

#### INTRODUCING NIQS FOUNDATION

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**QUANTITY SURVEYORS** 

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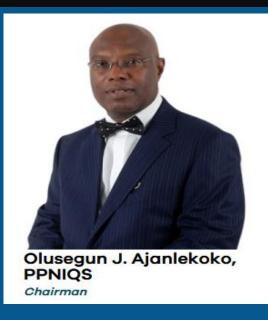
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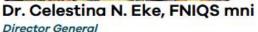
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# NIQS FOUNDATION BOARD MEMBERS





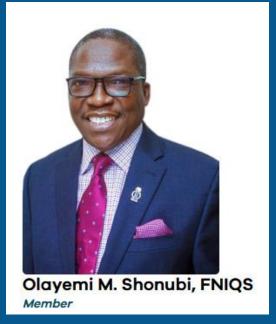




Osaretin Okoro, FNIQS Secretary



Member

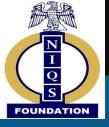




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## INTRODUCING NIQS FOUNDATION

It is with great pleasure that we introduce NIQS Foundation to you.





# INTRODUCING NIQS FOUNDATION

- The Foundation is formed out of the need to access funds both nationally and globally, so that it can carry out cutting edge research towards finding solutions to critical socioenvironmental problems bordering on:
  - □ Climate action
  - Gender equality
  - Social housing
  - □ Infrastructure deficits
  - Affordable and clean energy
  - □ Economic growth
  - Youth empowerment
  - Sustainability and other relevant areas of the SDGs.



#### VISION



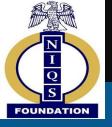
"To be recognised globally as the leading Foundation/Charity in Africa impacting innovative solutions on issues relating to climate change, sustainability, social housing, life on land or below water, affordable and clean energy, gender equality, education, decent work and economic growth, youth empowerment and job creation" through skills acquisition.



## MISSION



"To raise the global brand of the Nigerian Institute of Quantity Surveyors and to make the world a better place for all using the built environment as a platform.



# OBJECTIVES OF THE FOUNDATION

☐ The objectives of NIQS Foundation are developed around three broad areas:

Quantity Surveying and Quantity Surveyors' interest.

Emerging problems as highlighted in the Sustainable Development Goals.

Other wider subject around social, economic and environmental problems.



## CHAIRMAN NIQS FOUNDATION

"IN TODAY'S WORLD, THE
QS IS AN ENDANGERED
SPECIE HERE AND FOR US
TO BE RECOGNISED BOTH
LOCALLY AND
INTERNATIONALLY, IT
MEANS WE MUST BE
AHEAD OF THE CURVE"

"THE NIQS FOUNDATION IS FUTURISTIC, IT IS SOMETHING THAT WILL HAPPEN WELL BEYOND US IN TERMS OF THE IMPACTS AND THE FIRST STEP IS WHAT WE HAVE TAKEN BY BEING INAUGURATED LAST YEAR."

"THE FOUNDATION
OFFERS US ONE OF THE
VEHICLES TO BE AHEAD
OF OTHERS. IF YOU
MUST BE RECOGNIZED,
YOU MUST BE READY
TO INNOVATE"

"YOU CAN SEE US AS PARTNERS TO THE COMMON GOAL OF PUTTING NIQS ON THE GLOBAL MAP."



# CHAIRMAN NIQS



"THIS FOUNDATION WILL HELP TO GET US THAT RECOGNITION ALONGSIDE OTHER THINGS WE ARE DOING, SO THAT THE FUTURE IS GOOD FOR THE PROFESSION, THE NIGERIAN NATION AND THE BUILT ENVIRONMENT"

"TO MAKE NIQS THE
HOUSEHOLD NAME IN
TERMS OF THE BENEFITS
THAT IT HAS PUT INTO THE
SOCIETY BOTH WITHIN AND
OUTSIDE"

"THE FOUNDATION WILL BE THE TRANSLATION OF WHAT A PROFESSION WE ARE, THE NOBILITY THAT WE BROUGHT TO HUMANITY THROUGH WHAT WE CALL CONSERVATISM AND SUSTAINABILITY"



# GOALS OF THE NIQS FOUNDATION

#### ☐ The Foundation was set out to:

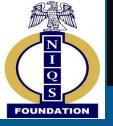


- 1. Conduct research aimed at addressing the 17 Sustainable Development Goals including any subsequent amendments;
- 2. Encourage research in all the branches quantity surveying towerds contributing to sustainable development in Africa;
- resilient 3. Support research infrastructure, inclusion and sustainable industrialization, and innovation;



# GOALS OF THE NIQSF Cont'd

- 4. Advance research in the areas of global cost management of built assets, green building, and green procurement;
- 5. Drive ideas and policies towards the development of sustainable procurement practices within the public sector in Africa;
- 6. Focus on programs and projects that entrench inclusion diversity, gender mainstreaming;
- 7. Leverage the use of scarce resource towards urban culture and development in Africa using quantity surveying professionals' competencies;



# GOALS OF THE NIQSF Cont'd

- 8. Collaborate with other not-for-profit organizations in the implementation of relevant programmes that address urbanization problems in Africa;
- 9. Be a center of excellence for the development of construction and properties economics;
- 10.Support post graduate research in the areas of sustainability, urbanization, housing, and youth development;
- 11. Attract grants from different reputable organizations worldwide, and use the grant for the implementation of above objectives.



# **LEGALITY**

- □ Duly registered with the Corporate AffairsCommission
- ☐ Inaugurated by the National Executive Council
- Opened a corporate bank accounts in preparation for full take off.





# LEGALITY Cont'd

☐ In addition, the Foundation has been allocated office space on the second floor of the NIQS Office Complex and is still developing a robust website (www.niqsfoundation.org.ng).

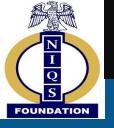




# SOLICITATION FOR DONATIONS

☐ We humbly wish to solicit for your kind support either in cash or in kind to give the Foundation a befitting Office partition and furnishing as well as other administrative expenses associated with taking off of the Foundation.





#### NIQS FOUNDATION BANK DETAILS

☐ Please find the under listed Zenith bank account details for the NIQS Foundation:

# ACCOUNT NAME: NIGERIAN INSTITUTE OF QUANTITY SURVEYORS' FOUNDATION

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