RAPID AND TRANSPERENT SHARING OF RESEARCH DATA IN AHMADU BELLO UNIVERSITY

Ahmadu Bello University has implementation best practices in the management of official documents and sharing of data amongst faculty, students and other administrative units. It is in that light that the University established a Data Centre with adequate servers configured to have virtual machines using Proxmox. All the applications used in the University are hosted in the Data Centre. There is a provision of power backup to assure availability and a three 1GBPS Internet bandwidth from three different providers all on BGP (Boarder Gateway Protocol). The University also has Microsoft 365 A1 for Education license. Although the license is free for some cloud-based services in the Office 365 suite, faculty members and students have one terabytes OneDrive cloud storage. Similarly, official documents are available to authorised users via Microsoft Teams and SharePoint.

The University is working to migrate the email services to Microsoft Exchange, which is part of the Microsoft 365 A1 for education package.

⊟ **[EXTERNAL] Re: M365 Commercial Purchase - TrackingID#2307240050004524**   6 messages

From: "Rechelle" <support@mail.support.microsoft.com>
To: "msumar" <msumar@abu.edu.ng>
Sent: Wednesday, July 26, 2023 5:36:21 PM
Subject: M365 Commercial Purchase - TrackingID#2307240050004524

Dear Shuaibu,

Thank you for your email.

I have gone through the information you have provided, and I am pleased to inform you that your account has been successfully tagged as EDU and you are now approved to purchase the Microsoft 365 A5 subscription.

Kindly log out of the Microsoft 365 admin center, close your web browser instance, re-open the browser, and log in again. In this way your admin will restart, and the EDU offers should appear.

After this you can go ahead and navigate to the Purchase section to purchase Microsoft 365 A5 subscription.

For your future reference, here is a support link on how to: Try or buy Microsoft 365

Is there anything else I can help you with aside from this?

Let me know if you have any questions by replying to this email - I am available between 11:00 am - 8 pm EST, Monday to Friday.
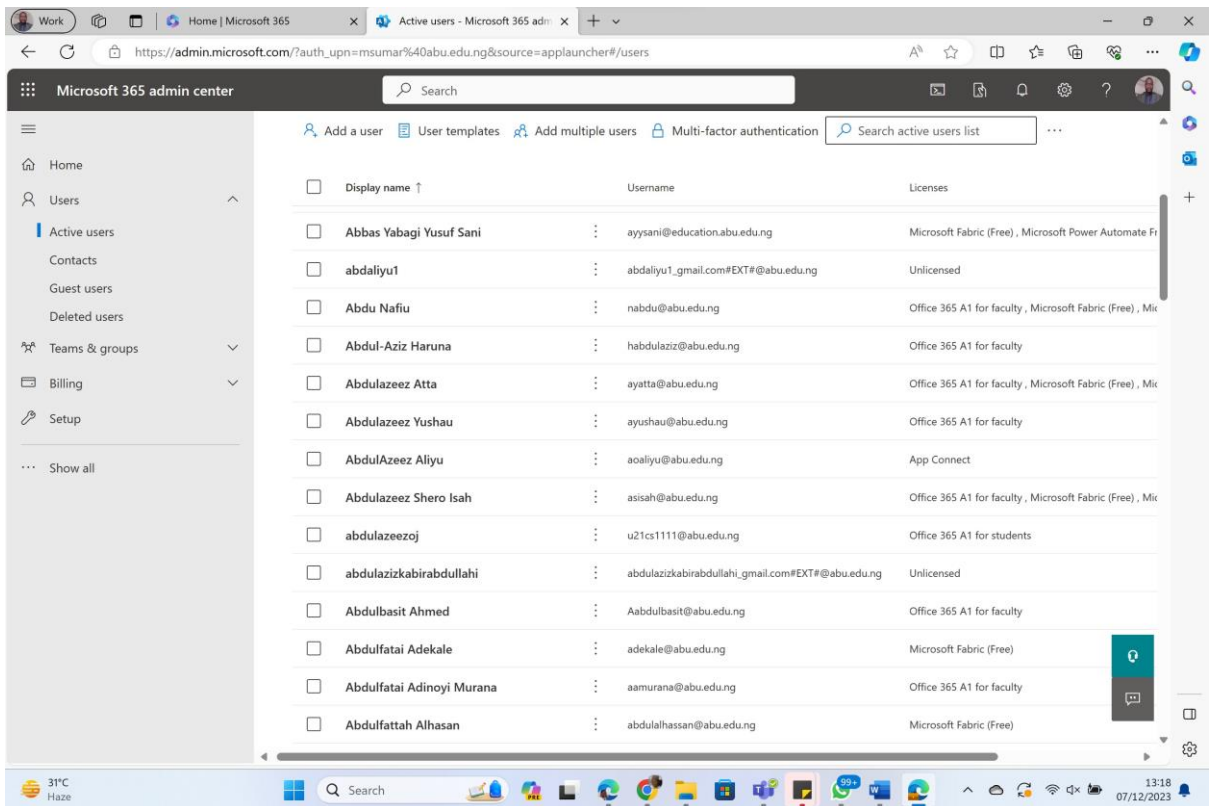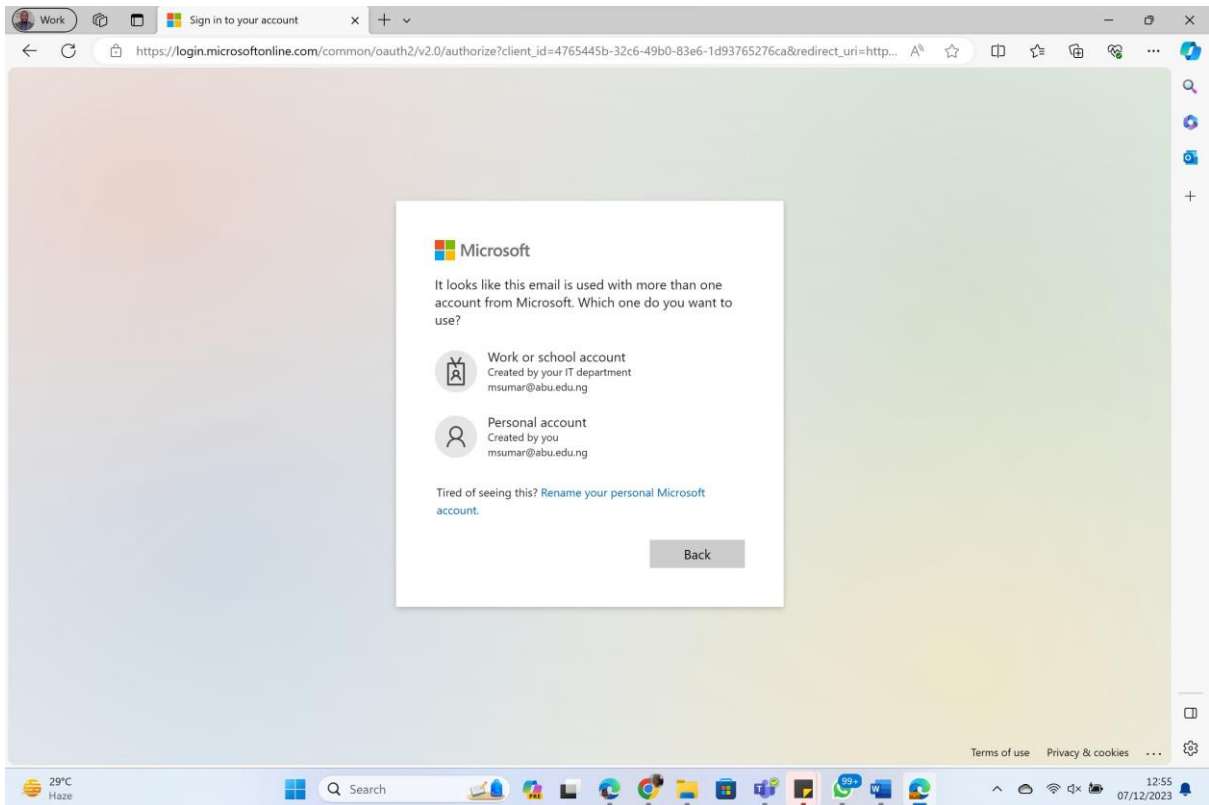
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So far, more than one thousand five hundred faculty and students have been created on the Microsoft 365 platform.