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**2018 CONVOCATION AND
70TH FOUNDATION DAY CEREMONIES**

The 2018 Convocation and Seventieth Foundation Day Ceremonies will hold as follows:

Convocation Events

Monday, 29 October, 2018 – Friday, 2 November, 2018

University of Ibadan @ 70 in Kenneth Dike Library
Book and Information Resource Fair

Wednesday, 31 October, 2018

University Women's Society

Inter-School Public Speaking: Effect of Social Media on Education

Venue: Trenchard Hall, University of Ibadan, Ibadan

Time: 10.00 am

Thursday, 1 November, 2018 – Library Day

Book Launch: **University of Ibadan Library System: The Journey continues...**

Lecture: **Distortion: Erosion of the Reading Culture**

Lecturer: Hon. Yakubu Dogara, Honourable Speaker, House of Representatives, Abuja

Royal Guest: His Royal Majesty, Oba Adeyeye Enitan Ogunwusi, Ojaja II, Ooni of Ife

Royal Father of the Day: His Royal Majesty, Oba Saliu Adetunji, Aje Ogungunniso I,

Olubadan of Ibadanland

Tuesday, 6 November, 2018

(i) **1st UI/FirstBank Career Fair** (Sponsored by First Bank of Nigeria LIMITED)

Venue: International Conference Centre, University of Ibadan, Ibadan

Time: 8.00 am

(ii) Final of Jaw-War Public Speaking Competition by Students

Venue: Trenchard Hall, University of Ibadan

Time: 5.00 pm

Wednesday, 7 and Thursday, 8 November, 2018

The University of Ibadan Research and Development Fair (UI-TOWN CONNECT, 2018)

Theme: University of Ibadan at 70: Celebrating Excellence in Research, Innovation and Societal Impact

Paper Presenter: Professor Peter A. Okebukola, DSc, OFR

Former Executive Secretary, National Universities Commission (NUC) & President, Global University Network for Innovation (GUNI-Africa)

Venue: International Conference Centre, University of Ibadan, Ibadan

Time: 10.00 am each day

Friday, 9 November, 2018

(i) Convocation Jumat Service

Venue: Central Mosque, University of Ibadan, Ibadan

Time: 1:00p.m.

Sunday, 11 November, 2018

(i) Convocation Church Service

Venue: Chapel of the Resurrection, University of Ibadan, Ibadan

Time: 10:00a.m.

(ii) Rehearsal

Venue: International Conference Centre

Time: 2:00pm.

(iii) Night of Music

Venue: Trenchard Hall, University of Ibadan, Ibadan

Time: 5:00p.m

Monday, 12 November 2018

Congregation for the Award of Non-Degree Diplomas in the **Faculties of Arts and Science and Admission to First Degrees in the Faculties of Arts, Science, Basic Medical Sciences, Clinical Sciences, Public Health, Dentistry and Law.**

Commencement Keynote Address

Professor Funmi Olopade. OON (Alumna 1974)

University of Chicago, USA

Time: 10:00a.m.

Venue: International Conference Centre, University of Ibadan, Ibadan

Tuesday, 13 November, 2018

Congregation for the Award of Non-Degree Diplomas in the **Faculties of The Social Sciences and Education and Admission to First Degrees in the Faculties of Agriculture and Forestry, The Social Sciences, Education, Veterinary Medicine, Technology and Pharmacy.**

Commencement Keynote Address

Professor Peter Okebukola, OFR (Alumnus 1970)

Lagos State University, Ojo, Lagos

Time: 10:00a.m.

Venue: International Conference Centre, University of Ibadan, Ibadan

Wednesday, 14 November, 2018

- (i). Congregation for the Award of Postgraduate Diplomas and Admission to Higher Degrees (Masters Degrees, M.Phil. & MPH) in the **Faculties of Arts, Science, Basic Medical Sciences, Clinical Sciences, Public Health, Dentistry and Law.**

Time: 10:00a.m.

Venue: International Conference Centre, University of Ibadan, Ibadan

(ii). **Convocation Lecture**

Lecturer: Professor Adam Habib,

Vice-Chancellor and Principal, University of the Witwatersrand,
Johannesburg, South Africa

Title: “Graduands, Universities, and the Future of the African Continent.”

Venue: Trenchard Hall, University of Ibadan, Ibadan

Time: 5.00 pm

Thursday, 15 November, 2018

- (i). Congregation for the Award of Postgraduate Diplomas and Admission to Higher Degrees (Masters Degrees, M.Phil.) in the **Faculties of Agriculture and Forestry, The Social Sciences, Education, Veterinary Medicine, Technology, Pharmacy and Pan African University, Life and Earth Sciences Institute Including Health and Agriculture (PAULESI).**

Friday, 16 November, 2018

(i). **University of Ibadan Research Foundation (UI-RF)**

Commissioning of the Headquarters Building of the UI-Research Foundation and Special luncheon for esteemed members of the “Partnerships to make Research Count for National Development” initiative.

Inauguration of:

- The Friends of Professor Isaac Folorunso Adewole for Library of Tomorrow (IFA-LoT)
- The Friends of Sir Peter Aliu Professorial Experts Unit on Sickle Cell Disorders
- The Friends of Dr. Olusegun Aina for Centre for Knowledge Translations

Venue: Trenchard Hall, University of Ibadan

Time: 10.00 am.

(ii) **Lifetime Achievement Awards/Night of Honour**

Venue: Trenchard Hall, University of Ibadan

Time: 3.00 pm.

(ii). Command Performance

Venue: Professor Wole Soyinka Arts Theatre, University of Ibadan.

Time: 6:00p.m

Saturday, 17 November, 2018

- (i). 70th Foundation Day, Admission to Higher Degrees (Doctorate) and Award of Honorary Degrees/Fellowship to the following eminent persons:
- i. Sir (Chief) Bode Akindele, Honorary Doctor of Letters (D.Litt)
 - ii. Professor Bolanle Awe, Honorary Doctor of Letters (D.Litt)
 - iii. Professor Grace Alele Williams, Honorary Doctor of Science (D.Sc)
 - iv. Professor Omoniyi Adewoye, Honorary Fellowship of the University
 - v. Professor Olufunmilayo Olopade, OON, Honorary Doctor of Science (D.Sc)
 - vi. Professor Akinlawon Ladipo Mabogunje, Honorary Doctor of Science (D.Sc)

Time: 10:00a.m.

Venue: International Conference Centre, University of Ibadan, Ibadan

(ii). Convocation Luncheon:

Time: 1.00p.m.

Venue: Vice-Chancellor's Lodge

NOTICE TO GRADUANDS

All Graduands are expected to pay a refundable deposit of ₦500.00K to their respective Faculty Officers for the academic outfits. The Order of Proceedings, Invitation Cards and other instructions will be issued to Graduands on arrival at their respective Faculties (Diplomas and First Degrees) and The Postgraduate College (Higher Degrees) on the presentation of receipts showing the stipulated payments.

Please note that the University of Ibadan Alumni Association (UIAA) fee of ₦1,000.00 should be paid by each Graduand to the Alumni Office.

All Graduands must pay all the levies: Graduation outfits' deposit and UIAA Membership Levy and ₦500 for the CD and e- photographs of the event each day. Certificates shall not be released until both have been paid and academic outfits returned in good condition.

Any Graduand who leaves before or during the Ceremony will not be allowed to return to the Hall.

Thank you.

Olubunmi O. Faluyi *MCIPM, MAUA*
Registrar