Wangari Maathai Institute participates in CAVS tree planting event held at Ngong Hills on  $22^{nd}$  May 2015.



Prof. S.G. Kiama, Director, Wangari Maathai Institute watering a tree he had just planted.

Wangari Maathai Institute for Peace and Environmental Studies took part in the College of Agriculture and Veterinary Sciences annual tree planting event organized by Prof. A.W. Mwang'ombe, Principal. As driven by the one of the University of Nairobi's core values, "Respect for and Conservation of the Environment", the Institute lead by Prof. S.G. Kiama, Director, joined students and other staff members from CAVS in tree planting activity held at Ngong Hills. Among the invited guests present were Prof. Isaac Mbeche, DVC (Student Affairs) who was also representing the Vice Chancellor, Prof. Peter M. Ngau, Principal College of Architecture and Engineering and some representatives from both the International Livestock Research Institute (ILRI) and Kenya Wildlife Service (KWS).

On his part, Prof. S.G. Kiama, Director, Wangari Maathai Institute applauded Prof. A.W. Mwang'ombe, Principal CAVS; and all for their relentless leadership in initiatives geared towards environmental conservation which is well in line with the works and walks of the late Prof. Wangari Maathai who remarked that, "When we plant a tree, we plant the seed of peace and the seed of hope."