

Campus Connexion

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Events on Campus

This Semester

August 5 & 7 Registration for BTh/Diploma Session August 8–September 16 BTh/Diploma Sessions First & Second Year August 8–November 4

BTh/Diploma Sessions Third Year

Upcoming

November 12 Graduation November 12–13 Board of Governors

Please Pray ...

• for the safety of students and professors traveling to Lomé.

• for health and strength for all, and for the adjustment of those coming for the first time.

• for the on-site visit August 17-19 of an APTEA accrediting team. Pray for a favorable assessment.

• for miracles of funding for students in need.

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The Changing Face(s) of WAAST

Recently an alumnus visited, a leader who has known the WAAST campus since he was first a student in the 1980s. He summed up his observation of the developments on campus with the remark, "Ah, the changing face of WAAST!"

Familiar Faces, New Faces

The faces on campus continually change. Students from ten nations have just completed the 2016 Master of Arts session. Some 170 students from 17 countries arrive soon for the undergraduate semester. Among them will be new faces as third-year students from eight extension centers—from Senegal to Madagascar—come to complete their studies on the Lomé campus. *Photos of the MA session: <u>http://bit.ly/1Wt39XY</u>.*

Building Facelifts



The two new floors of the multipurpose building (former library) are taking shape. The first contains offices, classrooms, etc., for PAThS' doctoral program; the second, rooms for professors. *Photos: <u>http://bit.ly/2a8aY38</u>*.

Faces from Other Places



A team from Springfield, MO, USA, is working to catalog some 30,000 books and journals donated to the library through Africa's Hope. *Photos: <u>http://bit.ly/2a1aND5</u>.*



PAThS' Greek course brings students and teachers here from Ethiopia, Malawi, Kenya, and the US as well as from the nations WAAST serves.

Extension Center News

The first five students from the MA extension in Kinshasa have completed their coursework on the Lomé campus. Lord willing, BTh students are coming from the centers in Burkina Faso, Cameroon, Côte d'Ivoire, Ghana, Kinshasa, Madagascar, Senegal, and Sierra Leone.

Buildings are changing to meet the needs that growth brings. The new kitchen is nearly done and the veranda is being enclosed to serve as a dining hall. *Photos:* <u>http://bit.ly/IVYmdxe</u>.

