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Prof. Horace Campbell, Syracuse University

Prof. Horace Campbell of Syracuse University delivered a public lecture on challenges in the Pan African Movement in the 21st Century, at the University of Nairobi on Monday, July 25, 2016.

The renowned Pan-Africanist International Scholar and expert of International Studies and Global Governance spoke passionately about the foundation of Pan-Africanism and great contributors towards the movement.

Prof. Horace named outstanding personalities like the late Dedan Kimathi, the late Wangari Maathai, the late Ali Mazrui and Prof. Patrick Lumumba among others who have made remarkable contributions toward the Pan African movement in Kenya.

Prof. Campbell said, "Challenges that face the Pan African movement in the 21st Century are life, health, peace and restoration of the natural environment." He challenged Kenyans to look at assets on the pan-african scale. He mentioned Demographic strength, skills and knowledge of African math, recent history of liberalization and mobilization and diversity as Africa's assets.

He said that the British introduced an education system that divides the people. However, he said that universities can reorganize the curriculum and design a new approach to deal with Africa as one.