

MASINDE MULIRO UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY VICE CHANCELLOR'S ROUND UP FOR THE WEEK ENDING, FRIDAY, 1ST MARCH 2024

(MMUST) in partnership with the Mbele Leadership Foundation (MLF) launched the inaugural Mbele Global Leadership Program, at the Senate Boardroom. The groundbreaking student-based leadership development program champions African-centred leadership principles and practices on a global scale. The launch event, which was spearheaded by the School of Business and Economics (SOBE), was graced by the Deputy Vice Chancellor Planning Research and Innovation, alongside the visionary founders of MLF, Pst. Jawwad Love and Dr. Tammi Love, from the United States of America. This momentous occasion symbolizes the commencement of an empowering journey in student-led African-centred leadership development, promising a transformative impact across borders and generations.

On 27th February 2024, Masinde Muliro University of Science and Technology

- The School of Education (SEDU), conducted a workshop to evaluate its academic programs to optimize student learning experiences. The two-day workshop was held from 27th to 28th February 2024 and was steered by the Dean, of the School of Education. The Workshop themed 'Revising Curricula for Teacher Education Programmes,' encompassed presentations aimed at fostering pedagogy, improving educational assessment plans, and assuring the quality and integrity of the University's academic programs.
- MMUST is set to sign a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with Kisiwa Technical Training Institute, as the two (2) institutions held a meeting on Wednesday, 28th February, 2024, to discuss possible areas of collaboration. The meeting, which took place at the Directorate of International Relations and Academic Linkages (DIAL), was attended by delegates from Kisiwa TTI, led by the Career Services Officer- Mr. Cyprian Okello, as well as MMUST staff.

- The University has signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with the Directorate of Resource Surveys and Remote Sensing (DRSRS) in a bid to enhance research and programmes in Geographic Information Systems (GIS). The MoU, which is spearheaded by the School of Disaster Management and Humanitarian Assistance (SDMHA), was signed on 29th February, 2024 by the Vice Chancellorand the Director-DRSRS, Dr. Moses Akali.
- On 29th February 2024, MMUST and the iCare Foundation formalized their commitment through the signing of a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU). The signing ceremony, which took place at the Vice Chancellor's Boardroom, brought together key stakeholders from both institutions, including the Vice Chancellor and representatives from the iCare Foundation, led by the Chairman Board of Directors Mr. Justus Washiko. The partnership marks a significant milestone in the strategic partnership between the two institutions, setting the stage for renewed and expanded cooperation in various areas of mutual interest. Among the primary objectives is the establishment of MMUST as a Regional Command Centre for Disaster Management and Emergency Response, underscoring the collective commitment to proactive disaster mitigation efforts both locally and regionally.
- The Dean's election in the School of Medicine (SOM) and School of Arts and Social Sciences (SASS) took place on 1st March 2024 at the Main Catering Unit (MCU 002). The voting exercise commenced at 8.30am and went on until 12.30pm.

I wish you a blessed weekend ahead!

Prof. Solomon Shibairo Vice Chancellor Signature

