



## **EDITORIAL**

Another issue of the UDS International Journal of Development (UDSIJD) is out. This issue which is the second volume for 2017 has ten papers – one in the sciences and nine in the humanities and social sciences, reflecting two key subject fields of the journal.

The UDSIJJ encourages upcoming academics, researchers and entrepreneurs to exploit this open access platform in locating relevant literature, analyzing, presenting and disseminating critical research findings for development of not just Ghana, but Africa as a whole.

We will continue to keep to our mission of providing an excellent scholarly journal for reporting empirical research findings, policy analysis and topical issues from varied disciplines with a development focus, on a regular and sustained basis.

It is our fervent hope that more subject fields will be represented in the subsequent issues. We therefore entreat young as well as established academics, practitioners and policy makers to continue to submit manuscripts to this journal.

Sincere thanks, on behalf of the editorial team, to the management of the University, authors, staff of the journal and all those who in diverse ways have supported in making this issue of the journal a reality.

Thank you

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