

FUT MINNA COUNCIL, MGT VISIT NEW CHANCELLOR

- MONARCH ASSURES MAKING FUTMINNA BEST
- DEJI'S APPOINTMENT DREAM COME TRUE—PA FASORANTI

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PROF. OLU OBAFEMI PRESENTING THE LETTER OF APPOINTMENT TO THE CHANCELLOR

The Chancellor of the Federal University of Technology, Minna, His Imperial Majesty, Oba Aladetoyinbo Ogunlade Aladelusi, the Deji and Paramount Ruler of Akure Kingdom has pledged to work with the Governing Council and Management to make the University the best.

Oba Aladelusi stated this on Wednesday, August 25, 2021 when he received members of the University Governing Council and Management led by the Pro-Chancellor and Chairman of Council, Prof. Olu Obafemi in his Palace in Akure.

The Monarch thanked President Buhari for appointing him as Chancellor of the University,

noting that the people of Akure were happy with the development as the appointment is the first of its kind in the history of the Kingdom.

He noted that online checks he did on FUT, Minna showed the institution has great achievements and prayed God to continue to bless the University.

Earlier, in his speech, the Pro-Chancellor had informed the revered Monarch that FUT, Minna is one of the most cosmopolitan institutions in the country.

He said that the performance of the University's staff and students over the years is a testament to its substantial attainment of the goals of its founding fathers.

"I am pleased to inform you that the Federal University of Technology, Minna is a leading and performing specialized University in Nigeria. I must also state that it is clear to us from our very robust interactions that members of the Senate and Congregation of the University are vibrant and committed to the well being and progress of the University. During those interactive sessions, Kabiyesi, I gave assurances of the Council's unanimity in leading the University to greater attainments," the Pro-Chancellor further disclosed.

On his part, the Vice-Chancellor, Prof. Abdullahi Bala FSSSN, disclosed that the Monarch is the fourth Chancellor in the life of the University.

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He said that every strata of the society is represented in the University and expressed happiness at meeting with the Chancellor.

Highlight of the event at the capacity-filled 400 years old Palace was the presentation of the letter of appointment and congratulatory message to the Chancellor by the Pro-Chancellor, Prof. Obafemi.

The Vice-Chancellor also presented some books written in honour of the Pro-Chancellor and the University's Magazines to the Monarch.

His Imperial Majesty, Oba Aladelusi also led the members of Councils and Management on a courtesy visit to Elder Statesman, Chief Reuben Fasoranti at the latter's residence in Akure.

During the visit, the Chancellor extolled Chief Fasoranti's exemplary life of discipline and contentment, describing him as a good politician that people should follow.

The Paramount Ruler thanked him for his service to Akure and Nigeria.

Also speaking, the Pro-Chancellor described the PA Fasoranti as a man who has held the torch of excellence and expressed delight at meeting him.

Prof. Obafemi said that FUT, Minna was one of the greatest specialised universities in the country, adding that they had come to seek his blessings for the institution.

The Chairman of Council said the world has a lot to benefit from the elder statesman and wished him good health and continued

leadership and service to humanity.

Responding, Chief Fasoranti said the appointment of the Deji of Akure as Chancellor was a: dream come true" for the people of the kingdom

He pledged his full support to the University in all ramifications.

A taste of the hospitality of the people of Akure Kingdom followed as the Chancellor gave the University delegation a treat at a lavish dinner held at the Royal Birds Hotel and Towers, Akure where the cultural troupe of the ancient city was on hand to entertain the guests.

Members of Council present at the events were: Hon. Abubakar Muhammad Maru, Hon. Cletus Obun, Dr. Chike Onwe, Profs. Adamu Yusuf Kabiru and Rasheed Olakunle Ojutiku

The Registrar, Mr. Amos Nmadu Kolo, the Bursar, Mrs. Hadiza Goje, fcna, fcti and the Deputy Director, Information and Publications Unit, Mrs Lydia Legbo were also at the events.



CONGREGATION REPRESENTATIVE COMMITTEE ELECTIONS

The following people have been elected at the 56th meeting of the University Congregation held on Friday, 13th August, 2021 to serve as Congregation Representative for a period of one (1) year with effect from 13th August, 2021.

S/N	NAMES	COMMITTEE
1	Dr. Abdulrahman Ndanusa	Seminar/Colloquium Committee
2	Barr. S.M. Okeji	Students Disciplinary Committee
3	Mohammed Babajiya	Students Disciplinary Committee
4	Dr. Muktar Abdulkadir	Endowment fund Committee
5	Mrs. Aishat Abdulkadir Mohammed	Health Services Management Board
6	Dr. Rabiu M. Bello	Health Services Management Board
7	Dr. Philip Ayuba	University Loans Committee
8	Dr. Mathew T. Kolo	Housing Allocation Committee
9	Prof. O.A. Kemiki	Housing Allocation Committee
10	Rahmat Nasir Bello	University Ceremonies Committee
11	Mr. Stanley U. Ugboaja	Staff School Management Board
12	Dr. (Mrs.) Elizabeth J. Eterigho	Honorary Degrees Committee
13	Dr. Samsideen Ojoye	Students Welfare Committee
14	Prof. A.S. Abubakar	Campus Security Committee
15	Mr. Abubakar Aliyu	Sports Committee
16	Dr. (Mrs.) Fadipe Labake Ajoke	University Ceremonies Committee
17	Dr. Mohammed Saidu	Congregation Rep on Council
18	Prof. R.O. Ojutiku	Senate Rep on Council
19	Prof. P.A. Idah	Senate Rep on Council

Money Matter

Weekly Financial Digest for Monday 16th August - Friday 22nd August 2021

SN	RECEIPTS	₦
1	Transcript	692,060.00
2	Collection of Certificate	210,000.00
3	Postgraduate Certificate	28,000.00
4	Turnitin Under Graduate	332,500.00
5	Turnitin Master	16,000.00
6	Clearance Fees	27,000.00
7	Replacement of I. D Card	500.00
8	Verification/English Proficiency & Confirmation	60,000.00
9	Huawei Academic Training	6,000.00
10	Teaching Practice	18,000.00
11	Prepaid Meter	53,500.00
12	Inter-University Transfer	20,000.00
13	Acceptance Fees	380,000.00
14	Registration Fees Pre- Degree	3,999,750.00
15	Postgraduate School Fees	5,298,750.00
16	Undergraduate School Fees	29,552,000.00
17	Sales of Forms Pre-Degree	166,000.00
	TOTAL RECEIPTS	40,860,060.00
18	Contractors/Suppliers	
	(i) Staff	
	(a) Advance	1,926,300.00
	(b) Refund /Payment to Staff	8,355,559.01
	(ii) Contractors/Suppliers	
	(a) DHL Int. Nig. Ltd. - Courier Service	578,806.00
	(b) El-Hassan Global Concept - Supply	1,600,000.00
	TOTAL PAYMENTS	12,460,665.01