

Staff congratulations

Students give new Acting Dean of Engineering the thumbs up

There is a new sheriff in the Faculty of Engineering. Professor Babatunde Bakare is the new Acting Dean of the faculty and students have thrown their weight behind his interim appointment.

Upon news of his interim appointment being shared on the official MUT Facebook page, students took to social media to commend the University. “It is the right move” and “long overdue” were some of the comments students posted. Professor Bakare brings with him a wealth of experience in research, supervising postgraduate candidates and postdoctoral fellows, and mentoring junior colleagues. Apart from serving the faculty as chairperson of its research committee, Professor Bakare also leads the Environmental Pollution and Remediation Research Group (EPRRG). This research group has produced over 20 journal articles and numerous conference proceedings. Over the years, the EPRRG has hosted and supervised postdoctoral fellows, PhD students, Master’s students and B.Tech students.

Last year, Professor Bakare received a Y2 research rating by the National Research Foundation in recognition of his research output. He holds a Bachelor of Engineering, Master of Science Engineering (Environmental Engineering) and a doctorate in Chemical Engineering.



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