



# THE MUBS ALUMNI ONLINE NEWSLETTER

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## MUBS' Mugume gets award from the President



Mr. Joseph Mugume, Chief Executive Officer of EBO Sacco

Mr. Joseph Mugume, MUBS Alumni MBA 2020 and the Chief Executive Officer of EBO Sacco MUBS received an award from the President of Uganda being recognized as an outstanding contribution in the Micro finance industry.

“On 1st July 2022, I was honored amongst many cooperators who were recognized by the President of Uganda for the outstanding contribution towards the sustainability of financial cooperatives movement in Uganda

Alta continua- The struggle continues”.

He shared his joy with the public while at the Weekly Online MUBS Alumni Engagement that was held on Sunday, Aug 14, 2022 under the topic: “Effective Governance of Organizations.” Mr. Mugume shared his thoughts on the objectives and benefits of good governance and putting across challenges that hamper effective governance, consequences for poor governance and the roles that should be played by the board and management to ensure effective corporate governance.

## Organisational Psychology Examined

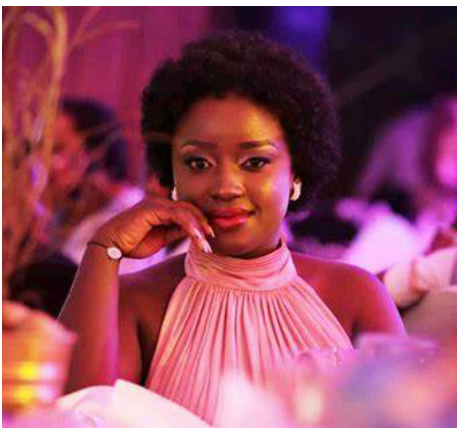


Prof. John C. Munene  
Director, MUBS PhD Programme

Prof. John C. Munene, the Director of MUBS Doctoral programmes, a Human Resource Consultant and a Professor of industrial and organizational psychology, called upon organizational psychology specialists to always change the vision of their Institutions after five years and monitor as they track the patterns of the changing vision to avoid complexity. Have symbols of success like the mission, vision and core values in their organizations. The keynote Speaker Prof. Waswa Balunywa believes that people who are within an organization should be able to restructure their own organization since they understand the environment than an outsider. It is good for an outsider to tell you if there are some things going wrong, but at the end of it all the decision is yours to make.



On August 20, 2022, Mzee. John Elungat graduated with BBA. He is a MUBS Alumnus who made 62years of existence on earth. As the Alumni Office we join him to celebrate his 62nd birthday anniversary. “Kindly pray for me to live for more 62years. Please wish me the best as our struggle continues.” noted John.



Ugandan Actress Joan Agaba a MUBS Alumnus was recently recognised as the Best Actress in a TV series called “what If/Mistakes Gals Do” for her excellence performance in the film industry at the New Vision Film Awards. Ms. Agaba graduated in 2021 with a Masters in Human Resource Management taught at Makerere University Business School. We congratulate you for scooping that award.

## MUBS’ Alumni Gives back to the community



Mr. Saul Sseremba, the CEO Insurance Training College (ITC) as well as a former lecturer at MUBS on 13, August 2022 together with his ICT team launched the Insurance Club at MUBS Mbale Regional Campus. The club is an initiative of ITC aimed at exposing younger people to the vast opportunities the insurance field presents

as a career path and lucrative business.

“Special thanks to the ITC team and MUBS Mbale Campus leadership, academic, support staff, and students for making this event a success. We look forward to the impact of this great partnership.” noted the Director Mbale Campus Kutosi Ayub. M

## MUBS Fresher Crowned Miss Tourism Buganda Kingdom 2022



The Nabagereka of Buganda Kingdom, Sylvia Nagginda crowning Sydney Kavuma Nabulya as the Miss Tourism Buganda

Makerere University Business School has been blessed with glad tidings thanks to one of the beauties at the institution. Nabulya Sydney Kavuma, a first year student pursuing a Bachelors Degree in

International Business has made the MUBS fraternity proud with a crown to her head. Sydney was over the weekend voted as the Miss Tourism Buganda Region 2022 after a tightly contested tussle. Her victory was witnessed by Her Loyal Highness The Nabagereka of Buganda Kingdom, Sylvia Nagginda. Other competitors included first runner up, Nakato Namuyanja Rosalind and Namakula Allen Genevive as the second runner up. Nabulya Sydney Kavuma 20, is a certified muganda of the Ngo clan from Kyaddondo county. Congratulations to the MUBS lass.

## MUBS Marketing Student & Passionate Entertainment Blogger



Mr. Mugisha Patrick also known as Mugi is a freelance digital influencer/ marketer and blogger. He is currently pursuing a Bachelors in Marketing at Makerere University Business school. Entertainment, arts and culture chose Mugibson

at an early age, and his love for the industry bundled with his passion for writing and journalism birthed his desire to put out publications about entertainment and happenings in his home country Uganda, and selected international content for cross boarder readers.

Mugibson started his online writing by putting out his first blog in 2014, using Google's 'Blogger' where he occasionally rolled out a few stories. He however gave it a break to focus on his studies, till early 2019 when he revived his blogging

## Juma attacked by thieves



Makerere University Business School has been saddened by the demise of a lecturer from the Department of Accounting. Mr. Bananuka passed on from Mulago hospital on Sunday afternoon following an attack by thieves who inflicted fatal injuries on his body.

## Guild President tips students about life after campus



Makerere University Business School has briefed the institution's final year students a few weeks to completion of their studies. The students were briefed at an organized session dubbed, "*The Last Lecture*" at

the University's Main Campus, Nakawa on August 31, 2022. The last lecture was graced by Prof. Waswa Balunywa who briefed students on the life after university, expectations and realities.

He encouraged students to respect their bosses and understand the working environment. Prof. Balunywa further told students to do whatever job that comes their way because there is no job that has been tailored for them. When you leave school, you either create your own job or get employed. Meanwhile, the Guild President, H.E Kiyega Rogers also sent his farewell to fellow students saying that "Our parents sent us to university so that we can go back and transform our communities. We need to ask ourselves what are we taking back. We should not go back to the community and look like those who never got the opportunity of going to University." 2022.

Prof. Stephen Robert Isabalijja the Guest Speaker of the Alumni online engagement which took place on Sunday 21 August 2022 under the topic: *“Things they do not teach at the Business School”* remarked the following as the important things that are not taught in the business school.

- Listen and let people speak
- Eliminate interruptions as much as you can during meetings
- Allocate to personalities (managing schedules)
- Manage time to get things done
- Adopt more informal meetings (know the time available, create intimacy in business, you create more trust when you have better working relationships with

## Things They Do Not Teach At The Business School

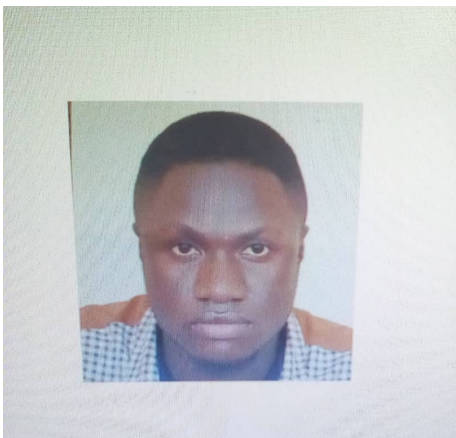


Prof. Isabalijja Stephen

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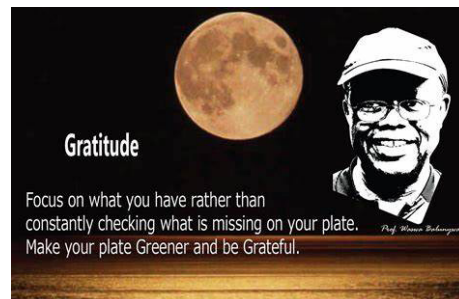
- Be self motivated
- Learn to say no (quickest tool for decision makers)
- Be clean and orderly (manage your work stream)
- Be focused (take time off to think about what you're going to do)
- Keep people engaged (walk the talk and keep them happy)
- Business plans change they're
- Teach people to practice what
- Culture changes.
- Data is more important and needs to be managed well
- Win trust with employers and employees

### Shafic Rubanga wins MUBS JINJA Guild elections



Makerere University Business School Jinja campus went to the polls to vote for their Prime minister.

Mr. Shafic Rubanga emerged as the winner with 223 votes winning out of 390 total vote cast. His opponents Mr. Simon Lematia got 167 votes. Congratulations RT Hon. Prime Minister.



### Kamoga wins MUBS Elections



Makerere University Business School students went to the polls on August 23, 2022 to elect their next Guild President of the 25<sup>th</sup>. Bruno polled 2,198 votes against his close rival Shamoodah Nabwaga who polled 1,354 votes. Bruno Nsereko came third with 14 votes. Mr. Kamoga proved to be the majority's favourite as he won at most of the polling centers.

## MUBS' Phionah Nabbumba in the limelights



maiden CAF zonal qualifiers.

In five games, scored six goals, with five assists, helping the team securing a silver medal and \$20000, such a wonderful performance forced the Fortebet and Real Star Sports Agency to award Nabbumba for the month of August.

“It’s my first time to win such award, and I thank the organizers for recognizing my effort.” said Phiona Nabbumba. ” It only going to help me to keep pushing and to see that I get more awards.” She added.

The Uganda’s current women football hot cake received her accolade on Tuesday at Route 256 Bar and Restaurant – Lugogo.

In the race, Nabbumba beat Travis Mutyaba who scored the only goal for Uganda in Tanzania in the CHAN qualifiers and Mzee Dan Sserunkuma, the veteran striker who helped Lugave to qualify to 2022 Bika Bya Baganda football tournament final.

### Ms. Phionah Nabbumba the Only Shining Star Of August being awarded

The last season’s FUFA Women’s Super league saw Ms. Phionah Nabbumba as the most valuable player and the pillar in the She Corporate amazing performance in the just concluded CAF CECAFA zonal women’s champions league qualifiers.

Phiona Nabbumba was voted the best player of the month of August. Nabbumba, the former Ajax Queens intelligent midfield gem, since joining the Nakawa based side had been a pillar and never disappointed the team when in Tanzania for their



# Say No to Drugs

**Drugs Kill, If they don't kill you  
They make you run MAD.**

