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### Interview with Ing. Leslie A. Ayeh, *FGhIE*

*Ing. Leslie A. Ayeh, FGhIE, is the Vice President of Ghana Institution of Engineers.*

**E-Newsletter:** *Sir, talking about collaboration among engineering bodies in Africa and West Africa in particular, how do you think it can be achieved?*

**Ayeh:** You know in the past, engineering was to put down infrastructures for the people but then over the years we have realized that engineering is human centered. Engineering improves lives for humanity and the cultures of



Ing. Leslie Ayeh

people and engineering is important for development of projects. People in certain cultures take part and make input into the development within their jurisdiction. The collaboration between Ghana and Nigeria is very important because of the cultural settings and also amongst the francophone countries. I have worked in the francophone countries and I have seen the deficiencies in infrastructures. I have worked in East Africa and I have seen that it is important we get together as one people in Africa and be able to move our nations and continent forward. I believe that with the collaboration we can do better.

**E-Newsletter:** *Thank you sir.*



The Nigerian Society of Engineers Port Harcourt Branch Executive Committee & members in a group photograph at the funeral service of Mrs. Kaine Bitebo Idoniboye (JP) the mother of the Branch Chairman Engr. Emmanuel Idoniboye, MNSE held on Saturday 13th February 2016 at St. Alban's (Anglican) Church, Obuama in Degema Local Government Area, Rivers State.



### **Funeral of Engr. Prof. D. P. S. Abam, FNSE, Past Chairman of NSE PH Branch**

Engr. Prof. Datoru Promise Simeon Abam, FNSE, a Past Chairman of The Nigerian Society of Engineers Port Harcourt Branch will be laid to rest on Saturday 20th February 2016 at his home town, Abam-Ama, Okrika.

Prof. Abam, FNSE, served as the 4th Chairman of the Port Harcourt Branch in 1988. He was a Fellow of the Society and served the Branch and indeed the Society with merit in various capacities during his life time. He was a reputable member and a revered engineer.





The Nigerian Society of Engineers Port Harcourt Branch Executive Committee led by the Branch Chairman Engr. Emmanuel Idoniboye MNSE (sitting right in photo left) , paid a courtesy visit to the Rivers State Commissioner of Works Engr. Kevin K. Wachukwu (standing in photo right) in his office at the Rivers State Ministry of Works, Port Harcourt on Monday 18th January 2016.



**Photo Up:** NSE Port Harcourt Branch members at the funeral of the mother of Engr. Francis Nemieboka, on Saturday 23rd January 2016 at Ogu in Rivers State.

**Photo left:** Engr. Francis Nemieboka, MNSE (middle), during the funeral service of his mother.

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