

**MYCOTOXMYCOTOXICOLOGY SOCIETY OF NIGERIA
(MYCOTOXSON)**

**9TH ANNUAL CONFERENCE AND WORKSHOP
NASARAWA STATE UNIVERSITY, “KEFFI 2014”,
6TH- 8TH August, 2014**

PROGRAMME OF EVENTS

Day 1

Venue:

Assembly Hall

MORNING SESSION

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| 9.00 - 10.00am | Arrivals / Registration |
| 10.00 - 10.15am | Welcome Address: Prof. Muhammad Akuro Mainoma. Ag. Vice-Chancellor, Nasarawa State University |
| 10.15 - 10.35am | Welcome Speech: Prof. Olusegun Atanda. President, MYCOTOXSON |
| 10.35 - 10.45am | Felicitation: The Honourable Commissioner for Agriculture, Nasarawa State |
| 10.45 – 10.50am | Prof. Yakubu Boyi Ngwai- Chair, LOC, “Keffi, 2014” |
| 10.50 - 11.00am | Announcements |
| 11.00 - 11.30am | Tea Break |
| 11.30 - 11.40am | Citation of Guest Lecturer. Dr. Anthony Negedu |
| 11.40 -12.25pm | Guest Lecture: Mycotoxins, Climate Change & Development. Guest Lecturer: Prof. A.T. Gbodi. Dept. Biochemistry, Ibrahim Babangida University, Lapai, Niger State. |
| 12.25 -12.35pm | Launching of MYCOTOXICLOGY (Official Journal of the Mycotoxicology Society of Nigeria) Mr. Labran Maku - Minister of Information |
| 12.35 -1.45pm | Citation of Vice-Chancellor- Dr. Kayode Arowora |
| 1.45- 1.50pm | Induction Ceremony: Prof. Muhammad Akuro Mainoma |
| 1.50 - 2.35pm | Interaction with Farmers /Commodity Trades: Dr. Oyebanji / Dr. Arowora |
| 2.35- 3.15pm | LUNCH BREAK |

AFTERNOON SESSION

Chairperson: Prof. S.O Fapohunda

Venue: Assembly Hall

3.15 – 4.15pm

1. Preliminary investigation into the mycotoxin contamination of Shea nuts and kernels.

Esiegbuya, D. O., Osagie, J. I., Okungbowa, F. I. and Ekhurutomwen, E.

2. The distribution and mycotoxigenicity of fungal isolates in stored maize (*Zea mays*, L.) grains from five agro-ecological zones of Nigeria.

Adetunji, M., Atanda, O. O and Ezekiel, C. N.

3. Moisture, Mouldiness and Aflatoxin B₁ Content of some Dried Products from Two Markets in Ilorin.

Oyebanji, A. O, Aina, J. A, Olaleye, O. O and Afolayan, S. S

4. Evaluation of Fungal and Aflatoxin contamination in Millet (*Pennisetum spp.*) and Millet based Product from Niger State, Nigeria.

Ochai, D. O, Makun. H. A, Saidu N. A, Mailafiya, S. C, Adeyemi, H.R,

Apeh, D. O and Adejumo,

4.15- 5.00pm

Power Point Presentation on LC/MC/MC Method.

Prof. Hussaini Makun. Department of Biochemistry,
Federal University of Technology, Minna.

5.00-6.30pm

Cocktail Party.

Day 2

MORNING SESSION

Chairperson: Dr Kayode Arowora

Venue: Assembly Hall

9.00 – 10.00am

1. Susceptibility of eight Nigerian maize varieties to *Aspergillus* ear rot and aflatoxin production

Ogara, I. M, Kayode, A. E and Imafidon, T.

2. A Preliminary Survey of Aflatoxin M₁ in Commercial Milk

Ochai, D. O, Makun, H. A. and Saidu, N.

3. Studies on Mycoflora, Aflatoxin and Tannin content of Sorghum and Sorghum based Traditional Beer in Nigeria.

Apeh, D. O., Makun, H. O., Muhammad, H. L., Adeyemi, H. R, Mailafiya, S. C. and Atehnkeng, J.

4. Growth and haematological response of Wister Rats Administered Deoxynivalenol Extract.

Ayoade, F. A., Ewuola, E. O. and Oladiji, T. A.

AFTERNOON SESSION

10.00-3.00pm Annual General Meeting

3.00-4.00pm Lunch Break

Day 3

Chairperson: Dr. S.O. Aroyeun

Venue: Assembly Hall

9.00 – 10.00am Practical Guide on Masked Mycotoxins. **Prof. Sarah DeSaeger.**
Laboratory of Food Analysis. Ghent University. Belgium

10.00-11.00am Departure Ceremony and Presentation of Certificates