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# FROM THE CEO'S DESK TRANSITION

t is with gratitude to the Almighty Allah that I write my last column as Chief Executive Officer of ANAN after 4 years. Transitions are an inevitable part of life as new seasons must give birth to new dimensions.

During my tenure, I was privileged to work closely with three Presidents and I will like to thank them for the professional working relationship we enjoyed. I appreciate the Council Members and Past Presidents for their leadership and guidance.

To the Management and staff, I appreciate your commitment and diligence throughout the period, even when it was challenging, we surmounted obstacles together and remained resilient.

To Branch Chairmen and Branch Executives, you are the source of our strengthen in our delivery to members and other stakeholders. We commend your passion and commitment. Your courage, doggedness and steadfastness to aspire above and beyond is an inspiration.

I also want to express my deepest gratitude to our members both old and new for the trust and commitment to the Association and our programmes across the world for professional growth and development.

And to my successor, Dr. Kayode Olushola Fasua, I am confident in your ability to lead the Association to the next level.

I believe I leave an Association that is well-positioned to compete globally with contemporaries as a premium brand of choice and as leader in public sector Accounting in Africa. It has been a privilege to serve you all.

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# PROF. BENJAMIN OSISIOMA LED ANAN DELEGATION TO 2ND ECOWAS-ABWA JOINT CONGRESS IN MONROVIA, LIBERIA

he 2nd ECOWAS — ABWA Joint Congress was held at the Farmington Hotel, Monrovia, Liberia, from 16th— 19th March, 2022.

The ANAN Delegation was led by the President and Chairman of Council, Professor Benjamin Chuka Osisioma, FCNA. The Association was represented by a 25 – member delegation.

The Congress was declared open by the President of Liberia, Dr George Manneh Weah on Thursday, 17th March, 2022.

The Lead Discussant for the 1st Plenary Session titled 'Good Governance: Imperative for Sustainable Development and Regional Prosperity', was the President and Chairman of Council, Professor Benjamin Chuka Osisioma, FCNA.

Other Papers presented include:

- Terrorism Financing, Money Laundering and Illicit Financial Flows: Bane of Public Financial Management Reforms
- Cross Border Trade and the Imperatives of Deepening Capital Market Across West Africa: The Role of the Accountancy Profession
- iii. The Accountancy Profession, Digital Transformation and the Future of Work
- iv. Corporate Governance and Board Diversity: Enhancing Value Creation for Stakeholders

The Conference came to an end with a very elaborate Gala Night Dinner.



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FIRST VICE PRESIDENT, DR JAMES NEMINEBOR AND A DELEGATE AT THE CONGRESS



COUNCIL MEMBERS AT THE EVENT IN MONROVIA



PAST PRESIDENTS AT THE CONGRESS IN MONROVIA

# ANAN PRESIDENT URGES COMPLETE COMPLIANCE FROM STAKEHOLDERS AT FEDERAL INLAND REVENUE SERVICE 2022 CORPORATE RETREAT IN LAGOS.

resident/Chairman of Council Rev. Canon Prof. Benjamin Chuka Osisioma FCNA urged stakeholders to focus squarely on FIRS 2022 goals in order to record a landmark achievement.

Amongst these goals were 100% automation of all tax administration processes to block revenue leakages and giving priority to the collection of taxes from the digital economy.

The President who was represented by the Head of Corporate Affairs & Communication Mr. Tijani Mohammed Musa at the 2-day Corporate Retreat organized by Federal Inland Revenue Services from the 31st March — 1st April, 2022 aimed at bringing all members & stakeholders of the establishment to sit together, reflect, motivate one another and streamline individual strengths of members towards shared objectives.



(L) FIRS CHAIRMAN, MR MOHAMMED NAMI WITH MR TIJANI MUSA REPRESENTATIVE OF THE PRESIDENT AT THE RETREAT IN LAGOS

# PROF. OSISIOMA ADVISES BRANCHES TO SHARE COMMON VISION AND UNITY OF PURPOSE

Plateau State Branch paid a courtesy visit to the President/Chairman of Council, Rev Canon Prof. Benjamin C. Osisioma at ANAN Headquarters, Abuja. The delegation was led by Council Member Mr. Ibrahim Maren Makut and Plateau State Branch Chairman Mr. Ezekiel Dauda Daschen on the 3rd of March, 2022.



PROF. BENJAMIN CHUKA OSISIOMA'S ADDRESSING THE DELEGATES FROM PLATEAU BRANCH



(L-R) COUNCIL MEMBER, IBRAHIM MAREN MAKUT, PLATEAU BRANCH CHAIRMAN, MR. EZEKIEL DAUDA DASCHEN, BRANCH SECRETARY, MR. ANDY AGBADI UDAH.



CROSS SECTION OF BRANCH EXECUTIVES

**MEMBERSHIP** 

# **MEMBERSHIP RETREAT**

irst session of Membership Retreat 2022 commenced from Monday March 7th and culminated in an induction ceremony on March 10, 2022.

President/Chairman Rev. Canon Prof Benjamin Chuka Osisioma, FCNA charged members to brace up to the responsibilities that comes with professionalism and bear the mark of the Association with pride and responsibility.

The induction ceremony sworn 87 seasoned professionals to the Association.



ATTENDEES LISTENING WITH RAPT ATTENTION





THE PRESIDENT'S VIRTUAL ADDRESS TO MEMBERS AT THE RETREAT



MEMBERS AT THE RETREAT

### **EDUCATION & TRAINING**

# ANAN DUBAI CONFERENCE

Dubai Conference held on the 28th - 30th March, 2022. The conference themed "Digital Accounting Application in Public & Private Sectors" - An expository training in Cloud Accounting for Global relevance, was a practical training in contemporary innovations in Accounting practice.



CHAIRMAN EDUCATION, TRAINING AND ICT COMMITTEE PROF ADEBAYO PAUL ADEJOLA (L) WITH A FACILITATOR AT THE CONFERENCE



SOME ATTENDEES WITH THE FACILITATORS AFTER THE PRACTICAL TRAINING CONFERENCE



SOME ATTENDEES ENJOYING THE BEAUTIFUL SITES AND SCENERY OF DUBAI AT THE BREAK OUT SESSION DURING THE CONFERENCE.

### PROWAN

# INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY - BREAKING THE BIAS

**MARCH 8TH, 2022** 



mmediate Past President of Chartered Institute of Taxation of Nigeria (CITN) Dame Mrs. Olajumoke Simplice speaks on Gender Equality and encourages women to stand up and speak out at the 'Conversation in Commeration of the International Women's day' themed 'Women in Leadership: Driving change for a sustainable future' organized by PROWAN to commemorate the theme of 2022 International Women's day.

PROWAN Chairperson Princess Elemanya Ebilah advised women to keep their head up high, know their worth, and show it. "We achieve nothing on a platter of gold, you must wrestle to get to the top."

The hybrid event which held at ANAN Regional office, Lagos was motivational and attendees were charged for better efficiency.



PROWAN MEMBERS AND GUESTS AT THE PROGRAM DISPLAYING THE SYMBOL OF 2022 IWD

### PROWAN



# PROWAN SOUTH EAST ZONE KICKS OFF ZONAL ACTIVITIES IN ENUGU

BY: OLAMIDE FAGBULU CNA

PROWAN South East Zone flagged off her zonal activity in Enugu. The program themed "The Relevance of Accountancy towards Nation Building" was attended by dignitaries and stakeholders in Enugu State.

Special Guest of Honor, Her Excellency, Barr. (Mrs) Cecilia Ezeilo, Deputy Governor of Enugu State graced the occasion. During her address, the Deputy Governor stated that active participation of women in every sector is key for the development of the nation.

Highlight of the event was a talk show on 'The relevance of Accountancy towards nation building' which featured three (3) girls' schools.

The girls participated in the talk show that drew attention to the theme of the program.

The host, Mrs. Orji Lilian Amaka FCNA, alongside the Chairperson of PROWAN presented the Distinguished Service Award to Her Excellency, Mrs Ezeilo.

Enugu State Auditor General for Local Government Dr Chika Ezeh CNA, PROWAN Chairperson, Princess Elemanya Ebilah FCNA, Vice Chairperson, Hajiya Maryam Jibrin FCNA, PROWAN Secretary Mrs. Rita Edogwogu and some National EXCO, South East Coordinators and members graced the program.



L-R VICE CHAIRMAN OF ENUGU BRANCH, CHAIRPERSON OF PROWAN, DEPUTY GOVERNOR OF ENUGU STATE, PROWAN COORDINATOR, ENUGU AND ENUGU STATE AUDITOR GENERAL FOR LG



GROUP PHOTOGRAPH WITH THE DEPUTY GOVERNOR OF ENUGU STATE AND PROWAN LEADERS

### **PROWAN**

# PROWAN ABUJA CHAPTER HOSTS HEALTH SEMINAR

PROWAN Abuja Chapter hosted a health Seminar on Breast and Cervical Cancer. The program was held at the conference hall in ANAN Headquarters, Mabushi District, Abuja and was well attended.

Qualified medical personnel educated the women on the importance of regular screening for early detection of breast and cervical cancer.

Free screening was available and D-I-Y demonstration was displayed in course of the training.



FREE SCREENING AT THE PROGRAMME



SENSITIZATION ON EARLY DETECTION TO CURB BREAST AND CERVICAL CANCER



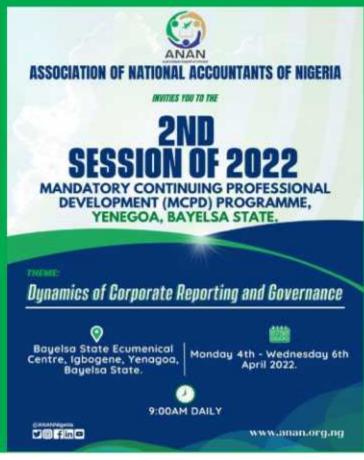
GROUP PHOTOGRAPH OF ATTENDEES AND ORGANIZERS OF THE PROGRAM AT ANAN HOUSE, ABUJA

### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

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#### MCPD TIMETABLE FOR 2022 SESSION

S/N	Theme	Date	Location
1.	Contemporary Auditing, Governance, Forensics and Ethical Conduct	23 <sup>rd</sup> - 25 <sup>th</sup> May, 2022	Bauchi
2.	Technology impact and Accounting practices	4th - 6th July, 2022	Ibadan
3.	Contemporary Developments in Public Sector Accounting and Financial Management	29 <sup>th</sup> - 31 <sup>st</sup> August, 2022	Owerri
4.	Dynamics of Corporate Reporting and Governance	24 <sup>th</sup> - 26 <sup>th</sup> October, 2022	Sokoto
5.	Contemporary Auditing, Governance, Forensics and Ethical Conduct	14 <sup>th</sup> - 16 <sup>th</sup> November, 2022	Makurdi
6.	Technology impact and Accounting practices	5 <sup>th</sup> - 7 <sup>th</sup> December, 2022	Lagos





### **UPCOMING EVENTS**



# ANAN USA CONFERENCE 2022

DALLAS, TEXAS JUNE 6TH - 9TH, 2022

THEME:

## Contemporary Issues in Accounting & Business: Breaking New Frontiers

Hotel Check-in Date: 5th June, 2022 Hotel Check-out Date: 10th June, 2022

### FEES:

#### ONSITE PARTICIPANTS

- \$2,000 (TWO THOUSAND US DOLLARS ONLY)
   This covers Accommodation, Tea break & lunch, Materials, Software,
   Financial Management Templates, Tour and Certificates only.
- B) \$2,400 (TWO THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED US DOLLARS ONLY) This covers Customized Laptop, Accommodation, Tea break & lunch, Materials, Software, Financial Management Templates, Tour and Certificates only.

#### ONLINE PARTICIPANTS

\$200 (Two Hundred US Dollars Only)
This covers Materials, Financial
Management Templates & Certificates only.

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