EDITORIAL

The UDS International Journal of Development (UDSIJD), the institutional journal of the University for Development Studies is out with its fourth volume and first issue of the year 2017.

The journal continues to provide a solid scholarly platform where academics, researchers and entrepreneurs can share their research findings, ideas and experiences on a regular basis. The journal continues to support and encourage young academics especially in UDS searching for journals to publish in to publish their research output with us.

There are nine manuscripts presented in this issue, two of which are Short Communication. Being a multi-disciplinary journal, two of the manuscripts are in the Medical Sciences, three in the Agricultural sciences with another four in the Social Sciences.

This issue comprises three sections to reflect the different subject areas covered – Medical Sciences, Agricultural Sciences and Social Sciences.

This first issue of this fourth volume was not too late in being published on time as a result of proactive measures taken by the Editorial Board. We hope the subsequent issues would follow the same trend. We therefore encourage all to continue to submit your manuscripts to this journal.

On behalf of the entire editorial team, I once again take this opportunity to thank the management of the University, staff of the journal, the reviewers who responded to and participated in our conference review and all those who in diverse ways have supported in making this issue of the journal a reality.

Thank you.

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