



1. **BENEFACTIONS**

The University acknowledges with thanks the following benefactions from:

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

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

- i. *Introduction to Educational Planning Administration and Supervision*, I.A. Ajayi (Ph.D.), J.B. Ayodele (Ph.D.).
- ii. *Issues in School Management*, I.A. Ajayi (Ph.D.).
- iii. *Reforms in Higher Education*, A.A. Fajonyomi and I.A. Njodi

(b) **The Family of Emeritus Professor Yoloye**

Donation of books, journals and examination papers in the areas of Concrete and Civil Engineering to the Faculty of Technology Library.

(c) **Mr. Daniel O. Akindele, a 400 level student, Department of Archaeology and Anthropology**

Donation of a set of Pentium IV Personal Computer with 80G HDD, 512 RAM, 3.0 GHz mother board, 15" Monitor and a UPS valued at Forty-Six Thousand, Five Hundred Naira (N46,500.00) only to the Archaeology and Anthropology Students' Association.

(d) **Network of University Legal Aid Institution (NULAI), Abuja**

Donation of the following office furniture and equipment to the Faculty of Law, Women's Law Clinic:

- (i) Five (5) tables with drawers
- (ii) Ten (10) office chairs
- (iii) One (1) projector
- (iv) One (1) projector screen
- (v) One (1) Sharp photocopier machine
- (vi) One (1) Sharp air-conditioner
- (vii) One (1) Public Address System
- (viii) One (1) Laser jet printer
- (ix) One (1) Intel Compaq Laptop

(e) **Mr. Adewale Sanusi, Alumnus 1998, Baker Hughes, Plot 125, Trans Amadi Industrial Layout, P.O. Box 225, Port Harcourt**

Donation of the following publications to the Department of Geology:

- (i) *Introduction to Wireline Log Analysis* by Baker Hughes
- (ii) *TECH Facts: Engineering Handbook* by Baker Hughes

(f) **Professor Michael Young Nabofa, Department of Religious Studies, Niger Delta University, Wilberforce Island, Bayelsa State, Nigeria**

Donation of the sum of One Hundred Thousand Naira (N100,000.00) only to *Orita: Ibadan Journal of Religious Studies*, a journal of the Department of Religious Studies in the Faculty of Arts.

(g) (i) **Professor V.A. Aletor, Department of Animal Production, FUTA, Akure**

Donation of the sum of Fifty Thousand Naira (N50,000.00) only

(ii) **JAAGEE Nigeria Limited, 128, Fajuyi Road, Ibadan**

Donation of the sum of Forty thousand Naira (N40,000.00) only

(iii) **Mr. Bayo Odunowo, Managing Director, BIMBAGRO Livestock Company Limited, Ire Akari, Isolo, Lagos**

Donation of the sum of Two Hundred Thousand Naira (N200,000.00) only.

(iv) **Professor Bisi Balogun, Vice-Chancellor, FUTA, Akure**

Donation of the following items:

- (a) One (1) Laboratory Deep Freezer
- (b) One (1) Laboratory Fridge
- (c) Two (2) Computer Units
- (d) Two (2) Air conditioning units

Donations g(i-iv) were made towards the 42nd Anniversary and 35th Home-Coming of the Department of Animal Science.

2. **COURTESY CALLS**

(a) Professor Wenche Barth Eide, a Professor of Nutrition at the University of Oslo, Norway, as well as special United Nations Rapporteur on the Human Right to Food at the United Nations Human Rights

Commission in Geneva, Switzerland paid a courtesy call on the Vice-Chancellor, Professor Olufemi A. Bamiro, FNSE, FAS on Wednesday, 26 November, 2008 in his office. She was accompanied on the visit by Professor Clara Oguntona from the University of Agriculture Abeokuta, (UNAAB). The Deputy Vice-Chancellor (Administration), Professor E.A. Bamgboye received the visitors on behalf of the Vice-Chancellor. Present at the occasion were the Deputy Registrar (Establishments), Mr. A.A. Oladeji, who stood in for the Registrar; Librarian, Dr. B.A. Oladele; Deputy Provost, College of Medicine, Professor Aderonke M. Baiyerolu; Professor Tola Atinmo of the Department of Human Nutrition; Acting Head, Department of Human Nutrition, Dr. R.A. Sanusi and the Principal Assistant Registrar (Vice-Chancellor's Office), Mrs. Margaret I. Aziba.

(b) A team from the United Nations Industrial Development Organization (UNIDO), Vienna, Austria paid a courtesy call on the Vice-Chancellor, Professor Olufemi A. Bamiro, FNSE, FAS on Friday, 28 November, 2008 in his office. The team, led by Dr. B. Sugavanam included Dr. Ken Lum and the Programme Officer, Abuja, Engr. Gboyega Ajani. The Deputy Vice-Chancellor (Administration), Professor E.A. Bamgboye received the team on behalf of the Vice-Chancellor. Present at the occasion were the Deputy Vice-Chancellor (Academic), Professor A.A.B. Agbaje; Deputy Registrar (Establishments), Mr. A.A. Oladeji, who stood in for the Registrar; Head, Department of Chemistry and Director, Basel Convention Regional Coordinating Centre for Africa, Professor O. Osinbanjo and the Principal Assistant Registrar (Vice-Chancellor's Office), Mrs. Margaret I. Aziba.

(c) British Parliamentarians paid a courtesy call on the Vice-Chancellor, Professor Olufemi A. Bamiro, FNSE, FAS on Tuesday, 02 December, 2008 in his office. The Parliamentarians, led by the Chair of the All Party Parliamentary Group on Nigeria, John Robertson, MP included Assistant Chair of the All Party Parliamentary Group on Nigeria, Andrew Woodcock; Coordinator of the All Party Parliamentary Group on Nigeria and Africa Programme Manager at Chatham House, Lizzy Donnelly; Political Officer, British High Commission, Abuja, Jonathan Bacon; Tony Wright, MP; Stephen Hepburn, MP; Michael Connarty, MP and an officer from the Press/Public Affairs Unit, British High Commission, Abuja, Wale Adebayo. The Deputy Vice-Chancellor (Administration), Professor E.A. Bamgboye received the visitors on behalf of the Vice-Chancellor. Present at the occasion were the Deputy Vice-Chancellor (Academic), Professor A.A.B. Agbaje; Deputy Registrar (Establishments), Mr. A.A. Oladeji, who stood in for the Registrar; Bursar, Alhaji J.A. Bankole; Dr. R.A. Aderinoye of the Department of Adult Education and the Principal Assistant Registrar (Vice-Chancellor's Office), Mrs. Margaret I. Aziba.

(d) A team from the World Bank paid a courtesy call on the Vice-Chancellor, Professor Olufemi A. Bamiro, FNSE, FAS on Thursday, 04 December, 2008 in his office. The team, led by Professor Peter N. Materu included Finance Management Officer, STEP B. Project, Mr. J.A. Akinnawo; Head, Monitoring and Evaluation Unit, STEP B. Project, Mrs. M. Oluwaseyi Agunbiade and the Project Manager, Professor M.T. Shokunbi. Present at the occasion were the Deputy Vice-Chancellor (Administration), Professor E.A. Bamgboye; Deputy Vice-Chancellor (Academic), Professor A.A.B. Agbaje; Deputy Registrar (Establishments), Mr. A.A. Oladeji; Bursar, Alhaji J.A. Bankole; Librarian, Dr. B.A. Oladele and the Principal Assistant Registrar (Vice-Chancellor's Office), Mrs. Margaret I. Aziba.

3. HONOURS AND DISTINCTION

(a) The Department of Mathematics came second at the just concluded First National Mathematics Competition for University Students (NAMCUS) 2008 that took place at the National Mathematical Centre (NMC), Abuja from Saturday, 1 to Saturday, 8 November, 2008. The following students from the Department of Mathematics represented the University:

- i. **Taiwo** Adeolu – 400 level
- ii. **Adeniran** C. Ayomikun – 400 level
- iii. **Chukwuedo** D. Ugochi – 400 level
- iv. **Raheem** Ibrahim – 400 level

The team will represent the country at the International Mathematics Competition (IMC) in August, 2009.

(b) Professor I.O. Akinyele, FNSN, FMNS of the Department of Human Nutrition, College of Medicine has been awarded the Outstanding Achievement for contribution to Public Health Nutrition in Africa for 2007/2008 by the Nestle Nutrition Institute Africa (NNIA).

4. 2008/2009 INAUGURAL LECTURE

The next in the series of Inaugural Lectures for the 2008/2009 session holds on Thursday, 08 January, 2009 at 5.00 p.m. in the Faculty of Education Lecture Theatre. The Lecture titled, “**Darkness to Light: Evolution and Unmasking of Shadows and Images**” will be delivered by Professor Ayotunde Ogunseyinde of the Department of Radiology on behalf of the Faculty of Clinical Sciences. The Vice-Chancellor, Professor Olufemi A. Bamiro, FNSE, FAS, will preside. All are cordially invited.

5. 2008 U.I. STAFF CHILDREN'S END-OF-YEAR PARTY

The University of Ibadan Women's Society wishes to inform the University Community that the usual End-Of-Year party organized for children between the ages of 4 and 12 years comes up on Tuesday, 23 December, 2008. Parents are to drop their children in the Vice-Chancellor's Lodge from 1.30 p.m. and collect them latest by 6.00 p.m.

6. SENIOR STAFF CLUB, UNIVERSITY OF IBADAN

The following officers have been elected to run the affairs of the Club for the next two years (2008 – 2010):

i.	Dr. T.A. Akanji	-	President
ii.	Dr. 'Niyi Togun	-	Vice-President
iii.	Dr. A.A. Aderinto	-	Secretary
iv.	Dr. R.A. Okunola	-	Treasurer
v.	Mr. B. Owolabi	-	Bar Secretary
vi.	Mr. I.A. Owoseni	-	Social Secretary
vii.	Dr. O.V. Sotiloye	-	Games Secretary
viii.	Mr. D. Omo-Osagie	-	Catering Secretary
ix.	Dr. C.B.N. Ogbogbo	-	Ex-Officio

7. **LOST BUT FOUND ITEM**

A National Driver's License belonging to Mr. Shittu Adams of S7/1024A, Academy Olomi, Ibadan, was found and brought to our office. The owner with evidence of ownership should please call at the Public Relations Unit, Advancement Centre for collection.

8. **OBITUARY**

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

(a) Miss Oyekemi Oyelakin, an Assistant Lecturer in the Department of History. The sad event occurred on Monday, 24 November, 2008 in the United States of America after a brief illness.

(b) Mr. Jerevais Mbafong Lengya, a Ph.D. student in the Department of Forest Resources Management. The sad event occurred on Thursday, 04 December, 2008.

(c) Mr. Benedict Chimeze Gbaruko, an MPH (Environmental Health) student in the Department of Epidemiology, Medical Statistics and Environmental Health. The sad event occurred on Sunday, 16 November, 2008.

May their souls rest in peace. Amen.