

Immediate Past Board Chair of WANEP-Regional and member of the West Africa Peacebuilding Fellows (WAPeF) honoured



Peace scholar honoured

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Prof. Isaac Olawale Albert, the pioneer Director of the Institute for Peace and Strategic Studies (IPSS), University of Ibadan, Nigeria and immediate past Chair of the Regional Board of the West Africa Network for Peacebuilding (WANEP), has been recognized for his commitment to consolidating peace and conflict studies in West Africa.

In March 2019, Prof. Albert was one of just 20 personalities inaugurated at West Africa Peacebuilding Fellows (WAPeF) during WANEP's 20th anniversary commemoration in recognition of his work as a peacebuilding scholar and practitioner.

Prof Albert to his credit has throughout his career spanning almost three decades has been very instrumental in the development of peace scholarship and practice in Nigeria- a feat that is undoubtedly incontestable. He is demonstrably committed to scholarship and has over the years engaged in the training and mentorship of particularly young people, many of whom have followed keenly in his footsteps and excelled in various arenas of the peace and security field.

The Official Launch of "Readings in Peace and Conflict: Essays in Honour of Professor Olawale Albert, fspfsp, FICMC @ 60" was organized by the Society for Peace Studies and Practice with support from WANEP and took place on Saturday 5th October, 2019 at the National Open University of Nigeria, Jabi, Abuja

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Several academicians, former students, State officials, representatives of civil society groups and other well-wishers thronged the venue to honour a man who many describe as a historian and peace Scholar whose name resonates and is respected across the African continent and beyond.

Also present at the event were Prof. Patricia Donli , current member of the WANEP-Regional Board, who made a presentation on behalf of the WANEP-Regional Board, and Mr. Francis Acquah-Aikins Jnr, Coordinator of WANP's Liaison Office in ECOWAS.

Congratulations Prof. Isaac Olawale Albert! From all of us at WANEP, we wish you well as you continue to work tirelessly for the peace of our region.

"Congratulations Prof.
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