

JABU Vice-Chancellor Advocates Patience in Mentoring at Commencement Seminar

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During the seminar, mentors raised concerns about students' personal healthcare, mentorship principles, and ways to avoid trouble on campus. Dr. Sunday Babalola, the Acting Director of the GNS Unit, noted that mentors should build faith in their mentees, encourage them to better their studies, and maintain contact with them.

The seminar ended on a positive note, with participants encouraged to embrace new methods, leave indelible marks as they discharge their duties, and help make JABU a better place for learning and character-building. JABU The Vice-Chancellor Advocates Patience in Mentoring at the Commencement Seminar.

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