

MARCH NEWSLETTER



Award Recognition

The JEQ Foundation was honored by the Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority Inc. Kappa Chi Chapter on February 26, 2022, with their Global Impact Award during the Sorority's 114th Founders' Day Program. The citation for the award was as follows: "For Your Pursuit of Excellence and Commitment to Impacting the Underserved Locally and Internationally".

Dr. Joseph Emmanuel Quansah, the Co-Founder of the Foundation received the award on behalf of the JEQ Foundation.

Thank you to our Board of Directors, Ghanaian representatives, and generous donors for making the JEQ Foundation what it is today.



2022 Laptop Presentations

Five scholarship recipients received new laptops for their academic excellence in Ghana.

Hildagard M. Musah, a 2020 JEQ Foundation scholarship recipient received a new laptop for her academic excellence at Takoradi Technical University (TTU), Ghana. Dr. Elizabeth I. Quansah, Co-Founder, Mrs. Christina Blankson, Board Member, Ghana, TTU Pro Vice-Chancellor, and other administrators presented the laptop to Hildagard for her hard work. The event took place on February 14th, 2022, at the TTU Council of Chamber Room in Takoradi, Ghana.

Thank you, Drs. Joseph and Elizabeth Quansah, for sponsoring Hildagard throughout her education.

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SARAH JALIMA RECEIVED NEW LAPTOP

The foundation is grateful to Dr. Stacey Nickson of Auburn, USA, for fully sponsoring Jalima's tuition, housing, laptop, and bluetooth in memory of her late mother, Madam Carlita Nickson. Sarah Jalima, a third year political science student and aspiring child advocate received a new laptop and blue tooth from JEQ Foundation at a brief ceremony held at the University of Ghana's main library on February 21, 2022. Present at the event were: Dr. Elizabeth Quansah, Rejoice Kojopeni, JEQ Foundation's 2021 scholarship recipient, Mr. Michael Nartey, a representative for the Greater Accra, Eastern and Northern Regions of Ghana, and the laptop recipient, Sarah Jalima. Special thanks to Dr. Valarie Thomas, our board member for providing flash drives to Rejoice, Sarah, and all the laptop recipients in Ghana.

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LAPTOP PRESENTATION

Thanks to our generous donors, Dr. Michael Wooten and Dr. Leslie Cordie of Auburn, USA, for sponsoring Talita Anokye, a 2021 JEQ Foundation scholarship recipient with a new laptop, payment of tuition, and her housing fees.

Talita received her laptop at the University of Energy and Natural Resource (UENR) in Sunyani on March 15, 2022. The laptop was presented on behalf of the Foundation by Prof. Elvis Asare-Bediako the Vice-Chancellor (similar to President), UENR. Special thanks to Dr. Mercy Derkyi, Acting Director of the Center for Professional Development, UENR for making this event possible. Present at the event was also Hayford Kankam Boadu, another 2021 JEQ Foundation scholarship recipient and a third-year mechanical student at UENR.

We are grateful to all the UENR administrators, faculty, and staff for making the presentation a special one for our students.



CERTIFICATE OF APPRECIATION

Three certificates of appreciation were given to Mrs. Christian Blankson, Board Member, Ghana and the representative for Central and Western Regions of Ghana, Dr. Emmanuel Quansah, JEQ Foundation's representative for the Ashanti Region and a lecturer at Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology (KNUST), and Mr. Michael Nartey, the representative for Greater Accra, Eastern and Northern Regions, and CEO of Cosmos schools, Accra for their volunteer services to the Foundation.

Mrs. Blankson promotes the Foundation in Ghana, mentors, and ensures that all the students' tuition and housing payments are paid in a timely manner. She also monitors each student's academic performance throughout the year.

Mr. Nartey oversees the payments of all the scholarship recipients' tuition and housing fees in Ghana, and also promotes the Foundation's work in Ghana.

Dr. Quansah advise and mentor recipients in his region. Thank you Mrs. Blankson, Dr. Quansah and Mr. Nartey for your dedication and support to the foundation.



MEET OUR NEW BOARD EXECUTIVES

Let's welcome Mrs. Linda Broz our new volunteer Board Secretary and Dr. Elikem Gbeddy our new volunteer Board Treasurer.

Mrs. Broz is passionate about giving back and volunteering for a worthy cause. We are happy to have her on our team.

Dr. Gbeddy understands Ghana's higher education system, economic inequality, and how we can change the trajectory of poor but excellent students' lives in Ghana in our own small way. We are thrilled to have you on the team Dr. Gbeddy, welcome on board!

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