



MASINDE MULIRO UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY
VICE CHANCELLOR'S ROUND UP FOR THE WEEK ENDING,
FRIDAY 11TH NOVEMBER, 2022.

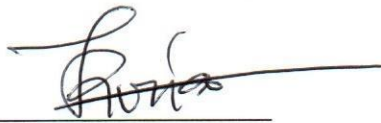
- A team of scholars from Masinde Muliro University of Science and Technology (MMUST) and other institutions, have lamented over the growing prominence of bandit economy in Kenya. This was exhibited during a webinar held on Tuesday 8th November 2022, where the scholars gathered to deliberate on the rationale and impact of bandit economy. This webinar was organized by the Directorate of Research and Postgraduate Support in collaboration with the School of Disaster Management and Humanitarian Assistance (SDMHA).
- MMUST managers on 9th November 2022, signed the Cascaded Cost Centre Performance Contracts for the year 2022/2023 at the Golf Hotel, Kakamega. The signing ceremony was presided over by the Chairperson of the University Council and the Vice Chancellor who was represented by the Deputy Vice-Chancellor, Administration and Finance. This exercise was organized by the Directorate of Performance Monitoring and Evaluation (PME).
- Prof. Rajgopal Sashti, an advisor for Fellowships and Sponsored Programs at Sam Nunn School of International Affairs, Georgia Institute of Technology, Atlanta, Georgia, visited MMUST to facilitate a Grant Writing Workshop that was held from 10th to 12th November, 2022 at MCU 002. This was geared towards enhancing international opportunities through fellowships and grants for staff and students. Prof. Sashti was received by the Director of International Relations and Academic Linkages (DIAL), and later paid a courtesy call to the DVC (Planning, Research and Innovation).
- The African Women in Science and Engineering (AWSE)- MMUST Chapter, yesterday, 10th November 2022, continued with STEM mentorship program and their mission to ensure that they keep female students in school by donating sanitary pads. This was presented during AWSE's outreach activity to Mwiya Secondary School – Kakamega County. This is a key program that will certainly inhibit absenteeism among female students.

- Preparations are on top gear ahead of refurbishing and equipping of the University's Simulation Centre, funded by Malteser International (MI), Germany. A team from MI-Kenya, led by the Health Program Manager, Ms. Joy China, who is also the key driver of the MMUST-MI collaboration, visited the University from 9th November to 10th November, 2022 to discuss the modalities of the project.

I wish you a blessed weekend!

Prof. Solomon Shibairo

Vice Chancellor



Signature

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Date