



Growth

Inspiration

Togetherness

Transformation

Managing Editor's Note

Welcome to the month of May, where we celebrate **growth, inspiration, togetherness and transformation** as PAC Community.

This month, the PAC University Newsletter will continue to be a beacon of hope, learning and togetherness, where we have inspirational stories and event spotlights. Our purpose is always the same—to tell, to connect and to raise up our University community.

As we begin this new Trimester, let's reflect and be guided by Proverbs 16:3

"Commit to the Lord whatever you do, and He will establish your plans."

We hope you find this insightful!

Juliet Mwangi
Corporate Affairs





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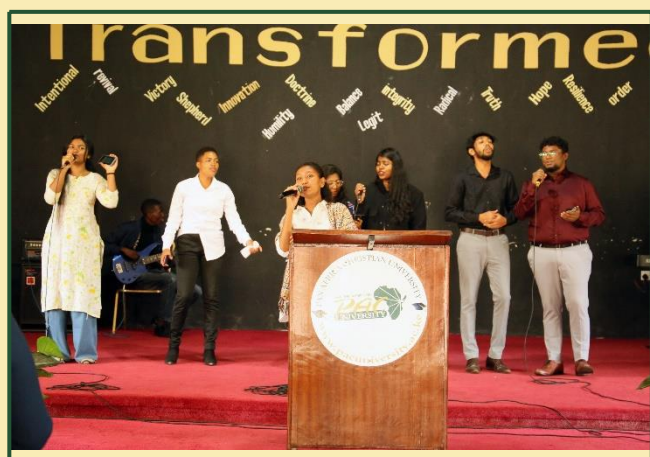
VC's Chapel Service: Transformational Revival for Every Sphere of Life



The VC's Chapel Service

On 20th May, PAC University held its' second Chapel Service of the May–August trimester, led by Vice-Chancellor Prof. Dionysious Kiambi. To the congregation, comprising of students, staff and visiting exchange students from the Centre for Global Leadership Development, he preached on the theme, “*Transformational Revival*.” The VC called the PAC community to personal, academic, and societal transformation. He emphasized that revival must begin with a commitment to God, excellence, faith and unity. True transformation, he said, is marked by a deep integration of learning and service that extends beyond the university.

“ Revival must begin with commitment to God, excellence, faith, and unity. We must extend learning and service beyond the university. ”



Praise and Worship team at the VC's Chapel Service



Attendees at the VC's Chapel Service

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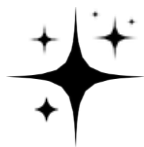
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Matriculation Ceremony: New Beginnings, Big Dreams

On 5th May, PAC University's matriculation ceremony welcomed new students into a community focused on academic excellence, spiritual growth and holistic development. The event reflected the university's mission, vision and values, featuring an address by Vice-Chancellor Prof. Dionysious Kiambi, who highlighted PAC's history, academic structure and ventures. Beyond studies, students can engage in chapel services, care groups, sports and community service for a well-rounded experience.



VC, DVC-AA, and staff welcome new students to PAC University



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Expanding Opportunities Through Strategic Collaborations



PAC University and IM Strategic Partnership to Establish Scholarship Fund for Students.

On 13th May, PAC University and IM entered a strategic partnership to establish a scholarship fund for financially disadvantaged but high-achieving students. The initiative reaffirms the University's commitment to making education accessible and impactful.

The Vision of Hope for Africa (VOHFA) Embarks on a New Future with Strategic Partnership

On 28th May, in a step toward enhancing campus life and meeting Commission for University Education standards, PAC University signed an MoU with VOHFA to drive infrastructural development. This mutually beneficial partnership reflects the University's shared commitment to growth, wellness, and sustainability.



PAC University and ATS Partner to Strengthen Theological Education

In a significant move to support academic excellence, PAC University and Africa Theological Seminary (ATS) took a major step towards partnership on May 26th, enabling students to seamlessly complete their degrees under PAC's chartered accreditation.





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Trellis Foundation CEO and VC PAC University

Trellis Foundation and PAC University Partnership to Equip Church Leaders

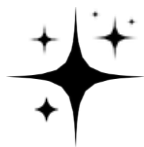
On 30th May, PAC University advanced discussions with the Trellis Foundation to support the Transformational Church Leadership program. The envisioned partnership seeks to empower rural pastors with quality training and resources to impact their communities effectively.

Bridging Faith and Science: PAC University and ECLAS Host Groundbreaking

From May 6th to 8th 2025, the University, in partnership with ECLAS (Equipping Christian Leadership in an Age of Science) Africa Hub, successfully hosted an innovative conference exploring the dynamic intersection of faith and science. The conference themed, “Church Orthodoxy and Pragmatic Responses to Emerging Issues in the Age of Science” brought together top Christian leaders, theologians and scientists from post-modern Pentecostal churches to explore the intersection of faith and science.



Faith meets Science – ECLAS Africa Conference at PAC University



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PAC University Hosts Yale-Edinburgh World Christianity Conference



29th May was a significant day for the University as it hosted the prestigious Yale-Edinburgh World Christianity Conference, in partnership with Edinburgh University (UK) and Yale University (USA). Scholars, theologians and leaders gathered to discuss this year's theme: "The Evolution of Modern Christianity, Democracy and Nationalism in Africa."

The conference was a platform for exchanging ideas, in world Christianity perspectives and philosophies.

The highlight was a keynote address by The Rev. Prof. Diphus Chemorion, PAC University's Deputy Vice-Chancellor for Academic Affairs, who brought academic expertise and pastoral wisdom to the conversation.

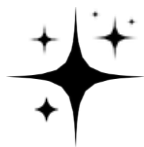
A global platform for research and innovation at PAC University

Advancing Knowledge: PAC University's International Research Conference



PAC University's Research Directorate successfully hosted the International Research Conference on May 29th -30th, in collaboration with Trinity Western University (Canada) and JKUAT. Under the theme "Advancing Global Interdisciplinary Research Synergies for a Sustainable Future." The conference had plenary talks, panel sessions and a keynote address, by Phil Laird, PhD, followed by a closing ceremony with certificate awarding and vote of thanks.

The event also featured engaging presentations and interactive sessions. Attendees had the opportunity to network with scholars, fostering collaborations that promise to drive impactful interdisciplinary research.



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PAC Life Champions Bring Christ's Compassion to Wamunyu

From 10th to 11th May, the Care Group conducted a mission visit to Wamunyu in Machakos County, graciously hosted by Prof. Muthui. The team provided them with food supplies and other forms of support to help with their upkeep.



More than a visit: It's about sharing God's love where it's needed most

Christian Union & CITAM Thika Road Bring Revival to Kericho



PAC Christian Union & CITAM Thika Road Bring Revival to Kericho

A mission in Kericho by the PAC CU and CITAM Thika Road, carried out a mission in Kericho Village involving daily in-reaches, crusades, revival meetings and group counselling sessions for the youth. The mission aimed to share the Gospel, offer hope and foster spiritual growth within the community.

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How then, can they call on the one they have not believed in? And how can they believe in the one of whom they have not heard?

And how can they hear without someone preaching to them? - *Romans 10:14*

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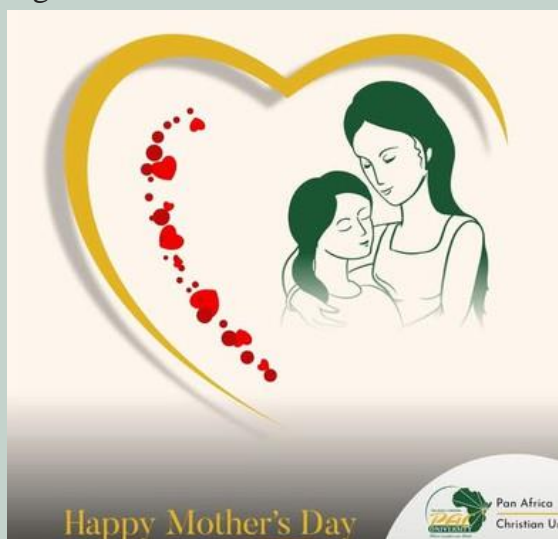


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Celebrating the Strength of Mothers on Mothers' Day 2025

On 11th May, PAC University honored mothers not only as nurturers but as dreamers, professionals, and pillars of society. Through special acknowledgments, the University reaffirmed its appreciation for the strength, love and resilience that mothers bring to families and communities.



PAC Alumni Association Ushers in New Leadership

The Association ushered in a new era of leadership on 16th May, when its new Executive Committee was elected, through a hybrid voting system, to achieve complete participation of alumni locally and in the diaspora. The new leadership provides fresh perspectives to drive activities in building the university's alumni networks, mentorship and support for students.



Building a stronger, more connected network

Launch of PAC Ajira Digital Club

PAC University launched its' Ajira Digital Club in partnership with the Ministry of ICT, aiming to equip students with digital and content creation skills for the modern economy. The session was coordinated by Mr. Isaac Oyuga, Ms. Magdalene Thuo and Dr. Nancy Kungu.

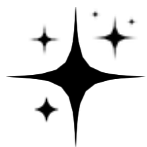


Men's Mental Health Awareness Forum

PAC University's Head of Psychology Dept., Rev. Dr. Arthur Shikanda, recently led an insightful session on Men's Mental Awareness at Deliverance Church Kasarani, Zimmerman. Titled "Men's Moment," the event addressed critical issues surrounding mental well-being, equipping men with tools to navigate emotional and psychological challenges.



Strong men speak up! Attendees for the men's mental awareness session



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Inspiring Young Minds: Career Fair at Jomo Kenyatta Boys

On the 9th -10th May, the PAC University marketing team was able to connect over 1,000 form four candidates from various schools at a career fair at Jomo Kenyatta Boys High School in Nakuru. This interactive platform was just the right platform to showcase PAC University's programs, provide career counseling and inspire the emerging leaders. Interactive sessions with bright young minds are always fulfilling and this further strengthens our vision of shaping future-ready professionals.



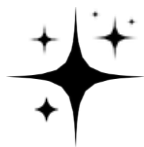
Connecting today's students to tomorrow's leadership at Jomo Kenyatta Boys

VC and Marketing Team Attend Dedication of New Sanctuary at CITAM Buruburu



CITAM Buruburu New Sanctuary.

On 25th May, the Vice Chancellor, accompanied by members of the Marketing team, joined congregants at CITAM Buruburu for the dedication of their newly built sanctuary. The event, attended by close to 8,000 people, coincided with the church's 18th anniversary, was officiated by Presiding Bishop Calisto Odede and was marked by vibrant worship and heartfelt thanksgiving.



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CITAM Career Expo

The Career Expo, held at the CITAM Thika Town on May 31st, was a resounding success, bringing together students, professionals and industry leaders for a day of mentorship, networking and professional growth. Participants explored diverse opportunities across the industries and career fields, attended insightful workshops and learned from career veterans.



CITAM Career Expo 2025 Sparks Career Growth & Networking Success

PAC University at Rwanda International Education Conference



Rwanda International Education Conference 2025

PAC University made its mark at the 3rd International Conference on Reshaping Education for Sustainable Development in Kigali, Rwanda, held from May 14th to 16th. Represented by Mary Maseno, Head of the Department of Community Development, the University actively contributed to global discussions as the event served as a platform for knowledge sharing, and networking.

PAC University Participates in National Postgraduate Research Conference

Head of Community Development dept. at PAC University, actively participated in the 2025 National Biennial Postgraduate Students Conference hosted by Maasai Mara University and the National Research Fund from May 28th–30th. Centered on the theme, "Innovation for Sustainable Development: Postgraduate Research for Societal Transformation," the conference served as a dynamic platform for research dissemination and academic networking.



Mary Maseno at the research conference



UPCOMING EVENTS



Friday, 11th July 2025

Theme: Transformed to Serve – *Colossians 3:23-24*

Guest of Honor: Hon. Justice Daniel Musinga

Join us in celebrating this transformative milestone for our graduands.

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