



Campus Connexion

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Events on Campus

This Semester

28 Feb.–29 April
BTh/Diploma Sessions

19–21 April
Spiritual Emphasis Week
with Rev. Paul Frimpong
Manso

Upcoming

9 May–22 July
MA Session
30–31 May
Meeting of the Board of
Governors' Executive
Committee

28 June–30 July
PATHS Session

17 Aug.–23 Sept.
Second Semester

17 Aug.–9 Nov.
3rd-year Students' Final
Semester

Please Pray

- for the physical and spiritual health and strength of the students and professors during this 9-week semester.
- for the soon completion of the new classrooms.
- for funds to build additional stories on the old library and the ladies' dorm.

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Greetings from the WAAST campus in Lomé, Togo! We hope you enjoy *Campus Connexion*, an e-newsletter developed to keep you apprised of events, news, and prayer needs concerning the central campus and the various extension centers.

Do you know any WAAST alumni, pastors, or others who would be interested in receiving this e-newsletter? Please invite them to send their e-mail address to news@waast.org to be added to the list.

Getting Oriented...

The campus is busy once again as the first semester of 2011 began on Monday, 28 February. Nineteen new students—8 francophone and 11 anglophone—have joined the second- and third-year students, for a total of 68. They come from 7 countries: Benin, Burkina Faso, Gabon, Ghana, Guinea-Conakry, Nigeria, and Togo.



WAAST President Mary Ballenger and Vice President Jean Bandé lead the orientation chapel

WAAST on the Web

Do you need information about WAAST's academic programs? Do you want to know how to pray for WAAST? On our Web site, www.waast.org, you can download the catalog, peruse the 2011 WAAST prayer guide, and find much more helpful information about the school and the various ministries on the campus. We hope you will explore this site and invite others to visit as well.



Campus Construction

The walls and stairwells are going up on the second floor of the south classroom building! The new floor will house 3 large classrooms. We hope to be able to use the new rooms for the MA session in May.

Extension Center Sessions

January and February were busy months for most of the WAAST extension centers. We thank God for our hard-working coordinators and professors! Three professors from the central campus were also privileged to teach in the centers during their sessions.

DRC: Twenty-eight students from DRC and 2 from Congo-Brazzaville are currently studying in this center in Kinshasa, coordinated by Revs. Marcel and Cécile Bomboko. Rev. Bernie Smith traveled to teach here in February.

Ghana: Twenty-three new students joined the second- and third-year students in January, for a total of about 45. Rev. Phillip Arthur directs this center, based in Kumasi.

Niger: In February, Rev. Douti Flindja taught in the center in Niamey, coordinated by Rev. Moussa Ali. Four new students joined the 9 others in the classes.

Senegal: Ten students are in the WAAST program in Dakar, directed by Rev. Nicodème Biesse. Rev. Jean Bandé taught in this center in January.