



Project EXCELLENCE Dafra

Local finals: Medical engineering and eloquence competition

Lomé, Togo - On Wednesday October 14, 2020, in Lomé, the semi-finals of the medical engineering and eloquence competitions took place at the Faculty of Health Sciences (FSS) of the University of Lomé (UL), ; competitions that are part of the "EXCELLENCE DAFRA" project.



THE LOCAL FINAL OF THE MEDICAL ENGINEERING COMPETITION

The **"EXCELLENCE DAFRA"** project initiated by the Belgian pharmaceutical laboratory, DAFRA PHARMA, in partnership with the Junior International Chamber of TOGO (JCI-TOGO) and the Association of Students in Medicine, Pharmacy and Odontostomatology (AEMPO), from the universities of Lomé and Kara, takes its course. Launched since August 27, 2020, at the auditorium of the University of Lomé, and with the main objective, the contribution to the training of a medical elite, the activities take place in the two universities of Togo (Lomé and Kara) and Wednesday, October 14, 2020, were held,

at the Faculty of Health Sciences (FSS) of the University of Lomé, the local finals of the medical engineering and eloquence competitions.

The local final of the medical engineering competition started at 9 am and pitted the 3rd year team against the 6th year team. Led by Drs Stéphane Teko FOLLY and Edji TAGBA, and in front of a jury of three members, this local final took place around ten (10) rounds, with five (5) new rounds of lightning questions which were added to the preselection sleeves.



After forty-five (45) play minutes, the third year students appeared not to be inferior to their older fellow students; they won the match with a score of 13 to 6. A statement from Mr. Fabrice KOSSI, the captain of the winning team, "We are very happy with this victory. What made our team so strong was the work and nothing but the work. We will soon be playing the national final against the students of Kara University. We will prepare well to be able to win. For the sixth year, "We lost to our third year cadets; unfortunately, this is often the case.", Hinted Mr. Kokou DRAFOR, the captain of the unfortunate finalist team.

The national final will pit the winning team from Lomé against the 4th year students of the FSS at Kara University on October 30th. Let the best win.



FINALIST TEAM

The local eloquence contest final started at 2:00 p.m. and was played between five candidates. Led by a jury of three members namely Mr. Anani ABOTCHI (President of the jury and member of JCI-TOGO), Mr. AYEBOU Kossivi (Member of the jury and member of JCI-TOGO) and Mr. HUNLEDE Ekué.

Siegfried (Member of the jury and Medical Delegate DAFRA PHARMA), the candidates had seven minutes to give their opinions on the following two themes:

- 1 – *Environment and chronic diseases*
- 2 - *COVID-19 and social stigma*



THE MEMBERS OF THE JURY AND THE FIVE CANDIDATES

Of the five candidates three were selected by the jury for the national final. It is :

- 1st place:** Miss ESSILIVI Dorcas (32.33 / 40)
- 2nd place:** M. BAYO Moussa (28.33 / 40)
- 3rd place:** M. FOUELIFA Loic (26.33 / 40)



THE THREE LOME FINALISTS IN FRONT



THE TWO KARA FINALISTS (2nd and 3rd person from the right)

The appointment is therefore made for next October 31 for the final of this competition which will pit five candidates, two from the University of Kara and three from the University of Lomé.

Some pictures taken during the competitions



LOCAL LOME FINAL BETWEEN 3rd and 6th YEAR



THE PRESENTER Dr Têko FOLLY



JURY MEMBERS
LOCAL FINAL LOME MEDICAL ENGINEERING COMPETITION



JURY MEMBERS
LOCAL LOME ELOQUENCE COMPETITION



THE MEMBERS OF THE JURY AND THE FIVE CANDIDATES
OF THE LOCAL COMPETITION OF ELOQUENCE LOME



KARA'S TWO FINALISTS
(2nd and 3rd person from the right)



THE PRESENTER AND THE FIVE CANDIDATES FOR THE
LOCAL KARA ELOQUENCE COMPETITION FINAL



LOCAL KARA ELOQUENCE COMPETITION - FINAL