



AMERICAN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA

**1ST INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE
(AUNIC 2023)**

Theme

**RESEARCH: A TOOL FOR NATIONAL DEVELOPMENT
AND INNOVATION IN THE 21ST CENTURY**

NOVEMBER 13-16, 2023

AUN INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE 2023

AUN's goal is to create a platform for experts, academics, and practitioners to collectively address the role of research in driving innovation and development.

Research plays a vital role in shaping public policies and decision-making processes. The conference aims to provide policymakers with evidence-based insights and data-driven recommendations, enabling them to make informed choices that benefit the nation and the world as a whole. Whether it's developing sustainable infrastructure, improving education systems, or tackling social issues, research provides the foundation upon which effective policies can be built. Research encourages scientists, researchers, and experts from different fields to come together, exchange ideas, and work towards common goals. Research is not just a tool for national development and innovation in the 21st century—it's the catalyst that drives progress, shapes our future, and unlocks our potential. By investing in research, we invest in our collective growth, prosperity, and well-being. The keynote speakers will share their invaluable insights, experiences, and success stories, inspiring us to embrace the power of research and its potential to transform our world.

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SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES

DAY ONE – NOVEMBER 14, 2023

CONFERENCE OPENING CEREMONY

9:00 Opening

Yusuf Mohammed, Snr. Director, *Public Affairs & Community Relations*

9:05 Welcome Remarks

Professor DeWayne Frazier, *President of AUN and Chief Host*

9:20 About AUNIC Conference

Dr. Abubakar Hussaini, *Conference Chair*

9:30 Special Goodwill Remarks

His Excellency, Rt. Hon. Ahmadu Fintiri, *Executive Governor, Adamawa State*

9:40 Introduction of Keynote Speaker

Mr. Byron Bullock, *Dean of Students*

9:45 Keynote Speech I

Amed Demirhan

10:50 Questions and Answers

10:35 Vote of thanks

Professor Attahir Yusuf, *Provost/Vice President Academic Affair and Host*

10:50 TEA BREAK - 24 HOURS ROOM

11:00 Introduction of the Keynote Speaker

Dr. Adewale James, *Associate Dean, School of Arts and Sciences*

11:05 Keynote Speech II

Professor Odekunle Mathew Remilekun

11:50 Questions and Answers

12:15 LUNCH BREAK - AUN CAFETERIA

14:30 Introduction of Keynote Speaker

Professor Mohammed Yusuf Yusuf, *Dean School of Law*

14:35 Keynote Speech III

Professor Jimmy A. Reyes

15:20 Questions and Answers

15:35 Closing

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DAY TWO – NOVEMBER 15, 2023

9:00 Opening

9:05 Announcements

9:10 Introduction of Keynote Speaker

Dr. Rabi'u Ibrahim, Co-chair Local Organizing Committee

9:15 Keynote Speech IV

Professor Özcan Asilkan

10:00 Questions and Answers

10:15 TEA BREAK - 24 HOURS ROOM

10:30 Technical Sessions I - Chair & Co-chair

Applied sciences & Engineering

Dr. Bolade Agbola (Chair); Dr. Ahmad M. Aliyu (Co-chair)

Business/Management/Entrepreneurship

Prof. Chris Mbab (Chair); Dr. Abubakar Ahmed (Co-chair)

Computing/Information System/Social Sciences

Prof. Umar Hamman Diram (Chair); Dr. Rabi'u Ibrahim (Co-chair)

Education/Humanities/Law

Prof. Sakah Saidu Mahmud (Chair); Dr. Bello Magaji (Co-chair)

Pure Sciences

Prof. Danjuma Jibasen (Chair); Dr. Adewale James (Co-chair)

12:30 LUNCH BREAK - CAFETERIA

14:30 Technical Sessions II- Chair & Co-chair

Applied sciences & Engineering

Dr. Hayatu Raji (Chair); Dr. Adamu Girei Salihu (Co-Chair)

Business/Management/Entrepreneurship

Prof. Leo U. Ukpogon (Chair); Prof. Ibrahim Danjuma (Co-chair)

Computing/Information System/Social Sciences

Prof. Joseph Rishante (Chair); Prof. Özcan Asilkan (Co-chair)

Education/Humanities/Law

Prof. Abdulmumin Sa'ad (Chair); Prof. Maryam Gwangndi (Co-chair)

Pure Sciences

Prof. Samuel Musa (Chair); Dr. Abdufatai Momoh (Co-chair)

16:00 Presentation of Certificates

17:00 Closing



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