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Driving Organizational Growth: RRBN Engages Staff on Teamwork, Accountability, and Excellence



On 13th August 2026, the Radiographers Registration Board of Nigeria (RRBN) convened an engaging all-staff meeting under the leadership of the Registrar. The session served as a vital platform to reflect on recent achievements, evaluate operational progress, and outline critical priorities moving forward.

During the meeting, the Registrar emphasized the importance of fostering a culture of mutual accountability and active cross-functional collaboration. Staff members actively discussed strategy, identifying key areas to streamline workflows and improve operational efficiency across the Board.

By reinforcing a shared commitment to professionalism and high standards, the session galvanized the entire team toward a unified vision. Moving forward, RRBN remains steadfast in its dedication to delivering transparent, high-quality service and driving lasting organizational impact.

Appreciating Excellence

The Registrar honored a Corps Member in recognition of her exceptional dedication and outstanding performance during her service year. She recently completed her national assignment at the Institute, an arm of the Radiographers Registration Board of Nigeria (RRBN).

She was commended as a diligent and dedicated individual who consistently upheld the highest professional and ethical standards throughout her tenure.





Elevating Standards in Radiography Education: RRBN Conducts Accreditation Visit to the University of Ilesha

In a major step toward advancing healthcare education and clinical excellence, the Radiographers Registration Board of Nigeria (RRBN) carried out a comprehensive accreditation exercise at the University of Ilesha on 26 August 2026. The high-level delegation focused on assessing the institution's readiness to train the next generation of radiography professionals.

During the visit, the Board's assessment team conducted a rigorous evaluation of the university's academic program, state-of-the-art facilities, and clinical laboratories. Special attention was given to the strength and qualifications of the

human resources, ensuring that students receive guidance from experienced and accredited academics.

This exercise underscores RRBN's unwavering commitment to enforcing strict professional benchmarks across training institutions nationwide. By maintaining continuous oversight, the Board ensures that universities provide an optimal learning environment equipped to foster technical expertise and ethical practices.

Ultimately, the successful accreditation assessment reinforces a shared goal: equipping emerging radiographers with the vital skills and clinical proficiency needed to

deliver world-class healthcare services across Nigeria.

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Pioneering Medical Excellence: RRBN Honours UMTH Radiology Visionaries

In a landmark recognition of visionary leadership, the Radiographers Registration Board of Nigeria (RRBN) has honoured two distinguished radiology professors: Professor Ahmad Ahidjo, the Chief Medical Director (CMD) of the University of Maiduguri Teaching Hospital (UMTH), and Professor Abdurrahman Tahir, the immediate past CMD. The prestigious accolades celebrate their foundational role in establishing, nurturing, and sustaining radiography education and clinical practice at the institution.

At a time when radiography had virtually no footprint in

northern Nigeria, these two trailblazers stood resolute in their determination to bridge the professional gap. Through unwavering advocacy and strategic planning, they successfully established the Department of Radiography at the University of Maiduguri (UNIMAID). This historic breakthrough laid the groundwork for a broader educational expansion, inspiring the subsequent launch of radiography programs across prestigious northern institutions, including Bayero University Kano (BUK), Ahmadu Bello University (ABU) Zaria, Usmanu Danfodiyo University Sokoto (UDUS), and

Federal University Lafia (FULAFIA).

Expressing deep gratitude, RRBN formally acknowledged the profound impact of these two institutional pillars. Their efforts not only democratized access to specialized medical training across the region, but also elevated the overall standards of radiologic science in Nigeria. Looking ahead, the Board reaffirmed its commitment to fostering stronger interprofessional collaboration between radiology and radiography—a partnership vital for driving innovation, expanding healthcare infrastructure, and enhancing patient care nationwide.



Raising Professional Benchmarks: RRBN Conducts Maiden Professional Examination at Bingham University

In a significant stride toward advancing radiography standards, the Radiographers Registration Board of Nigeria (RRBN) successfully administered its first professional examination at Bingham University. This historic assessment marks a key milestone for the institution's radiography program, establishing a formal framework for professional certification.

The examination forms a vital component of the Board's regulatory mandate, designed to thoroughly evaluate final-year students on core theoretical knowledge and practical

competencies. By enforcing these rigorous standards, RRBN verifies that emerging graduates possess the clinical expertise and ethical grounding required to deliver safe, high-quality medical imaging services.

Through continuous collaboration with accredited universities, RRBN reinforces its commitment to shaping highly skilled healthcare professionals. The successful execution of this inaugural

examination reflects a shared dedication between the Board and Bingham University to



elevate academic quality and strengthen the overall radiography workforce in Nigeria.

Advancing Clinical Mastery: RRBN Successfully Hosts PGD Ultrasound Module III in Abuja

In a continuous effort to elevate specialized clinical competencies, the Radiographers Registration Board of Nigeria (RRBN) successfully conducted its Post-Graduate Diploma (PGD) Ultrasound Module III training program. Held in Abuja from August 17 to 22, 2026, the intensive six-day session served as a pivotal platform for healthcare professionals seeking to refine their diagnostic

capabilities.

The comprehensive module provided participants with hands-on exposure to advanced ultrasound techniques, bridging critical theoretical concepts with real-world clinical application. Through interactive workshops and direct mentoring, attendees deepened their expertise in high-resolution sonographic evaluation, ensuring higher diagnostic accuracy in patient management.

The week-long initiative highlights RRBN's strategic focus on continuous professional development and knowledge exchange within the medical imaging community. By regularly hosting specialized training programs, the Board remains dedicated to setting high diagnostic benchmarks, enhancing practitioner proficiency, and driving overall excellence in Nigeria's healthcare delivery system.

Empowering Innovation in Healthcare: RRBN Announces Recipients of Research Grant

The Radiographers Registration Board of Nigeria (RRBN) is pleased to announce the successful recipients of the RRBN Research Grant, marking a pivotal milestone in the Board's commitment to advancing scientific inquiry and evidence-based practice in medical imaging.

The Registrar extends warm congratulations to all the awardees, commending their

dedication, academic rigor, and visionary proposals. Their selected projects reflect a high standard of scholarly excellence capable of addressing critical challenges within the radiography profession and the broader healthcare ecosystem.

In his congratulatory address, the Registrar urged the grant recipients to maintain a strong commitment to conducting cutting-edge,

innovative research. He emphasized that high-impact findings generated from these studies will play a vital role in optimizing clinical outcomes, shaping health policy, and elevating healthcare delivery in Nigeria and across the globe.



LIST OF SUCCESSFUL APPLICANTS FOR RRBN RESEARCH GRANT 2026

S/N	RRBN reference number	Name	Gender	Institution	CGPA	Research topic
1	RRBN/RESEARCH/GRANT/26/11	Etuh Agbonika Victor	M	Bayero University Kano	4.62	Assessment of Quality Control Practices and Technical Factors Influencing Dose Optimisation and Dose Creep in Paediatric Digital Radiography
2	RRBN/RESEARCH/GRANT/26/30	Muhammad Anas Adamu	M	Bayero University Kano	4.25	Perception and Awareness of Artificial Intelligence in Medical Imaging among Final Year Medical Radiography Students in Bayero University, Kano
3	RRBN/RESEARCH/GRANT/26/40	Salisu Haruna	M	Bayero University Kano	4.58	Preparedness of Radiography Students for Patient Care and Safety in MRI: A Multi-University Study in Northern Nigeria
4	RRBN/RESEARCH/GRANT/26/42	Stephen Moses	M	Bayero University Kano	4.42	Assessment of Deviation Index as an Indicator of Patient Dose Optimisation in Conventional Radiography within Kano Metropolis, Nigeria
5	RRBN/RESEARCH/GRANT/26/43	Sunday Joseph Inalegwu	M	Bayero University Kano	4.25	Assessment of Anxiety Levels among Patients Undergoing Radiological Investigations and Radiographers' Role in Managing it to Improve Patient Care in Kano State.
6	RRBN/RESEARCH/GRANT/26/04	Ajide Akorede Quadri	-	Bayero University, Kano	4.25	Pattern of Hypo-Fractionated Radiotherapy Utilisation and Treatment Completion Among Cancer Patients at Kano Radiotherapy Centre: A Retrospective Study
7	RRBN/RESEARCH/GRANT/26/23	Kelani Mubarak Olalekan	-	Bayero University, Kano	4.42	Assessment of Dose Fractionation Practice among Patients Undergoing Palliative Radiotherapy in Kano State

8	RRBN/RESEARCH/GRANT/26/24	Khadeejah Bala	F	Bayero University, Kano	4.12	Effect of Patient Positioning Errors on Radiation Dose from Selected CT Examinations at Aminu Kano Teaching Hospital (AKTH), Kano
9	RRBN/RESEARCH/GRANT/26/01	Abraham, Sim Phinehas	F	Bingham University, Karu	4.35	A Single- Centre Survey of Radiotherapy Resources and Practices in Zaria, Nigeria
10	RRBN/RESEARCH/GRANT/26/18	Idakolo Oluwagbebe Shallack	-	Bingham University, Karu	4.71	A Survey of Modality-Specific Competencies of Final Year Radiography Students of Bingham University, Karu, Nigeria.
11	RRBN/RESEARCH/GRANT/26/46	Umeh Maureen Ogechukwu	-	Bingham University, Karu	4.78	Assessment of Knowledge and Practice of Radiation Protection Principles Among Clinical Radiography Students at Bingham University, New Karu, Nasarawa State
12	RRBN/RESEARCH/GRANT/26/26	Lydia Musa Dikwa	F	Federal University Lafia	4.25	Age-Specific Normative Values for Prostate Volume in Apparently Healthy Nigerian Males: A Sonographic Study at FUTH, Lafia
13	RRBN/RESEARCH/GRANT/26/31	Nana Asma'u Adam	F	Federal University Lafia	4.3	Diagnostic Performance of Artificial Intelligence in Mammography and Digital Breast Tomosynthesis for Breast Cancer Detection: A Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis.
14	RRBN/RESEARCH/GRANT/26/34	Ogbuanya Victor	-	Federal University of Lafia	4.36	Development of an Automated Radiology Management System with Integrated Dual-Engine AI for Image Interpretation
15	RRBN/RESEARCH/GRANT/26/36	Okafor Ruth Chidera	F	Federal University of Lafia	4.5	Establishing Baseline Carotid-Intima Media Thickness Measurement in Asymptomatic Adults in Lafia
16	RRBN/RESEARCH/GRANT/26/02	Agbo Clement	M	Federal University, Lafia	4.56	Diagnostic Consistency and Clinical Relevance of Kellgren-Lawrence and Osteoarthritis Research Society

						International (OARSI) Radiographic Grading System for Knee Osteoarthritis.
17	RRBN/RESEARCH/GRANT/26/22	Justice Innocent	-	Kaduna State University	4.44	Knowledge and practice of MRI safety protocols among radiographers in Kaduna State
18	RRBN/RESEARCH/GRANT/26/05	Akangbe Ifeoluwa Timothy	M	Osun State University	4.33	Comparative Assessment of Artificial Intelligence Impact on Radiography Education and Career Expectations in Selected Southwest Nigerian Universities
19	RRBN/RESEARCH/GRANT/26/21	Imorgan Favour Omonua	-	University of Calabar	4.31	Radiographic Evaluation of Postnasal Spaces in the University of Calabar Teaching Hospital.
20	RRBN/RESEARCH/GRANT/26/03	Ajanaku Opemipo Jeremiah	M	University of Lagos	4.53	Pattern of Brain Magnetic Resonance Imaging Findings Among Patients Presenting with Seizures in Selected Nigerian Hospitals: A Multicentre Retrospective Study
21	RRBN/RESEARCH/GRANT/26/09	Deborah Abidemi Orina	F	University of Lagos	4.54	Assessment of Radiographers' Knowledge and Communication Practices in Detecting and Reporting Foetal Soft Markers During Obstetric Ultrasound in Lagos State
22	RRBN/RESEARCH/GRANT/26/27	Makinde Emmanuel Olumide	M	University of Lagos	4.79	MRI Radiographers' Knowledge, Perceptions, Experiences and Decision-Making Regarding Patients with MR Conditional Implants: A Nigerian Study
23	RRBN/RESEARCH/GRANT/26/37	Ola Ayooluwapo James	-	University of Lagos	4.17	A Comparative Evaluation of X-ray Tube Output Consistency Under Grid and Generator Power Systems: A Quality Control Study in Lagos Metropolis
24	RRBN/RESEARCH/GRANT/26/39	Salako Boluwatife	-	University of Lagos	4.42	Design and Evaluation of a Prototype Smartphone-Based Radiation Dose Tracking System for Radiographers in Lagos State

25	RRBN/RESEARCH/GRANT/26/06	Andrawus Mark Duwara	M	University of Maiduguri	4.21	Assessment of the Knowledge of Radiographers on Nosocomial Infections and The Practice of Aseptic Techniques in Maiduguri Metropolis, Nigeria
26	RRBN/RESEARCH/GRANT/26/08	Bilqeesu Sani Abubakar	F	University of Maiduguri	4.8	Investigation of Anatomical Breast Size Asymmetry, Breastfeeding Patterns, and Breast Cancer Laterality among Women in Northern Nigeria.
27	RRBN/RESEARCH/GRANT/26/12	Favour Amarachi Arua	F	University of Maiduguri	4.71	Evaluation of the Knowledge, Attitude, and Practices of Patient Confidentiality among Practising Radiographers in Nigeria
28	RRBN/RESEARCH/GRANT/26/14	Hadiza Abubakar Mohammad	F	University of Maiduguri	4.57	Establishment of Typical Value for Fluoroscopic Guided HSG for Establishment of Local Diagnostic Reference Levels in Navy Reference Hospital Ojo, Lagos State
29	RRBN/RESEARCH/GRANT/26/16	Hyelni Mbaya	-	University of Maiduguri	4.08	Utilisation of Artificial Intelligence in Radiography Clinical Practice: Knowledge and Preparedness of Practising Radiographers in Nigeria
30	RRBN/RESEARCH/GRANT/26/17	Ibrahim Abdulrahim Ayinla	M	University of Maiduguri	4.1	Development And Evaluation of a Digital Support Prototype Framework for Undergraduate Radiography Students at the University of Maiduguri
31	RRBN/RESEARCH/GRANT/26/20	Imam-Malik Abubakar Adams	M	University of Maiduguri	4.59	Pattern of Breast Cancer Presentations on Mammography at the University of Maiduguri Teaching Hospital: A Five- Year Retrospective Study
32	RRBN/RESEARCH/GRANT/26/25	Khadijah Usman Pate	F	University of Maiduguri	4.33	Assessment of Radiographers' Strategies for Managing Patient Anxiety and Claustrophobia during MRI Examinations at the University of Maiduguri Teaching Hospital (UMTH)

33	RRBN/RESEARCH/GRANT/26/35	Ojiaka Dennis Chinedu	-	University of Maiduguri	4.1	Assessment Of Knowledge of Patient Confidentiality and Data Protection among Practicing Radiographers at the University of Maiduguri.
34	RRBN/RESEARCH/GRANT/26/38	Onah Onyinyechi Blessing	F	University of Maiduguri	4.51	Assessment of Knowledge and Attitude of Nigerian Radiographers Towards Patients' Rights in Radiography Practice.
35	RRBN/RESEARCH/GRANT/26/41	Shith Muslih Shith	M	University of Maiduguri	4	Knowledge of Cybersecurity Threats and Protective Practices in Digital Medical Imaging Systems among Radiographers at the University of Maiduguri Teaching Hospital
36	RRBN/RESEARCH/GRANT/26/44	Tijjani Sulaiman Shettima	M	University of Maiduguri	4.42	Assessment of the Impact of Clinical Posting on the Choice of Area of Specialisation amongst Clinical Radiography Students at the University of Maiduguri
37	RRBN/RESEARCH/GRANT/26/45	Umar Abdullahi	M	University of Maiduguri	4.3	Analysis of safety practices and radiation protection measures in Computed Tomography examinations among selected Hospitals in Borno State, Nigeria
38	RRBN/RESEARCH/GRANT/26/47	Ummi Ali Bulama	F	University of Maiduguri	4.02	Assessment of the Knowledge and Practice of Universal Precautions During Clinical Posting among Radiography Students at the University of Maiduguri Teaching Hospital (UMTH)
39	RRBN/RESEARCH/GRANT/26/48	Zainab Chinda Ismail	F	University of Maiduguri	4.03	Normal Reference Range of Foetal Nuchal Translucency Thickness among Pregnant Women of Kanuri Extraction in Maiduguri, Northeastern Nigeria
40	RRBN/RESEARCH/GRANT/26/49	Zainab Nafiu Ojuolape	F	University of Medical Sciences, Ondo City, Ondo	4.54	Impact of Radiographer-Patient Communication on Patient Satisfaction among Patients Undergoing Diagnostic Imaging Procedures in University of Medical Sciences Teaching Hospital

						(UNIMEDTH), Ondo, Ondo State.
41	RRBN/RESEARCH/GRANT/26/29	Mfonido Edet Umoekam	-	University of Uyo	4.62	Assessment of Radiation Protection Practices among Radiographers in Akwa Ibom State, Nigeria.
42	RRBN/RESEARCH/GRANT/26/07	Bello Umar Gide	M	Usman Danfodiyo University, Sokoto	4.61	Development of Algorithms in Predicting Cumulative Occupational Radiation Dose Among Diagnostic Radiographers in Usmanu Dan Fodiyo University Teaching Hospital, Sokoto, Nigeria
43	RRBN/RESEARCH/GRANT/26/10	Emmanuel Afolabi Abiodun	M	Usman Danfodiyo University, Sokoto	4.41	Development of a Machine Learning Model to Predict Optimal Exposure Settings in Digital Chest Radiography Based on Patient Biometrics in Sokoto State

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