

# FEDERAL UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY, MINNA (Office of the Registrar)



## 38<sup>TH</sup> FOUNDERS' DAY AND 30<sup>TH</sup> CONVOCATION CEREMONIES

The Vice-Chancellor, Prof. Abdullahi Bala, *fsssn*, on behalf of Council, Senate, Staff and Students of the Federal University of Technology, Minna, cordially invites the general public to the University's 38<sup>th</sup> Founders' Day and 30<sup>th</sup> Convocation Ceremonies for the investiture of the Chancellor, His Imperial Majesty Aladetoyinbo Ogunlade Adelusì, Odundun II, Deji and Paramount Ruler of Akure Kingdom and conferment of various categories of Degrees, Diplomas and Award of Prizes as well as Commissioning of Projects (23).

The University will also award Honorary Doctorate Degrees (Honoris Causa) to the following distinguished Nigerians:

- i. General Abdulsalami Abubakar, GCFR,  
Former Head of State, Federal Republic of Nigeria.
- ii. Alhaji Abdul Samad Rabiù, CON  
Founder and Chairman, BUA Group.
- iii. Dr. Akinwumi Adesina, CON  
President, African Development Bank.
- iv. Mal. Mele Kolo Kyari  
Group Managing Director  
NNPC Ltd.

## PROGRAMME OF EVENTS

### Wednesday, 26<sup>th</sup> January, 2022

Vice-Chancellor's Press Briefing

**Venue:** Senate Chamber, Main Campus, Gidan Kwano

**Time:** 2:30 p.m.

### Thursday, 27<sup>th</sup> January, 2022

Chancellor's Football and Taekwondo Competitions

**Venue:** University Sports Complex, Main Campus, Gidan Kwano

**Time:** 4:00 p.m.

### **Friday, 28<sup>th</sup> January, 2022**

Founders' Day Vice-Chancellor's Students Award Ceremony

**Venue:** University Auditorium, Main Campus, Gidan Kwano

**Time:** 10:00 a.m.

### **Monday, 31<sup>st</sup> January, 2022**

1. Commissioning of Projects

**Venue:** Project Sites

**Time:** 10:00 a.m.

2. Exhibition

**Venue:** Dr. Suleimanu Kumo Convocation Square, Main Campus

**Time:** 9:00 am. – 5:00 p.m. daily

3. Convocation Lecture

**Lecturer:** Mal. Mele Kolo Kyari, Group Managing Director, NNPC Ltd.

**Topic:** Energy Transition and Its Implications on Nigeria's Oil and Gas Industry.

**Venue:** University Auditorium, Main Campus, Gidan Kwano

**Time:** 4:00 pm

### **Tuesday, 1<sup>st</sup> February, 2022**

1. Chancellor's investiture and Conferment of First Degrees and award of prizes

**Venue:** Dr. Suleimanu Kumo Convocation Square, Main Campus

**Time:** 11:00 a.m.

2. Commissioning of Projects

**Venue:** Project Sites

**Time:** 1:00 p.m.

### **Wednesday, 2<sup>nd</sup> February, 2022**

1. Commissioning of Projects

**Venue:** Project Sites

**Time:** 10:00 a.m.

2. Conferment of Postgraduate Diplomas, Higher Degrees and Honorary Degrees

**Venue:** Dr. Suleimanu Kumo Convocation Square, Main Campus

**Time:** 12:00 noon.

## **INFORMATION TO GRADUANDS**

All graduands are required to note the following requirements/conditions for the convocation ceremony:

- i. Amounts to be paid.

### **First Degree**

Order of Proceedings	-	N2,000.00
Academic Scroll	-	N2,000.00
Academic Gown	-	N2,000.00
Certificate	-	N5,000.00

### **M.Eng/M.Tech/PGD**

Order of Proceedings	-	N2,000.00
Academic Scroll	-	N2,000.00
Academic Gown	-	N5,000.00
Certificate	-	N5,000.00
Alumni Fee	-	N2,000.00

### **PhD**

Order of Proceedings	-	N2,000.00
Academic Scroll	-	N2,000.00
Purchase of Academic Gown	-	N30,000.00 (to be paid separately)
Certificate	-	N5,000.00
Alumni Fee	-	N2,000.00

- ii. All payments are to be made into the Federal University of Technology, Minna TSA Account (No. 0190472161017) with the Central Bank of Nigeria.
- ii. Graduands must be physically present at the ceremony to receive their certificates and prizes as the case may be.
- iii. Graduands are expected to present the following items to enable them collect their original certificates immediately after the Convocation Ceremony:
  - a. The original statement of results earlier issued to them by the University.
  - b. Final year clearance form duly signed by all concerned.
  - c. Final year identity card or letter of identification from Student Affairs Division.
- iv. Invitation cards, Academic gowns and Order of Proceedings are to be collected from Secretaries of the respective Schools of the Graduands from Wednesday, 26<sup>th</sup> January, 2022.
- v. Issued Academic Gowns must be returned to the School Secretaries immediately after the ceremony before the collection of original certificates.
- vi. There will be a surcharge for any damaged Academic Gown.
- vii. COVID-19 Protocols will be strictly adhered to.

### **SECURITY**

Graduands and the general public should please note the following:

1. University Security personnel will direct guests to the designated parking lots.
2. Luggage and bags are not allowed into the Convocation Square Arena.
3. Photographers, hawkers and vendors of any item are to pay the sum of N500.00 (five hundred Naira) only for registration. Also, they are to note that they will not be allowed into the convocation square.

### **NOTE:**

**Graduands will not be allowed into the Convocation Square after 10:30 a.m.**

While hoping for a successful and memorable occasion, we wish you safe journey throughout the ceremony.

Signed,

**Mr. Amos N. Kolo,**  
**Registrar/Secretary to Council**