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## PROVOST OSUN STATE COLLEGE OF EDUCATION ILA ORANGUN OSUN STATE PAYS A COURTESY VISIT TO DBI

Dear Readers,

This week we are delighted to bring you the third edition of our mind blowing content filled DBI online newsletter. We are happy to report that this edition captures strategic visits from the leadership of educational institutions in the country and the Advanced Digital Appreciation Programme Tertiary Institutions (ADAPTI) programmes held across the nation. The DBI is also glad to support the initiative of the Joint Admissions Matriculation Board (JAMB) towards ensuring a seamless conduct of the JAMB examinations which is ongoing. We have special features of campus activities in Lagos, Kano and Yola and we are sure you will have a great time reading. While keeping you informed, we assure you of finding impactful information on the progress of the Institute. Please stay in touch with us as we excite you with interesting updates. Remember, we are your reliable partner for skills development in ICT and telecoms.

If you have any questions, comments, or concerns, please do not hesitate to reach out to us on <a href="mailto:info@dbi.edu.ng">info@dbi.edu.ng</a>. We will surely attend to you. On this note, on behalf of the entire management team and staff of DBI, led by our respected President/CEO, an erudite scholar, Engr. Prof. Mohammed Ajiya (FNSE), you are all welcome on board. Thank you for staying with us.

Sincerely,

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2nd left Prof. Afolabi Jimoh, Engr. Prof. Mohammed Ajiya, Dr. Olarewaju Oyedeji, Barr. Abiola Jimoh



The President/CEO of the Digital Bridge Institute, Engr. Prof. Mohammed Ajiya received the newly appointed Provost of the Osun State College of Education, Ila Orangun, Prof. Afolabi Jimoh today, 23rd June 2021 at the Abuja office of the DBI.

During the visit, the CEO of DBI congratulated the newly appointed Provost and expressed the commitment of the Institute to continue to foster impactful collaboration to ensure adequate capacity building of the nation. He noted that DBI being one of the world acclaimed Centre of Excellence in Africa as certified by the International Telecommunications Union (ITU), Certiport among others has been able to deliver on trainings of international standards in the public and private sectors.

The Provost, Prof. Afolabi Jimoh while responding commended the DBI for consistently supporting the college with the Nigerian Communications Commission's (NCC) funded Advanced Digital Appreciation Programme for Tertiary Institutions (ADAPTI) and extended their deepest appreciation to the NCC. He assured that the College will continue to give necessary support to ensure mutually rewarding relationship between the DBI and the College.

The Provost, Professor Afolabi Jimoh was accompanied by the College Bursar, Dr. Olarewaju Oyedeji while the DBI's delegation included the President/CEO, Engr. Prof. Mohammed Ajiya, Head of Public Affairs, Mr. Akin Ogunlade and the Special Assistant to the President/CEO, Mr. Abiola Jimoh.

The DBI has continued to provide capacity building intervention in the areas of ICT empowerment through the ADAPTI as fully funded by the Nigerian Communications Commission headed by Prof. U.G Danbatta. It is noteworthy that the ADAPTI intervention has trained over 70,000 staff of tertiary institutions in Nigeria.

From Left Prof. Afolabi Jimoh, Provost Osun State College of Education Ila Orangun, Engr. Prof. Mohammed Ajiya C.E.O DBI

## DBI CEO, ENGR. PROF. MOHAMMED AJIYA FEATURED LIVE ON THE TECH WEEKLY INTERVIEW KAFTAN TV (CHANNEL 124, STARTIMES TV)

As part of the strategic efforts of the leadership of the Digital Bridge Institute (DBI) to broaden its engagement as a key stakeholder in the advancement of the ICT/telecoms industry, the President/CEO of DBI, Engr. Prof. Mohammed Ajiya featured in a live television interview in the weekly Tech session of KAFTAN TV. The interview was held on 25th June 2021 at the television studio of KAFTAN TV in Abuja Nigeria.

Prof. Ajiya stated that the Institute was established by the Nigerian Communications Commission (NCC) with the mandate of building capacity in ICT and telecoms to equip the Nigerian society with the needed skills to keep up with the evolving digital age. He noted further that in an interventionist approach, the NCC has continued to fund the Advanced Digital Appreciation Programme for Tertiary Institutions (ADAPTI) to provide capacity building intervention in the areas of ICT empowerment to train staff of tertiary institutions in Nigeria. The participants of the programme are over 120,000 staff of tertiary institutions in Nigeria and over 70,000 teachers of secondary schools across the country with a commitment from the NCC to continue to do more year in year out for seamless integration of a digitally focused economy.

He noted that the COVID-19 pandemic has made it apparent that the world can function well and sustain business engagements with the use of ICT and that is why the Federal Government is focussed on initiatives to empower the young and old to become more computer literate and become self-empowered through capacity building.

Prof. Ajiya further stated that the commitment of the Honourable Minister of Communications and Digital Economy, Dr. Isa Ali Pantami to a knowledge-based society through capacity building has brought impactful turn to the DBI and commended the NCC for the consistent support over the years.

In responding to the suspension of Twitter operations in Nigeria, he noted that there are ongoing discussions between the Federal Government and Twitter and it is going to yield the best results to the growth and advancement of the country.

He finally encouraged more young people to build their skills and make Nigeria proud among the comity of nations and he assured of DBI's readiness to support every steps to build capacity in the ICT/telecoms sector. He stated that the DBI is strategically located all over the country (Abuja, Kano, Yola and Lagos which are operational) and is well positioned to deliver trainings across the country.



DBI CEO, ENGR. PROF. MOHAMMED AJIYA ON SET OF THE TECH WEEKLY PROGRAMME ON KAFTAN TV



## SPSS CLASS USMANU DANFODIYO SOKOTO, ADAPTI PROGRAM IN PICTURES



Group Photo of Participants at the just concluded SPSS ADAPTI training at Usman Danfodiyo University Sokoto

Cross-Section of ADAPTI participants from the Usman Danfodiyo University Sokoto in class during the SPSS training.





## THE JAMB AND DBI COLLABORATION 2021

The Joint Admission Matriculation Board exam could best be defined as a Nigerian entrance examination for tertiary level institution. This exam is carried out every year and without a doubt can be classified as the most important local exam any citizen would take as it's the first criteria that ascertains your admission into any tertiary institution nationwide.

With reference to historical antecedence, the examination has rapidly evolved as a product of emerging technologies from the manual system of pencil and paper answers shading to the computer based test pattern which has proven to be a better method of taking exam of course as it helps boycott examination malpractice, wrong marking practice and all what not. In line with this stated progress, credits must be given to the leadership of the JAMB board and her partners. The CBT pattern of examination also helps promote digital literacy as it brings our young generation one step closer to knowing how to interact with the computer system. Digital Bridge Institute in her capacity over the years have been a front liner supporting the success of this examination as a high-tech CBT (computer-based test) center.

Finally, we will continue to contribute our quota to achieving the goal as set by jamb as it is our little way of giving back to our fellow countrymen. It is our desire that with respect to better conditions, the examinations would get more refined in line with incoming innovations and we as the Digital Bridge Institute, would always do our part to support and sustain national growth in this sector as it concerns us.





Cross-Section Of Students Sitting for the UMTE in DBI's Facility





## PICTURES FROM THE JUST CONCLUDED JAMB UTME CBT EXAMS HELD AT THE KANO CAMPUS



JAMB UTME Candidates during accreditation at DBI Kano Learning Center





## **DBI CAMPUS ACTIVITIES AND REVIEWS**

## DBI KANO TO PARTNER WITH FAGGE LGA ON CAPACITY BUILDING, VOCATIONAL TRAINING AND OTHERS



From Left: The DBI Kano Head of IT, Mr. Dashe Dingwur Yakawada, The Chairman, Fagge LGA, Hon. Ibrahim Muhammad Abdullahi, The Head of DBI Kano, Mr. Sani Tsoho Garba and the Head of DBI Kano Head of Business Development and Client Services, Abuzarri Aliyu



From Left: The Head of DBI Kano Mr. Sani Tsoho Yakawada, The Chairman, Fagge LGA, Hon. Ibrahim Muhammad Abdullahi and the DBI Kano Head of **Business Development and** Client Services, Abuzarri Aliyu Esq.



From Left: The Head of DBI Kano Mr. Sani Tsoho Yakawada, The Chairman, Fagge LGA, Hon. Ibrahim Muhammad Abdullahi and the DBI Kano Head of IT Mr. **Dashe Dingwur Garba** 



From Left: The Head of DBI Kano Mr. Sani Tsoho Yakawada. The Chairman. Fagge LGA, Hon. Ibrahim Muhammad Abdullahi

The Kano Learning Centre of the Digital Bridge Institute seeks to partner with Fagge Local Government Area of Kano State on Staff capacity building, the Institute's National Innovation Diploma (NID) Programme and vocational training specifically tailored towards youth education, empowerment and job creation.

The proposal came following a courtesy call made to the chairman of the LGA, Honorable Ibrahim Muhammad Abdullahi by the Management of the Kano Learning Centre on Wednesday, June 16, 2021.

In his opening remarks, the Head of DBI Kano, Mr. Sani Tsoho Yakawada who led the delegation noted that Institute was established in 2004 by the Nigerian Communications Commission (NCC) for developing functional capacity in Telecommunications and ICT.

While congratulating the chairman for his success in the Chairmanship election, Mr. Sani Tsoho Yakawada expresses the interest of the Institute in the LGA administration's stride in seeing to the constituency's development in ICT. "Looking at the construction of the LGA's ICT centre, your commitment toward ICT education cannot be overlooked" Said Mr. Yakawada. According to the Head of Campus, the Institute will be pleased to have a partnership with the LGA's administration whose objective compliment ours. - which is to contribute to the creation of an indigenous ICT knowledge-based society sufficient to meet the needs of the private and public sectors of the Nation's economy.

Mr. Yakawada stated that the capacity building will target the executive staff of the LGA while the NID programme and vocational training will target the youth (including female and the disabled) of the LGA. "The main focus of the training is to bring out the best out of our teeming youth, molding them into innovators, entrepreneurs and job creators, the outcome as well will reduce the rate of unemployment while at the same time boost the economy of the local government, state and the nation by extension", Mr. Yakawada disclosed.

While presenting complimentary NID forms and proposal to the Chairman, Mr. Yakawada further disclosed that the proposed partnership will set forth a relationship where the Institute and the LGA will leverage on each other's mission for a better delivery in the area of capacity building in ICT.

While receiving the delegation, the executive chairman of the LGA, commended the institute for its interest in his administration and its commitment in promoting Digital skills in the state and the nation at large. "This partnership will go a long way in addressing one of my administration's concerns, which is to diversify the LGA's economy through ICT, and to create job for the youth of the LGA", the chairman added.

The visit which took place at the Chairman's Guest house saw in attendance the Chairman, Fagge LGA, Hon. Ibrahim Muhammad Abdullahi, and the DBI delegation led by Head of DBI Kano, Mr. Sani Tsoho Yakawada in company of the Head of Business Development and Clients Services, Abuzarri Aliyu Esq., and the Kano Head of IT, Mr. Dashe Dingwur Garba..

## **DBI CAMPUS ACTIVITIES AND REVIEWS**

## YOLA CAMPUS ACTIVITIES IN PICTURES



Submission of Documents by DBI Yola Learning Campus to SSG office 23/06/21, received by Mrs Lydia Yohanna in Adamawa State Secretariat along Yola road, Jimeta.



Delegation from Adamawa State,,R- L Aisha Bawa DG (PAWECA) A B Yolde, Commissioner Information & strategy Umar Garba. Commissioner Entrepreneur James Director lliya, Establishment/Human Capital Development Yohanna John. Etcetera during facility tour/ inspection at DBI Yola Learning Center



Alhaj Hamisu Medugu, Mahmud Isa and Head of Campus Yola during Facility Hire tour by an NGO 18/06/2021 at DBI Yola Learning Center

## SIGHTS OF DBI LAGOS CAMPUS



**DBI Lagos Swimming Pool and Bar** 



**DBI Lagos Lawn Tennis Court** 



DBI Lagos Stadium Complex/ Football Field



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## **UPCOMING TRAININGS - DBI INTERNATIONAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS TRAININGS**



## **Cyber Forensics and IT Risk Management (Online)**

#### DESCRIPTION

Cyber is a buzz word that could be referred to as digital or computer in related to forensic. It is one of the most highly paid professional field in today's technology, is the practice of collecting, analyzing and reporting on computer-related crime with a goal of obtaining evidence that is legally admissible. From educational bodies to high level tech industry, spectrum of available computer forensic tools and skills were highly demanded. The core forensic procedures and methodology has become one of the most widely used approaches to ensure court admissibility of evidence, as well as the legal and ethical implications. The origin of cyber forensic is to prove and legally prosecute cybercrime, it has been used in a number of high-profile cases and is becoming widely accepted as reliable all over the world, focusing on all levels of the organization, personal and public digital data with an integrated solution. Combining the IT risk management with cyber forensic is to embraces principles, models and methods for analyzing, identifying, describing, communicating and managing risk information technology and cyber forensic.

#### **OBJECTIVES**

At the end of this workshop, participants will be able to:

- Understand the court admissibility investigative procedures.
- Learn how to use attributes of Windows and Unix/Linux file systems and file recovery
- Understand and identify appropriate forensic tools to acquire, preserve and analyze system image.
- Apply appropriate forensic tools to acquire, preserve and analyze system image.
- Review and critique a forensic report.
- Understand risk analysis and risk management.
- Lean how to develop risk management strategies.
- Learn how to apply the risk management best practice.

## **REGISTRATION**

 Start Date: 11 Feb 2021 End Date: 10 Oct 2021

## TRAINING TYPE

Online Instructor Led

## **EVENT ORGANISER**

Digital Bridge Institute, Abuja - Nigeria

## LANGUAGE

English Language

#### **EVENT DATE**

 Start Date: 11 Oct 2021 End Date: 14 Oct 2021

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## **WEB LINKS**

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