

UG/AZAR WORKSHOP ON PAINT AND COLOUR TECHNOLOGY

The Institute of Applied Science and Technology (IAST) in collaboration with Azar Chemical Industries Ltd (AZAR) organized a capacity building workshop on paints and colour technology at the School of Engineering Sciences on Friday 26th July 2019. This innovative program was targeted at applicators and decision makers in the paint ecosystems. Participants were drawn from construction companies, estate developers, paint distributors and colour enthusiasts. For more information, visit <https://www.ug.edu.gh/iast/news-information/ugazar-paint-and-colour-technology-workshop>



UNIVERSITY OF GHANA AND NESTLÉ GHANA SIGN MOU

The University of Ghana (UG) and Nestlé Ghana Limited on Friday 21ST August 2019 signed a two-year renewable Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) to offer students practical learning opportunities to enhance their skills in the area of nutrition, science and technology.

The Managing Director of Nestlé Ghana, Madam Philomena Tan, in her remarks disclosed that the MoU was the first of its kind within the Central and West Africa Region where Nestlé has been functional in over 62 years. For further details, visit <https://www.ug.edu.gh/news/university-ghana-and-nestle-ghana-sign-mou>



UG ENVIRODOME GREENHOUSE—CENTRE FOR INNOVATION AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP

This Centre has been established by the Institute of Applied Science and Technology (IAST), College of Basic and Applied Science primarily for commercial production of vegetables and also research, training and teaching in greenhouse vegetable production, crop production, harvest and post-harvest technology, storage and packaging technology, quality standards as well as certification (GLOBALCAP). This technology will also provide the leverage for responding to the challenges in the emerging greenhouse industry in Ghana. The Institute has developed a short modular course with manual on Contemporary Approaches to Quality Fruit and Vegetable Production.

This course was designed to train vegetable growers on a more advanced and comfortable farming technology that uses a state of the art greenhouse adopted for the tropical world. This course will equip and build the capacity of beneficiaries with the necessary knowledge and skills in protected and controlled environment agriculture. Trainees will learn best practices regarding the operation and management of greenhouses and other controlled environments used in horticultural production.



LAUNCH OF “YES TO SDG’S” RAFFLE ON UG CAMPUS

The Institute of Applied Science and Technology (IAST), partnered with the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) Advisory Unit of the Office of the President to sensitise the general public on the SDGs.

The SDG secretariat of The Office of the President launched a raffle on May 2nd 2019 dubbed "Yes to the SDGs". This raffle would enable the public to widen their knowledge base on the 17 goals. Participants of the raffle stand a chance of winning weekly prizes with an ultimate prize being a **4x4 Mahindra KUV100** car after the 90-day raffle period. For further details, visit <https://www.ug.edu.gh/news/launch-%E2%80%9Cyes-sdgs%E2%80%9D-raffle-ug-campus>



UPCOMING EVENTS

- ◆ UG Hackathon 2019
- ◆ SDG Global Youth Conference
- ◆ Impact Week 2019

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