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01 | Introduction

About UBA Foundation



UBA Foundation was registered by the Corporate Affairs Commission on 22 March 2005 and commenced operations in July 2008. The Foundation draws its Inspiration from the Group's intrinsic values of Enterprise, Excellence and Execution and its mission statement, "to be a role model for African businesses, abiding by the utmost professional and ethical standards, and creating an enduring institution". These values inspire the bank to "Do

Well and Do Good". By extending the hand of partnership to the communities within which they do business, the Group aims to ensure that goodwill is cultivated and that their operations are sustainable and beneficial.

The UBA Foundation seeks to set standards for other CSR groups, especially as it relates to the core essence of CSR. UBA Foundation has dedicated resources to ensuring that CSR is not simply conceived as a marketing tool in the corporate world, Instead the UBA Foundation recognises CSR as it really should be - a corporate contribution towards promoting sustainable development in communities.

As the Corporate Social Responsibility arm of the UBA Group, UBA Foundation is committed to the socio-economic betterment of the communities in which the bank operates, focusing on development in the areas of Education, Environment, Economics, Empowerment and Special Projects.

Meet the Trustees



Kennedy Uzoka

Chairman, UBA Foundation

Kennedy Uzoka is the past CEO of UBA. He holds a B.Sc. in Mechanical Engineering from the University of Benin, South-south Nigeria and an MBA from the University of Lagos, South-west Nigeria. Mr Uzoka has over two decades of experience covering core banking, corporate marketing communication, Strategy and business advisory services. Prior to his current role, he was UBA's Group's Deputy Managing Director and CEO, UBA - Africa managing the country subsidiaries across 18 countries in Africa as well as supervising 3 key strategic support areas In Digital Banking, Information Technology and Personal Banking. As Deputy Managing Director, he was the Executive in charge of the Group's businesses In New York and London.

He is an alumnus of Harvard Business School (AMP) in Boston USA, the International Institute of Management Development (IMD) In Lausanne, Switzerland and the London Business School, United Kingdom.

Meet the Trustees



Bola Atta was celebrated as one of the 100 most influential women in Nigeria in 2015. Prior to this, she had made the list of top Nigerians under 40 in 2008. She continued to win awards and was named the Best Marketing professional in West Africa in 2017. In 2020, Atta won the Best Corporate Affairs Professional of the Year for the second year in a row.

A graduate of Economics with an M.B.A majoring in Marketing, she has decades of experience in diverse fields ranging from Banking, Business, CSR, Communications, Publishing, Entertainment, and the Media. She has worked with government agencies both in Nigeria and South Africa using her expertise in public relations and increasing her wide network within Africa.

Bola Atta

MD / CEO, UBA Foundation

Meet the Trustees



In 2003, she was invited by the African Leadership institute in partnership with the UNDP to work on a panel for the development of scenarios for South Africa in 2020. This week-long seminar brought together young leaders from all parts of Africa to join heads in discussing the future not only of South Africa but of the entire continent. It has now evolved into the Bishop Tutu Fellows for Young African Leaders.

She founded the Life Stream Charity in order to assist underprivileged children with heart problems. Over 100 children were sent to Israel from Nigeria for corrective heart surgery by the Life Stream Charity between 1997 and 2003. Atta is currently the CEO of UBA Foundation which focuses on Education, Economic Empowerment, and the Environment, bettering the lives of people across the African continent.

Bola Atta

MD / CEO, UBA Foundation

Meet the Trustees



Dr Garba Bala Magaijl, was born on 12th October 1961. He is a graduate of Economics from Ahmadu Bello University, an MSc in Banking & Finance from the University of Ibadan and a Ph.D in Management and Finance from Usman Danfodio University, Sokoto. He was a banker for 8 years and also a Lecturer with the Department of Business Administration, Ahmadu Bello University, Zaria for over 12 years.

He has participated in numerous Investment, Banking and Finance Management, Political Economy Analysis and Institutional Capacity Building consultancy assignments for Ahmadu - Bello University Consultancy Services (ABLICONS), Guinness Nigeria Plc and Oando PLC as well as with a number of International Programmes and Organisations such as Packard Foundation, World Bank, ENABLE/DFID, SAVI/DFID, GEMS4/DFID, MNCH/DFID among others.

Dr. Bala Magaji

Trustee, UBA Foundation

Meet the Trustees



Mary Chinye Udu-Ejembi was born in Lagos on January 8th, 1963. She holds a B.A in Philosophy & an M.A in Public Administration from the University of Lagos. She is currently a Director with the Federal Civil Service. Udu-Ejembi is married and blessed with children and grandchildren.

Mary Udu

Trustee, UBA Foundation

02 | Education



NATIONAL ESSAY COMPETITION



The UBA Foundation hosted the 2022 edition of the National Essay Competition, which is targeted at senior secondary school students in Africa. This programme is part of the Foundation's education initiative to promote literacy and encourage healthy and intellectual competition among secondary school students in Nigeria and across Africa.

The National Essay Competition was birthed in 2011 and since then has been replicated in several countries across the UBA Group. Post Covid-19 Pandemic the National Essay Competition Initiative became revised and the Foundation decided it would be more acceptable online. In 2022, all applications were submitted and judged virtually.

There was a significant 40% increase in total prize money awarded. The grant also awarded for this year's competition is as follows:

- 1st place- N5 million educational grant.
- 2nd place- N3 million educational grant.
- 3rd place- N2.5 million educational grant.

A promotional poster for the National Essay Competition 2022. The poster features a collage of images: a student holding a trophy, a student writing, and a student smiling. The text is in a mix of red and black fonts. The UBA logo is in the top left corner. The title 'National Essay Competition 2022' is in a large, bold, red font. Below the title, there is a paragraph describing the competition. The 'Essay Topic' is highlighted in red. The 'Selection Criteria and Eligibility' section lists four points. The 'How to Apply' section lists four steps. The 'Awards' section shows three boxes with prize amounts: N5,000,000 for the winner, N3,000,000 for the 2nd place, and N2,500,000 for the 3rd place. The application deadline is Friday, October 14th, 2022, and the application link is provided at the bottom.

NATIONAL ESSAY COMPETITION 2022

The National Essay Competition, targeted at senior secondary students in Nigeria, is organized annually, as part of UBA Foundation's education initiative which aims to promote the reading culture and encourage healthy and intellectual competition amongst secondary school students in Nigeria and across Africa.

Essay Topic

ASUU Strikes has often cost Nigerian students time. Advise the Nigerian government on how they can reach an agreement with ASUU to improve tertiary education in the country.

Selection Criteria and Eligibility

- 1. Must be a Senior Secondary School Student
- 2. Must submit a handwritten essay (200 words MAX)
- 3. Must submit a passport photograph
- 4. Must submit a copy of certificate/awards, form/entry or passport

How to Apply:

- 1. Applicant must submit their complete contact information (Name, Age, School, Address of school, Telephone Number, Residential Address, and Email Address).
- 2. Applicants must attach photocopies of their original birth certificates or international passport data page.
- 3. Applicants must upload a handwritten essay on the portal.

Awards

Rank	Prize Money
Winner	N5,000,000
2nd Place	N3,000,000
3rd Place	N2,500,000

Application Deadline: Friday, October 14th, 2022
Application Link: www.ubagroup.com/national-essay-competition

NATIONAL ESSAY COMPETITION



Nigeria



NEC FINALE

On Monday 14th of November 2022, the UBA Foundation hosted the grand finale of the 12th edition of the National Essay competition at the Tony Elumelu Amphitheatre, UBA House, in Lagos, Nigeria.

15-year old Usungobong Paul, emerged as the overall winner of the Nigeria edition of the 2022 UBA Foundation's annual National Essay Competition. She walked away with a 5 million Naira scholarship to study at any African University of her choice to study.

The second prize was awarded to Princess Sholabomi, who won N3,000,000 in educational grant and a laptop, whilst the third prize of N2,500,000 and a brand-new laptop went to 15-year-old Sharon Nwajiaku.

NATIONAL ESSAY COMPETITION



Ghana

The graphic features a light grey background with a faint map of Ghana. At the top left is the NEC logo, and at the top right is the UBA Foundation logo. The title 'THE ANNUAL UBA FOUNDATION NATIONAL ESSAY COMPETITION 2021' is centered at the top. Below the title are three portrait photos of the winners, each with their name, rank, and school listed underneath. The word 'WINNERS' is written in large, bold, red capital letters at the bottom. At the very bottom, there are social media icons for Facebook and Twitter, the website 'www.ubaghana.com', and the tagline 'Africa's Global Bank'.

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Michael Kissi Asrifi
Presbyterian Boys' S.M.S. - Legon

1ST
Amanor Yohunor
Ghana Senior High School

3RD
Adamu Ayishatu
Presbyterian Senior High
Technical School, Aburi

WINNERS

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On the 14th of February 2022, we held the Ghana edition of the NEC 2022 finals at the Alisa Hotel in Accra. The event brought together about 100 guests to witness the top three winners who were presented with their awards.

At the end of the event, Amanor Yohunor, a student from Ghana Secondary School-Koforidua emerged winner, while Michael Kissi Asrifi (Legon Presec) and Ayishatu Adamu (Presbyterian Secondary and Technical School, Aburi) emerged 1st and 2nd runner-up respectively.

NATIONAL ESSAY COMPETITION



Guinea



On April 29, 2022 UBA Guinea presented and awarded prizes to the winners of the second edition of the National Essay Contest 2021. This competition was open to all secondary school students in Guinea and over 2000 students participated in this second edition of the NEC.

In total, 12 students received a laptop each, and the 3 winners of the competition each received a scholarship worth 10 million Guinean francs.

NATIONAL ESSAY COMPETITION



Senegal



On May 28th, 2022 UBA Senegal conducted the finale of the National Essay Competition and presented the winners of the edition, with grants and laptops. This year, over 5000 students participated in the competition. The 12 finalists all won laptops and the 3 finalists got educational grants of 2,500,000 CFA, 2,000,000 CFA, and 1,500,000 CFA respectively. The school with the highest number of entries also won 1,000,000 CFA.

NATIONAL ESSAY COMPETITION



Uganda



NEC Kickoff in Uganda

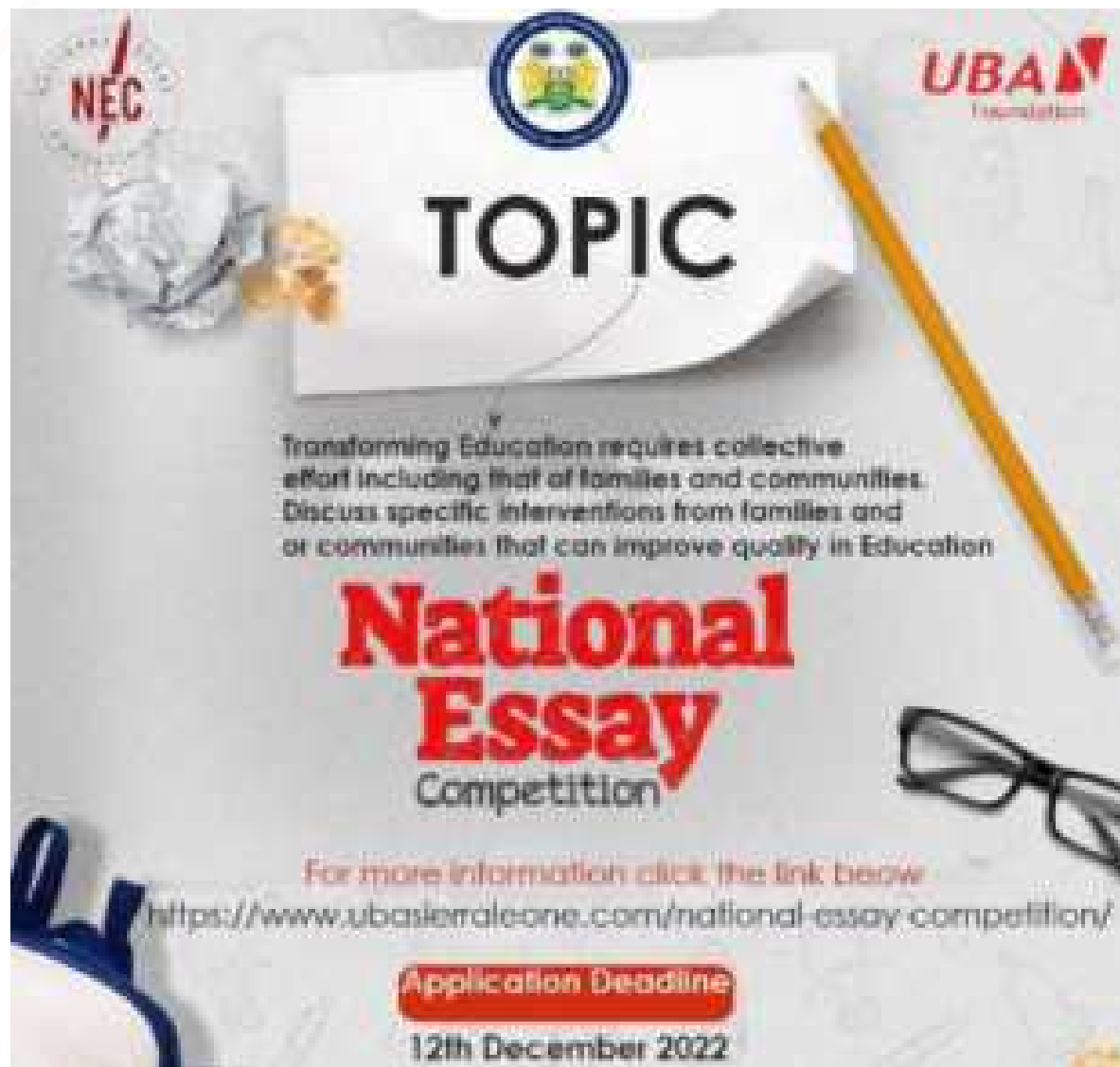
On August 17th, UBA Uganda launched the first edition of the National Essay Competition, open to all secondary school students. The launch of the competition had in attendance the country CEO, representatives from the ministry of education, and press members.

The winner Amumpaire Hanah Terisah of Ndejje SSS received a UGX 3,500,000 scholarship and a Laptop. Mr Kimara Jonathan of Bishop Cipriano Kihangire emerged as the 1st runner-up and recipient of a laptop. Mr Odeke Richard Ekituno of Jinja College emerged as the 2nd runner-up and also was rewarded with a Laptop.

NATIONAL ESSAY COMPETITION



Sierra Leone



UBA Sierra Leone in collaboration with the Ministry of Basic and Senior School Education, launched the 3rd edition of the National Essay Competition in Sierra Leone.

The topic for the year's essay was "Transforming Education requires collective effort including that of families and communities. Discuss specific interventions from families and or communities that can improve the quality of education."

The competition for Senior Secondary School students was aimed to enhance their writing and analytical skills, and to stand a chance to win scholarships of up to Le 50 000,000.

READ AFRICA 2022



Read Africa is an initiative of the UBA Foundation, geared towards rekindling the dwindling reading culture among African youths. Our children no longer read; their passion for reading informative and educational books is fast eroding.

In response to the declining culture of reading in post-primary institutions across the continent, UBA Foundation created the 'Read Africa' Initiative. This year, the Foundation donated over 20,000 books to youths across the continent.

We have also resumed the physical Read Africa programme in schools and community centres, donating books, and educational materials to schools, community centres, and libraries group-wide.

READ AFRICA 2022



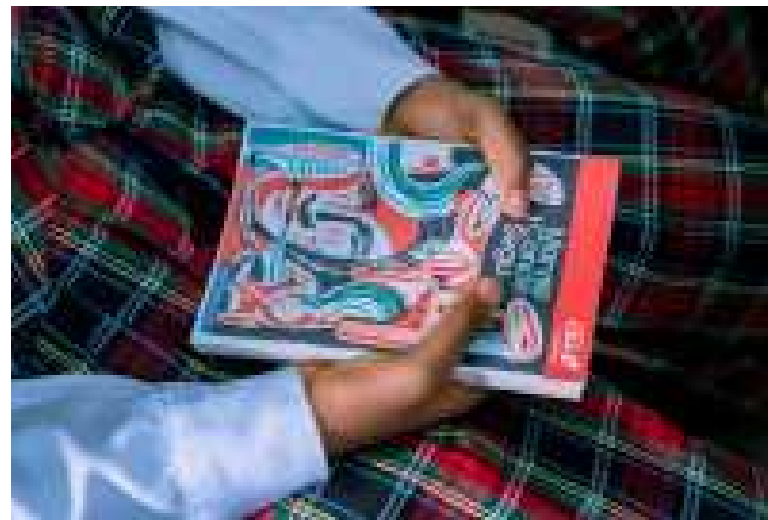
Year	Book	Number of books
2012	Weep Not Child by Ngũgĩ wa Thiong'o	21,850
2013-2014	Things Fall Apart by Chinua Achebe	23,970
2015-2016	What Sunny Saw in the Flames by Nnedi Okorafor	24,000
2017	The Fishermen by Chigozie Obioma	20,000
2018	Fine Boys by Eghosa Imasuen	20,000
2019-2021	Segou by Marye Conde	34,000
2019-2021	In the company of Men- Veronique Tadjo The Deep Blue Between by Ayesha Haruna	20,000 16,000
	Total	179,820 Books

The UBA Foundation's Read Africa programme began in 2012. Since its inception, the UBA Foundation has donated approximately over 179,000 books to students in Ghana, Liberia, Cameroon, Burkina Faso, Benin, CDI, Senegal, Mali, Congo DRC, Congo Brazzaville, Gabon, Guinea, Mozambique, Kenya, Zambia, Uganda, Tanzania, Chad and Sierra Leone and Nigeria.

READ AFRICA 2022



Lagos



On June 16th, 2022, the MD/CEO, of UBA Foundation, Bola Atta, spent the morning reading a copy of "Segou" by Maryse Conde with the students of Joef Dynamic College, Obalende Lagos, and had a chat with the students about topics ranging from financial literacy and the importance of imbibing a good reading culture, to developing business acumen and following through passionately.

The Foundation also presented books, and other educational materials to the school and encouraged the students to continue to prioritize their education as it remains the key to a successful future and the development of the African continent.

READ AFRICA 2022



Senegal



On the 16th of June, a UBA Senegal delegation visited Lycee Lamine Gruyère in Dakar and donated 200 books to the school. The team lead by the Head Marketing and Corporate Communications, had a reading and interactive session with the students, encouraging them to remain in school and educationally responsible.

READ AFRICA 2022



Tanzania



Smiling faces of Ilala Secondary School students after they had received visitors from the United Bank For Africa Tanzania, who visited their school with donations of literature textbooks to help them boost their reading culture. The event took place on the 16th of June, 2022 which was the day for the International Day for the African Child.

READ AFRICA 2022



Zambia



UBA Zambia, under the UBA Foundation's Read Africa Initiative, donated 200 African literature books valued at K45,954 to Kabulonga Girls Secondary School on the 25th of March, on the 16th of June, 200 books were donated to Lilayi Secondary school and 200 African Literature books to Arakan Girls Secondary School on the 29th of July, in an effort to improve the reading culture among the country's youth.

READ AFRICA 2022



Zambia



UBA Zambia, under the UBA Foundation's Read Africa Initiative, donated 160 African literature books valued at K31,000 to Lusaka City Council Matero Library. The 160 African literature books are a major addition to the library which opened in 1964. The donation will help provide a wide variety of reading materials for the community of Matero. The event happened on the 28th of July, 2022.

READ AFRICA 2022



Benin



As part of the celebration of the International Day of the African Child on the 16th of June 2022, UBA Foundation donated over 100 books to pupils and students of Robert DJINDONU School complex and to the Learners Council of Educational Activities, Porto-Novo, Benin (CAEB).

READ AFRICA 2022



Ghana



This year, in the quest to promote the reading culture with Read Africa 2022, the UBA Foundation donated several books to Aburi Girls and Methodist Girls to mark the International Day of the African Child on the 16th of June, 2022.

READ AFRICA 2022



Congo DRC



On the 24th of June, 2022, UBA DRC proceeded to donate a total of 870 books. “En compagnie des hommes” were distributed and 40 workbooks for students, to schools in the city of Lubumbashi in the provinces of Haut Katanga and Kinshasa. A total of 5 schools benefited from this donation: 1. Malaika Foundation 2. School Age d’Or 3. School Le Printemps 4. Imara College 5. School Chretienne Source de Vie.

INTERNATIONAL DAY OF EDUCATION



Enugu, Nigeria



On January 24th 2022, the Foundation visited Union Primary School Orji Amokwe, Osisatech Girls Secondary School, Nigeria.

A reading session was held before the donation of 250 books, piggy banks, mathematical sets, and school bags to students to commemorate the International Day of Education.

INTERNATIONAL DAY OF EDUCATION



Kogi, Nigeria



We visited the Government Secondary School, Ayetoro Gbede in the Ijumu LGC of Kogi State and donated 80 books, mathematical sets, piggy bank, and 40 school bags to students to commemorate the International Day of Education on the 24th of January, 2022.

INTERNATIONAL DAY OF EDUCATION

Anambra, Nigeria



We visited the Blossom Fount College, Krosa College Amawbia Akwa, and the Dominican Sisters College in celebration of the International Day of Education on the 24th of January, 2022. We donated a total of 90 books to students in this community.

INTERNATIONAL DAY OF EDUCATION



Kebbi, Nigeria



We visited the Joda International School, Deenway Islamic School, Brilliance International School, Geda Academy, and Dr. Amina Girls College in celebration of the International Day of Education on the 24th of January, 2022. We donated a total of 90 books to students in this community.

INTERNATIONAL DAY OF EDUCATION

Minna, Nigeria



We visited Hilltop secondary school, MYPA college, and Himma International School. We had a reading session and quiz with the students before donating 100 books, school bags, and mathematical sets to commemorate the International Day of Education on the 24th of January, 2022.

INTERNATIONAL DAY OF EDUCATION

Tanzania



United Bank for Africa Tanzania, through its Read Africa Initiative, joined the rest of the world to celebrate African children on the 16th of June by donating more than 500 literature books to 2,400 students at Kurasini Secondary School, located in Dar es Salaam with the aim of raising awareness for the underprivileged children in Africa and highlighting the need for continuous improvement in education.

INTERNATIONAL DAY OF EDUCATION

Tanzania



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03 | Environment



NIGERIA GARDENS: MARINA, ASABA & SOKOTO



- Beautification and maintenance of UBA Foundation- managed roundabout in Marina roundabout, Lagos.
- Upgrade and maintenance of roundabout along Okpanam Road, Asaba by Macadims B&C Projects.
- The UBA Foundation branded the EMIR YAHAYA roundabout located in the core business area of the town adjoining Ahmadu Bello way and leading to Sokoto old market road in Sokoto State.

CHAD GARDENS



Beautification and maintenance of the UBA Foundation Garden in the city center of N'Djamena in Chad Republic.

TREE PLANTING INITIATIVE



Kaptagat Eldoret- Kaptagat Annual Tree Planting Initiative:

UBA Foundation donated 3000 seedlings to be planted at Kaptagat which is a forest and an important water catchment area in Eldoret. This took place on the 15th of July, 2022.

UBA Kenya received an honorary certificate for participating and donating to the cause.

GARDEN LIGHTING CEREMONY



On the 29th of November 2022, the brilliant Christmas Lights of the UBA Foundation Gardens at the UBA Head Office on the Marina in Lagos, were activated by the bank's Group Managing Director/Chief Executive Officer, Oliver Alawuba, in a grand ceremony which was witnessed by key management staff and some customers of the bank.

The annual Lighting event is a symbol of hope for the coming year, the future and all the goodness it will bring into people's lives. The event which happened on "Giving Tuesday" is symbolic for the organisation, give back always and this event is quite symbolic as it represents the affinity we have towards our customers, employees and associates as well as our communities. We spread cheer across the community as we lit up the Foundation gardens to symbolise joy and hope. We are constantly reminded as an institution, of our promise to continue to touch lives and show kindness. In these difficult times, sharing even a little bit, goes a long way."



04 | Special Projects

SPECIAL PROJECTS



Mental Health Art Project

Speaking up about mental health or seeking help when one is faced with mental health issues has never been easy. In a bid to end the stigmatisation associated with mental health, we embarked on an awareness drive with the Inside Out Project.

We used Photography as an art tool. We took pictures of volunteers that consented to be a part of the awareness drive in our host communities to help spread the word and acknowledge that “It’s Okay to Not be Okay”.

This initiative was meant to spark global change locally by creating awareness of mental health. The goal is to challenge stereotypes associated with mental health wellness and affirm our support for those in the tribe that wanted to share their experiences. We hoped to stomp out the stigma that keeps people suffering in silence and we aimed to bridge the gap between mental health inclusivity, support, and recovery in Africa. We had a total of 1,117 images which were installed on the pillars in the UBA Foundation Garden in Marina, Lagos, Nigeria.

We ultimately created an environment where people feel comfortable and encouraged to prioritise their wellness.

SPECIAL PROJECTS



UBA Foundation Food Bank

In the spirit of the season, UBA Foundation celebrated the end of the year by feeding over 1500 members of the community at the UBA Foundation garden in Marina, Lagos Nigeria. This show of love rippled across various host communities in Africa. The event took place on Friday 23rd of December, the 3rd edition of the UBA Foundation Foodbank, and this year the members of the host community did not only get food and drinks but also got hygiene products and other gifts.

To spread the love during our Food Bank, the Group Managing Director Mr. Oliver Alawuba, the Executive Director of Group Operations Mr. Alex Alozie, and staff members joined the MD/ CEO of the Foundation Mrs. Bola Atta. This was a remarkable day for everyone as smiles and gratitude rest the air.

SPECIAL PROJECTS

Sierra Leone



Breast Cancer Campaign

UBA Foundation sponsored the Thinking Pink Breast Cancer Foundation as part of honoring the post-celebration of World Cancer Day, the UBA Foundation provided sponsorship support of Le 15,000,000 to Thinking Pink Breast Cancer Foundation to help in the awareness raising of breast cancer among people.

SPECIAL PROJECTS



Sierra Leone



UBA Foundation's Support to Shout Climate Change Africa

UBA Foundation provided sponsorship support to Shout Climate Africa Institute in its awareness-raising campaign on environmental issues in Sierra Leone. In light of that, UBA Foundation bagged the National Climate Partnership Award in Sierra Leone. The award was given to the Foundation by Shout Climate Change Africa in collaboration with the Ministry of Environment. The well-attended event took place at the Radisson Blu, Mammy Yoko Hotel on Friday 6th May 2022.

SPECIAL PROJECTS



Sierra Leone



UBA Foundation's Support to the 1st Lady of Sierra Leone, in her free Sanitary Pad Distribution across the Country

UBA Foundation sponsored and supported the free distribution of sanitary pads in Sierra Leone. This event was in partnership with the 1st Lady of Sierra Leone, Her Excellency Mrs. Fatima Maada Bio. The free sanitary pad distribution was done across the country on the 9th of June 2022.

SPECIAL PROJECTS

Brazzaville, Congo



World Malaria Day.

UBA Foundation in Brazzaville, Congo held the Malaria National Programme on the 25th of April 2022 in commemoration of World Malaria Day. The Malaria National Programme drove home communication and health measures to fight against malaria in the country. Mosquito nets were distributed in areas with high exposure to mosquitos, especially populated areas with children and pregnant women. On the 25th of April 2022, the National Malaria Programme inaugurated its renovated headquarters with the help of the UBA Foundation, the Government, and several international NGOs that were present.

SPECIAL PROJECTS



Ghana



International Women's Day

As part of International Women's Day Activities, we organised an all-female discussion on breaking the bias and how women can be a champion in their homes, schools, workplaces, and communities. The event was held at the Ghana Shippers Authority Conference hall on Tuesday, 8th March 2022 at 4 pm.

SPECIAL PROJECTS



Burkina Faso



Each year, UBA Burkina, celebrates women through the month of March. This year we continued the tradition by organising various activities. One of the most important activities identified is UBA Super Woman.

This campaign was run internally and externally. 20 female staff members of UBA Burkina published their photos with strong messages.

SPECIAL PROJECTS

Cameroon



Acha Eye Hospital Partnership

The UBA Foundation in Cameroon organised free eye screening for customers and the general public throughout 2022 in our Yaounde, Limbe, Bafoussam, and Douala branches. This exercise took place on the following dates: the 23rd of February and the 8th of March in Douala, the 29th of April and 25th of May in Yaounde, the 30th of June in Bafoussam, the 5th of August in Limbe, the 25th of August, 27th of September and 25th of October in Douala, and 2nd of December in Yaounde.

SPECIAL PROJECTS

Burkina Faso



Burkinabe Baseball Federation special day for peace promotion

Since 2015, Burkina Faso has been the target of many terrorist attacks. Besides the military response, some social and sportive activities are organized regularly to promote and reinforce peace and good life in the community. The “Burkinabe Baseball special day for peace promotion” is one of their activities. As any responsible institution, it was important for UBA Burkina to participate in the promotion of peace.

SPECIAL PROJECTS



Liberia



A donation of US\$ 5,000.00 was made in February 2021 to the Invincible Eleven (IE) Basketball Team for the reformation of the team in preparation for participation in the International Basketball Federation League was held in February 2021. The IE basketball and soccer teams are very monumental when it comes to Sports in Liberia. UBA Liberia was branded on the jerseys of the teams and the bank was also advertised with banners and stickers on the stadium.

A donation of US\$ 3,000.00 was donated to Liberia Chess Federation in preparation for International Chess Day which was celebrated in July 2022. The amount was also used to sponsor 14 members of the chess team to attend and participate in the 44th World Chess Olympiad which took place in Chennai, India from July 28 to August 10.

SPECIAL PROJECTS



Zambia



As part of our strategic objectives to promote the UBA Foundation in Zambia, The Times of Zambia and Daily Mail Zambia published editorials, and QTV aired a news package, focusing on Read Africa Initiative and how UBA Zambia continues to support the government's efforts in providing reading materials.

SPECIAL PROJECTS



Sierra Leone



Youth Employment and Entrepreneurship Fair

UBA Foundation supported the Government of Sierra Leone, through the Office of the Vice President, to host over 500 promising young Sierra Leoneans, aged 18-35 years, from across the country at its first National Youth Employment and Entrepreneurship Fair (NYEEF).

The objectives of NYEEF are to connect final-year students and job seekers to employers and place them in decent jobs, to improve the ability of students to apply for and secure jobs, and to enhance the competencies of young people who choose entrepreneurship.

SPECIAL PROJECTS



Sierra Leone



Support to Power Women 232

UBA Foundation supported Power Women 232 to host PowerFest. Power Women 232 is a network of professional women and entrepreneurs who came together in 2014, to promote career advancement and development in all fields, through networking, leadership development, social events, and community projects.

As an organisation, they believe in self-advancement and the promotion of careers. Power Women members inspire one another to become great in their individual professional and personal journeys.

SPECIAL PROJECTS



Sierra Leone



Patriots against Corruption

UBA Foundation supported Patriots Against Corruption in their 2nd National Public Speaking Festival held on Saturday 26 November 2022.

This festival is organised to encourage pupils to develop their public speaking skills through debate competitions.

SPECIAL PROJECTS

DR CONGO



Each One Teach One

UBA DRC was invited to participate in a Malaika Talk Show session, a session that has the same objective as the UBA Foundation's Each One, Teach One initiative. It was an impactful session of experience sharing and capacity building for every attendee of the event.

SPECIAL PROJECTS



Senegal & Zambia



Orphanage Visit

UBA Foundation teams in Senegal and Zambia donated diapers, food, books and other essential items for babies and young children.

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