

## UNIVERSITY OF NAIROBI

## University of Nairobi Awards top performers of 2009/2010 and 2010/2011

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Chairman of the University of Nairobi council Dr. Idle Farah has lauded 74 donors among them institutions and professional organizations for their continued effort to motivate students for excellent performance and enhance the prizes to reflect the changing economic realities. While awarding the prizes Dr. Farah reaffirmed the institution's commitment to continue restructuring their systems to enhance efficient service delivery to meet challenges ahead.

"I wish to compliment our donors, who have continued to support this initiative, this is a firm statement that you value academic excellence, and specifically that you have faith in the brand of the University of Nairobi," he added.

The Vice Chancellor of the university Prof Magoha said over 330 students for 2009/2010 and 2010/2011 academic year are beneficiaries for astounding performance. He challenged other organizations in both public and private sectors to come on board and support activities that will improve the quality of academic programmes at the University since they are the ultimate beneficiaries.

"I also urge students to remain competitive and challenge more organizations to volunteer prizes for our best performing students," Prof Magoha added.

Prof Magoha acknowledged the need for students to maintain excellent performance so as to cope with the competitive market. "We have embarked on a long and difficult journey of transforming the University of Nairobi into a model institution of higher learning in this country and region. The fact that we are here today to celebrate excellence is indeed confirmation that our efforts are already bearing fruit," Prof said.

Seven new donors have come on board and will award best performing students from the next academic year.

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