

**UNIVERSITY OF NAIROBI**  
**COLLEGE OF HEALTH SCIENCES**  
**DEPARTMENT OF MEDICAL MICROBIOLOGY**

**ANNUAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR 2013**

The year started well for the department and the academic and research activities that followed include the following:-

**RETREAT**

Annual Collaborative meeting that brings together the collaborative institutions from Europe, North America and Asia was held from 21<sup>st</sup> to 25<sup>th</sup> January, 2013 at Mayfair Court Hotel.

**DEPARTMENTAL MEETINGS**

The department has been holding departmental meetings monthly to discuss teaching and examinations for both undergraduate and Masters students.

**PROMOTIONS**

- Prof. Omu Anzala was promoted to Full Professor on 17<sup>th</sup> April, 2013.
- Currently 3 members of staff are ready for promotion to Senior Lecturer and Lecturer respectively.
- The department has already requested the University to internally advertise for these positions.

**STUDY LEAVE**

Dr. Florence Mutua a faculty in the department is on study leave for 3 months from 14<sup>th</sup> June to 8<sup>th</sup> September, 2013. She is attending a preceptorship in Infectious Diseases at the Institute of Human Virology, University of Maryland, USA.

**UNPAID LEAVE**

Dufton Mwaengo a Lecturer in the department resumed duties on 6<sup>th</sup> June, 2013 from a two (2) years unpaid leave.

**PUBLICATIONS**

A total of 10 publications have so far been published by academic members of staff as follows:

1. Prof. Omu Anzala	-	3
2. Prof. Walter Jaoko	-	6
3. Dr. Julius Oyugi	-	<u>1</u>
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b><u>10</u></b>

## **CONFERENCES**

Academic members of staff have in total attended 40 conferences as follows:-

1. Prof. Omu Anzala	-	13
2. Prof. Walter Jaoko	-	16
3. Dr. Julius Oyugi	-	7
4. Dr. Florence Mutua	-	<u>4</u>
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b><u>40</u></b>

## **CURRICULUM REVIEW**

The Curriculum for MSc Medical Microbiology was successfully reviewed in April, 2013.

## **PROF. OMU ANZALA**

**CHAIRMAN, DEPARTMENT OF MEDICAL MICROBIOLOGY**