

## MISSION STATEMENT

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## CORE VALUES (ARISE)

- » Accountability & Integrity
- » Respect & Collegiality
- » Inclusion & Diversity
- » Service & Efficiency
- » Excellence & Innovation

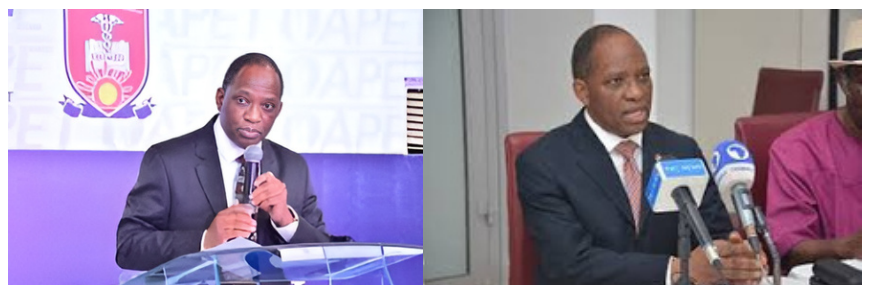
## GOALS OF UNIMED

The goal of the University is to support Nigeria's quest for high quality education, service delivery, research and innovation in the medical sciences.

## VC'S MESSAGE

The University, within the space of less than a decade of its existence, has made remarkable inroads in medical and health sciences education. From its little beginning, it has grown in leaps and bounds to the admiration of all. It is therefore considered imperative to keep both our internal and external publics updated on the activities of the University from time to time. The more we know the better for all of us, as the business of promotion of the University is a collective responsibility. No one lights a candle and puts it under the bushel. On the one hand, all members of the University community need to be well informed of the developments within the institution to serve well as her ambassadors. On the other handle, we cannot afford to keep the commendable initiatives happening in our University to ourselves. We must amplify our activities so that the larger society can benefit from it. This newsletter is one of the many tools we will deploy to achieve our collective aspirations and goals.

I encourage members of the University community to circulate this UNIMED Newsletter widely. Let it reach even the supposedly unreached of the society. We are a centre of excellence, and excellence has no restriction. It reverberates across nations and generations. This newsletter is also our "common" heritage. We should all commit to contributing information to the Public Relations team to enrich this newsletter. Finally, let me welcome Mr Isaac Oluyi, our new Principal Assistant Registrar and Head of Public Relations. This newsletter is coming within a week of his resumption. What a wonderful way to take off! I commend him and members of his team for this initiative. This initiative has come to stay and we will serve you with useful information on medical and health sciences every week.



**PROFESSOR ADESEGUN FATUSI**  
VICE CHANCELLOR

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## FROM THE EDITOR

Medical and health sciences are critical to human existence and/or how humans manage the totality of their health. While medical science studies how the human body works, health science, on the other hand, studies the well-being, health, or medical care for human beings or those who are sick or unhealthy. The common denominator here is 'human'.

This suggests the significance of medical and health sciences to the existence or continued existence of human beings in a healthy manner, as if the body is not in a proper shape it affects man socially and psychologically.

It's thus considered apposite that we keep the internal and external publics of the first specialised medical and health sciences

## HIGHLIGHTS

- Professor Ogundahunsi bags malaria research award
- UNIMED partners WACP to train medical doctors in clinical studies
- UNIMED rolls out 2024 admission processes
- New Head of Public Relations appointed by UNIMED

University in Nigeria - UNIMED- abreast of goings-on within its environment, especially events that centre on teaching, research and community service. In this maiden edition, we have chronicled the recognition of the exploits of Professor Ogundahunsi, a cerebral scholar, in malaria research, the collaboration between UNIMED and WACP, and how to gain admission into our unique institution as well as the programmes we have on offer. This edition is simply unputdownable. It takes you through our journey in June and gives a glimpse of what to come as the year progresses. Happy reading!



**ISAAC OLUYI**

*Head, Public Relations Unit*

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## UNIMED ROLLS OUT 2024 ADMISSION PROCESSES

Candidates who chose the **Ondo State University of Medical Sciences** or those willing to change and choose UNIMED as their preferred tertiary institution in the 2024 UTME can start gearing up for the 2024 Admission Exercise. While awaiting the official announcement of the 2024 Admission Registration dates, prospective candidates maybe rest assured that the registration will commence soon ONLY on the University's website. It is important to understand the general admission requirements and the anticipated 2024 Post-UTME registration process.

### GENERAL ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS FOR THE 2024 ADMISSION EXERCISE:

Admission into UNIMED's Full-Time Undergraduate programmes are through the following modes: **1.** Unified Tertiary Matriculation Examination (UTME) **2.** Direct Entry (DE) **3.** Inter-University Transfer (Local or Foreign) *To be eligible, candidates must meet the following criteria:* 1. Academic qualifications: candidates must possess at least five (5) credits in O'Level examinations (either WAEC, NECO or GCE) in subjects such as English Language, Mathematics, Biology, Chemistry & Physics 2. 2024 UTME Score: Candidates must have scored a minimum of 150 marks in the 2024 UTME. DE candidates must have obtained the 2024 JAMB Direct Entry Registration Form 3. Post-UTME Examination: UTME & DE candidates must participate and attain the required minimum score in the University's 2024 Post-UTME CBT examination. 4. Registration process Once the registration dates have been announced, UTME & DE candidates should follow the appropriate steps to register for the 2024 Post-UTME screening on the University Website @

b. Access the Admission portal Click on 'ADMISSION' and then 'POST-UTME PORTAL'. <https://www.unimed.edu.ng>

### Eligibility criteria for the 2024 UNIMED Post UTME Screening

1. To participate in the Post-UTME screening exercise, candidates must have selected the Ondo State University of Medical Sciences as their first (1st) choice in the UTME and scored at least 150 marks. 2. they must have uploaded their O'Level results on the JAMB Central Admissions Processing System (CAPS) before the specified deadline. 3. Awaiting result (AR) candidates are also welcome to apply, BUT will not be offered admission until their results have been released and uploaded on CAPS.

### New Head of Public Relations Appointed by UNIMED

The University of Medical Sciences, Ondo City has appointed Isaac Oluyi as the Head of the institution's Public Relations Unit. He assumed duty on Wednesday, 19th June, 2024.

Isaac Oluyi is a Public Speaker, Writer and a Public Relations Practitioner. He graduated as the overall best student from the Department of English Studies, Obafemi Awolowo University, Ile-Ife, specialising in Literature-in-English. He also holds a Master's degree in Mass Communication with Distinction from Lead City University, Ibadan and a Certificate in Entrepreneurship jointly awarded by Methodist University College, Wenchi, Ghana and Handong Global University, South Korea.



He started his public service career as an Administrative Officer I in the office of the Director-General of the National Centre for Technology Management (NACETEM), an Agency of the Ministry of Innovation, Science and Technology with its headquarters at Obafemi Awolowo University, Ile-Ife and zonal offices across the six geopolitical zones of the country. He worked with series of Directors-General and etched the name of the institution in gold in terms of visibility and reputation management.

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Here are some vital things to note about the anticipated UNIMED 2024 Post-UTME: •The 2024 Post-UTME Computer Based Test is a critical component of the admission process, all candidates are advised to prepare thoroughly, as their performance will significantly influence their admission prospects. •Past questions for the CBT will be available to candidates upon completion of the online registration on the University website •UNIMED has NO Admission Agent either on its social media platforms or within the Institution, BEWARE of Admission Scammers For details and updates, candidates should regularly check the University website on [www.unimed.edu.ng](http://www.unimed.edu.ng) or contact the admissions office via email at [admissions@unimed.edu.ng](mailto:admissions@unimed.edu.ng) or call 0813 551 3654.

## PROFESSOR OGUNDAHUNSI BAGS MALARIA RESEARCH AWARD

A Nigerian Professor of Pharmacology and the Director, Strategy and Programme Management, University of Medical Sciences (UNIMED), Ondo State, Olumide Ogundahunsi, has received the 'Ogobara Doumbo Multilateral Initiative Malaria (MIM) Award for Lifetime Achievements in Malaria Research and Capacity Building.'

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He rose to the rank of Chief Administrative Officer before switching career to the Information Officer cadre. In the course of his career, he has compered several national and international events, which include, among others: National Council on Science and Technology Meeting (the highest decision-making organ on science, technology and innovation in Nigeria), International Conference on Evidence-informed Policy Making (with participants from 6 continents of the world). Isaac Oluyi is a scholar-practitioner with published books and journal articles on development communication, literary communication and personal development to his credit. He has also facilitated trainings for top-notch institutions such as Central Bank of Nigeria Training Institute, Lagos, National Salaries, Incomes and Wages Commission, Abuja, Nigerian Shippers' Council, among others. He is also a Media Consultant to the Nigerian Institute of Social and Economic Research (NISER), Ibadan. He is an Associate Member of the Nigerian Institute of Public Relations and Member of Institute of Strategic Management of Nigeria. Until his appointment by the University as Principal Assistant Registrar (Public Relations), he was an Assistant Director (Information) and the Head of Public Relations Unit of NACETEM.

## UNIMED PARTNERS WACP TO TRAIN MEDICAL DOCTORS IN CLINICAL STUDIES

The University of Medical Science, Ondo (UNIMED), in Ondo state, disclosed on Thursday that the institution has partnered with the West African College of Physicians (WACP) to train medical doctors in PhD in Clinical Studies.

National Chairman and Vice President of WACP, Dr. Jeremiah Aboi Madanaki, disclosed the partnership, stating that the collaboration and academic partnership would provide skills complementary to the professional training of medical doctors in Nigeria and West Africa in general.

Madanaki explained that WACP is a specialized agency of the West African Health Organization responsible for training postgraduate medical doctors.

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Memorandum of Understanding Signed between UNIMED and West African College of Physicians (WACP)