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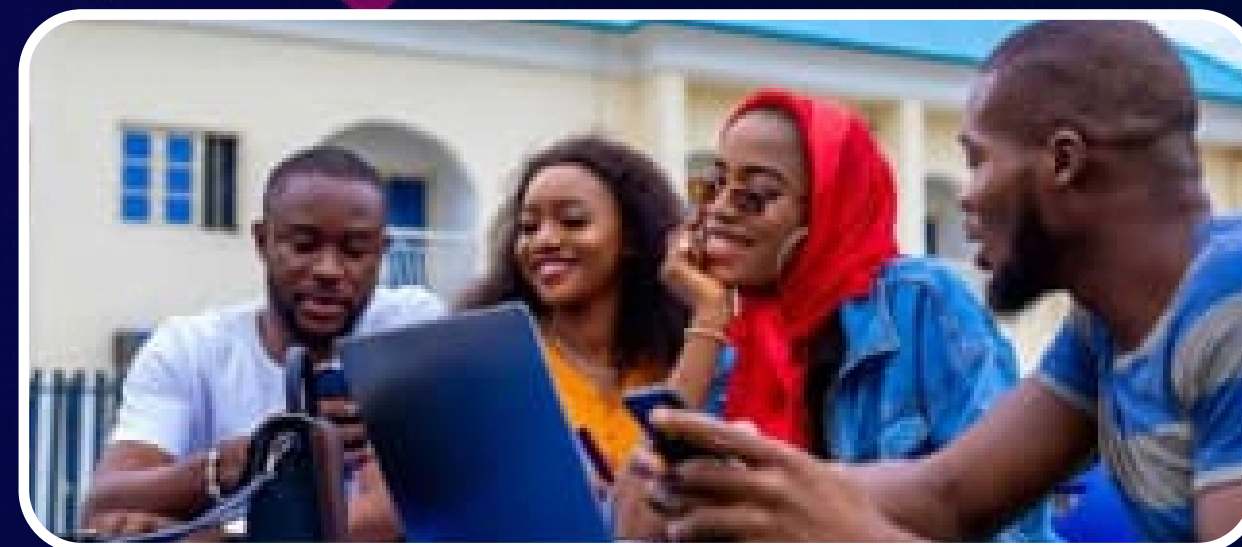
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COVENANT INNOVATION WEEK 2023



Innovate 360° - Navigating the Future
...Converting disruptive ideas into innovation

21st-23rd Nov., 2023

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Welcome Address from the

CHAIR, LOCAL ORGANISING COMMITTEE, COVENANT INNOVATION WEEK, 2023

It is with great delight and excitement that I welcome everyone to Covenant University and the maiden edition of Covenant Innovation Week. Covenant Innovation Week, 2023 (CIW'23) was strategically organized by Covenant University, Ota and Covenant Applied Informatics and Communication Africa Centre of Excellence (CApIC-ACE), a World Bank-funded Centre of Excellence. CIW'23 is a three-day professional development symposium aimed at bringing together academia, innovators, tech enthusiasts and creative minds from the public and private sectors, to stimulate innovative mindsets of the participants. The theme of the event **"Innovate 360°: Navigating the future"** was carefully crafted by the vibrant Local Organizing Committee.

"Innovate 360°" symbolises a complete revolution, urging us to think beyond the traditional boundaries of innovation. It beckons on us to consider innovation, not merely as a linear progression, but as a multidimensional exploration. From technological breakthroughs to social innovations, from business model revolutions to sustainable solutions. **"Innovate 360°"** challenges us to envision a future where creativity knows no bounds. **Navigating the future** implies more than adapting to change; it demands proactive and strategic innovation. It's about envisioning the uncharted territories ahead and creating pathways that lead to progress.

Our journey into the future requires a comprehensive approach – one that integrates cutting-edge technologies, fosters collaboration and addresses the evolving needs of a dynamic global landscape. It calls us to look at local issues with "glocal" lens with the view of attaining a global solution.

CIW'23 desires to create in the participants an opportunity to chart new territories, venture into the unknown, and embrace the challenges and opportunities that lie ahead in an ever-evolving world.

I warmly acknowledge our keynote and guest speakers: Mr. Musibau Lasisi, Mr. Francis Odeyemi, Ms Yemisi Isidi, Ms Ife Durosinmi-Etti, Mr. Chuks Okpaka, Dr. Lilian Ekpo, Mr Tosin Adurota, Mr Jerry Ojumah, Mr Seyi Abolaji and others who will be dedicating the next three days to make the symposium a highly successful one. The Management team of Covenant University ably led by our Vice Chancellor Prof. Abiodun H. Adebayo, the Deans, The Heads of Departments and the Directors are equally highly appreciated. The leadership and faculty members of CApIC-ACE and our partners, sponsors and collaborators namely NSIA-LUTH Cancer Centre; Esota Consult Limited; Belmark Investment Ltd; Gidi Services Worldwide Company Ltd; Muley Sam Integrated Ltd; Adron Homes; Covenant University Centre for Research, Innovation and Discovery; Covenant University Centre for Entrepreneurial Development Studies; Covenant University Hebron Startup Lab, and several others who contributed to the success of Covenant Innovation Week 2023 are highly appreciated.

On behalf of the Local Organising Committee, I welcome you all to the Covenant Innovation Week, 2023. I implore you to think, create, recreate, adapt, transform and excel. Thank you

Prof. Olubanke O. Ogunlana

*Chair, LoC Covenant Innovation Week, 2023
Covenant University*

Welcome Remarks by the

CENTRE LEADER, COVENANT APPLIED INFORMATICS AND COMMUNICATION AFRICA CENTRE OF EXCELLENCE (CApIC ACE)

Today is a great day and a win for research at Covenant University. I am delighted to welcome everyone to the inaugural Covenant Innovation Week (CIW) 2023, a brainchild of the World Bank-funded CApIC ACE hosted by Covenant University. This unique programme is another positive institutional impact amongst several that our Centre has brought to bear on Covenant University. Our Centre is poised to change the face of research in the University and beyond through the development of value-adding products and services from research. Our overarching aim at the Centre is the discovery of novel molecular biomarkers that can be translated into clinically useful diagnostic and treatment tools for the precision management of breast and prostate cancer as well as malaria. The Covenant Innovation Week could not have come at a better time than now with the recent declaration of the Covenant University vision 7:2030. Our strategies at CApIC ACE especially on innovation fit very well into this vision which revolves around entrepreneurship, innovation, research, leadership, and internationalization. The theme of the programme, "Innovate 360o: Navigating the future" captures the essence of the programme which is to stimulate innovations from research that can generate marketable products and services.

As a University, we have occupied an enviable position in the National and International research space generating high quality and quantity of publications and intellectual properties. One of the challenges we face is the big paradox: putting money into research but not making money out of research. Now we need to innovate 3600 through the effective exploitation of knowledge, innovation systems and thriving entrepreneurship to harness our robust research pedigree and experience into valuable products and services. I commend our university for ensuring that sound policy frameworks, incubation and entrepreneurship centres that will support innovations and start-ups are already in place. CApIC ACE plans to create an ecosystem that drives meaningful innovation and gives entrepreneurs the opportunity to create profitable startups and companies. We have developed a number of frameworks to drive this, such as setting up different committees on innovation, providing a total prize money of 700 thousand naira for this programme to encourage innovation and launching an initial modest funding purse of 15,000 USD innovation seed grant to support innovative researchers that have ideas for the next breakthrough technologies in the management of malaria, breast, and prostate cancer. For the innovators, this programme is an affirmation that the tools and space to build your innovations exist in this university and at the Centre. As such, I encourage the innovators to go forth, dream and think big, and wide too. And remember to innovate in the areas that will add value and improve the quality of life of Nigerians and the rest of the world. I look forward to many successes.

In conclusion, we all have a role to play in facilitating an enabling environment for innovators to thrive. To accelerate innovation sustainably, requires us to redouble our efforts in reaching out to people with brilliant and disruptive ideas that create solutions. We need to address the innovation gaps in education and improve access to information and services. We must continue to facilitate the growth of local start-ups. A concerted, inclusive, and responsive effort to support community innovations is necessary. CApIC ACE looks forward to working with all of you to create and grow new and cutting-edge innovations that address the development challenges of our continent and the world. I want to appreciate the great work done by all the stakeholders present physically here and those joining virtually.

Thank you very much for your attention!

Prof. Emeka E.J. Iweala

*Centre Leader/Director,
Covenant Applied Informatics and Communication Africa Centre of Excellence (CApIC ACE)*

Some of Our Speakers



Mr. MUSIBAU LASISI

Topic:

INNOVATE 360° :NAVIGATING THE FUTURE

Mr Musibau Lasisi is currently the founder of a group of 5 companies, OPEX Consulting Ltd-Technology Consulting, Farmsagora- An AgriTech Start-up, RegTech365- A Regulatory and Compliance Automation Services Startup, CertifyHub- an international Management Certification Services Firm, and a Fintech Startup. Mr Lasisi has grown into a Technology Executive for the past 15 years before transitioning back into TechPreneurship. He is passionate about emerging trends, technology disruption, innovation and digital transformation. He worked in strategy and governance, IT programme and delivery management, agile-DEVOPs transition, enterprise architecture and strategic business analysis and support, financial service, information technology and management consulting sphere with a track record of leading digital transformation and legacy systems projects worth over \$40,000,000 cumulatively within 10 years.

Topic:

INNOVATE 360° WITH AI: FROM IDEATION TO PRODUCT GENERATION

Francis Odeyemi is the founder of Ninthgrid, is a seasoned brand and product designer with over a decade of experience. His expertise spans continents, collaborating with creative agencies, marketing teams, and professionals in Nigeria, the UK, and the USA. Ninthgrid specializes in Afrocentric stock images, empowering black creators and photographers to commercialize and distribute their work for diverse business and creative needs. Francis has a rich design background, leading various product launches, from B2B to SaaS and software products. His skills include user research, content design, UX design, product management, and global team leadership.



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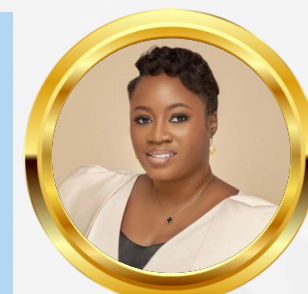
YEMISI ISIDI

Topic:

BUILDING A BUSINESS MODEL FROM INNOVATION AND DISCOVERY

Yemisi Isidi who is the CEO of Triift Africa, is a dynamic business strategist with a background in management and finance. She is an award-winning entrepreneur, best-selling author, and international public speaker. As a seasoned management accountant with extensive experience spanning over 5 years, specifically focused on assisting MSMEs and early-stage startups, She is sought after by various accelerators, including the Future Female Business School, Impact Amplifiers, Leap Africa, She Leads Africa, The Next Economy, Founders Institute, among others.

Some of Our Speakers



IFE DUROSIMI-ETTI

Topic:

SMART PARTNERSHIPS FOR IMPACT

Ife Durosini-Etti is the proud founder of Herconomy (formerly called AGS Tribe), a community she developed driven by her own experience. Herconomy is a community for empowered women, combined with a financial platform, with a mission Herconomy to empower women through Financial Services, Capacity Building, Jobs and Networking. Since its launch, they have trained over 85,000 women online and offline. Selected as one of the top 10 Tech Startups in Africa by the prestigious Startup Bootcamp Accelerator Program, Herconomy is positioned to become one of the top Fintech companies in Africa.



Mr. CHUKS OKPAKA

Topic:

LEVERAGING EMERGING TECHNOLOGIES FOR INNOVATION AND IMPACT

Mr. Chuks Okpaka is the Azure Business Group Lead for Azure in Microsoft Africa Subsidiary. In this role, Chuks is the strategic subject leader for the Azure business in Africa. He is responsible for planning and execution of the Azure ecosystem go-to-market in the region. Ensuring the monumental Azure market penetration through strategic plan development and execution is his core responsibility. He is responsible for ensuring a seamless decision making across the business, adherence to governance, as well as marketing planning.

Topic:

CREATING A PATHWAY TO INNOVATIVE BUSINESS MODELS

Dr. Lilian Ekpo is the Centre Director at the NSIA-LUTH Cancer Centre (NLCC), recognized as the leading Cancer Centre of Excellence in Nigeria and West Africa. She is a distinguished professional with a Bachelor of Medicine and Surgery (M.B.B.S.) degree from the University of Ibadan and a Master of Business Administration (M.B.A.) degree from the Warwick Business School. Dr Ekpo is a member of the Nigerian Medical Association (NMA), the African Organisation for Research and Training in Cancer (AORTIC), the Union for International Cancer Control (UICC), and the Institute of Directors Nigeria (IOD).



Dr. LILLIAN EKPO

Day ONE | 21st November, 2023
Master of Event: Mr Emmanuel Attat

S/No	Start Time	Mins	End Time	Activities	Team
1	08:00	120	10:00	Arrival and Registration	Registration/Protocol Team
2	10:00	5	10:05	Opening Prayer	Master of Event
3	10:05	5	10:10	National & CU Anthems	Master of Event
4	10:10	10	10:20	Welcome/Introduction/Protocols	Master of Event
5	10:20	10	10:30	Welcome Address by Chair, CIW' 23 LOC	Prof. Olubanke O. Ogunlana
6	10:30	10	10:40	Sponsor's Remark by Centre Leader, CAPIC-ACE	Prof. Emeka E. J. Iweala
7	10:40	15	10:55	Vice-Chancellor's Remark and Symposium Opening	Prof. Abiodun H. Adebayo
8	10:55	5	11:00	Citation of the Guest Speaker	Master of Event
9	11:00	30	11:30	Keynote Presentation 1: Innovate 360°: Navigating the Future	Mr Musibau Lasisi (CEO of Opex Consulting Ltd Nigeria)
10	11:30	10	11:40	Q & A	Master of Event
11	11:40	10	11:50	Group Photograph	Master of Event
12	11:50	40	12:30	Coffee Break/Networking	Master of Event
13	12:30	40	01:10	Panel Session 1: Leveraging Emerging Technologies for Innovation and Impact	1. Mr Chuks Okpala (Business Group Lead for Azure in Microsoft Africa Subsidiary) 2. Prof Conrad Omonhinmin (Director, CUCRID) 3. Dr Olagoke Oladokun (Faculty, CU) 4. Dr Itunu Isewon (Moderator, Faculty, CU)
14	01:10	20	01:30	Q & A	Master of Event
15	01:30	40	02:10	Panel Session 2: Innovate 360° with AI: From Ideation to Product Generation	1. Mr Francis Odeyemi - (Senior Product Designer & Founder, Ninthgrid) 2. Prof. Funke Oladipupo - (HoD, CIS) 3. Engr. Bola Akanle - (Director, CSIS) 4. Dr Kennedy Okokpuje (Moderator, Faculty, CU)
16	02:10	20	02:30	Q & A	Master of Event
17	02:30	30	03:00	Partner Sponsor Session 1	Microsoft Azure: Gidiservices
18	03:00	60	04:00	Lunch	Master of Event
19	04:00	50	04:50	Innovators' Presentation	All Innovators
20	04:50	10	05:00	Closing Prayer & Announcement	Master of Event
21	05:00	60	06:00	Exhibition/Networking	Master of Event

Day TWO | 21st November, 2023
Master of Event: Dr Thelma Ekanem

S/No	Start Time	Mins	End Time	Activities	Team
1	08:00	120	10:00	Arrival and Registration	Registration/Protocol Team
2	10:00	5	10:05	Opening Prayer	Master of Event
3	10:05	10	10:15	Welcome/Recap of Day One/Intro	Master of Event
4	10:15	10	10:25	Partner Sponsor Session 2	Covenant University/CAPIC
5	10:25	5	10:30	Citation of the Guest Speaker	Master of Event
6	10:30	30	11:00	Keynote Presentation 2: Building a Business Model from innovation and discovery	Yemisi Isidi (CEO of Triift Africa)
7	11:00	10	11:10	Q & A	Master of Event
8	11:10	40	11:50	Panel Session 3: Creating a Pathway to Innovative Business Models	1. Dr Lillian Ekpo (Centre Director at the NSIA-LUTH Cancer Centre) 2. Prof. Ogunnaiké (Director, CEDS) 3. Mr Tosin Adurota 4. Mr Jerry Ojumah (Moderator)
9	11:50	20	12:10	Q & A	Master of Event
10	12:10	20	12:30	Partner Sponsored Session 3	NSIA Cancer Centre
11	12:30	30	01:00	Coffee Break/Networking	Master of Event
12	01:00	15	01:15	Start-Up Presentations	Master of Event
13	01:15	30	01:45	Partner Sponsored Session 4	Esota Consult, Belmark Investment Ltd; Adron Homes
14	01:45	60	02:45	Masterclass Session - Elevator Pitch Training	Dr Lanre Amodu (Director, ALDC)
15	02:45	5	02:50	Closing Prayer	Master of Event
16	02:50	60	03:50	Lunch	Master of Event
17	03:50	60	04:50	Exhibition/Networking	Master of Event

Day THREE | 23rd November, 2023
Master of Event: Dr Abraham Owoseni

S/No	Start Time	Mins	End Time	Activities	Team
1	08:00	120	10:00	Arrival and Registration	Registration/Protocol Team
2	10:00	5	10:05	Opening Prayer	Master of Event
3	10:05	10	10:15	Welcome/Recap of Day Two/Intro	Master of Event
4	10:15	5	10:20	Citation of the Guest Speaker	Master of Event
5	10:20	30	10:50	Keynote Presentation 3: Smart Partnerships for Impact	Ifedayo Durosinmi-Etti (Founder of Herconomy)
6	10:50	10	11:00	Q & A	Master of Event
7	11:00	10	11:10	Partner Sponsor Session 6	MuleySam Integrated Ltd
8	11:15	30	11:45	Coffee Break/Networking	Master of Event
9	11:45	40	12:25	Panel Session 4: Innovative Models for Social Impact	1. Mr Seyi Abolaji (CEO and Cofounder, Wilson's Juice Co.) 2. Dr. Hope Orovwode (Faculty, CU) 3. Prof. Olujide A. Adekeye (DVD, CU) 4. Prof Tayo George (Moderator, Faculty, CU)
10	12:25	20	12:45	Q & A	NSIA Cancer Centre
11	12:45	10	12:55	Lightning Talk 1	Mrs Mercy Anih (Dreamcode)
12	12:55	10	01:05	Lightning Talk 2	Daniel Jesuloluwa (Rennta)
13	01:05	30	01:35	Top Five Exhibitors' Presentation	Master of Event & Panel of Justice
14	01:35	5	01:40	A Word from the Winner	Covenant Innovator's Award Winner
15	01:40	30	02:10	Lunch	Master of Event
16	02:10	30	02:40	Closing Ceremony & Presentation of Awards	Master of Event
17	02:40	5	02:45	Closing Remark	Chair, CIW' 23 LOC
18	02:45	5	02:50	Vote of Thanks	Secretary, CIW' 23 LOC
19	02:50	5	02:55	Closing Prayer	Master of Event
20	02:55	5	03:00	Nigerian & CU Anthem	Master of Event
21	03:00	60	04:00	Cocktail/Networking	Master of Event

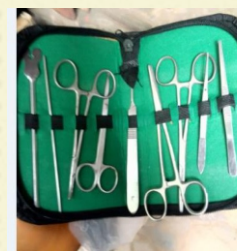
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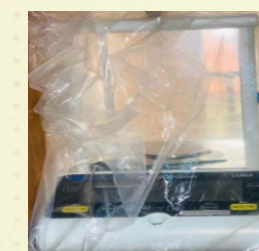


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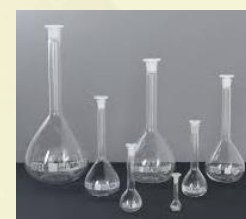
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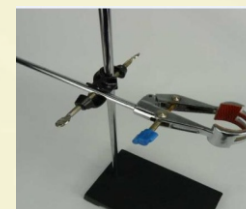
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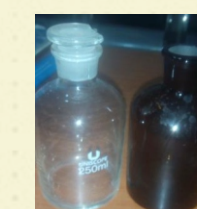
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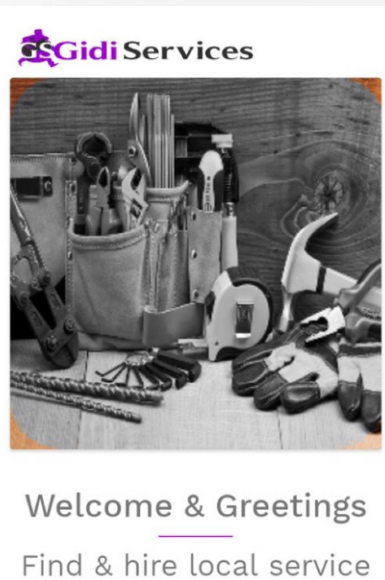
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