## SCHOOL USHERS MORE THAN 600 NEW SELF-SPONSORED STUDENTS IN ORIENTATION PROCESS

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8.4.4 Building



School of Business self-sponsored students during orientation process in 8.4.4 Building, Main Campus.

The University of Nairobi's School of Business (S.O.B) opened this year with a notable hit. It embarked on the normal business of steering massive numbers of new students into the amazing world of business studies-barely two weeks into the year. Yes...numbers rule the world in all aspects.

One will ascribe to the fact that, for a School, registering an overwhelming 600 privately sponsored undergraduate students, and still adding up, is no mean achievement. This happened in the 8-4-4 Building at the main Campus. As if that's not enough, 120 PhD students were also

oriented. It is as well understood that, way above 300 Masters Students had undergone the process in different occasions in the first week of the year.

Under the stewardship of the School's Dean, Dr. Nzuve in together with the Coordinator, Dr. Mary Kinoti, the students were warmly welcomed to the world class University and thanked for their wise decision of choosing to be students of the prestigious University of Nairobi. During the orientation process, the new students got to know the advanced yet proficient general administrative structure of the University and its <u>six Colleges</u>; all managed under open door policy.

In terms of academics, they were encouraged to be Honest, Ambitious, Responsible and Diligent (H.A.R.D). The catchphrase that keeps the students and staffs of S.O.B dedicated to providing top-notch business education, research and consultancy. They were challenged to exploit the available resources that are at the University, for example, the fully stocked on-line and physical library, well equipped computer rooms and research centres. For expediency purposes, the University, through ICT Center, has futuristic wireless network (WIFI) that enables them access internet from the comfort of their hostels, libraries, restaurants and virtually everywhere within the University.

S.O.B accounts for approximately 18% of total undergraduate student population spread across all campuses and is expecting a relatively high turn up of undergraduate JAB sponsored students this week.

Owing to this, it is apparent that even in this New Year (2014), still, one thing will be constant. School of Business' leadership ahead of all other Schools and is not only limited to the University but also the better part of the globe.