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AMENDMENT OF STATUTES AND SCHEDULES

THE COUNCIL of the University at its 209th and 210th Meetings held on June 18, 2010, and July 09, 2010, respectively, approved a **Resolution** for the amendment of the following Statutes and Schedules and further approved the incorporation of the Administration Committee into Schedule B3 as a Statutory Committee of Council:

1. Statute 20 Composition of the Academic Board

- Vice-Chancellor
- Pro Vice-Chancellor
- Registrar
- Provosts of Colleges
- University Librarian
- Dean, School of Graduate Studies
- Dean, International Programmes Office
- Dean of Students
- Dean, Institute of Distance Learning
- One (1) Elected Full-Time Professorial Member from each College
- One (1) Elected Full-Time Non-Professorial Member from each College not below the rank of **Senior Lecturer**
- Two (2) Student Representatives [One (1) for Undergraduate Students and One (1) for Postgraduate Students, respectively]
- Senior Members of Council who, by status, are not Members of the Academic Board.

In Attendance

- College Registrars
- College Examination Officers (**Where Applicable**)
- Deputy Registrar (Academic Affairs) **Secretary**

2. Statute 34 (a) Composition of a College Board

- Provost

- Deans/Directors (**Where Applicable**)
- Heads of Department
- Two (2) Elected Full-Time Professorial Members not from the same Faculty/Department Two (2) Elected Full-Time Non-Professorial Members not below the rank of **Senior Lecturer** and not from the same Faculty! Department
- One (1) Cognate College Member
- College Librarian
- Two (2) Elected Student Representatives [One (1) for Undergraduate Students and One (1) for Postgraduate Students, respectively]
- College Representatives on the Academic Board
- College Accountant
- College Registrar **Member/Secretary**

In Attendance

- College Examinations Officer (**Where Applicable**)

3. Schedule B1.3.1 College Appointments and Promotions Sub-Committee

Core Members

- Provost
- Three (3) Most Senior Full-Time Professorial Members
- One (1) Cognate College Member of Full-Time Professorial rank
- College Registrar **Member/Secretary**

Co-opted Members

- Dean/Director of Candidate under consideration (**Where Applicable**)
- Head of Department of Candidate under consideration (**Where Applicable**).

4. Statute 37 (a) Academic Faculties of the Colleges

4.1 The following Colleges shall operate a **Three Tier System: (Provost/Dean/Head]**

College of Agriculture and Natural Resources

Faculty of Agriculture

- Department of Animal Science
- Department of Crop and Soil Sciences
- Department of Horticulture
- Department of Agricultural Economics/Agribusiness and Extension

Faculty of Renewable Natural Resources

- Department of Agroforestry
- Department of Silviculture and Forest Management

- Department of Wildlife and Range Management
- Department of Fisheries and Watershed Management
- Department of Wood Science and Technology

Faculty of Forest Resources Technology

- Department of Forest Technology
- Department of Wildlife Technology
- Department of Wood Technology

Research Institutes/Centres

- Bureau of Integrated Rural Development (BIRD)
- Centre for Biodiversity Utilization and Development (CBUD)
- Dairy/Beef Cattle Research Station (DBCRS)

College of Health Sciences

Faculty of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences

- Department of Pharmaceutical Chemistry
- Department of Pharmacognosy
- Department of Clinical and Social Pharmacy

***Proposed Centre/Department 174**

- Department of Pharmaceutics
- Department of Herbal Medicine
- Department of Pharmacology

School of Medical Sciences

- Department of Anatomy
- Department of Physiology
- Department of Molecular Medicine
- Department of Pathology
- Department of Clinical Microbiology
- Department of Behavioural Sciences
- Department of Surgery
- Department of Medicine
- Department of EENT
- Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecology
- Department of Child Health
- Department of Anaesthesiology and Intensive Care
- Department of Community Health
- Department of Radiology

KNUST Dental School

- Department of Adult Oral Health
- Department of Basics and Diagnostics Oral Health Sciences
- Department of Child Oral Health and Orthodontics

- Department of Community Dentistry
- Department of Maxillofacial Sciences

KNUST School of Veterinary Medicine

- Department of Anatomy and Physiology
- Department of Clinical Studies
- Department of Pathobiology
- Department of Public Health
- Department of Pharmacology and Toxicology

Faculty of Allied Health Sciences

- Department of Nursing
- Department of Sports and Exercise Sciences
- Department of Medical Laboratory Technology

Research Institutes/Centres

- Kumasi Centre for Collaborative Research in Tropical Medicine (KCCR)

College of Art and Social Sciences

Faculty of Art

- Department of Painting and Sculpture
- Department of Communication Design
- Department of General Art Studies
- Department of Industrial Art
- Department of Integrated Rural Art and Industry
- Department of Publishing Studies

Faculty of Social Sciences

- Department of Sociology and Social Work
- Department of English
- Department of Economics
- Department of Modern Languages
- Department of Geography and Rural Development
- Department of History and Political Studies
- Department of Religious Studies

Faculty of Law

- Department of Public Law
- Department of Private Law
- Department of Commercial Law

KNUST School of Business

- Department of Managerial Science
- Department of Accounting and Finance

- Department of Marketing and Corporate Strategy
- Department of Services Management
- Department of Information and Decision Sciences

Research Institutes/Centres

- **Centre for Culture and African Studies (CAS)**
- **Ghana Institute of Advanced Legal Studies (GIALS)**
- **Kumasi Centre for Legislative Drafting (KCLD)***

4.2 The following Colleges shall operate a **Two Tier** System:
(Provost/ Head)

College of Architecture and Planning

- Department of Architecture
- Department of Building Technology
- Department of Interior Design *
- Department of Environmental and Conservation *
- Department of Quantity Surveying *
- Department of Building Service Technology and Management*
- Department of Planning
- Department of Land Economy
- Department of Development Policy *
- Department of Real Estate*
- Department of Urban and Regional Planning*

Research Institutes/Centres

- Institute for Human Settlements Research
- Centre for Settlement Studies
- Centre for Land Studies

College of Engineering

- Department of Chemical Engineering
- Department of Materials Engineering
- Department of Petroleum Engineering*
- Department of Fire and Safety Engineering *
- Department of Civil Engineering
- Department of Geomatic Engineering
- Department of Geological Engineering
- Department of Electrical and Electronic Engineering
- Department of Computer Engineering
- Department of Telecommunications Engineering *
- Department of Biomedical Engineering *
- Department of Mechanical Engineering
- Department of Agricultural Engineering

- Department of Aerospace Engineering*

Research Institutes/Centres

- **Technology Consultancy Centre (TCC)**
- **KNUST Energy Centre (KEC)**

College of Science

- Department of Computer Science
- Department of Mathematics
- Department of Chemistry
- Department of Physics
- Department of Biochemistry and Biotechnology
- Department of Theoretical and Applied Biology
- Department of Optometry and Visual Science
- Department of Statistics and Actuarial Science*
- Department of Food Science and Technology*
- Department of Environmental Sciences*

Research Institutes/Centres

- Institute of Science and Technology for Africa (ISTA)
- National Institute for Mathematical Sciences (NIMS)

5. Statute 38 (a) Composition of Faculty Board

- Dean/Director
- Heads of Department
- All Professorial Members of the Faculty
- One (1) Cognate Faculty Member
- Faculty Representative on the College Board (Where Applicable)
- Two (2) Elected Student Representatives [One (1) for Undergraduate Students and One (1) for Postgraduate Students, respectively]
- Senior/Assistant Registrar **Member/Secretary**

In Attendance

- Faculty Examinations Officer (**Where Applicable**)

6. Statute 41 (c) Composition of Departmental Boards

- Head of Department
- All Senior Members (Academic)

Chief/Principal/Senior Administrative Assistant

Secretary

1. Statute 14 The Registrar

Statute 14 (j) Tenure of Office of the Registrar

The Registrar's Appointment shall be tenure and shall be in accordance with the University Act and the relevant provisions of the Statutes of the University.

1. Statute 24 Convocation

- Chancellor
- Vice-Chancellor
- Pro Vice-Chancellor
- Registrar
- Principals and Provosts
- Professors/Adjunct Professors/Visiting Professors/Visiting Scholars
- Associate Professors/Adjunct Associate Professors/Visiting Associate Professors/Visiting Associate Scholars
- Senior Lecturers/Senior Research Fellows/Adjunct Senior Lecturers/Adjunct Senior Research Fellows/Visiting" Senior Lecturers/Visiting Senior Research Fellows/Visiting Senior Scholars/ Visiting Senior Research Scholars
- Directors and Deputy Directors of Institutes and Centers of the University
- Masters/Wardens of Halls of Residence
- Deputy Registrars/College Registrars. Senior Assistant Registrars, Assistant Registrars and Junior Assistant Registrars
- University Librarian. Deputy Librarians/College Librarians, Senior Assistant Librarians. Assistant Librarians and Junior Assistant Librarians
- Finance Officer, Deputy Finance Officers/College Accountants, Senior Accountants, Accountants and Assistant Accountants
- Lecturers/Adjunct Lecturers/Visiting Lecturers/Visiting Scholars, Research Fellows/Visiting Research Fellows/Adjunct Research Fellows, Research Officers-in-charge of Research Stations, Assistant Research Associates. Assistant Lecturers and Assistant Research Fellows
- Internal Auditor, Deputy Internal Auditors, Senior Assistant Internal Auditors, Assistant Internal Auditors and Junior Assistant Internal Auditors
- Director of Health Services, Deputy Director of Health Services, Principal Medical Officers/Principal Dental Officers, Senior Medical Officers/Senior Dental Officers and Medical Officers/Dental Officers
- Director of Works and Physical Development, Chief Architects, Chief Quantity Surveyors, Chief Structural Engineers, Senior Quantity Surveyors, Senior Architects, Senior Structural Engineers, Architects, Quantity Surveyors and Structural Engineers.
- University Chaplains
- Estate Officer, Senior Estate Officers, Assistant Estate Officers and Junior Assistant Estate Officers
- Superintendent Pharmacist, Senior Pharmacists and Pharmacists
- Hospital Secretaries, Senior Assistant Hospital Secretaries and Assistant Hospital Secretaries
- Manager, University Printing Press, Manager, Photocopy Unit, Head, University Basic Schools
- Director of Procurement, Senior Procurement Officers and Procurement Officers
- Director of Sports

- Director, University Information and Technology Services (UITs), Deputy Director, Senior Systems Programmers/Senior Systems Analysts, Systems Programmers/Systems Analysts and Assistant Systems Programmers/Systems Analysts
- Any other Senior Members who are approved by the Academic Board for this purpose, provided that any such persons shall not be entitled to vote in any proceedings of Convocation

9. **Schedule B3 Committees of the University Council**
Schedule B3.6 Administration Committee

The Administration Committee shall be composed as follows:

- Vice-Chancellor
- Pro Vice-Chancellor
- Registrar
- Finance Officer

In Attendance

- Director of Works and Physical Development
- Internal Auditor
- Deputy Registrar (General Administration)
- Assistant Registrar (Registrar's Office)
- Assistant Registrar (Vice-Chancellor's Office) **Secretary**

10. **Schedule B1.1 (a) Composition of the Executive Committee**

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- Dean, International Programmes Office
- Dean, School of Graduate Studies
- Dean, Institute of Distance Learning
- Two (2) Elected Academic Board Representatives

In Attendance

Deputy Registrar (Academic Affairs) **Secretary**