

HAPPY NEW YEAR

2018

NEW YEAR'S MESSAGE FROM
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KWAME NKRUMAH UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY
PROVIDING HIGHLIGHTS OF BI-WEEKLY ACTIVITIES IN THE COLLEGE OF SCIENCE - KNUST



New Year Message
(The Office of the Provost)



Executive Mondays



The 48th World Economic Forum
Annual Meeting In Switzerland
(Foster Awintiti Akugri)

6th EDITION



Dear All,

Welcome back from the Christmas and New Year holidays! I trust that we have all had a peaceful transition into the New Year. Kudos to everyone for the sacrifices in 2017; we have done well and progressed from where we started in 2017. Permit me to share a thought on making 2018 even better in our spiritual, family, and academic lives as a College.

Hard work leads to success we often say, but we forget that we get paid for our hardwork while REWARDS come from going the extra mile; exceeding assigned expectations. To have Good Success, we must be observant, proactive, willing to do more to have a good name, love and respect for all who come in contact with us.

As a Corporate body and a College, gaining all these would require diligence and excellence i.e., performing beyond expectation! May we be blessed with a better perspective to our work and duties in 2018 - Not only to work very hard on our assigned tasks for salaries or grades (CWA)... but rather, in all good conscience, perform beyond our assigned expectations. Together, let us arise and build... Let us Go the extra mile to collectively, and in our individual corners, make the College of Science greater for posterity! May we have good health and the Peace of God to go beyond the call of duty. Afenhyia Pa!

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DECLARATION OF MONDAYS AS EXECUTIVE MONDAYS

This is to remind all students of the formal dressing on Mondays. Men should put on tie, while the ladies should put on blouse and skirt / trousers (not jeans). Jacket could also be worn. Furthermore, students are being reminded that lecturers reserve the right to walk students out of lecture rooms if deemed inappropriately dressed.



MEET THE 23 YEAR OLD WHO WILL REPRESENT GHANA AT THE 48TH WORLD ECONOMIC FORUM ANNUAL MEETING IN SWITZERLAND.

Foster Awintiti Akugri, a graduate from the Department of Computer Science, KNUST is the Founder and Curator of HACKLAB Ghana, a not-for-profit foundation promoting technology in Ghana and empowering a young generation of 'techpreneurs' to design solutions to address local problems while creating jobs for people.

He'll have the opportunity to meet with 5 other Global Shapers from Africa; Anita Oke-mini from Nigeria, Doreen Kessy from Tanzania, Fabrice Alomo from Cameroon, Grace Mugabekazi from Rwanda and Shamiso Kumbirai from South Africa.

Also attending from Ghana are H.E. Nana Addo Dankwa Akufo-Addo, President of Ghana, Hon. Alan John Kwadwo Kyeremanten, Minister for Trade and Industry, Hon. Shirley Ayorkor Botchwey, Minister of Foreign Affairs and Regional Integration and Betty Enyonam Kumahor, Managing Partner, The Cobalt Partners

The meeting shall take place in Davos-Kloster, Switzerland from 23rd January to 26th January 2018.

The 48th World Economic Forum Annual Meeting themed, *"Creating a Shared Future in a Fractured World"* therefore aims to rededicate leaders from all walks of life to developing a shared narrative to improve the state of the world.

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