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**“Vice-Chancellor’s
address to
staff and students”**

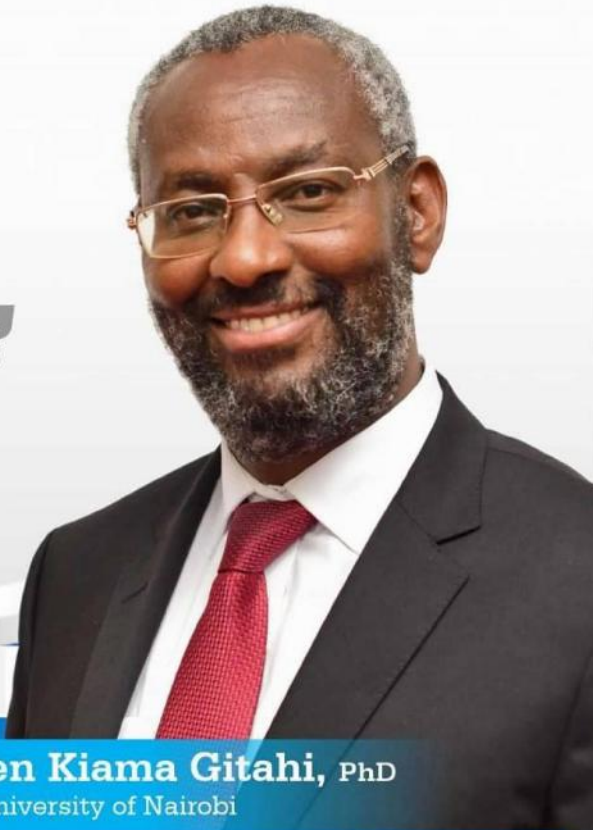
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Prof. Stephen Kiama Gitahi, PhD
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CORONA VIRUS DISEASE (COVID-19)

The University of Nairobi has lost two of its staff to Covid-19.

Vice-Chancellor Prof Stephen Kiama revealed this on Friday when he addressed staff and students in a briefing that was also streamed live on the institution’s website.

“These are not mere statistics. These are our brothers, sisters, parents and friends. University of Nairobi has also not been spared by this enemy, the Covid-19,” he said.

Kiama said the two members died in the last three weeks.

Kiama said experts have indicated that the numbers will continue to rise and any meaningful reprieve will only occur somewhere in November this year.

“My dear students and staff, the ravage of Covid-19 is real. The coronavirus continues to spread,” he said.

Kenya on Friday reported 473 new Covid-19 cases, bringing to 9,448, the total number of infections.

The new cases emerged from 6,979 samples that were tested in the previous 24 hours, according to Health CS Mutahi Kagwe.

A total of 206,584 samples have been tested as of Friday.