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**UNIVERSITY OF IBADAN, IBADAN
2025 CONVOCATION & FOUNDATION DAY CEREMONIES**

**PROGRAMME OF EVENTS FOR THE 2025 CONVOCATION AND FOUNDATION
DAY CEREMONIES**

DATE	EVENT	TIME	VENUE
MONDAY, 3 NOVEMBER, 2025	University of Ibadan Research Development (UI-RESDEV) Fair (DAY 1) THEME: Research, Innovation and Development: A Tripod for Meeting Societal Needs CHAIRMAN: Mrs Yemisi Iranloye, CEO, Psaltery International Company Limited, Ado Awaye, Oyo State KEYNOTE SPEAKER: Mr. Adegbite Falade, MD/CEO, Aradel Holdings Ltd	9 a.m.	International Conference Centre
TUESDAY, 4 NOVEMBER, 2025	University of Ibadan Research Development (UI-RESDEV) Fair (DAY 2)	9 a.m.	International Conference Centre
WEDNESDAY, 5 NOVEMBER, 2025	Small and Medium Enterprises (SMEs) Fair (DAY 1) THEME: Inspiring Next-GENS SMES KEYNOTE SPEAKER Mr Kingsley Aigbokhaevbo Deputy Managing Director Providus Bank	9 a.m.	International Conference Centre
THURSDAY, 6 NOVEMBER, 2025	Small and Medium Enterprises (SMEs) Fair (DAY 2)	9 a.m.	International Conference Centre
FRIDAY, 7 NOVEMBER, 2025	U.I. Career Fair THEME: Tech, Talent and Tomorrow: Preparing Nigerian Youth for Global Opportunities KEYNOTE SPEAKER Mr. Olusegun Alebiosu MD/CEO First Bank of Nigeria Limited	9 a.m.	International Conference Centre
	JUMAT SERVICE	1 p.m.	UI Mosque

SATURDAY, 8 NOVEMBER, 2025	University of Ibadan Research Foundation Day THEME: Strengthening Resilience in Adolescents and Youth Development in Africa: Co-creating Strategies and Policy Options on Mental Health, SRH and Nutrition KEYNOTE SPEAKER: Dr. Iziaq Adekunle Salako, Honourable Minister of State for Health	10 a.m.	Trenchard Hall
SUNDAY, 9 NOVEMBER, 2025	Night of Music	5 p.m.	Trenchard Hall
MONDAY, 10 NOVEMBER, 2025	Health Rally	10 a.m.	Trenchard Hall
	Rehearsals (Principal Officers, Provosts, Deans, Faculty Officers, and Ceremonial Committee members)	3 p.m.	International Conference Centre
TUESDAY, 11 NOVEMBER, 2025	Day 1 2025 Convocation Ceremonies Admission to First Degrees in the Faculties of Arts, Science, Basic Medical Sciences, Clinical Sciences, Public Health, Dentistry, Pharmaceutical Sciences COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER Dr Abel Kehinde Adegoke GP, Principal & Senior/Executive Partner and Primary Care Cardiovascular Physician Hamilton Medical Centre Birkenhead. Wirral. UK	10 a.m.	International Conference Centre
	CONVOCATION LECTURE To be delivered by: H.E. Professor Sarah Anyang Agbor Former Commissioner for Human Resources, Science, and Technology, African Union Commission Title: Agenda 2063: All Hands on Deck for the Africa We Want	4 p.m.	Trenchard Hall
WEDNESDAY, 12 NOVEMBER, 2025	Day 2 2025 Convocation Ceremonies Admission to First Degrees in the Faculties of Agriculture, The Social Sciences, Veterinary Medicine, Technology, Law, Economics and Management Sciences, Renewable Natural Resources COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER Mrs. Bola Olajomi-Otubu MD/CEO Beige Spaces Limited Lagos	10 a.m.	International Conference Centre

THURSDAY, 13 NOVEMBER, 2025	Day 3 2025 Convocation Ceremonies Admission to First Degrees in the Faculties of Education, Environmental Design and Management COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER Dr Charles Tolulope Akinsete Department of English, Faculty of Arts, University of Ibadan, Ibadan, Nigeria	10 a.m.	International Conference Centre
FRIDAY, 14 NOVEMBER, 2025	Day 4 2025 Convocation Ceremonies Award of Postgraduate Diplomas, Admission to Higher Degrees (Master's), Admission to Higher Degree (M.Phil.) in the Faculties of Arts, Education, Veterinary Medicine, Technology, Economics and Management Sciences, Renewable Natural Resources, Environmental Design and Management, Multidisciplinary Studies and Institute of Education	10 a.m.	International Conference Centre
	Command Performance Title: Even Kins are Guilty Written by: Keye Abiona Directed by: Olanike Onimisi (INVITED GUESTS ONLY)	6 p.m.	Wole Soyinka Theatre
SATURDAY, 15 NOVEMBER, 2025	Day 5 2025 Convocation Ceremonies Award of Postgraduate Diplomas, Admission to Higher Degrees (Master) Admission to Higher Degree (M.Phil.) in the Faculties of Science, Basic Medical Sciences, Clinical Sciences, Agriculture, The Social Sciences, Pharmaceutical Sciences, Law, Public Health, Institute of African Studies, Institute of Child Health and School of Business Admission to Higher Degree (Master's) of PAULESI	10 a.m.	International Conference Centre
SUNDAY, 16 NOVEMBER, 2025	FOUNDATION DAY SERVICE	10 a.m.	Chapel of the Resurrection
MONDAY, 17 NOVEMBER, 2025	Day 6 2025 FOUNDATION DAY CEREMONIES Conferment of Honorary Degrees Admission to Higher Degrees (Doctorate) of PAULESI Admission to Higher Degrees (Doctorate) of the University of Ibadan	10 a.m.	International Conference Centre

Thank you.

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