



EDITORIAL

The UDS International Journal of Development (UDSIJD), the institutional journal of the University for Development Studies is out once again with its third volume and first issue of the year 2016.

Although the journal continues to gain ground, the challenges are numerous and relentless. The zeal to succeed has grown even stronger and the desire to provide a solid scholarly platform for academics, development oriented researchers and industrialists to share knowledge, ideas and research findings on a regular and sustained remains unrelenting. This is especially so for young academics in UDS who seek an avenue to publish their research findings.

This issue of the journal presents eight papers – four in the Applied Sciences and an additional four in the Humanities.

This issue consists of two sections to reflect the different subject areas covered - Applied Sciences and Agriculture and the Humanities

It is the challenges that has delayed this issue of the journal. We however hope to surmount them and stick to our scheduled publishing times. Therefore I envisage that our second issue for this year will come out at the scheduled time. In view of the above, I entreat all to continue to submit your manuscripts to this journal.

On behalf of the entire editorial team, I wish to thank the management of the University, staff of the journal and all those who in diverse ways have supported in making this issue of the journal a reality.

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