



BEHOLD FUT,MINNA NEWEST PROFESSORS

The University Governing Council at its 92nd meeting held on Tuesday, June 6, 2012 approved the promotion of Dr. Asimiyu M. Jinadu and Dr. (Mrs) Zinash Delebo Osunde from Associate Professors to the rank of Professors of Urban and Regional Planning and Agricultural Engineering respectively.

PROF. ASIMIYU MOHAMMED JINADU

Born on January 3, 1965 in Kisi, Oyo State, Prof. Jinadu obtained his B.Sc. degree in Geography with Second Class Upper Division and Masters degree in Urban and Regional Planning from University of Ibadan in 1991 and 1995 respectively. He had his Ph.D degree in Remote Sensing Application from Federal University of Technology, Minna in 2004.



Professor Jinadu

He started his work experience as Research Assistant YOBA Associate under the Centre for Urban and Regional Planning University of Ibadan. He later became Program Officer, African

Centre for Environment Development and Information Network (ACEDIN), Ibadan between January and August 1996. He was at Federal Polytechnic, Bida from 1996 to 1998 as Lecturer III from where he took up appointment with Federal University of Technology, Minna as Lecturer II with the Department of Urban and Regional Planning in 1999. He rose through the ranks to become Professor of Urban and Regional Planning effective from 1st October, 2011.

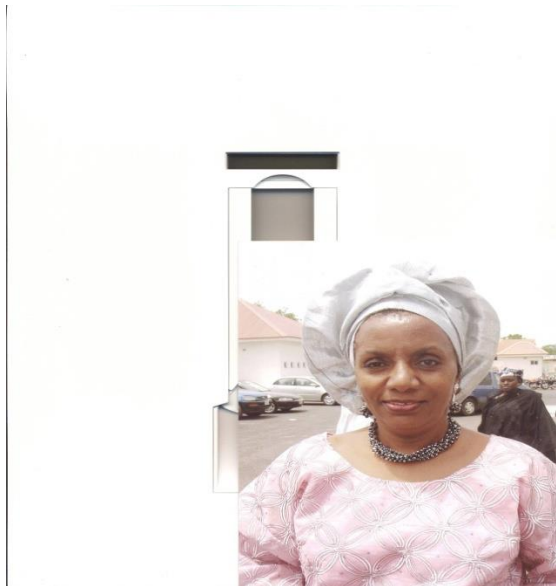
Prof. Jinadu has served the University in different capacities. He was Deputy Director, Centre for Human Settlements and Urban Development from 2008 to 2010 and currently, the Director, Centre for Disaster Risk Management and Development Studies.

The Don who belongs to several Professional bodies such as Nigerian Institute of Town Planners (MNITP), Registered Town Planner (RTP), Association of Nigerian Geographer (ANG) and member, Man O'war Statesman Council, University of Ibadan is widely published in books, learned journals and has attended many local and international conferences. He is happily married with children.

PROF. (MRS.) ZINASH DELEBO OSUNDE

Born on August 20, 1957 in Ambo, Ethiopia. Prof. (Mrs.) Osunde has her M. Sc. degree in Agricultural Engineering from the University of Agricultural, Nitra, Czechoslovakia in 1982. She attended University of Vienna Language Institute,

Austria from 1984 to 1985 for a Certificate in German Language Proficiency and in 1989 obtained a Diploma in Computer Data-Techniques at the Institute of Computer Science, Technical University of Vienna, Austria. In 2002 she obtained her Ph.D degree in Agricultural Engineering specializing in *Food Processing and Storage* from Federal University of Technology, Minna.



Professor (Mrs.) Osunde

Her working experience began in 1974 during her National Service in the Central Literacy Coordinating Committee, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia. She was a Technical Staff of Philips Electronics and Machine firm, Vienna, Austria from 1986 to 1987. In 1990 Prof. (Mrs.) Osunde joined the services of Federal University of Technology, Minna as Lecturer II in the Department of Agricultural Engineering where she steadily rose through the ranks and became a Professor of Agricultural Engineering with effect from 1st October, 2011.

She has supervised many undergraduate, Master as well as Ph.D research thesis. The Don has held many administrative positions among which are,

Vice-Chairperson, Nigerian Society of Engineers (NSE), 2006 to 2009, Head of Department, Agricultural Engineering, FUT, Minna 2006 to 2008, CEFE Coordinator, Federal University of Technology, Minna 2011 to date and presently Chairperson, Association of Professional Women Engineers (APWEN), Minna branch.

Prof. (Mrs.) Osunde is widely published in reputable books and journals and belongs to several professional bodies such as the Nigerian Society of Engineers (NSE) and Association of Professional women Engineers (APWAN). She is happily married with two Children and a grandchild.

Their promotion brings the number of Professors in the University to Seventy four (74). *Campus News* wishes to congratulate the newly crowned Professors for reaching the peak of their carriers.

REDEPLOYMENT

The Vice-Chancellor has approval the redeployment of Hajiya Azumi Salamatu Ndayako, Deputy Registrar, from Academic Office to Establishment Office effective from Monday, June, 18, 2012. Meanwhile Mal. Babajiya Mohammed, Principals Assistant Registrar, is to serve as acting Academic Secretary pending further directives.

NEWS FROM ESTABLISHMENT

This is to inform all members of staff that henceforth they are to write their mobile numbers and e-mail addresses in any formal communication to the University authority.

INTERNET SERVICE FAILURE

The Information Technology Services (ITS) wishes to inform the University community that the current internet service failure being experienced is due to fiber cut at Abuja. The centre is appealing to the University community to bear with the situation as normal service will be restored as soon as the problem is solved.

2012 V-C CUP COMPETITION

The University community is hereby invited to the opening ceremony of the university 2012 Vice-Chancellor Cup competition. The event will start with a football match between SAAT and SEMT Football team today at Main Campus, Gidan Kwano football field by 4:30 p.m.

BURIAL

Mr. Ejepu Steven Jude, Assistant Lecturer in the Department of Geology cordially invites the University community to the burial ceremony of his beloved father who died on Friday, May 25, 2012 at the age of 75 years as follow:

AKWU-UKWU WAKE KEEP

At his residence, Ekele village, Akwu-Ukwu

Date: Thursday, June, 21, 2012

Time: 5:00 p.m.

LYING INSTATE

Late Chief Stephen Ejepu's compound Ekele Village Akwu-Ukwu

FUNERAL MASS

Friday, June, 22, 2012 at St John the Baptist Catholic Church, Akwu- Ukwu by 10:00 a. m.

Internment follows immediately at late Chief Stephen Esogbuna Edjupu's compound Akwu-Ukwa

THANK GIVING MASS

Sunday, June 24, 2012 at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church Akwu- Ukwu.