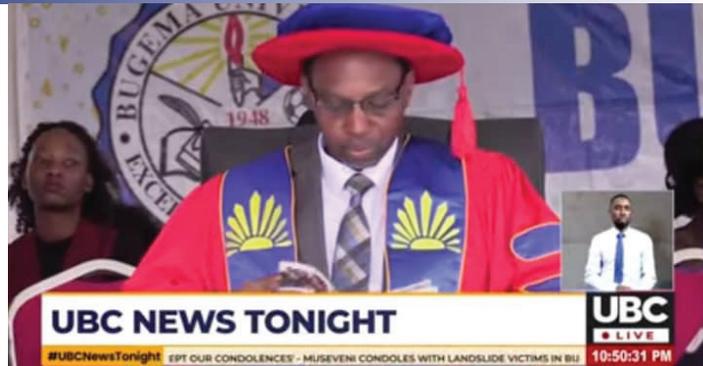




Uganda Mission Project Update



A BLESSED PARTNERSHIP

The year 2025, which was once called a new year, is now soon to have another name: “old year.” However, the new spiritual life and hope it brought to the fairly well-to-do, the physically strong, and vulnerable individuals through believers’ testimonies will remain new because Christ is new every day. Among those who are seeing God’s new grace are the community members of Bugema University, where its partnership with AWA has breathed fresh hope and a bright future at the university. This very December, support from AWA, as promised by Pr. Deyvid, will raise a hall for the center of interest to accommodate the students who have been worshipping in the hostel courtyard. Great are the hearts that shared their blessing for this cause.

It was a time of jubilation at the 31st graduation of Bugema University, AWA partner institution of higher learning in Uganda. 1,779 students graduated with various qualifications, ranging from certificates to Master’s Degrees.

Secondly, Bugema University was receiving another chancellor, Pr. Samuel Kajoba, since the previous chancellor, Pr. Moses Maka was appointed executive secretary of the East and Central Africa Division (ECD) at the recent General Conference session. Pr. Moses from the division, Pr. Bitamazire, the executive secretary of

the Uganda Union and emeritus president of the Uganda Union, Pr. Aliddeki led the inauguration of the new chancellor. The director of the National Council for Higher Education in Uganda hailed Bugema University for the partnerships.

Thirdly, Bugema was celebrating a year in the partnership with AWA, which will make this university the first institution of higher learning in East Africa to have an airfield, an aircraft, and projected missionary aviation courses. The vice chancellor, chairman of the AWA Uganda project, and his team are processing government authorization to construct an airfield.

At the graduation, Pr. Israel appreciated AWA donors for their generosity, which has enabled the Uganda project to see light at the end of the tunnel, and appeal for more support, as additional funds will be required once permission is granted to construct an airfield. The project’s current estimated cost is approximately \$12,000. The construction of the basic center of influence and AWA offices is soon to begin and will expand over time.

The other living memories and indelible marks that will remain new and grow beyond the life of 2025 are the collaborations between Bugema University and the Uganda Civil Aviation Authority. It was a landmark event also ignited by AWA in the process of assessing

the land for its suitability for an airfield. UCAA also has partners who will expand the aviation industry in Uganda, particularly as the first university to have a private airfield.

This project has ignited a spark among students at a developing University. Particularly, international students from neighboring countries with internal conflicts who require humanitarian assistance at various intervals, such as those from South Sudan, the Democratic Republic of the Congo (DRC), Somalia, Eritrea, and Kenya. There is now hope that when funds are available for implementing this project, some youths will have a sense of identity and relief. Some students have already expressed a desire to volunteer with the various AWA/Bugema missionary projects.

Our appreciation goes to our dear AWA administrators, Pr. Deyvid and the whole team are working behind the curtains, Pr. Ric and Rebecca, who laid the foundation for this partnership, along with Raymond and his wife. Our Vice Chancellor, Pr. Israel Kafeero, who spearheaded this partnership, as well as the missionaries from other AWA projects globally, who provide us with valuable insights during our Monday meetings, and especially our donors who have been with us throughout the year, and stand with us in the construction of the center of influence, the AWA office, and the airfield.

May the Lord grant us all good health and the ability to extend God's love to those who become victims of both natural and man-induced calamities.



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