



MUNI UNIVERSITY

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Muni University admitted to RUFORUM.

Muni University has been admitted to the Regional Universities Forum for capacity building in Africa (RUFORUM) as the 65th university, during their Annual General Meeting in South Africa which was attended by the Vice Chancellor of Muni University Prof Christine Dranzoa. RUFORUM established in 2004, is a consortium of universities in East, Central, Western and Southern Africa.

RUFORUM aims at strengthening the capacity of locally based researchers who are responsive to farmer needs and opportunities for agricultural innovation within a context of national development.

Parliamentary Committee visits Muni University.

The Parliamentary Committee on Education chaired by Hon Nakayenze Connie Galiwango woman MP for Mbale District on Thursday 27th October 2016 visited Muni University. The committee had a meeting with the Management during which they were briefed on the state of Muni University-Management structure, opportunities, physical infrastructure, students' welfare and challenges among



other areas, the committee raised a number of concerns to which the management responded. They however pledged to look in to the areas that need support. The committee also had a separate meeting with the student leaders.

MPs present included Hon. Driwaru Zaitun woman Member of Parliament Yumbe District and Hon Baba Diri Margret woman MP Koboko District

The Members of parliament were later on hosted for lunch at the Slumber land Hotel.

Ediofe Girls A' level hosted for career guidance.

Over 100 students of Ediofe girls embarked on a tour to Muni University on Thursday 13th October 2016, the students who were received and hosted by the office of the Academic Registrar were taken for a guided tour of the University and given career guidance. The tour was to inspire and motivate the students about university education as well as interest them to join Muni University when they qualify. They were educated on application procedures and how to earn a government scholarship to join Muni University, the students and their teachers were grateful to the management of the University for the eye opening information that they received, many of the students have promised to consider Muni University as their first choice in order to partake of the Government scholarships.



Public Lecture on Rheumatology.

Professor EMERITUS ROBERT B. ZURIER, MD. Visited Muni University on Wednesday 26th October 2016 and gave a Public Lecture on Rheumatoid Arthritis. For two days the Professor interacted with the students of Bachelor of Nursing Science.

Given his immense knowledge and wisdom in the field of medicine, students were able to make inquiries on various case scenarios.



The Professor later on visited the Arua Regional Referral Hospital and Kuluva Hospital and was treated to a farewell dinner by the management of Muni University at the prestigious Desert Breeze Hotel at the end of his visit.

Professor. ZURIER, Retired as the Chief of Rheumatology and Professor of Medicine at the University of

Massachusetts Medical School. He continues to be actively involved in clinical Research and is an adjunct Professor of Medicine at New York University School of Medicine.