Wada Khalil
Title: *'Coded communication: royal Slavery and the Concept of "Kiran Lafiya" in Kano Emirate.'*

Date: Tuesday, 18th September, 2014

Time: 10:30am prompt

Venue: Faculty Conference Room (FSMS)

Department of Economics: **Staff Seminar**
Presenter: Muhammad Ibrahim Abdullahi (Shamsu)

Topic: *'An Appraisal of the Impact of Millennium Development Goals on the Eradication of Extreme Poverty and Hunger in Nigeria.'*

Date: Wednesday, 17th September, 2014

Time: 12-1pm

Venue: MSc/MBF Class

Department of Accounting: **Departmental Seminar**

Presenter 1: Naja'atu Bala Rabi'u (SPS/12/PAC/0001)

Topic: *'Firm Characteristics and Equity Share Prices of Listed Cement Companies in Nigeria.'*

Presenter 2: Mukhtar Musa Bako (SPS/12/PAC/0002)

Topic: *'Ownership and Dividend Policy: an Analysis of Consumer Goods Companies in Nigeria.'*

Presenter 3: Hauwa Sa'idu (SPS/12/PAC/0003)

Topic: *'Corporate Taxation and Dividend Policy of Listed Consumer Goods Companies in Nigeria.'*

Presenter 4: Ramatu Adamu Muhammad

Topic: *'IFRS Adoption and Financial Reporting Quality of Listed Money Deposits Banks.'*

Presenter 5: Ibrahim Aminu Yakasai

Topic: *'Effects of Forensic Accounting on Fraud in Nigerian Listed Money Deposit Banks.'*

Date: Wednesday, 17th September, 2014

Time: 10:00am

Venue: Department of Accounting Postgraduate Hall I.

Department of Sociology: **M.Sc Sociology Proposal Defense**

Presenter: Hadiza Kubra Hassan (SPS/11/MSO/00016)

Topic: 'Maternal Morbidity and Non-Utilization of Family Planning among Hausa Women in Kumbotso Local Government.'

Date: Friday, 12th September, 2014

Time: 10:00am

Venue: Departmental Board Room

Department of Civil Engineering: **PhD/M.ENG Seminars and Proposals**

PhD Seminar:

Presenter 1: Muhammad Sani Bello (SPS/10/MCE/00016)

Topic: 'Comparative Study on the Engineering Properties of Laterized Bricks Using Local Admixtures: Katsi, Makuba, Rice, Husk Ash.'

Presenter 2: Abubakar Mohammed (SPS/11/MCE/00031)

Topic: 'Software Development for Design of Foundations Using JAVA.'

Presenter 3: Aye Ahiaba John (PGS/10/MCE/00029)

Topic: 'An Assessment of the Compressive Strength of Concrete Using Destructive and Non-destructive Testing Method.'

Presenter 4: Abubakar Abdulkadrim (SPS/10/MCE/00015)

Topic: 'Assessment of the Impact on Ground Water Quality due to Recharge from a Local Waste Drainage Pond a Case Study of Sallari Water Pond.'

Presenter 5: Yusuf Abdu Inusa (SPS/10/MCE/00002)

Topic: 'Mechanical Properties of Recycled Plastic Aggregate (RPA) Modified concrete.'

Presenter 6: Abdullahadi Abdulwahab (SPS/10/MCE/00036)

Topic: 'Analysis to Improve Water Distribution Network in Yola South Using Epanet.'

Presenter 7: Solomon ayuba (SPS/11/MCE/00015)

Topic: 'Properties of Concrete with Sawdust Ash as Admixture.'

Presenter 8: Mara Wazumtu (SPS/10/MCE/00031)

Topic: 'Groundnut Shell Ash as Admixture in Concrete.'

Proposal

Presenter 1: Olatunde Musuludeen Olanrewa JU (SPS/11/MCE/00010)

Topic: 'Engineering Properties of Calcium Carbide Residue (CCR) Stabilized Clayed Soil Reinforced with coconut Fibre (COIR).'

Presenter 2: Gbemiro Clement O. (SPS/12/MCE/00018)

Topic: 'Stabilization of Lateritic Soil with Egg shell powder.'

Presenter 3: Sagir Yusuf Abdullahi (SPS/12/MCE/00003)

Topic: 'Hydraulic Analysis of Water Supply and Distribution Networks in Bauchi metropolis.'

Chairman: Dr. M. H. Bichi

Date: Wednesday, 17th September, 2014

Time: 9:00am prompt

Venue: Faculty of Engineering Conference Room.

Department of Sociology **M.Sc Sociology Proposal Defense**

Presenter 1: Mukhtar Nura (SPS/11/MSO/00036)

Topic: 'The Role of Informal Correctional Institutions in Correcting the Behavior of

Delinquents: A case study of some Selected "Gidan Mari" Schools in Kano Metropolis.' **Topic:** 'Walk for Life.'

Date: 12th September, 2014

Presenter 2: Maryam Ibrahim Hali (SPS/11/MSO/00004)

Time: 7:00am

Topic: 'The Predisposing Factors of Substance Abuse among Female in Kano Metropolis.'

Venue: Take Off Point (New Site Stadium)

Date: Thursday, 11th September, 2014

Time: 10:00am

Venue: Departmental Board Room

Wedding Fatiha

Malam Haruna Uba Mai Unguwa R/Zaki of the Security Division cordially invites members of the University community to the wedding fatiha of his daughter Badi'a Haruna and her groom, Nuhu (Ribado/Yalbai) Adamu Wanzam, scheduled to take place as follows:

Institute of Continuing Education (ICE):
Seminar Announcement

Presenter 1: Umar Jibrilu Gwandu

Title: 'Designing and Application of Interpersonal Communication: An Exploratory analysis from the Qur'an.'

Time: 10:00am

Date: Sunday, 13th September, 2014

Time: 10:00am

Venue: Dorayi Babba Behind Tashar Dillalai, Residence of Malam Ibrahim S/Fegi.

Presenter 2: Dr. Usman Da'u Aliyu

Title: 'The Causes, Effects and Solutions of Drug Dependence Among Nigerian Adolescents.'

Time: 11:00am

Chairman: Dr. Salisu Shehu

Date: Monday, 15th September, 2014

Venue: Conference Room, ICE Campus, Kofar Dawanau, Kano

Found Items

1. A wallet containing Nigerian customs Service I.D. card, Access Bank ATM card and five passports photograph belonging to Chado Z.
2. A BUK I.D. card belonging to Ibrahim Bidwan Abiodun (SMS/08/BUS/00345).
3. A BUK I.D. card belonging to Hamza Musbahu Sulaiman (SMS/12/ACC/00252).

Department of Physical & Health Education:
"Walk for Life"

The Department of PHE wishes to remind staff and students of this month's **"WALK FOR LIFE PROGRAMME"** as follows:

The owners should contact the Bulletin Office.

Staff Model Secondary School

**BUK SMSS List of Successful Candidates into
J.S.S. One and Transfer Students 2014/2015**

The Bayero University Staff Model Secondary School has released the list of the successful candidates into J.S.S. one and transfer students of 2014/2015 session.

A statement signed by the Principal of the School, Alhaji Tijjani M. Adamu, released the admission list as follows:

FIRST BATCH:

S/No	APP. NO.	Name
1	001	AISHA ABBA HALADU
2	002	ABDULLAHI SANI ISHA
3	005	ABDULRAHMAN I. SANI
4	006	ZAINAB RABI'U IBRAHIM
5	007	HAFSAT MUSA ABUBAKAR
6	008	TAHA M. KAMAL
7	009	MAMDUH M. KAMAL
8	010	MAIMUNA H. MUHAMMAD
9	011	ABDUSSALAM H. MUHAMMAD
10	015	ABDUSSALAM S. BAGADAWA
11	016	AMINU H. ABUBAKAR
12	017	FATIMA S. MUHAMMAD
13	018	MUNSAB A. UMAR
14	019	KABIR ADAM KABIR
15	020	FATIMA NASIR ALIYU M.
16	021	ZAINAB MUHAMMAD SANI
17	022	HAUWA'U ABDULLAHI SANI
18	023	KHALID DAYYABU
19	024	HAMIDA ABDULKADIR R.
20	025	MARIYA IDRIS GAMBO
21	026	KHADIJA YUHSA'U M.
22	027	FARIDA MUHAMMAD
23	031	SADIYA GALI SADIQ
24	032	AISHA GALI SADIQ
25	034	ABDULLAHI K. ABDULLAHI
26	035	ZAINAB GARBA UMAR
27	037	SAFIYA S. IBRAHIM
28	039	FATIMA ISA ADAMU
29	042	MICHEAL U. AGBIR
30	043	AHMAD MUHAMMAD
31	044	OJUNUYO ONU ATTA
32	045	AUWALU NAZIR
33	046	HAJARA ABUBAKAR
34	047	AMINA ABUBAKAR
35	048	MUHAMMAD H. ZAKARI
36	049	RUKAYYA ABDUL IGUDA
37	050	ABDULSSAMAD MUSA
38	054	FATIMA USMAN YUNUSA
39	055	FATIMA S. YAHAYA
40	056	NAFISA A GARBA
41	057	YUSUF MUHAMMAD

42	058	ATTAHIR AHMAD TIJJANI
43	062	MUSA AMINU USMAN
44	063	ZAINAB N. SANI
45	064	ASMA'U M. DUKAWA
46	074	RUKAYYA DAHIRU SANI
47	078	MARIAM SANI MUHAMMAD
48	07	MUHAMMAD GARBA BALA
49	044	AISHA MU'AZU IDRIS
50		MUHAMMAD SANI ABDULLAHI
51		MUHAMMAD B. SHEHI
52		AMINA MUSTAPHA
53		ABDULLAHI M. JAZULI
54		MUHAMMAD ABDULLAHI
55		MUHAMMED KABIR M.
56		UMAR MUSA
57		ABDULLAHI INUWA DASUKI

List of Successful Candidates on Transfer 2014/2015

FIRST BATCH:

S/No	TRANSFER INTO SS 2
1	SHEMA'U MUSA ABUBAKAR
TRANSFER INTO SS 1	
1	SAFIYYA TIJJANI
2	SABIR ABDULKADIR
3	ZUBAIRU IBRAHIM LAMBU
4	UMMU-SALMA ADAM
5	ABUBAKAR RABIU IBRAHIM
6	NUHU ABDULLAHI BAWA
7	NUHU ZAINAB BAWA
8	ABDULRAHMAN NUHU BAWA
9	HAUWA IBRAHIM EL - MUKHTAR
10	HALIMA INUWA DASUKI
11	AMINA INUWA DASUKI
12	MAIMUNA ADNAN ABDULHAMID
13	KABIR MARYAM IBRAHIM
TRANSFER INTO JSS 3	
1	RUKAYYA BURUDI SHEHU
2	MUHAMMAD ABUBAKAR
3	ABUBAKAR MUSA
TRANSFER INTO JSS 2	
1	ABUBAKAR M NASIR
2	MUSTAPHA A. BALA