First Nigerian University to be established by an act of the Federal Parliament in 1962, devoted to research excellence in knowledge, character and services to humanity.

All our programmes are accredited.

Core values: Excellence in Learning & Character, Conductive & Friendly Learning Environment, Integrity & Respect, Staff Professionalism & Competence, Innovative Culture & Ethical Conduct.

Ranked by Spanish National Research Council World University Rankings among the best universities in Africa.

The University Library has a rich Africana and Nigerian artifacts collection.

Our Human & Zoonotic Virology Laboratory is highly efficient and effective. It was significant in the management of the Ebola outbreak in Nigeria in 2014.

44-year-old Distance Learning Continuing Education, providing professional development and capacity building to fulfill societal needs

Only campus with a Scenic Lagoon view in Nigeria

First Polyurethane testing laboratory in Nigeria

Top research and graduate programs in Nigeria and breaking new barriers globally

First Nigerian University to own and run a Radio Station 103.1 FM and TV Station

UNILAG At a Glance

**Our University**

- Undergraduate programmes: 86
- Postgraduate Diplomas: 32
- Masters: 149
- Mphil: 111
- Doctorate: 111
- 12 Faculties/Colleges: Arts, Basic Medical Sciences, Management Sciences, Clinical Sciences, Dental Sciences, Education, Engineering, Environmental Sciences, Law, Pharmacy, Science, and Social Sciences
- 5 Institutes: Distance Learning Institute, Confucius Institute, Institute of Maritime Studies, Institute of Continuing Education, and Institute for African & Diaspora Studies.
- 10 Research Centres operating in diverse research clusters
- 60 partner universities and institutes worldwide

**Our Students**

- Undergraduate: 30,757
- Graduate: 10,933
- Continuing education: 15,010
- Global spread of students from more than 50 countries
- Student-run clubs and organization: 76
- Membership of community service clubs: 20
- Annual awards in Scholarships and Financial aid: Approximately $246,175.62
- Our students go on to secure good employment.

**UNILAG Students - Great Akokites!**

Global outlook, Pride in their alma mater, Lifelong learners, Creating innovations, Stickers for excellence, Reliable professionals.

- Our student was a bronze medalist for the relay team at the Commonwealth Games, Gold Coast, Australia in April 2018.
- Our students from the Department of Geography came 3rd out of 50 participating Universities worldwide in the Facebook Peer to Peer Global Digital Challenge.
- A UNILAG student was selected to participate in the 2018 Society of Exploration Geophysicists International Exposition in Anchorage, California.
- The University of Lagos received a Gold Medal award for the Overall Best Institution at the 10th National Mathematics Competition for University Students (NAMCUS).
- Our student at the Department of Mass Communication emerged Gold Medal winner of the Future Creative Leaders Academy (FCLA) Award at the 2018 Creativity Week, Pitcher Awards Night.
- An Alumni of the University of Lagos was featured in BIC 100 Women's 2018 list as one of the incredible women who changed the world in 2018.
- An Alumni of the UNILAG was named by ONE as one of the incredible women who changed the world in 2018.
CHANGING THE WORLD
OUR FACULTY

1672 Full-Time Faculty
1:18 Faculty-to-student ratio
Extensive international networks

RESEARCH & INNOVATION

Exploring Challenges Facing Nigeria, Africa, and the World
Ayodele Awojobi, Mechanical Engineering. Development of a Hybrid Car Driving in Both Forward and Backward 'Autonov 1'

Alfred Essu, Chemical Engineering. Modeling Complex Pipeline Network Leak Detection System

Peju Layiwola and Patrick Olotu, Arts. Demonstrating the Connection and Interaction of Social Experience and Visual Culture.


Tawakal Fagbayi, Cell Biology and Genetics. Investigation of Aetiology of Autism Spectrum Disorder

Kolasowe Olowade, Civil & Environmental Engineering. Cassava Residual Starch as Rheology Modifier for Concrete

Mutiat Ibrahim, Pharmacognosy. Phytochemical Screening of Medicinal Leaves to combat cancer

600,000 alumni
Our alumni are spread all over the globe in respectable dispositions
A Vice President, 5 Governors, 3 Ministers and several others in the current Nigerian parliament
Alumnus, Aiboeye Ajayi-Akinfolarin, a CNN Heroes 2018 Honoree
Alumnus, Paul Orjiakpa, named on Forbes as one of the highly innovative entrepreneurs to build a $10 million toy company.
Alumnus, Prof. Omonwummi Sadiku, a Chemist and Inventor at Binghamton University, USA, invented a microelectrode biosensor that can detect foreign materials, spot drugs or explosives.
Dele Ojipe, an alumnus of UNILAG and journalist is the 1st African born winner of the Pulitzer Prize