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Relationship between Effective Service Delivery and Information and Communication Technology (ICT) Utilisation in Universities in Anambra State

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Abstract

The study investigated Relationship between Effective Service Delivery and Information and Communication Technology (ICT) Utilisation in Universities in Anambra State. Aspect of ICT utilisation considered in the study were use of Internet and PowerPoint. Three research questions and three hypotheses guided the study. 645 teaching and non-teaching Staff participated in the study. The study adopted correlational survey design. Effectiveness of Service Delivery Scale (QESDS) and Questionnaire on Utilisation of ICT Scale (QUIS). Instruments used for the study was validated and reliability was established at 0.814 and 0.767 using. Multiple regression was used for analysis. Coefficient of regression and coefficient of determination (R²) were used to answer the research questions while T-statistics and F-statistics tested the hypothesis. Results showed Staff use of internet though positive did not determine the effectiveness of service delivery in both public and private universities. Use of PowerPoint significantly determined the effectiveness of service delivery in both public and private universities. ICT utilisation significantly impacted on effective service delivery in public and private universities with the higher impact change on public universities. From the findings of the study, few recommendations were made.

Index Terms--- Realationship, Effective, service Delivery, ICT Utilisations, Universities

INTRODUCTION

Service delivery is the act of providing services to customers. The concept of service delivery however, can only be properly understood by first establishing the meaning of service. Service as an action is experienced but it is neither definitive nor objective because a service provider can change his/her mode of delivery based on moods, changes in working conditions or professional level. Kotler (2015) described service as any valuable action, deed, or effort performed to satisfy a need or fulfill a demand. Service delivery as a provision is effective if it is useful, dependable, authentic, reliable, expandable and when made available in a given time.

To buttress the above point, service, for Cordella and Tempini (2015), may be conceived as something that the public needs such as transport, hospitals, energy supplies, security, education and counseling, which are provided in a planned and organized way by personnel, staff of organisation, an official body or the government.

Delivery simply implies provision. Put in a more ordinary sense, it is the act of taking something to people, houses, and other such places. Service delivery, therefore, is the provision of public needs such as education, security, transport, energy supplies by an official body, personnel, government or university staff (Matthew & felix, 2016). The extent of ICT usage and service delivery as reported in previous studies (Egessa & Musau, 2016; Onobrakpeya, Nana & Odu, 2018) is unanimously advocated by employers in different works of life. Given the advancements in ICT, employees are expected to be ICT competent and should be able to apply it efficiently in the process of service delivery. As regards to the study, Service delivery is seen as the provision of services such as teaching and learning, information exchange, documentation, security and health services by members of staff of the university. Thus, service delivery in

higher institutions has to do with effectiveness with which universities discharge their academic services to yield the desired dividend. Service delivery also defines job effectiveness as the efficiency and effectiveness with which the university staff delivers services (Akpan, 2014).

Effective service delivery determines efficiency of the job. In this connection, effectiveness of job, according to Ntui Iyang (2015), could be referred to as the power of the job to produce an effect. This effect has been already determined as the objectives of that job. Every reasonable job is expected to bring some benefits to either the people hired or employed to do a job, or the owners of the job that have hired or employed people to do it. Not every job can satisfactorily produce the intended result. In other words, not every job could be efficacious in producing the desired result. This is because the job itself cannot produce that intended result. It must be carried out by somebody. If the objectives of the job were well articulated and validated, then it is very logical that the level of effectiveness of the employees in doing the work or job will determine to a large extent, the level of the objectives of the job to be achieved.

In measuring effectiveness of services, especially as it relates to services delivered in the universities, staff effectiveness in carrying out their specific roles will definitely contribute to the realisation of organisational or job goals will be measured. To clarify the above, Ohiwerei, Azih and Okoli (2013) viewed efficiency in services delivery as the provision of services in such a way as to achieve the intended goals or results., Therefore, effectiveness of job is the efficiency to which university staff delivers services to their customers and students. ICT influences employees and collaborative technologies; interactions between people supported by ICTs have expanded the possibilities for increasing job effectiveness.

In a study conducted by Omenyi, Agu and Odimegwu (2007), it was found that on the average, teachers feel that ICT has helped them to increase their classroom efficiency. They also discovered in their study that teachers' perception of their increased job efficiency was associated with the level of ICT competence possessed by the teachers. This finding suggests that ICT is effective in providing educational delivery to students. The use of ICT has been found by researchers to improve job effectiveness of teachers. Thus, the use of ICT by university teachers reduces workload (Omenyi, Aju & Odimegwu, 2007). In support of this finding, Balanskat, Blamire and Kefala (2006) reported that ICT is being increasingly used by teachers in their day-to-day work leading to increased job effectiveness in planning and preparation of work. Despite these studies, observation in some of the Nigerian institutions show that in some cases, delivery of services, such as computation of students' results, access to past records, information desks lecture delivery, old ways have persisted, which are sometimes frustrating to customers. With the development of ICTs, even the most remote areas of the world have opportunities to gain access to the highest quality learning resources.

The concept of information and communications technology (ICT) has no single universally accepted definition. Its diverse definitions result from the very fact that it, ICT, is a broad subject with evolving concepts. ICT can be defined as the group of electronic technology useful in processing, transferring and exchanging information in a meaningful way from one person to another or even group of persons. Given the broad definition of ICT, the study conceptualizes ICT to mean technologies that provide access, storage, retrieval and transmission of information through communication networks.

The term ICT is also used to refer to the convergence of audio-visual and telephone networks with computer networks through a single cabling or link system (Mathur, 2017). Hilbert (2016) remarked that ICT covers any product that will store, retrieve, manipulate, transmit, or receive information electronically in a digital form (examples, personal computers, digital television, email, or robots).

Essay UK (2013) classified ICT as follows: informative tools: internet, network virtual drive, internet system, message; resignation Devices: CD- ROM, constructive tools: Ms Word, power-point, front page, Adobe Photoshop, Lego mind storm, communicative tools: e-mail, short message service (SMS), and collaborative tools: discussion boards.

It is an undebatable fact that ICT has found application in virtually all works of life. In the field of education, ICT is being used today for service delivery. In order to meet up with societal demands, universities around the world are moving rapidly to incorporate information and communication technologies (ICT) into all aspects of their core business of teaching and learning (Achimugu, Oluwagbemi, & Oluwaranti, 2010). The zeal by governments and university managers to inculcate ICT into the educational process is due to the gains it yields both to the university staff in the process of service delivery, to the students and to the public at large. The realisation of the benefits of ICT in the educational process, to a large extent, depends on the academic staff that play crucial roles in any innovation that takes place in the educational system (Ajegbelen, 2016). Currently, new ICT, according to John (2015), have considerably reduced the cost of transmitting and communicating information over both long and short distances. The relevance of face to face communication indicates how remarkable these distance effects can be. But the internet, telephone and video conferencing, for instance, are all reducing these costs of communicating ideas from a distance (John, 2015).

Higher education institutions across the world have been adopting ICT teaching and learning technologies in an effort to create environment for both students and their instructors to engage in collaborative learning and gain access to information services (Stantchev, Colomo-Palacios, Soto-Acosta & Misra, 2014). ICT has presented an easy means for students and teachers to access the world quickly, to obtain or disseminate

less time consuming, and less expensive, and so most of the universities are trying to

information. The use of ICT makes administrative and teaching process more flexible,

assume the benefits of ICT.

Administrative services in higher education institutions take care of various activities in areas such as accounts, management of students' data and general administration. These administrative works are found to have enhanced greatly under the application of ICT (Lupu & Laurentiu, 2015). ICT might have brought changes in the administrative services/management of students records in Nigerian universities, with some success recorded, especially in its role in students' enrolments. Students' administration involves the management of students' records, and is evidently the dominant area in which ICT is utilised for administration of education institutions. Activities under students' administration include online application and admission, online registration, transcript, fee payment processing, examination procedure, online academic time-table online information programme detail and about students. accommodation/hostel allocation (Mondal & Mete, 2012). General administrative services supported by ICT include, among others, the following: dissemination of information about the institution, day-to-day accounts and clerical duties.

Information and communication technologies (ICT) have become one of the fundamental building blocks of modern society. Teachers and non-tutorial staff need to

know exactly how ICT is used as a teaching and learning tool, for their own purposes

and to help students to use them.

Globally, educational systems are adopting new technologies to integrate ICT in the

teaching and learning process, to prepare students with the knowledge and skills they

need in their subject matter (Enyedy, 2014). In this way, the teaching profession is

evolving from teacher-centered to student-centered learning environments. Schools use

a diverse set of ICT tools to communicate, create, disseminate, store, and manage

information. In some contexts, ICT has also become integral to the teaching-learning

interaction, through such approaches as replacing chalkboards with interactive digital

whiteboards, using students' own smartphones or other devices for learning during

class time (Rodriquez, Strnadova & Cumming, 2013), According to Alsied and Pathan

(2015), when tutorial and non-tutorial staff are digitally literate and trained to use ICT,

these approaches can lead to higher order thinking skills, provide creative and

individualised options for students to express their understandings, and leave students

better prepared to deal with ongoing technological change in society and the workplace.

Internet is a means of connecting a computer to any other computer anywhere in the

world through dedicated routers and servers. According to Onwubiko (2012), internet

resources and services provide essential ingredients for enhancing both the research

efforts of academics and indeed their level of intellectual development in the global

village of knowledge management. From this inference, it will be equally understood

that the use of the internet resources and services will help to improve the quality of

academic research as well increase lecturers' level of intellectualism. The internet

offers vast opportunities for users who are hungry for knowledge and

information.

Ogunjobi and Fagbami (2012) confirmed that the internet resources and services enable

lecturers to update their knowledge, prepare up-to-date lecture notes for their students,

download free e-books and e-journals, use e-mail for communication and collaboration

with colleagues. Through the use of the internet resources and services, lecturers keep

abreast with research and development in their fields of study, bringing them fame,

recognition, improving their institutional ranking and ensure regular promotions to

higher academic positions.

Internet also promotes multi-disciplinary research, fosters cooperation, and facilitates

information delivery, sharing and exchange of ideas among researchers from various

institutions, nations or regions. In the era of networked information, internet is the

largest worldwide network of networks that has emerged as the most powerful tool for

an instant access to information. Information is now just at a 'finger touch' distance

away from the user. Thus, internet has become the biggest global digital information

library which provides the fastest access to the right kind of information in

seconds of time to the end-user at any time and at any place in the world.

Academics from tertiary institutions in developed nations depended on internet

resources and services for teaching and research activities, which makes their research

output visible and accessible globally (Imhonopi & Urim, 2012). Academic staff of

tertiary institutions are expected to make proper use of the internet resources for their

academic activities because of the vast and up to date information that can be obtained

from them, they are also expected to make proper use of internet services so that they

will have effective communication with their colleagues and other researchers around

the globe. However, the use of internet services by staff would make their work more

effective and diligent.

Through internet, these days, assignments are given to students and also submitted to

tutors, research such as e-interview can be conducted, academic questions can be asked

and tutors can reach out to their students, among others. For instance, the recent

COVID 19 pandemic has proven internet as indispensable in teaching and learning.

Students now share their assignments and project works through internet and other

social media platforms for makings and corrections. Internet therefore has useful and

vital to higher education.

PowerPoint is a Microsoft Office product or software that provides users with an

interface to design multimedia slides to be displayed on a projector system or personal

computer. PowerPoint tools could potentially expedite new learning and thus validate

knowledge creation and transfer (Hendriks, 2011). PowerPoint enabling tools include

multi- media projectors, power point projectors, etc. A PowerPoint presentation most at

times goes with audio and video clips. Experts in the fields of education have agreed

that, if PowerPoint is properly used, it holds great promise to improve teaching and

learning in addition to shaping work-force opportunities. Utilisation of PowerPoint in

teaching and learning TVET in tertiary institutions today can assist in reducing the

lecturers' (technical educators) workloads through its use for lecture preparation,

instructional delivery, collaborative and individualised learning as well as learning

evaluation (Ogwo, 2015). It was further buttressed that technical educators will become

leaning facilitator, collaborator, coach, mentor, knowledge navigator and co-learner and

not only a dispenser of knowledge. The educational reforms policies were aimed at

integrating the use of ICT tools in the in Nigerian school system. More so, availability

of PowerPoint in universities will engender the effectiveness of staff work. .

Gradually, in classroom teaching is made possible through PowerPoint presentations

which bring more life, interactivity and connectivity to pedagogy. Teaching is no more

a stale, blackboard, chalk and talk phenomenon but is now typified by visual as well as

audio learning processes which enhance learning results.

According to Kiener (2013) a public university is a university that is in state

ownership or receives significant public funds through a national or sub national

government, as opposed to a private university. On the other hand, private colleges or

universities, according to Francis and Glenn (2014), are institutions of higher learning

funded by private donors and individuals who are not part of the government.

University staff refers to those people who work in educational institutions, and they

are of two groups; which are teaching and non-teaching staff. Kolawole and Issa (2015)

highlighted the following functions of academic staff of University as follows:

(i) They help to facilitate learning and mentor students to perform better. (ii) They are

learners' model for continual improvement, demonstrate lifelong learning, and use what

they learn to help students achieve better. (iii) They are resource providers to their

students and colleagues. (iv) They serve as instructional specialist by assisting their

students in implementing effective strategies in classroom activities. (v) They help

implement new ideas of solving educational problems for their students. (vi) They are

experts who know the best way of using curriculum in planning instruction and

assessment.

Furtherance to the functions of academic staff of universities, a research carried out evinced that ICT provides a variety of tools their support and facilitate their functions for efficient job efficacy. Hence, ICT transforms teaching and helps teachers to be more efficient and effective, thereby increasing their interests in teaching. The use of ICT has also been shown to assist in the organisation and the structure of the course and course materials, thereby promoting rethinking and revision of curriculum and instructional strategies (Yusuf et al, 2013). ICT increases teachers' emphasis on individualised instruction, and as such enable them spend more time with individual students. This carried a halo effect in enhancing students in their ability to carry out work independently and gives the teacher more time to focus on teaching higher level concepts in the classroom. Teaching staff utilisation of ICT engenders a multi-media presence in the classroom which enhances increased opportunities for collaborative network among colleagues, between them and students, while opening doors for lifelong learning.

In the study conducted by Onifade, (2010), opined that non- teaching staff of universities carry out the following functions: (i) Non-teaching staff provide general clerical and administrative services to support the operations of schools. (ii) They assist in managing the day-to-day financial and human resource aspects of school operations. (iii) They receive voucher and issues receipts to the students. (iv) Non-teaching staff also aid in scrutinizing invoices received for payment in the school. (v) They also advise on general financial policy within the school and administer pension schemes for teaching and non-teaching staff. (vi) They help in maintaining effective records, administration, communication and correspondence in the school.

Furthermore, to the roles of non-teaching staff of university, a research carried out by Onifade (2010) revealed that the use of ICT by the Secretaries help them to execute

their work and enable them to coordinate the logistics of face-to-face meetings. ICT is

also used by secretaries to catalogue expertise of organisational members and as a result

facilitates access to the right people and enhances the dissemination of information and

knowledge sharing. In organising meetings and other official gatherings, the secretary

uses ICT to execute these tasks efficiently and effectively.

Abosede and Akintola (2015) also revealed in their work that there is a consequential

impact of ICT facilities utilisation on secretaries' job performance. The emergence of

ICT has increased secretarial efficiency and has made accessibility of information easy

for decision making. ICT has made today's office look more sophisticated and more

interesting place of work and helped the secretary in executing their tasks. To locate a

student's record that is up to ten years may present problems which can be addressed

simply through the use of ICT.

ICT is the product of the convergence of modern telecommunication technology and

digital data processing technology. The world of information and communication is

rapidly changing, and today their convergence with one another can be seen more than

ever so that data is transferred quickly and incredibly made available to users all over

the world.

Research Questions

1. What is the extent of internet usage for service delivery in public and private

universities in Anambra State?

2. What is the extent of PowerPoint usage for service delivery in public and

private universities in Anambra State?

3. What is the impact of ICT utilisation on effective service delivery in public and private universities in Anambra State?

Hypotheses

- 1 Staff use of internet though positive did not determine the effectiveness of service delivery in both public and private universities.
- 2 Staff use of PowerPoint significantly determined the effectiveness of service delivery in both public and private universities
- 3 ICT utilisation significantly impacted on effective service delivery in public and private universities with the higher impact change on public universities.

Research Method

This study adopted correlational survey research design. 645 members of the teaching and non-teaching staff from two private and two public universities. The total number of Computer Operators and Secretaries in public universities and private universities are (41 and 33) respectively; while the total number of academic staff in public universities and private universities are (463 and 108) respectively. Two public universities and two private universities were purposively sampled. Faculties of Education and Management Sciences were purposively sampled because these Faculties have relatively greater number of departments compared to other Faculties in the universities. In the departments, judgmental procedure was used to sample the Secretaries and Computer Operators because it is expected that the job description of the group critically involves use of ICT to enable them keep accurate records of departmental events and students 'records. Use of ICT by this group of staff will help them keep accurate records of departmental events and students records.

The instruments used in the study were Questionnaire on Effectiveness on Service

Delivery Scale (QESDS) and Questionnaire on Utilisation of ICT Scale (QUIS). The

questionnaire consists of 10 item questions to capture the extent of effectiveness of staff

on the job. The second questionnaire (QUIS), it has two (2) sections of 10-item

questions each consisting 10 items to address the level of ICT utilisation on service

delivery. The sections in (QUIS) elicited responses on the various components of ICT

usages that forms the objectives of the study covering Staff use of internet and Staff use

of PowerPoint Presentation.

Validation and reliability of the Instrument

The instrument developed was subjected to content and face validity and trial tested on

10 teaching and 20 non-teaching staff of Delta State University, Abraka, Awai, campus

which was not part of the study area. The data collected from test trial testing were used

to determine the reliability of the instruments. The scores from QESDS and (QUIS)

were analysed using Coefficient of regression and coefficient of determination (R²) and

the reliability was established to be 0.814 and 0.767

Method of Data Analysis

The research questions posed were answered using Coefficient of regression and

coefficient of determination (R²). The hypotheses were tested at .05 level of

significance using T-statistics and F-statistics in testing the entire hypotheses.

Results

Results of this study were presented according to research questions posed and

postulated hypotheses.

Research Question One

What is the extent of internet usage for service delivery in public and private universities in Anambra State?

Hypotheses One

Staff use of internet does not significantly determine the effectiveness of service delivery in public and private universities in Anambra State.

Table 1: Regression coefficients and corresponding t-values for the extent of internet usage for effectiveness of services delivery, in private and public universities

	Coefficient of	T-Test		Remark	Decision
	Regression	T-Statistics	P.value	_	
Private	.021	.233	.816	p > 0.05	Accept
Universities					
Public	.014	.326	.745	P > 0.05	Accept
Universities	U / 1				

The results of the coefficient of regression on table 1 are 0.021 for private universities and 0.014 for public universities. The results revealed that use of internet has positive relationship with service delivery for both private and public universities. This indicates that a unit increase in the extent of internet utilisation leads to 2.1% and 1.4% increase in effective service delivery for private and public universities, respectively. To answer the research question therefore, the study posits that use of internet has positive relationship with effective service delivery in private and public universities in Anambra State.

To test hypothesis one, t-statistics for private universities (0.233) and public universities (0.326) has corresponding probability values of 0.816 and 0.745, which are above the benchmark decision criteria of .05 level of significance. Since the p.values

are greater than .05 level of significance, the study accepted the null hypothesis for both private and public universities. The study thus concludes that staff use of internet though positive did not determine the effectiveness of service delivery in both private and public universities in Anambra State.

Research Question Two

What is the extent of PowerPoint usage for service delivery in public and private universities in Anambra State?

Hypotheses Two

Staff use of PowerPoint does not significantly determine the effectiveness of service delivery in public and private universities in Anambra State

Table 2: Regression coefficients and corresponding t-values for the extent of PowerPoint usage for effectiveness of services delivery, in private and public universities

	Coefficient of	T-Test		Remark	Decision
	Regression	T-Statistics	P.value		
Private Universities	.797	13.598	.000	p < .05	Reject
Public Universities	.003	.036	.972	P > .05	Accept

Table 2 showed the regression coefficients and corresponding t-values for the extent of PowerPoint usage for effectiveness of services delivery, in private and public universities. The coefficients are 0.797 for private universities and 0.003 for public universities. These indicate the use of PowerPoint has positive relationship with effective service delivery. This implies that a unit increase in the extent of PowerPoint utilisation leads to about 80% increase in effective service delivery for private universities and 0.03% for public universities in Anambra State. Thus, staff use of

PowerPoint significantly determines the effectiveness of service delivery in both public and private universities.

The result of the t-statistics are private and public universities are 13.598 (p < .05) and .036 (P > .05), respectively. Since the probability values for private universities are less than .05, the study rejected the hypothesis, but accepted the null hypothesis for public universities where the probability value is greater than .05 level of significance. The study thus concludes that use of PowerPoint significantly determines the effectiveness of service delivery in both public and private universities with a greater significance for public universities.

Research Question Three

What is the impact of ICT utilisation on effective service delivery in public and private universities in Anambra State?

Hypotheses Three

ICT utilisation does not have a significant impact on effective service delivery in public and private universities in Anambra State.

Table 3: Cumulative effect of the coefficients determination and corresponding F-values for the impact staff utilisation of ICT on the effectiveness of services delivery, in private and public universities

	Coefficient of	F-Test		Remark	Decision
	Determination (R ²)	F-Statistics	P.value	=	
Private Universities	0.704	48.656	.000	p < .05	Reject
Public Universities	0.262	4.257	.025	P < .05	Reject

The results on Table 3 explain the overall effect of staff utilisation of ICT on the effectiveness of services delivery, in private and public universities. The coefficient of determination (R2) is 0.704 and 0.262 for private and public universities, respectively.

This suggests that the extent of ICT utilisation, determined about 70% of changes in

effective service delivery for private and 26% for public universities, in Anambra state.

To test the hypothesis, the F-statistics private universities 48.656 with p.value = 0.000,

and public university is 4.257 with p. value of .025. Since the p.values for private and

public universities are less than 0.05 we reject the null hypothesis that is, ICT

utilisation significantly impacted on effective service delivery in private and public

universities with the higher impact change on public universities.

Discussion

Base on the analysis of data from the study, results showed that service delivery will be

more efficient with use of ICT.

Previous findings from Ntui Inyang (2015) supported that staff use of internet, even in

library enhances job effectiveness; and customer service delivery in general (Egessa &

Musau, 2016). The findings on specific objective one of the study revealed that staff

use of internet though positive did not determine the effectiveness of service delivery in

both public and private universities. This explains that utilisation of internet services

has a supportive aid to boosting the quality of educational services. A staff in

educational institution exposed to internet services can employ it to access quality

information from the web, and to deliver more reliable information to students, fellow

staff, and the world at large. However, the extent to which internet service enhances

quality of educational services depends on the user.

The work of Ntui Inyang (2015) was supported by results in public universities. This

equally explains that the effect of utilisation of ICT gadgets on service delivery is

influenced by manpower development and effectiveness of application of the ICT

appliances. Therefore there is need for the teachers and the students to familiarize

themselves with PPT tools to enhance effective teaching and learning.

From the findings of objective three to the study, staff use of PowerPoint significantly

determines the effectiveness of service delivery in both public and private universities.

The works of Omenyi, Agu and Odimegwu (2007) and Balanskat, Blamire and kefala

(2006) supported the findings of this current study. Their findings revealed that the use

of ICT by university staff helped them to increase their job efficiency, reduce their

workload and provide effective educational delivery to students.

The findings showed that ICT utilisation significantly impacted on effective service

delivery in public and private universities with the higher impact change on public

universities respectively. This means that public universities in Anambra State have

derived more quality service delivery from ICT utilisation than the private universities.

The cruise in the findings were that application of ICT, will not only enhance

Information Age, it will also bring about staff job effectiveness and enhance

administrative services.

Conclusion

Based on the findings and discussions so far, the study concluded that ICT technologies

must be effectively utilised and at high extent to brings about effective service delivery

to the educational institutions and the public in general. Utilisation of ICT tools will

foster effective service delivery to the student and lessen work loads of teaching and

non- teaching staff .The adoption of ICT technologies such as internet, PowerPoint etc

are vehicles to effective service delivery in service industry in general and educational

institutions in particular also make their services more efficient and lesser time

consumption in delivery of services.

Recommendations

Base on the findings of the study, the following recommendations were made:

Managements of higher institutions of learning should embrace and introduce

consistent in the use of ICT tools such as internet, PowerPoint etc, in every activities in

their educational institutions both teaching and non-teaching staff are included.

• Despite the recent adoption of online services such as internet by most Nigerian

universities, full computerisation can be achieved so that effective service

delivery can be delivered both to the students and the general public through

distant learning, online access to institutions and interactive interfaces. This

would have huge administrative and educational impact on the Nigerian society.

• The government should enhance the adoption of ICT by educational institutions

by allocating funds and goodwill towards the development and maintenance of

ICT system applications.

• The management of higher institutions in Nigeria should organise and train their

staff to acquire skills on how to use the in PowerPoint and projectors software

in order to offer efficient services.

• The government should sponsor full provision of ICT facilities and equipment

in the tertiary institutions in Nigeria. This can be achieved through the TETFund

programmes and would enable institutions to gain world class view and improve

the Nigerian society.

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