

71st Graduation of Makerere University: CoNAS Presents Graduands on Day 1

The College of Natural Sciences (CoNAS) presented its graduands today which is day one of the 71st Graduation of Makerere University. The graduation week that started today (17th May 2021) is running till Friday 21st May, 2021. CoNAS presented **319** graduands (**101** Female, **218** male) broken down as follows.

| Degree | Female | Male | Total |
|--|------------|------------|------------|
| Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) | 3 | 3 | 6 |
| Master of Science – Zoology | 2 | 8 | 10 |
| Master of Science – Biochemistry | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| Master of Science – Botany | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| Master of Science – Chemistry | 2 | 4 | 6 |
| Master of Science – Petroleum Geoscience | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Master of Science – Physics | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Bachelor of Science | 48 | 78 | 126 |
| Bachelor of Science in Industrial Chemistry | 13 | 45 | 58 |
| Bachelor of Science in Sports Science | 2 | 6 | 8 |
| Bachelor of Science in Fisheries and Aquaculture | 6 | 23 | 29 |
| Bachelor of Science in Biotechnology | 9 | 15 | 24 |
| Bachelor of Science in Conservation Biology | 4 | 8 | 12 |
| Bachelor of Science in Petroleum Geoscience and Production | 10 | 24 | 34 |
| TOTAL | 101 | 218 | 319 |

Congratulations to staff who were awarded PhDs today including: Dr. Florence Nantaba, Dr. Adia Madina Muhammed, Dr. Solomon Iga (Department of Chemistry) and Dr. Rhona Baingana (Department of Biochemistry and Sports Science).

Eleven (11) bachelors degree graduands presented by CoNAS attained first class degrees (**3** Female, **8** Male). The names, degree and CGPA are presented below:

| # | NAME | DEGREE | CGPA |
|----|------------------------|--|------|
| 1 | Obongi Emmanuel | Bachelor of Science | 4.72 |
| 2 | Nkajja Godfrey | Bachelor of Science | 4.67 |
| 3 | Nakato Zora Joy | Bachelor of Science | 4.62 |
| 4 | Tukie Ivan | Bachelor of Science in Petroleum Geoscience and Production | 4.56 |
| 5 | Bakisuula Dalton | Bachelor of Science in Industrial Chemistry | 4.55 |
| 6 | Kidega Francis Brian | Bachelor of Science | 4.46 |
| 7 | Buyondo Basil Paul | Bachelor of Science | 4.45 |
| 8 | Ayebare Ruth | Bachelor of Science | 4.44 |
| 9 | Mutahi Nicholas Silver | Bachelor of Science in Petroleum Geoscience and Production | 4.43 |
| 10 | Dembe Nicholas | Bachelor of Science in Fisheries and Aquaculture | 4.41 |
| 11 | Taremwa Yoweri | Bachelor of Science | 4.41 |

Special mention to **Dembe Nicholas** who attained the 1st Class degree ever awarded to a student of Bachelor of Science in Fisheries and Aquaculture since inception of the programme over a decade ago.

The leadership of CoNAS led by Prof. Mugisha J.Y.T (Principal, CoNAS) extend their sincere thanks to all members of staff who produced the results in time without which there would be no

graduands. Special thanks to the College Registrar and team (Anne, Albert) who worked tirelessly to ensure that the college results were captured on the graduation list.