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INVENT YOUR FUTURE

The media industry has undergone drastic changes over the past few decades, owing to technological advancements and evolved consumer habits.

The rise of Digital Media has been one of the most monumental changes in the media industry, having caused a massive adoption of internet-enabled and mobile devices that have made the dissemination and access to information efficient and convenient. New technologies and platforms have expanded the

responsibilities of media practitioners to include navigation of complex ethical and legal frameworks, as well as adapting to the changing media landscape.

The buck stops with institutions of higher learning by ensuring that media practitioners are well-trained and adaptable to the industry dynamics. This can be achieved through offering industry-relevant and up-to-date programs, rigorous hands-on training using modern equipment, and fostering

collaborations with industry experts to provide mentorship and networking opportunities to the students.

As part of its strategies to promote creativity and innovation among students, Zetech University hosted its first film festival where students showcased their short films, animations, audiovisual productions and documentaries that highlighted various social issues affecting local communities and the country at large. In attendance were media

industry experts from the Royal Media Services, CMG International Radio, Standard Media Group and award-winning film actors & Music producers who evaluated the creative works and ascertained their suitability for the industry needs.

In its commitment to providing innovative and high-quality education that equips students with 21st-century skills and prepares them for the dynamic world of work, the Zetech film festival culminated with the launch of a Bachelor of Journalism and a Bachelor of Science in Media and Digital Communication. Both programs have been carefully designed to meet the needs of students and the demands of the rapidly evolving job market.

Speaking at the program launch, Zetech University Vice-Chancellor Prof. Njenga Munene noted that the technological expansion experienced in the media industry called for the development of programs that are objective and give students a hands-on learning experience. “New technologies and platforms have expanded the responsibilities of media practitioners to include navigation of complex ethical and legal frameworks, as well as adapting to the changing media landscape. This requires a range of technical and soft skills”, he remarked.

Prof. Munene also pointed out that the world has experienced a shift in how content is disseminated, with traditional media outlets now sharing content with their audience through digital platforms such as websites, apps, and social media; emphasizing the need for universities to equip students with the skills and competencies that

match the pace of these changes.

While lauding Zetech University for the launch of the programs and setting the pace for other universities, Head of Radio Maisha, Anthony Ndiema opined that the rise of digital media also midwived the birth of citizen journalism, which poses a challenge to professional journalism.

“We are living in an era where information is disseminated spontaneously and in real-time. This poses a challenge to us, professional journalists because reliability, accuracy and trustworthiness of information have never been more vital. To stand out, we are called upon to prioritize extensive reporting, investigative journalism, and verification of information so that we engage with our audience in a meaningful and credible manner”, he said.

The launch of the new programs was also well-received by students, who expressed interest in progressing from their diploma to bachelor levels of study in the ongoing intake. “I am excited about the Bachelor of Science in Media and Digital Communication program,” said Michelle, a diploma finalist student at Zetech University. “I do not doubt that it will polish my skills and knowledge in digital communication.

Applications to join Zetech University either at the Nairobi City, Ruiru, Mang’u Technopark or Online Campus are ongoing through their online application process that is quick, easy, and accessible from anywhere.



Oracle Academy computing bootcamp training session for tutors held at Zetech University Ruiru Campus.

Impact of Oracle Academy Computing Bootcamp on Tutors

In the twenty-first century, the urgent need to reorient and modernize Kenya’s higher education system cannot be overstated or dismissed.

Over the years, educators in Kenya and around the world have demonstrated a desire to accept and fuse modern technologies and innovations in their roles of instructing aspiring scientists, engineers, ICT developers, and other students enrolled in programs of a similar nature.

However, research has revealed that there are only a small number of institutions or professionals who can provide the latest expertise, knowledge, and creative solutions to the world’s newest challenges.

This is why Oracle Academy, in partnership with the Global Peace Foundation Kenya, had the honor of hosting the inaugural training on the computer boot camp for revolutionizing education for Kenyan tertiary instructors at Zetech University.

The program, Transforming Education Bootcamp for Kenyan Tertiary Educators, drew more than 50 academics who participated in person and 93 more who attended remotely from various universities.

In addition to offering training courses for tertiary educators, the Global Peace Foundation Kenya has been actively advocating peace-building and conflict-resolution projects across the globe.

Mr. Daniel Juma Omondi, the executive director of the Global Peace Foundation Kenya, said during the occasion that his organization promotes peace through education and that it works closely with educators and stakeholders while utilizing cutting-edge technology to capture what is crucial.

Additionally, Mr. Juma urged the young people present to pursue careers in data analytics, web design, and data science to arm themselves with the knowledge and abilities needed to survive in the modern world, noting that the technology sector is lucrative and offers many benefits due to the high salaries of those who work in it.

The Foundation’s training program for higher education professionals strives to provide them with the information and abilities required to foster social cohesion, understanding, and peace in their local communities.

Danny Gooris, Director of Oracle Academy, also participated remotely. He expressed his appreciation for their assistance in making the event possible, and he commended Zetech University’s board of directors as well as the entire faculty. The Oracle Academy cloud computing program was then introduced, and the speaker gave some useful information about it while emphasizing the importance of “Oracle Cloud infrastructure to everyone.” Cloud programming should be taught to students because it is becoming increasingly vital in today’s technologically savvy culture. Cloud computing allows individuals and companies to store and access data and applications via the internet rather than local servers or personal computers.”

Oracle Academy’s cloud computing program is widely recognized as comprehensive and up-to-date.

Students who are interested in pursuing careers in computer science, software engineering, or other technology-related industries need to have a strong grasp of cloud programming. They will be better prepared to design, develop, and implement cloud-based services and apps that tend to the requirements of today’s businesses and consumers by honing these skills.

Dr. Eng. Wilfred G. Gikaru, dean of Zetech University’s School of ICT, Media, and Engineering, expressed his excitement about attending the event as a teacher and how everyone might benefit from understanding machine learning and data analytics.

Using the potent Oracle Analytics tool, this year’s theme was “Data Analytics & Machine Learning for Educators.” To stay up with the changing demands of their pupils and to improve their teaching methods, educators in the modern digital age need to become more proficient in data analytics and machine learning.

Zetech University, Where Excellence In Education Is Unleashed

By Christine Mutegi



Zetech University media students during a show at the Zetech Radio studio

Selecting the right university is a critical decision that lays the foundation of a career path. This in turn sets the pace for the achievement of career goals and the level of satisfaction in the world of work. An institution of higher learning is where knowledge is nurtured, dreams take flights to reality, skills are honed, and passions are turned to purpose.

Top of the go-to institutions of higher learning is Zetech University. Zetech is a leading technology and entrepreneurial university in Kenya that is committed to promoting excellence in education and research by integrating innovation and technology to impact society.

Anchored on Integrity, Commitment to Excellence, Innovation, Customer Focus, and Teamwork; the ISO 9001:2015 certified and fully chartered University has a track record of over 25 years in nurturing holistic talents and producing market-ready graduates who are equipped with the skills and knowledge necessary to succeed in today's competitive job market.

Below are the captivating benefits that you stand to gain by enrolling in a course at Zetech University, which is the home of scholarly excellence and an unmatched student experience.

Quality Guaranteed

At Zetech University, quality is not just a promise; it's a guarantee. The institution has invested in highly trained and experienced faculty that is committed to delivering exceptional education through extensive industry experience and a passion for knowledge creation and dissemination.

Moreover, Zetech University takes pride in state-of-the-art learning facilities that provide a hands-on and conducive approach to academic pursuits. The modern lecture halls, well-equipped laboratories, and cutting-edge technology create a dynamic atmosphere that stimulates innovation and fosters creativity.

Timely Completion

Zetech University is cognizant of the value of fast-tracking an academic journey without compromising the quality of education

To ensure the timely completion of studies, the University applies a trimester system that allows students to complete their programmes in a shorter duration and give them a competitive edge in the job market.

Additionally, Zetech is an accredited center for Open and Distance e-Learning (ODEL) that provides students with flexibility and convenience in their academic pursuits. Students with prior recognised academic achievements & qualifications are eligible for unit exemptions, which not only saves time but also reduces the overall study expenses. The University also upholds timely feedback on students' academic progress by releasing exam results promptly to ensure that

they stay informed and map out their careers.

Student Finance

In its quest to make quality education accessible to all, Zetech University offers affordable tuition fees with flexible fee payment schedules. This allows payment in installments and eases the burden by aligning with a wide range of financial capabilities.

Additionally, students have access to loans from the Higher Education Loans Board (HELB) which further provide financial support to students. The university also offers scholarship opportunities based on merit to provide students with opportunities to excel academically while alleviating their financial burdens.

Great Prospects

Zetech University goes beyond providing a theoretical approach to education by equipping students with practical skills that give them a cutting-edge advantage in the job market. From mandatory training on employability,

entrepreneurship, and ICT to regular industry visits and immersion programs; students gain invaluable exposure to real-world practices and build essential networks with industry professionals.

The institution takes pride in its strong linkages and collaborations with industry experts which provide opportunities for internships, industrial placements, and mentorship programs. Connecting students with industry leaders opens doors to endless possibilities and paves the way for a rewarding career.

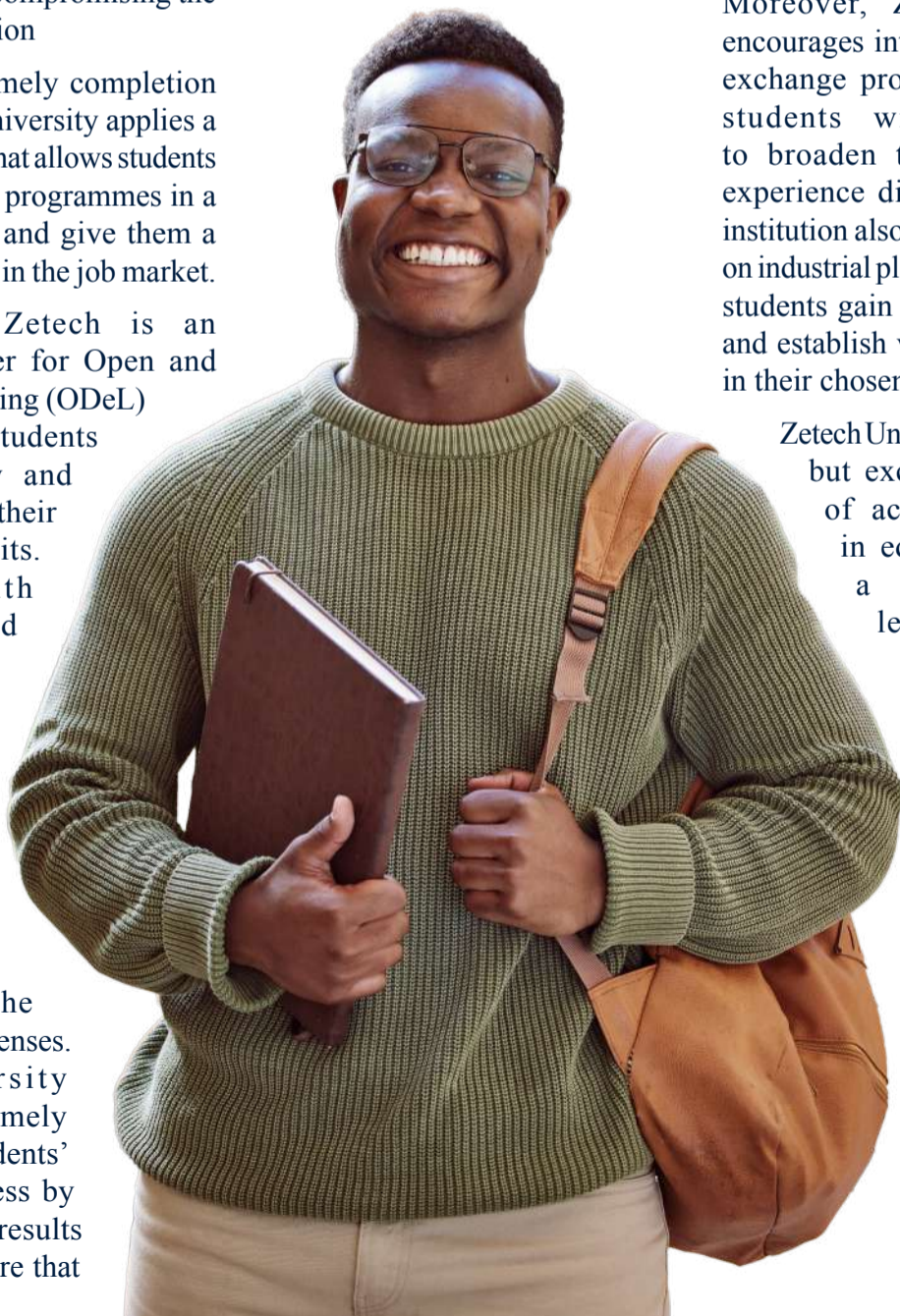
Vibrant Student Experience

Zetech University believes in nurturing well-rounded individuals who can thrive in the dynamic world of work.

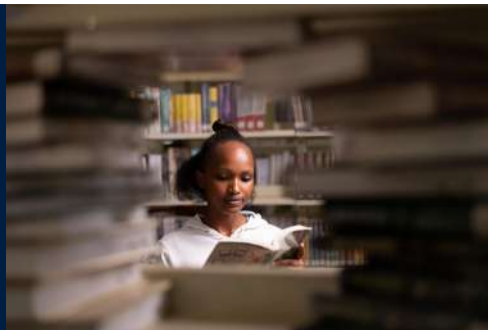
Education at the institution goes beyond books and classrooms to incorporate a vibrant student experience that entails sporting and recreational activities, clubs, societies and comprehensive career guidance services to nurture an inclusive environment.

Moreover, Zetech University encourages international academic exchange programs that provide students with opportunities to broaden their horizons and experience diverse cultures. The institution also strongly emphasizes on industrial placement to ensure that students gain practical experience and establish valuable connections in their chosen career paths.

Zetech University not only meets but exceeds the standards of academic excellence in education, providing a transformative learning experience and unrivaled opportunities. Choose Zetech University and embark on a journey that will shape your future and empower you to make a lasting impact in the world.



The Student Lens



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Don't Survive, Thrive. Tips On Creating A Memorable Campus Experience

By Tevin Nderitu



Embarking on a new journey in higher education is thrilling, filled with opportunities for personal growth and unforgettable experiences. As you step foot on the vibrant campus grounds, it becomes crucial to make the most of your time and create a memorable campus experience. From forging lifelong friendships to engaging in exciting extracurricular activities, there are numerous ways to enrich your years on campus. By immersing yourself in the vibrant campus community, seeking out new challenges, and embracing a spirit of exploration, you can ensure that your time at campus becomes a chapter you will cherish forever. Let's explore some invaluable tips and insights on how to create a truly unforgettable and transformative campus experience:

Stay organised: Use a planner, calendar, or an online tool to keep track of your deadlines, assignments, and classes. This will help you stay on top of your schedule and prevent last-minute cramming and late assignment submissions. Some of the mobile phone applications you can use to keep track of your work include Microsoft To-Do, Any-Do and Tick Tick. This will result in effective time management and also performance in your class work.

Take good notes: Look for a note-taking system that works for you, whether it's bullet points or mind maps. Review and revise your notes regularly to help you retain the information. You can also use a

highlighter when marking important pointers that are examinable. They help you understand concepts easily and have a seamless time studying.

Get involved: Ensure that your campus life is engaging. Join a club, attend events, or volunteer on campus. This is a great way to meet new people and gain new experiences outside of the classroom. Some of the clubs that you can join at Zetech include the AIESEC, Kenya Model United Nations, Zetech Furnace (Drama Club), Leo Club, Rover scouts, Public Speaking, Journalism and Red Cross clubs.

Use campus resources: Take advantage of resources such as the library, and writing centers. These services can provide additional support and help you succeed in your coursework. Zetech has state-of-the-art facilities that can be utilised to give students a seamless campus experience such as a well-equipped library, IT centers with fast Wi-Fi.

Stay healthy: Get enough sleep, exercise regularly, and eat a balanced diet. Taking care of your physical and mental health is important for your overall well-being. This is a key ingredient for productivity and ensuring that all goes well for you.

Stay motivated: Set goals and remind yourself why you are in University. Celebrate your successes and stay positive even when faced with challenges. Every small win counts and should be equally celebrated just as a big win is.

Stay connected: Stay in touch with family and friends and build a support network. This can help you stay motivated and provide a source of comfort during stressful times. You can go out for lunch with friends, and meet regularly with family members.



Mr. and Miss Zetech University Mang'u campus crowned

By Tevin Nderitu

The beauty pageant was the first of its kind and was attended by students on all the different campuses. The pageant showcased the beauty, talent, and intelligence of the contestants and promoted unity and diversity among the Zetech community of students.

The competition was open to both male and female students, who met specific eligibility criteria to participate. The contestants showcased their skills in various categories, including talent, sportswear, evening wear, and an interview round where they were assessed on their knowledge and communication skills.

The event was organized by a committee comprising student volunteers, faculty advisors, and external sponsors. Some of the awards they got were also sponsored by Kernal Hospital.

In the results, the crown Title of Mr. Zetech University went to M. Christian Richard, and the 1st Runners went to Abongo Moses. The crown Title for Miss Zetech University went to Ms. Joy Kirimi and the first runner-up was Florence Adhiambo.

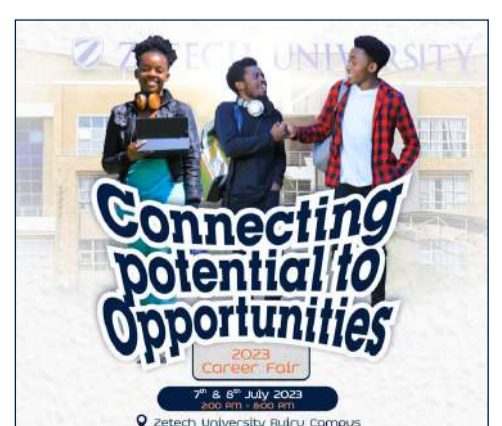
Mr. John Mwai, the Director of Corporate Affairs and Marketing

at Zetech University, lauded the students for their participation and their commitment to breathing life into the event. "I wish to extend my gratitude to all of you who participated and played a

part in making this event as successful as it is. I have enjoyed myself and I hope this platform will nurture talents and hobbies. As a University, we are committed to supporting you.

The event provided a platform for students to showcase their talents, promote unity and diversity, and make a positive impact to the Zetech community.

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Master of Business Administration	72,000/-	4

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Bachelor of Commerce	54,650/-	8
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Bachelor of Accounting and Finance	54,650/-	8
Bachelor of Science in Actuarial Science	60,650/-	8
Bachelor of Economics & Statistics	54,650/-	8
Bachelor of Science in Health Systems Management	54,650/-	8
Bachelor of Business Information Technology	60,650/-	8
Bachelor of Science in Information Technology	60,650/-	8
Bachelor of Science in Computer Science	60,650/-	8
Bachelor of Science in Computer Science & Mathematics	60,650/-	8
Bachelor of Science in Computer Science & Applied Physics	60,650/-	8
Bachelor of Science in Software Engineering	60,650/-	8
Bachelor of Journalism	60,650/-	8
Bachelor of Science in Media & Digital Communication	60,650/-	8
Bachelor of Science in Hospitality and Tourism Management	60,650/-	8
Bachelor of Arts in International Relations and Diplomacy	54,650/-	8
Bachelor of Education Arts	41,500/-	8
Bachelor of Arts in Psychology with Technology	54,650/-	8
Bachelor of Arts in Sociology & Technology	54,650/-	8
Bachelor of Arts in Political Science with Technology	54,650/-	8

DIPLOMA PROGRAMMES	TUITION FEE PER SEMESTER	No SEMESTERS
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Diploma in Business Administration and Management	30,650/-	4
Diploma in Procurement and Supply Chain Management	30,650/-	4
Diploma in Human Resource Management	30,650/-	4
Diploma in Accounting and Finance	30,650/-	4
Diploma in Community Development	30,650/-	4
Diploma in Community Health	30,650/-	4
Diploma in Counseling Psychology	30,650/-	4
Diploma in Project Management	30,650/-	4
Diploma in Criminology and Security Studies	30,650/-	4
Diploma in Film and Television Production	34,650/-	4
Diploma in International Relations and Diplomacy	30,650/-	4
Diploma in Communication and Media Studies	34,650/-	4
Diploma in Information Technology	36,850/-	4
Diploma in Software Engineering	34,650/-	4
Diploma in Electrical Engineering	34,650/-	4
Diploma in Business Information Technology	34,650/-	4
Diploma in Computer Science	34,650/-	4
Diploma in Hospitality Management	41,850/-	4
Diploma in Tourism Management	30,650/-	4

CERTIFICATE PROGRAMMES	TUITION FEE PER SEMESTER	No SEMESTERS
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Certificate in Business Management	26,050/-	2
Certificate in Procurement and Supply Chain Management	26,050/-	2
Certificate in Digital Marketing	26,050/-	2
Certificate in Information Technology	27,050/-	2
Certificate in Journalism and Media Studies	29,650/-	2
Certificate in Digital Film Production & Video Technology	29,650/-	2
Certificate in Electrical Engineering	29,650/-	2
Certificate in Development Studies Management	26,050/-	2
Certificate in Hospitality and Tourism Management	32,650/-	2


PROGRAMME	TVETA ACCREDITED	TUITION FEE PER TERM	No TERMS PER TERM
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Diploma in Early Childhood Teacher Education (KNEC)		21,000/-	7
Diploma in Electrical Engineering (Power) (KNEC)		15,000/-	9
Diploma in Food & Beverage Production, Sales & Service Management (KNEC)		16,500/-	7
Diploma in Journalism (ICM)		15,000/-	3
Certified Human Resources Professional (HRMPEB)		15,000/-	8
Certified Public Accountant (KASNEB)		18,000/-	2
Accounting Technicians Diploma (KASNEB)		20,000/-	3
Certificate in Accounting & Management Skills (KASNEB)		20,000/-	2
Certificate in Business Management (KNEC)		15,000/-	5
Certificate in Supply Chain Management (KNEC)		15,000/-	5
Certificate in Human Resource Management (KNEC)		15,000/-	5
Certificate in Information Communication Technology (KNEC)		15,000/-	5
Certificate in Electrical & Electronic Engineering (KNEC)		15,000/-	6
Certificate in Journalism (ICM)		15,000/-	3
Certificate in Food & Beverage Production, Sales & Service Management (KNEC)		16,500/-	5
Certificate in Community Development & Social Work (KNEC)		15,000/-	3
Artisan Certificate in Electrical Installation (KNEC)		15,000/-	3
Artisan Certificate in Food & Beverage Production (KNEC)		16,500/-	3
Artisan Certificate in Salesmanship (KNEC)		15,000/-	3
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Ngoja Nikukumbushe Kidogo

Na Johnwise Aura Asiele -



Kama ulikuwa hujui, ikifika umri wa miaka 60, watu wanakuwa wamestaafu kazi

Johnwise ni mwanafunzi wa Bachelor of Science in Media and Digital Communication, mwaka wa pili.

Kama ulikuwa hujui, ikifika umri wa miaka 40, waliosoma sana na waliosoma kidogo, wote wanakuwa sawa tu, ni wakati huu majigambo ya certificates, diploma, degree, masters, PhD, hupotea kabisa. Ni katika umri huu, inawezekana mwenye elimu ndogo, akatengeneza pesa nyingi sana kuliko mwenye elimu kubwa. Waliosoma sana na waliosoma kidogo, wote wanakuwa sawa tu.

Kama ulikuwa haujui, ikifika umri wa miaka 50, mtu aliyesemekana kwamba alikuwa mrembo, na mtu aliyesemekana kwamba alikuwa ana sura mbaya, wote wanaanza kuwa sawa tu. Ni wakati huu, mikunjo usoni, vipara kichwani, mvi n.k, haviwezi kukwepeka tena.

Kama ulikuwa hujui, ikifika umri wa miaka 60, watu wanakuwa wamestaafu kazi, aliyekuwa na cheo kikubwa na aliyekuwa na cheo kidogo, wote wanakuwa sawa tu. Ni wakati huu, hawa watu wanakuwa washikaji, wanaanza kukaa kijiwe kimoja, wanapiga story zenye idea zinazofanana, mara nyingi utawakuta makanisani au misikitini pamoja.

Kama ulikuwa hujui, ikifika umri wa miaka 70, mwenye nyumba ndogo na mwenye nyumba kubwa, wote wanakuwa sawa tu, wote wanahitaji nafasi ndogo sana ya kukaa, kwa kuwa ni katika kipindi hiki, kuhamisha-hamisha vitu,

inakuwa taabu sana. Mwenye ghorofa atapenda kukaa nyumba ya chini, kwa kuwa miguu yake inianza kukosa nguvu. Ni wakati huu, watoto huwaachia nyumba na kwenda kuanza maisha yao, hivyo, nyumba huwa kubwa kuliko mahitaji.

Kama ulikuwa hujui, ikifika umri wa miaka 80, walio na pesa na wasio na pesa, wote wanakuwa sawa tu, hata mwenye pesa anapotaka kutumia pesa zake, anakuwa hajui wapi pa kwenda, wote tajiri na masikini, hubaki nyumbani tu.

Kama ulikuwa hujui, ikifika umri wa miaka 90, kulala usingizi na kuamka, vyote vinakuwa sawa tu, kwa kuwa hata ukiamka, unakuwa huna cha kufanya, hapa masikini na tajiri, wote wanasubiri kifo tu.

Katika maisha, kama wewe ulidhani ni mtu muhimu kuliko watu wengine, kwa sababu ya elimu, uzuri, nafasi yako kazini, nyumba, au kipato chako kuwa kikubwa. Basi ulikuwa hujui tu, wewe ni wa kawaida sana, hakuna mtu mwenye nafasi kubwa kuliko mwingine, ni suala la muda tu.



Wanaume Husema Ukweli Siku Zote

Hii ni kwa wanaume ila mwanamke anaweza kusoma na kujifunza kuwa wanaume wote ni waaminifu.

Mwanaume mmoja alienda kukata miti kwa ajili ya mkaa, bahati mbaya panga likadondokea mtoni, akaanza kulia sana. Malaika akatokea na kumuuliza kwanini analia. Jamaa akajibu: "Panga langu limesondokea mtoni na ndilo ninalotegemea kuendesha maisha yangu".

Malaika akazama mtoni na kuibika na panga la DHAHABU na kumuuliza, ndio hili?

Jamaa akajibu, "Hapana".

Malaika akazama tena na kuibuka na panga la SHABA na kuuliza, ndio hili?

Jamaa akajibu, "Hapana".

Malaika akazama tena mara hii akaibuka na panga la CHUMA na kuuliza ndio hili? Jamaa akajibu: "Ndio". Malaika akafurahishwa sana na uaminifu wake hivyo akampa mapanga yote matatu. Jamaa akafurahi sana.

Siku nyingine jamaa alikuwa anatembea na mkewe njiani ghafla

mke akadondokea mtoni, jamaa akaanza kulia. Malaika akatokea na kumuuliza: Kwanini unalia?

Jamaa akajibu: "Mke wangu kadondokea mtoni na nampenda sana".

Malaika akazama mtoni akaibuka na Vera Sidika na kuuliza: huyu ndiye mkeo?

Jamaa akajibu, "Ndio". Malaika akakasirika sana na kumuuliza, "kwanini umenidanganya"?

Jamaa akajibu. "Nimesema ndio kwa sababu ningesema hapana ungezama tena na kuibuka na Nadia Mukami, na ningesema hapana tena ungezama na kuibuka na mke wangu, halafu ningesema ndio ungenipa wote watatu, sasa mimi maskini sina uwezo wa kuhudumia wote hao, ndio maana nikasema ndio kwa Vera Sidika.

Fundisho:

Wanaume huwa hatusemi uongo bila sababu, na inakuwa sababu maalumu kwa faida ya wote. wanaume wote ni waaminifu. Hii ndio kauli mbiu yetu.

Kidole Kimoja Hakivunji Chawa

Mtu anayewaalika Jamaa zake mkwenye sherehe hafanyi hivyo kwa ajili ya kuwaokoa kwa sababu ya njaa. Waalikwa wote wana vyakula majumbani kwao.

Tunapokusanyika usiku wa

mbalamwezi katika ardhi ya kijiji chetu, siyo kwa sababu ya Mbalamwezi. Kila mmoja angeweza kuiona mbalamwezi akiwa nyumbani kwake.

Tunakusanyika kwasababu ni

jambo zuri kwa Jamaa kukusanyika pamoja.

Kwa hiyo tuendeleo na umoja wetu ili tufurahie nguvu ya kuwa pamoja.

Tukitabasamu haimaanishi kwamba hatuna matatizo isipokuwa kwasababu tuna nguvu ya kuyashinda matatizo.

Peke yako unaweza kutabasamu lakini mkiwa pamoja mnaweza kucheka.

Ukiwa peke yako unaweza kufurahi lakini mkiwa wengi mnaweza kusherehekea.

Naenda Zangu Shakahola

Na Johnwise Aura Asiele -

Malenga ninalo lengo, kuingia Shakahola,

nachapisha hili tungo, nikipanda daladala,

mengi yanikula bongo, heri kule Shakahola,

Nipelekwe Shakahola, niko tayari kufunga.

Niliko ni kama jela, ila bila askari, nipate wapi chakula, vyote ni vya matajiri,

Zilienda zote hela, nipate wapi sukari,

Nipelekwe Shakahola, niko tayari kufunga.

Nikifanya kibarua, wanisuburi ushuru, wakubwa wakiamua, kabwela sina uhuru,

vipi nitajikwamua, sina wa kuninusuru,

Nipelekwe Shakahola, niko tayari kufunga.

Mafuta yakwea bei, sukari sisemi yake,

unga mia na ushei, ugali vipi nipike, mwananchi sina sei, bora kule nikafike,

nipelekwe Shakahola, niko tayari kufunga.

Ninangu ni mkufunzi, ashakatwa za majumba,

Dada zangu wanafunzi, ya karo imewakumba,

ajue wangu mpenzi, kaenda wake mchumba,

nipelekwe Shakahola niko tayari kufunga.

Hino ndiyo ya vijana, pia hawa mama mboga,

Ukiwa peke yako unaweza kutamka lakini mkiwa pamoja mnaweza kuongea.

Tuendeleze mambo ambayo yanaweza kutuunganisha pamoja kuliko mambo ambayo yatasababisha kutengana.”

Hii ilikua na maana Kubwa Enzi zile lakini sio sasa kila mmoja anaamini peke yake atashinda huku akiamini Neno Samahani nimetingwa Na Pole sana

bodaboda wamenona, mie meno nikisaga,

tajiri wamenikana, hahe wamenigeuka,

nipelekwe Shakahola, niko tayari kufunga.

Magari hayasafiri, mafuta yakata tumbo,

sihitaji ushauri, yamenichosha makombo,

waje kule mawaziri, yameshachemka mambo,

nipelekwe Shakahola, niko tayari kufunga.

Wakikuja makachero, kwanza waunguze unga,

Kindiki pia Kidero, jueni mie nafunga,

Ababu na Ndindi Njoro, mengi huko tutalonga,

nipelekwe Shakahola, niko tayari kufunga.

Hizo ndo zangu sababu, msilaumu Makenzi,

Naenda bila aibu, msiwatume walinzi,

Rais naye naibu, lisiwapeni majonzi,

nipelekwe Shakahola niko tayari kufunga.

The Attachment Experience

By Frankline Keya -



Frankline is a Diploma in communication and media studies, 3rd year student.

The attachment experience holds great significance in one's journey toward personal and professional development.

The attachment experience is often overlooked, yet it proves to be a daunting journey for many. It encompasses a wide range of emotions, as obtaining a place of attachment brings about a mix of excitement and trepidation. The campus environment is undeniably unforgettable, serving as a profound learning experience that imparts invaluable lessons.

From the challenges of living alone to meeting assignment deadlines, collaborating with peers, and navigating toxic friendships and relationships, this phase of life can bring about significant changes. Unfortunately, amidst these transformations, individuals are susceptible to suffering from mental ailments such as depression, anxiety, and other related conditions.

Securing an attachment position is a significant feat, one that varies greatly among students. For some, it may come easily as a piece of cake, while for others, it feels like a heavy burden to bear. In my personal experience, I found myself tirelessly tarmacking, sending countless emails in pursuit of opportunities. I vividly recall dropping off my meticulously crafted CVs and cover letters at various organizations, only to be met with the familiar phrase, “We will call you.” Holding onto hope, I would walk away with crossed fingers, thinking to myself,

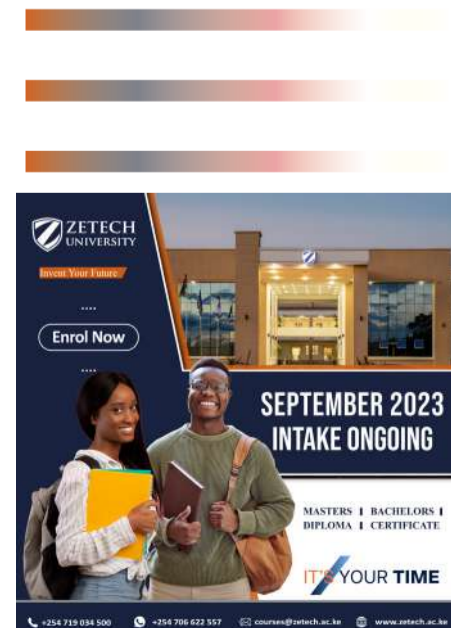
“They’ll call back.” However, days turned into weeks, and weeks into months, without a single word from those potential employers.

One might argue that it all boils down to one’s skills, but the reality is often far more complex and elusive. Nevertheless, they say every cloud has a silver lining.

Despite the challenges and uncertainties encountered during the attachment process, there are valuable lessons to be learned. The rejections and disappointments can serve as catalysts for personal growth and resilience. They provide an opportunity for self-reflection and improvement, allowing individuals to identify their strengths and weaknesses. Moreover, these experiences foster determination and perseverance, as one learns to adapt to the ever-changing job market.

The attachment experience holds great significance in one’s journey toward personal and professional development. It is a time of self-discovery, where individuals learn to navigate the complexities of life while facing various obstacles. Although the road to securing an attachment position may be arduous, the lessons learned along the way prove to be invaluable, shaping individuals into resilient and adaptable professionals.

I appreciate the effort and dedication that Zetech University in ensuring that students like myself secure attachment and internship opportunities through fostering collaborations and linkages with organisations and industry experts both locally and internationally.



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Barbados High commissioner visits Zetech University

By Alwin Abok -

The High Commissioner for Barbados, William MacDonald, paid Zetech University a courtesy call on Thursday 24th May.

In a widely anticipated address to students of International Relations and Diplomacy at the TRC auditorium, the high commissioner was welcomed by the Zetech Vice Chancellor Prof. Njenga Munene, DVC Prof. Alice Njuguna and the Dean School of Education, Arts and Social Sciences Prof. Owen Ngumi.

The talk was organized by Zetech University alumni and current attaché at the embassy of Barbados, Rosemary Oduor.

Expounding on the areas of collaboration between the two countries, the ambassador highlighted technology, agriculture, tourism and climate action as key to the positive bilateral relations.

He was consequently engaged in a lively question and answer session during which he elaborated on the benefits Zetech University gains from such a partnership, including attachment and job opportunities for students, visa free travel and student exchange programs with universities in Barbados.

On the role of curriculum in developing leaders, she noted that Universities should have curricular that allow students to network and be involved in societal discussions on contemporary issues.

Zetech University's media students also got an opportunity to experience first hand the show set up process and interact with media industry experts.



Deputy Vice-Chancellor Prof. Alice Njuguna and Bonventure Otieno, secretary of the Green Party of Kenya during the Beyond Horizons show on KTN



H. E William McDonald - the High Commissioner of Barbados to Kenya and his team pose with the Vice-Chancellor Prof. Njenga Munene, DVC Prof. Alice Njuguna after a public lecture at Thika Road Campus in Ruiru.

KTN Beyond Horizons Show: Prof. Alice Njuguna talks youth and leadership

By Alwin Abok -

KTN have chosen Zetech University's Ruiru Campus to host the station's flagship show; Beyond Horizons, which airs weekly on Sundays at 8pm.

In the episode, Deputy Vice Chancellor Prof. Alice Njuguna and Bonventure Otieno, Secretary of the Green Party of Kenya kicked off the

show with a discussion on the role of youth in leadership.

Prof. Njuguna noted that leadership is a responsibility which translates to service delivery. It requires space for youth to define their own styles and needs an all rounded person who can be molded to fit in any environment.

3rd Annual Alliance High School Computing & Robotics Fair 2023

By Alwin Abok -

On Saturday, June 17, 2023, iZET Hub was represented by John Musyoki, Kelvin Gitau,

Christian Onjala & Steven (innovators) In the 3rd Annual Alliance High School Computing & Robotics Fair 2023.

In attendance were over 500 high school students, STEM organizations/companies and media houses such as KTN and NTV.

The goal of the event was to exhibit iZET Hub Innovations and engage students in conversations about Robotics. From the team the students were exposed to some career opportunities in the field of technology and the different skills and knowledge required in that field.

Participants recognized Zetech's effort to champion STEM. In addition, Alliance High school Students signed up to be considered for a robotics program run by the Team Kenya robotics group.



John Musyoki at the Zetech stand during the Alliance Robotics Fair 2023

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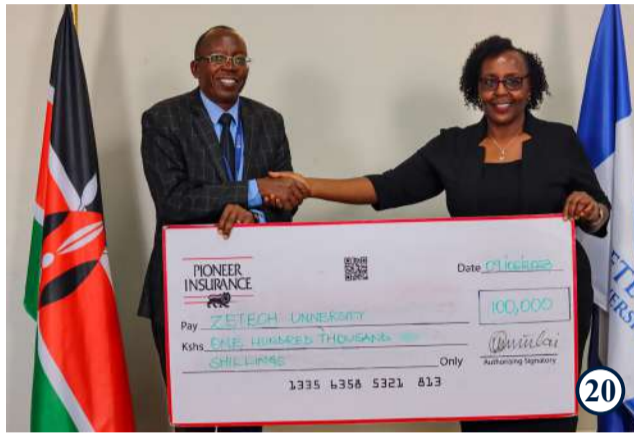
1. Prof. Peter Kibas Dean School of Business and Economics at Zetech University gifts a participant from the 254 Youth Cafe after a successful training of Cohort 1.
 2. More than 1500 students from 14 schools across Murang'a, Kiambu, Machakos, Makueni, Embu and Nairobi counties enjoy live set books performances at our Mang'u Technology Park.
 3. The KCSE 2022 cohort share a photo moment after an impactful career talk at the Mangu Technology Park.
 4. Nicole Katona, Valedictorian for the Class of 2022 delivers her speech at the graduation ceremony. She graduated with a first class honors in Business Administration (Accounting and Finance)
 5. Prof. Alice Njuguna (centre), Hon Brian Mulama the

Nairobi County Executive Committee Member (left) and Mr. Godfrey Akumali the Chief Officer - Cooperatives Nairobi City County at a debate.
 6. Esther Mwangi, Director of Research at Zetech University, shares a light moment with students after a successful event to mark the International Girls in ICT Day.
 7. From left: VC Prof. Njenga Munene presents an accolade to Prof. Peter Kibas- Dean School of Business & Economics and Gladys Wangari-Director Open, Distance and Electronic Learning (ODEL).
 8. Zetech University alumnus, Award-Winning and BBC Journalist Hussein Mohammed, delivers a public lecture to journalism and media students at Thika Road Campus in Ruiru.

9. Dr Wilfred Gikaru, Dean School of ICT, Media & Engineering and Ms. Teclah Jebet, the university librarian with the Zetech University Knowledge Ambassadors (ZUKA) during the May-Aug 2023 library week.
 10. Students cut cakes at the Valentines 2023, Men's Conference & Valentine Cuttie Editions.
 11. The Zetech University staff members are all about unwinding, dancing, games and connecting with their colleagues as they indulge in some amazing food and great music.
 12. His Excellency L.D. Khan - the High Commissioner of Pakistan to Kenya pose for a photo with Prof. Njenga Munene, Prof. Alice Njuguna, Zetech faculty & students at Zetech University auditorium after a successful campus event.

13. Stewart Samkange, LinkedIn Employability Partner for colleges and universities and Nelly Ndonge, LinkedIn Digital Marketing Consultant share a light moment with students during a #RockYourProfile LinkedIn workshop that was held at the Thika Road Campus in Ruiru.
 14. Christian Richard and Joy Gatwiri Karimi after being crowned Mr and Miss Zetech University Mang'u Campus in the 2023 talent show. They are pursuing a Bachelor of Education Arts (English Literature).
 15. The Zetech Muslim Association host the Grand Iftar dinner for staff members and students to wrap up the holy month of Ramadan Sheikh Mbarak Awes.

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16. Students catching at a hangout spot on Thika Road Campus in Ruiru.
 17. Zetech Staff Afya club members receive training equipments.
 18. VC Prof. Njenga Munene administers matriculation oath to the students admitted during the May 2023 intake.
 19. Samuel Kinuthia, head of the Zetech Center for Professional Certifications at the Huawei Global Teacher Summit held in May 2023 at Shenzhen, China.
 20. From Left: Prof. Njenga Munene, receives a cheque from Milcah Kinyua the Managing Director of Pioneer General Insurance Limited at Ruiru campus. Proceeds from the cheque will be used to enhance staff welfare activities at the

University.
 21. Youth from Gachie have a blast at a color festival hosted by Zetech University. It was a galore of vibrance, music, and good vibes.
 22. Zetech University drama club give an impressive performance at the Regional drama festivals held in Kitui, where they excelled in 25 categories.
 23. From Left: Roy Khaemba - HoD School of Media & Design, Prof. Alice Njuguna- DVC Academics, Research and Student Affairs present the newly launched Bachelor of Science in Media and Digital Communication to the VC Prof. Njenga Munene and Anthony Ndiema - Head of Radio Maisha.
 24. Collins Oloo, the newly Zetech University

Students Association (ZUSA) Chairperson, takes oath of office during the swearing in ceremony of the 8th ZUSA office.
 25. His Excellency L.D. Khan - the High Commissioner of Pakistan to Kenya shares a light moment with students at the hospitality kitchen.
 26. Job shadowing: Zetech University Hospitality and Tourism students get hands-on training while hosting a wedding reception at Naishola Gardens in Limuru.
 27. Prof. Alice Njuguna, DVC Academics, Research & Student Affairs at Zetech University and Joseph Njogu, Juja traffic police boss flag off more than 200 boda boda riders from Witethie ward and Juja constituency after a Financial and

Customer Service Management crash course.
 28. Zetech University's Prof. Geoffrey Gitau Kamau displays his ingenious innovation, the Eco-Mobilus, during an interview with the Associated Press (AP) at Zetech Ruiru Campus.
 29. Femi One, Kenyan rapper hangs out with students after delivering an electrifying performance at a campus hangout held at the Thika Road Campus in Ruiru.
 30. Andrew Kurema with Zetech University students attend a Job Shadowing initiative hosted by Light For The World in conjunction with Standard Chartered Bank. This was an opportunity to learn and gain real-work experience first-hand while reflecting and analyzing various roles across their desired careers.

Z-SPORTS ROUND UP

Zetech Sparks Make History To Reach First Ever KBF Final

By Kevin Njehira -



Zetech Sparks Ashley Minayo takes on a KPA player during their final at the Nyayo Gymnasium

The young, ambitious and determined Zetech Sparks started the game well winning the first quarter 18-13

Zetech Sparks completed a playoff sweep against giants Equity Hawks with a 71-40 thrashing in Game Three to reach the Kenya Women's Basketball Premier League final for the first time.

Zetech gave Equity who have been playing in the final since 2016 a shock of their lifetime in the five-game series with the massive win and they will be facing defending champions Kenya Ports Authority in the final starting next weekend.

At exactly 5:30 PM the Nyayo Gymnasium was fully packed as basketball enthusiasts were ready to witness one of the most entertaining matches between Zetech Sparks and experienced Equity Hawks.

Fans drawn from all corners of the capital city ranging from adults, youth, students, and kids equipped themselves with vuvuzelas ready to cheer their favorite teams in the match played under floodlights.

This was Game Three of the semifinal playoffs between the two teams as Zetech came to the game leading 2-0 having won the first two matches last weekend.

The young, ambitious and determined Zetech started the game well winning the first quarter 18-13 before another win of 20-12 as they went to halftime leading 38-25.

After the break, Equity came back with different energy winning 11-08 in the low-scoring third quarter but Zetech had a different game plan as they withdrew Bankers energy winning the fourth quarter 25-04 to leave Equity bankrupt.

Chantal Kiyobe and Medina Okot were shining stars for the varsity side as they dropped 24 and 20 points respectively. On their part Silalei Shani and Annerose Mandela scored 22 points combined for the bankers.

Zetech Sparks head coach Maurice Obile was over the moon for the victory. "I want to appreciate my girls for the good work and discipline they showed today. We knew we can beat them but not with a 3-0 sweep.

The 3-0 sweep gives the girls a lot of confidence which I believe will help them in the final as we face the defending champions. Being our first time in the semis and now final makes us very happy. It's a very huge achievement for us," Obilo said.

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Zetech Burry Thika Queens In Women's Premier League Match

By Kevin Njehira -



Zetech Sparks Rael Kamanda dribbles past Thika Queens player during a womens' Premiere League match.

Zetech Sparks football club beat Thika Queens to secure a 1-0 win in the Kenya women's Premier League match at Gems Cambridge in Nairobi.

The Bernard Kitolo charges dominated throughout the game and punished Queens in the 27th minute when Puren Alukwe put the ball in the net.

Coach Kitolo praised the defending champions for their performance in the league and stated that they had to take all their chances against them.

"If you give Thika Queens a little bit of time, they punish you, so we had to keep pushing. I knew if we

pressed, we would get the chance to score and we did we scored early in the first half," said Kitolo "We would have scored at least three goals," he added.

"In fact, Thika should thank their goalkeeper. She did a great job but all in all, I am happy we got the three points," he said.

"The girls needed this win badly. If the results had gone the other way around, we would be talking about relegation. We can now look forward to the next game," said Kitolo

Sparks are set to sign a goalkeeper, center-back, midfielder and striker in the coming transfer window, according to the head coach.

Sparks to represent Kenya in the Redbull Basketball 3on3 World Tour in Serbia

By Alwin Abok -



Zetech Sparks 3 x 3 team players receive a cheque from Red Bull after winning the Kenya Tour. Angela Luchivya handing over the cheque.

Zetech Sparks participated in the Redbull Basketball 3on3 Kenya Tour from 10th-17th June 2023 in Nairobi.

The tournament had 2 teams each from Nairobi, Mombasa, Eldoret and Kisumu. Sparks played 5 games and won all, bagging the rights to represent Kenya in the Redbull Basketball 3on3 World Tour in Serbia.

Still reveling in the brilliance of their Premier League performances this

season, Sparks didn't disappoint, thrashing all their opponents to emerge Champions.

Sparks coach Obie complimented his charges for the superb representation of the Zetech University brand, on which he heaped praises for the strong support of student sports. The global exposure gained highlights Zetech's philosophy of bringing a world of opportunities to its students.

Zetech Sparks take on Point Loma University in football friendly

By Alwin Abok -



Zetech Sparks played a friendly match with Point Loma University from California, USA on 18th May at the Ruaraka Stadium.

The match, which had been organized by the Sports Outreach foundation, ended in a 2-1 loss for the sparks.

Point Loma went 2 up in the first half courtesy of a goal from Bethany and an own goal from Sparks before Naise drew one back for the them.

Sports Outreach is a faith based NGO focused on restoring hope and transforming lives among vulnerable populations in Kenyan slums.

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31. Top performing students at the graduation ceremony for the class of 2022 with members of the University Council and Management.

32. Zetech Sparks Players Madina Ogot and Mary Lisa enjoy breakfast before leaving to represent Kenya U23 in Tunisia.



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