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## **APPOINTMENT OF PRO VICE-CHANCELLOR**



The Governing Council at its 3<sup>rd</sup> Emergency Meeting held on Monday, 25<sup>th</sup> September 2023, appointed Prof. Samson Abah Abagale as the Pro Vice-Chancellor with effect from 2<sup>nd</sup> October 2023.



## TRIUMPHANT TRIFECTA: ENACTUS CKT-UTAS SECURES THIRD CONSECUTIVE VICTORY AT ANNUAL NATIONAL COMPETITION

Enactus CKT-UTAS, a team of young visionaries in the University, has achieved national success three times in a row since 2021 with their innovative projects focused on sustainability and transforming traditional practices. Seeking support for their participation in the National Arena, the team met with the University Management, who readily provided transportation and logistics for the

15-member team. At the National Competition, Enactus CKT-UTAS unveiled standout projects like Project WasTek, which repurposes spoilt refrigerators into poultry incubators, and storage pressers. This would revolutionise egg hatching and reduce waste. Another project, Project Eco Husk, transforms rice husks and straws into eco-friendly products, contributing to the circular economy and reducing harmful emissions. The team's remarkable achievements have earned them the support of the University Management in their World Cup Competition to be held in the Netherlands as they represent the Country.



ENACTUS 2023 WINNING TEAM

## ENDTIME ARMY OF THE LORD BIBLE MINISTRY DONATES TO CKT-UTAS

On 12<sup>th</sup> May 2023, the Endtime Army of the Lord Bible Ministry donated Bibles and assorted christian literature to staff and students of CKT-UTAS. Presenting the items to the Dean of Students Affairs, Senior Pastor of the Church, Frank Kwasi Adomako, said the donation forms part of the outreach programmes of the church in reaching the youth and students in the Region and the University.



DEAN OF STUDENTS RECEIVING DONATION ON BEHALF OF CKT-UTAS

The Dean of Students Affairs Dr. Ohene Boansi Apea, received the items and thanked the Team for the kind gesture. Present to witness was the Registrar, Dr. V. A. Ankamah-Lomotey and some staff members of the University.

### HISTORIC FOOTBALL MATCH SEES CKT-UTAS FC TRIUMPH OVER CROCODILE FC

In a thrilling football match on 27<sup>th</sup> July 2023, CKT-UTAS FC achieved a remarkable victory against Crocodile FC of Paga in a Division Two clash in the Upper East Region. Despite conceding an early goal, CKT-UTAS fought back fiercely, with Sylvester Biyaadah's stunning shot in the 16<sup>th</sup> minute leveling the score. The enthusiastic crowd from ECOWAS Hall erupted with chants and cheers as Sylvester scored again in the 57<sup>th</sup> minute, securing a 2-1 lead for CKT-UTAS FC.

This historic victory marked the University's triumphant entry into football history, being the first extramural football match organised by the Sports section since the establishment of CKT-UTAS. The football team, comprised of 23 talented players, showcased their skills and determination throughout the match.



CKT-UTAS FC WINNING TEAM

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Under the patronage of Prof. Eric Magnus Wilmot, the Vice-Chancellor, the team, mainly consisting of level 100 and 200 students, displayed great promise. Prof. Albert Luguterah, Chairman of the Sports Advisory Committee, praised the team's outstanding performance and encouraged the student-athletes to balance academics with their passion for sports. This memorable victory has filled the University with pride and showcased the potential of CKT-UTAS FC as a formidable force in the world of football.

The players are determined to continue their success, exemplifying the spirit of CKT-UTAS as they strive for excellence in both sports and academics.



#### ADVANCING ACADEMICS AND COLLABORATION: MR. & PROF. AYELAH'S CAMPUS TOUR OF CKT-UTAS

Mr. Augustine Ayinibisah Ayelah and Prof. Joan Apaahyea Ayelah visited CKT-UTAS in January 2023. They are based in New York City, with Mr. Ayelah being a native of Sumbrugu, Ghana, and Prof. Ayelah hailing from Jamaica.

During their visit, the Vice-Chancellor, Prof. Eric Magnus Wilmot, and Registrar, Dr. V. A. Ankamah-Lomotey, briefed them on CKT-UTAS's progress since its inception two and a half years ago.

Discussions centred on creating new academic programs to fulfil the University's vision and mandate. The Vice-Chancellor also sought exchange programme opportunities for staff and students and emphasized the importance of partnerships and collaborations between higher learning institutions. CKT-UTAS was seen as a vital intervention by the Government to create more job opportunities and bridge the developmental gap between Northern and Southern Ghana, reducing migration in search of academic and employment opportunities.

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During their visit, the couple, accompanied by the Vice-Chancellor and Registrar, inspected academic facilities, particularly the Physics and Chemistry laboratories, which impressed Prof. Joan, a Professor of Clinical Chemistry at Bronx Community College. Mr. Ayelah majors in governance and politics, and is currently an author, founder and host of Divine Speech in Africa traditionalism. They were appreciative of the warm reception by the Vice-Chancellor.



MR. AUGUSTINE AYELAH & PROF APAAHYEA AYELAH



## GMSA CKT-UTAS ORGANISES BLOOD DONATION EXERCISE

The Ghana Muslim Student Association (GMSA) CKT-UTAS, in a bid to raise awareness about the importance of blood donation and foster unity among its members, collaborated with War Memorial Hospital and the University Hospital on a donation drive.

The event took place on 7<sup>th</sup> July 2023 and various communication channels were used to create awareness and encourage staff and students to participate in this exercise. The exercise took place at the School Mosque, which was transformed into a welcoming space for prospective donors.

Volunteers guided donors through the registration process, and medical professionals conducted health screenings to ensure donors' eligibility. Despite some donors being disqualified, 53 units of blood were successfully collected. The event showcased the power of selflessness and highlighted the impact of small acts of generosity in saving lives and strengthening communities.

# CKT-UTAS SPORTS SECTION RECEIVES A DONATION FROM A STUDENT

Mr. Joshua Asamoah Tawiah, a level 300 Computer Science student at CKT-UTAS, generously donated a Soccermax ball to the University Sports Section during the Inter-Zonals and Levels football competition on the 6<sup>th</sup> July 2023. The Senior Coach, Mr. Jude Domokyile Nayasama, expressed gratitude on behalf of Prof. Albert Luguterah, the Pro Vice-Chancellor and Chairman of the committee, for the donation, as it will address previous difficulties with bursting footballs on the field. He encouraged Mr. Tawiah to continue supporting the University's sports programs. The University Administration and sports authorities called on the public to contribute to the development of a Sports Complex, aimed to include various sports facilities for students and the local community. Mr. Tawiah's philanthropic gesture sets a positive example for future acts of support for the CKT-UTAS Sports Section.



MR. JUDE DOMOKYILE NAYASAMA (SENIOR COACH) RECEIVING DONATION FROM MR JOSHUA ASAMOAH TAWIAH

# SRC ASPIRANT DONATES 10 STREET LIGHTS TO CKT-UTAS

In an act of generosity, an aspiring candidate for the Student Representative Council (SRC) President position, Mr. Abdul-Aziz Issahaku and his team have donated ten (10) street lights to the University. The gesture was aimed at improving safety and security within the CKT-UTAS Campus. The Management of thr University, led by the Vice-Chancellor commended the aspirant's prompt action and expressed their heartfelt thanks for the donation. The street lights, known for their energy efficiency and advanced LED technology, are expected to contribute not only to safety but also to the community's environmental sustainability efforts. With the installation of these street lights, CKT-UTAS takes a step forward in creating a safer and more secure environment for everyone. The University Community are grateful for the aspirant's contribution, recognising the positive impact it will have on the Community.



VICE-CHANCELLOR RECEIVING THE STREET LIGHTS DONATED BY MR. ISSAHAKU

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