

Interview with Engr. Sola Obadimu, MNSE, Executive Secretary of NSE

Engr. Sola Obadimu, MNSE, is a Chemical Engineering. He is the new Executive Secretary of the Nigerian Society of Engineers.

E-Newsletter: As the new Executive Secretary of the Nigerian Society of Engineers, what are your plans to make NSE develop in administration and professionally?

Engr. Shola: My most important focus is to contribute to raising the profile of the society, for the soci-

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ety to have better say when it come to policy and dialogue especially with government and the public at large. To let the public have better understanding of the society's functions, what we are for and what we stand for. The society is not for engineers alone, it is for all Nigerians to fully understand and appreciate the **E-Newsletter:** Thank you sir. society. I was informed that the directory of financial member is about to be published and circulated, which I hope will go to all government agencies, all multi-

lateral agencies, embassies, etc, so that it will give them access to our members who are financial up to date for the purpose of making use of their services. I am also interested in periodical training of our engineers to make sure they are competitive globally. There is no point having engineers who are not trained, who are not competent enough to carry out their functions wherever they are employed. I am in favour of increasing the capacities of our engineers so they can be better equipped to function well, so that when they are employed, they won't be deficient in carrying out their duties. I am also keen on improving the capacity of the staff that are at the secretariat because it is when they are able to perform their duties well that they can contribute to the growth and development of the society. Those are the key areas I will focus on.



On Monday 5th January 2015, the Executive Committee of the Nigerian Society of Engineers Port Harcourt Branch led by the Chairman, Engr. Kombo Theophilus-Johnson FNSE (9th from right) paid a condolence visit to Engr. Prof. H. I. Hart, FNSE (10th from right) in his residence, whose mother passed on recently.



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PRESIDENT, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF NIGERIA

Engr. Mustapha Balarabe Shehu C/o The President, Nigerian Society of Engineers, National Engineering Centre, Central Area, PMB 13866, Wuse, Abuja.

Dear Eagr. Shehu,

31st December 2014



I am in receipt of a letter from the President of the Nigerian Society of Engineers notifying me of the gratifying news of your assumption of office as President of the *Federation of African Engineering Organizations* (FAEO).

This noteworthy attainment clearly attests to your uncommon diligence and sense of duty as well as your unwavering commitment to professional excellence.

I heartily congratulate you on this richly deserved recognition on behalf of the Government and people of the Federal Republic of Nigeria. I am confident that your achievement will be an enduring source of inspiration not only to the entire membership of the NSE, but to all aspiring engineers in our nation.

While assuring you of our Administration's unstinting support as you take on your onerous assignment, please accept my felicitations and warm regards.

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