

# Unizik professor killed in Anambra

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**A**nthony Eze, a lecturer at the Faculty of Education of the Nnamdi Azikiwe University Awka, Anambra State, has been shot dead.

Eze was reportedly taking his children to school early Tuesday when gunmen stormed his

residence and opened fire on him.

The deceased allegedly attempted to flee but was chased and gunned down, according to sources.

A source in the community said the gunmen came with a Toyota Corolla saloon car.

"We were here this morning

when Dr Eze was driving out of his house and suddenly a Toyota Corolla saloon car pulled towards the entrance of his house and when he tried to drive back, they followed him and shot him in the chest. We ran away.

"We rushed him to the General Hospital, Amaku, and the doctor

at the hospital confirmed that he was dead," the witness stated.

Police spokesman in the state, DSP Tochukwu Ikenga, said the incident had not been reported to the state's police command.

He however promised to get back to our reporter. He had not done so as of press time.