



LIBRARIANS' REGISTRATION COUNCIL OF NIGERIA

OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR/CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

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Dear Sir

NOTICE TO ALL EMPLOYERS OF LABOUR

1. The Librarians' Registration Council of Nigeria (LRCN), established by Act 12 of 1995 is a parastatal of the Federal Ministry of Education. LRCN is a regulatory body for the Library and Information Science (LIS) sector in Nigeria.
2. The Council is mandated among others to:
 - Determine who are librarians;
 - Determine what standards of knowledge and skill are to be attained by persons seeking to become registered as librarians, and reviewing those standards from time to time;
 - Secure the establishment and maintenance of a register of persons entitled to practice the profession and the publication, from time to time, of such lists of persons;
 - Maintain discipline within the profession;
 - Perform such other functions as may be conferred upon the Council by this Act.
3. Based on the above mandate and to ensure quality and standards in library and information service delivery, the Council hereby advises all Institutions that have libraries to:
 - Employ only librarians certified by the Librarians' Registration Council of Nigeria and whose names are on the Council's list of Registered Librarians
 - Ensure that Heads of all library institutions are certified librarians
 - Support librarians to attend the Mandatory Continuous Professional Development (MCPD) programme organized from time to time by the LRCN
 - Encourage all certified librarians to renew their practicing license annually.
4. The Council implores all concerned to comply with this lawful directive.
5. All further enquiries should be directed to the Registrar/CEO, LRCN (email: info@lrcn.gov.ng)
Tel: 08130000149, 08036239884, 08034315553. You may also wish to refer to LRCN adverts in the *Punch* and *Daily Trust* Newspapers of Thursday, 2nd and Friday, 3rd May, 2013 respectively.

Please accept the assurances of my highest regards.

Yours sincerely

Dr. Victoria Okojie
Registrar/CEO