



MASINDE MULIRO UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY
VICE CHANCELLOR'S ROUND UP FOR THE WEEK ENDING,
FRIDAY, 16TH SEPTEMBER, 2022.


- On 14th September 2022, a team of sugarcane researchers led by the Principal Investigator (PI), Prof. Leonard Wamocho, paid a courtesy call to the Vice Chancellor at his office to brief him on the proposed research project that will soon be launched at the University. The intention is to produce sugarcane seedlings through vegetative production. Such seedlings have no disease and hence the sugarcane produced will have less diseases leading to increased per acre production.
- Kakamega County is set to partner with MMUST and other training institutions to spur development. This was evident during the swearing-in ceremony of the newly elected Governor H.E FCPA Fernandes Odinga Barasa and his Deputy Hon. Angatia Ayub Savula on 15th September, 2022 at Bukhungu stadium. The event was attended by MMUST's Chairperson of Council, Dr. Musangi Jane Mutua, Vice Chancellor, and other notable leaders from the region including Cabinet Secretary of the Ministry of Defense/Devolution, Hon. Eugene Wamalwa, His Excellency, Wycliffe Ambetsa Oparanya and his Deputy Prof. Philip Kutima, Senator, Hon. Dr. Bonny Khalwale, Members of Parliament, and County Assembly and other dignitaries.
- The Institute of Indigenous Knowledge and Cultural Studies (IIKCS) has organized a webinar in collaboration with the School of Disaster Management and Humanitarian Assistance (SDMHA) on '*Harnessing Indigenous Knowledge for Disaster Risk Management in the 21st Century.*' The Webinar is among a series of webinars which the Institute is organizing in conjunction with academic Schools, Directorates and Centers. The main aim of the webinars is to harness, and document indigenous knowledge and cultures embedded in various disciplines as well as to identify research gaps.

The Webinar took place today Friday 16th September, 2022 between 1:00 p.m. and 4:10 p.m.

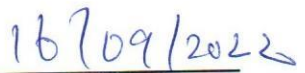
- MMUST has today, Friday 16th September, 2022, hosted Lurambi Constituency MP, Hon. Titus Khamala, to discuss possible areas of collaboration. The MP was received by the Vice Chancellor, Deputy Vice Chancellors, Academic and Student Affairs, Planning, Research and Innovation and Dr Samuel Waweru of TVET. Hon. Khamala, who was accompanied by his Personal Assistant, Dr. Musera, stated that the Constituency would like to sponsor students to MMUST, especially in TVET programmes.

I wish you a blessed weekend!

Prof. Solomon Shibairo
Vice Chancellor



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Date