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## **Second semester 2022/2023 examinations**

Second Semester 2022/2023 Examinations were conducted as from 11<sup>th</sup> – 25<sup>th</sup> April, 2023. After the exams the students broke for the long holiday they will be expected back between May – September 2023. The students will be expected back in two cohorts i.e. for the Postgraduate and Bachelors programme and also the TVET programme. The following are the academic calendars for the 2023/2024 academic year:

### **Academic Calendar for Postgraduate and Bachelors Students Academic Year 2023/2024**

1. First Year's Post-graduate and Bachelors physical reporting and orientation; 21<sup>st</sup> August – 1<sup>st</sup> September, 2023.
2. Commencement of 1<sup>st</sup> semester for teaching and learning; 4<sup>th</sup> September, 2023.
3. Activation/Online reporting; 28<sup>th</sup> August – 15<sup>th</sup> September, 2023. At least one week before commencement of semester and two weeks after commencement of the semester.
4. Course/Unit registration and payment of at least 60% of the semester fees 2<sup>nd</sup> October, 2023. One month after commencement of the semester.
5. Teaching and learning for both first years and continuing students; 4<sup>th</sup> - September – 1<sup>st</sup> December, 2023.

6. Examination approval/printing of examination cards and 100% payment of semester fees; 17<sup>th</sup> November, 2023. Two weeks before commencement of exams.
7. End of semester examinations; 29<sup>th</sup> November - 15<sup>th</sup> December, 2023.
8. Graduation date 15<sup>th</sup> December, 2023.

### **Academic Calendar for TVET Third Term 2022/2023**

1. Activation/Online Reporting term three for continuing students and term one for new students; Monday, 8<sup>th</sup> May, to Friday, 12<sup>th</sup> May, 2023.
2. Teaching and Learning term three for continuing students and term one for new students; Monday, 8<sup>th</sup> May, 2023 to Friday, 28<sup>th</sup> July, 2023.
3. CAT one & two; Week 6 and week 10.
4. Last day for submission of Course Work Assessment (CWA) and Project Marks to KNEC; Friday, 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2023.
5. Collection of Advance Instructions (Practical) from KNEC; Thursday, 29<sup>th</sup> June, 2023.
6. Period for KNEC Practical and Theory Examinations; Monday, 10<sup>th</sup> July to Friday, 4<sup>th</sup> August, 2023.

## **The State Corporations Advisory Committee (SCAC) Event**

The State Corporations Advisory Committee (SCAC) partnered with the Institute of Certified Secretaries (ICS) to mount the 2023 induction workshop for Board Members of State Corporations. This Board Induction was held in four Cohorts from 12<sup>th</sup> to 26<sup>th</sup> April 2023 at Lake Naivasha Resort, Naivasha with the first Cohort held from April 12<sup>th</sup> to 14<sup>th</sup>, 2023, and was officially opened by H.E. Dr. Musalia W. Mudavadi.

The Workshop was premised on good governance promotion in Kenya and Laikipia University was represented by the Vice Chancellor Prof. Kibett Rotich and the University Legal Officer Ms. Imelda Wanjau. The collaboration between ICS and SCAC, that started way back in 2015, from MWONGOZO CODE of Governance for State Corporations in Kenya, has been further strengthened through this noble capacity building initiative.

The Board Induction Workshop brought together all Board Members and Chairpersons in all state corporations in Kenya, and created a platform for exchange of ideas, and robust engagement on corporate governance matters.

During this Induction Workshop, several topics and thematic areas were covered that include; principles of Corporate Governance under Mwongozo and Emerging Issues, Policy and Institutional Framework of State Corporations; emotional intelligence and Boardroom dynamics, Overview of Governance Audit Framework, Overview of Public Procurement and Disposal Framework for State Corporation, and Effective Management of Meetings, Ethics among others.

### **Update on Upcoming event**

#### **Geographical Information Systems (GIS) and Global Navigation Satellite Systems (GNSS) Offer of short courses.**

The training is scheduled to take place from 12<sup>th</sup>– 23<sup>rd</sup> June, 2023 at the University under the Office of the Dean, School of Science and Applied Technology. The mode of the training will be blended i.e. online and physical learning and fees will be paid in two installments.



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