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## **PRESS RELEASE**

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### **U.S. Consulate Hosts Google Hangout on U.S. Student Visa Process April 26**

The United States Consulate General in Lagos will host a Google Hangout on Tuesday, April 26, 2016, at 3 p.m., to respond to questions from the public on the U.S. student visa applications process and about living and studying in the United States.

On-air-personality Rufai Oseni of Inspiration 92.3 FM will moderate the one hour Google Hangout session and direct your questions to two American Consular Officers and an EducationUSA Advisor who will share practical information about the process of obtaining a U.S. student visa. Two Nigerians currently living and studying in the United States will also share their experiences during the one-hour live session.

Building on the success of the last Google Hangout that was held in August 2015 where thousands of Nigerians, including from abroad participated in, the upcoming session is being organized with a view to dispelling myths and rumors about applying to study in the United States.

Interested Nigerians and other nationals are encouraged to participate by tuning in to the live broadcast via the event page link <https://goo.gl/c6k2h7> or by logging on to the United States Embassy's Google+ Profile (<https://goo.gl/c3Zts5>) and YouTube channel (<http://www.youtube.com/USEmbassyNigeria>).

The session will be available for subsequent viewing via the United States Embassy's YouTube channel. Questions can also be submitted in advance via the Google Hangout event page (<https://goo.gl/c6k2h7>), the U.S. Embassy's Facebook

page (<https://www.facebook.com/usembassynigeria>), or by tweeting @USEmbassyAbuja using the hashtag #AskTheVOs.

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