

FEDERAL UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY, MINNA AT A GLANCE

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Location





Minna, Nigeria

- Founded in 1910.
- A Railway Town.
 Population of about 420 thousand people.
- Largely Agrarian environment.















Federal University of Technology, Minna

- ➢ Public university.
- Established on 1st February, 1983.
- The objective: To give effect to the nation's drive for self-reliance in Science, Engineering and Technology.







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Federal University of Technology, Minna



A world class and Nigeria's leading University recognized for its excellence in capacity building and service delivery.



Federal University of Technology, Minna



As a specialized University, we are committed to the training of skilled and innovative work-force that would transform Nigeria's natural resources into goods and services, driven by entrepreneurship and Information and Communication Technology (ICT) to positively affect the economy and thus quality of life of her people.



Our University Federal University of Technology (FUT), Minna Nigeria

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Our Campuses

BOSSO CAMPUS

- Located within Minna town
- Hosts:
- 3 Schools
- Postgraduate School
- 4 Centres including ACEMFS





GIDAN-KWANO CAMPUS

- Located 12 km from city centre
- Hosts:
- ➢ 6 Schools
- ➢ 6 Centres
- Central Administration





Our Schools







Environment

Management



Engineering



Information and Communication Technology







Physical Sciences



Graduate School



Departments and Centres

Centres

Departments

Telecommunication Engineering Computer Science Centre for Human and Urban Settlement Microbiology Biochemistry **Physics Department** Transport Technology **Centre for Disaster Risk and Management Studies** Agricultural Engineering **Cyber Security Science** Centre for Open Distance & e-Learning **Computer Engineering** Geography Soil Science Entrepreneurship Centre Mechanical Engineering Information and Media Technology Information and Technology Services Geology **Urban and Regional Planning** West African Science Service Centre on **Climate Change and Adapted Land Use Material Engineering Animal Science Civil Engineering Mechatronics Engineering Centre for Preliminary and Extra-Mural Studies Building Engineering Chemical Engineering**

Research and Development

Major Research and Development Achievements of FUT Minna

- NUC institutional Accreditation- One of Two Universities to with A+ rating out of over 114 universities in Nigeria.
- The only University with 5 Star rating in Service Compact with All Nigerians (SERVICOM).
- Overall best university in R&D as judged by NURESDEF in 2012.
- \$4 million World Bank grant for the National Centre for Genetic Engineering and Biotechnology under the STEP-B.
- German Government grant of 1.05 million Euro for West Africa Science Service Centre on Climate Change and Adopted Land Use.







Major Research and Development Achievements of FUT Minna

- The only institution that won all the three research grants awarded by Nigerian Communications Commission (NCC) in 2015
- Centre for Disaster Risk Management and Development Studies winning the Tulane University of USA grant of \$185, 000 in 2014
- 1st among specialized Universities in the country (2019)
- In 2019, the universities won \$6 million World Bank grant for the establishment of African Centre of Excellence for Mycotoxin and Food Safety (ACEMFS).
- In 2020, Won Royal Academy of Engineering (RAENG) Grants for the establishment of "Artificial Intelligence for Clean Energy"



Our Role at FUT Minna

FUT Minna has been contributing in the following ways:

Sector	Our Role and Efforts
Regional Food Safety	Africa Centre of Excellence on Mycotoxin and Food Safety
Land Use and Climate Change	West African Science Service Centre on Climate Change and Adapted Land Use (WASCAL)
Borderless Education	Cente for Open Distance & e-Learning (CODEL)
Peace and Security	Defence Industrial Complex
4th Revolution	Information and Communication Technology Industry
Skill Development for Economic Transformation	AcadoPreneurship: Skilled Work force and Business Incubation









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Africa Centre of Excellence in Mycotoxin and Food Safety





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Focus of ACEMFS

- A \$6 million world bank project which has 46 industry/sectoral and academic partners.
- We intend building research capacity via short and long training programmes.
- We shall establish an integrated prevention and control scheme against mycotoxins, food borne pathogens, veterinary drugs, pesticides, and industrial residues.
- The staples to be studied include maize, rice, sorghum, millet, wheat, soybean, cassava, sesame, groundnut, animal feed, livestock products including milk, egg and fish, fruits and vegetables in Central and West Africa.





Education, Teaching, and Learning

Short Term Courses for Industry and Government food Regulators

- 1. ICT Application on Food Safety
- 2. Application of Innovative Technologies for Reduction of Contaminants in Foods
- 3. Food risk analysis
- 4. Microbiological and chemical laboratory testing methods
- 5. Good agricultural and manufacturing practices
- 6. Good aquaculture practices
- 7. Food inspection training
- 8. Commercial sterile packaging training
- 9. Pest and Insecticide Management
- 10. Food regulations: policy and management
- 11. Economic impact of mycotoxins on food and feed industry and mitigation strategies
- 12. From sampling to analytical tools: state-of-the-art in mycotoxin determination
- 13. Exposure assessment of mycotoxins









West African Science Service Centre on Climate Change and Adapted Land Use (WASCAL)

WASCAL

- □ With climate change being one of the most severe challenges to Africa in the 21st century, West Africa is facing an urgent need to develop effective adaptation and mitigation measures.
- WASCAL has a strong commitment to help educate the next generation of scientists to attain an in- depth knowledge of different climate related issues in order to help the region develop suitable management strategies.











Contribution to Defence Industry







R&D In the Defence

□ FUTMinna has been collaborating with the Defence institutions in the country to bring peace and stability to the country and the region at large.

□The university has also participated in a number of projects to help the defence institutions combat Insecurity and Terrorism.























te computerized Mobile Rocket Pod Testing System (CMRPTS) is high-mobility automatic system for testing Missile Assembly and tervalometer based on Matra F4 platform. CMRPTS can be used or ground testing or Alpha-Jet firing testing without sassembling.

CMRPTS can test a whole missile assembly evaluating its capability and functionality of extr nocket or bomb pod within 10 seconds. The tester, which is mounted on a mobilic artis a highly automated self-testing, self-reporting and self-diagonistic system. It contains an embedded system linked with a control computer that integrates the intervalometer and rockst-testing system.

WRPTS can be used for individually or in ripples of 1 to 18 testing. ccuracy is maintained in all testing modes because the computer -starts the testing sequence at every rounds.

e CMRPTS can be readily transported to the area of operations b thing or using any transporter system.



R&D In the Defence





SEQUEL TO FEDERAL UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY (FUT) MINNA PARTICIPATION AT TRADOC BESEARCH EXHIBITION HELD AT TRADOC MINNA ON 8 – 10 DECEMBER, 2014, THE COMMANDING OFFICER, 313 ARTILLERY UNIT, FUT MINNA TO CONDUCT PRELIMINARY ASSESSMENT ON THE SERVICEABILITY OF ONE FAULTY OERLIKON 35 MM TW IN BARREL ANTI-AIRCRAFT GUN AS A TEST CASE FOR POSSIBLE REPAIR OF ALL OTHER GUNS.

4th Revolution: Contribution to Information and Communication Industry











□ FUTMinna has over the years played a leading role in the communication industry through innovative and creative Research.

2018

Development of an Intelligent Wireless Mobile Phone Charger, funded by Nigerian Communications Commission (NCC),

2016

□ Fabrication of GSM Communication Based Walking Cane Robot (GWCR) for Enhancing Ambulation, funded by NCC

□ <u>2015</u>

- Design and Development of Low Cost Adaptive GSM Signal Booster
- Seamless Data and Voice Connection Using Multiple Operators Enabled SIM
- Generation and Production of GSM Battery

R&D In the Communication Industry



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The mobility requirement of existing wire based charging systems.

Thus, making mobile phone stay in a particular place for long.

Thus, the motivation for this project is to improve the capacity of MP users to freely move around while charging their phones.

Problem Statement













Proposed Solution Approach

R&D In the Communication Industry



2016

Intelligent Walking Stick

One of the major reasons identified for increase in number of falls by the aged, senior citizens and people with disability is use of MOBILE Phone.

Imbalance sometimes do arise in an attempt to:

- receive call,
- initiate phone call,
- send or read SMS

while holding onto the walking stick during a call session.

We present a novel solution to solve this problem : The Mobile Communication Enabled Walking Stick (MCEWS)



Electronic section of IWS



IWS flash light



Seamless Mechanical joint



IWS at rest

Fall detection

Algorithm



The angular system with Loudspeaker



- Mobile Communication Enabled system
 Fall detection algorithm
 Obstacle detection system
 Phone call initiation to predefined care-givers or health centres
 Real time transmission of vital signals to
 - Real time transmission of vital signals to remote health workers
- Flash light
- Bluetooth
- Battery charging system

R&D In the Communication Industry

2015



- □ Design and Development of Low Cost Adaptive GSM Signal Booster, funded by Nigerian Communications Commission (NCC), =N=3,100,000
- □ Seamless Data and Voice Connection Using Multiple Operators Enabled SIM (MOES) card, funded by Nigerian Communications Commission (NCC), =N=2,961,561.15
- □ Fabrication and Production of GSM Battery, funded by Nigerian Communications Commission (NCC), =N=2,700,000

Call failure, call , POOR QUALITY OF SERVICE and low received signal strength are prominent problems associated with MOBILE CELLULAR calls in Nigeria.

The use of more than one cell phones or phones with more than one subscriber Identity Module (SIM) cards BY THE SUBSCRIBERS has not been able to solve the aforementioned problems.

Hence, the proposition of the Multiple Operators Enabled SIM (MOES)





Figure 1: SUPER SIM MOES



Figure 2: Embedded MOES (E-MOES), NX1 Method



Figure 3: Embedded MOES (E-MOES), NxN Method



