

Prof. Magoha to head African Association

The Vice-Chancellor, Prof. George Magoha was recently elected President of the Association of Medical Councils of Africa, in elections held during the Association's Conference on Management of Medical Litigation in Kigali, Rwanda.

While accepting the appointment, Prof. Magoha pledged to incorporate the North African countries who are not members of the Association. He said that he will also work on increasing information exchange on regulatory frameworks as well as reciprocal recognition for medical practitioners and doctors trained in Africa.

Prof. Magoha, is also the Chairman of the Medical Practitioners and Dentists Board. He has previously served the continent as the Chairman of the Association of African Universities (AAU) a post he held between 2010 and April 2013. He is a Professor of surgery and has published widely in peer reviewed publications.



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Varsity joins Kenyans in supporting Westgate cause



UoN students and staff donate blood during the drive.

The University of Nairobi (UoN) responded swiftly in supporting victims of the Westgate Shopping Mall terrorist attack on September 21, 2013 by setting up a blood donation drive. The blood drive was set up at the Chancellor's Court next to the University sports grounds and attracted many donors from the University community.

The week-long noble initiative which started on Monday, September 23, 2013 targeted students and members of staff who voluntarily donated blood in solidarity with the nation and support victims of the attack. 67 people were killed in the brutal attack and hundreds injured. Some members of staff lost their loved ones. The University also sent, medical staff and final year medical students to give assistance to various hospitals in the city.