

Hit and run driver kills lecturer

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TRAGEDY struck in Ogbomoso again when the Head of Department [HOD] of the Physiology at Ladoke Akintola University of Technology, [LAUTECH] was killed by a hit and run trailer.

New Nigerian gathered that the said lecturer simply identifies as Dr. Peter Falokun met his untimely death when his car was hit by a trailer said to be heading towards Ilorin from Ogbomoso.

It was learnt that trouble started when the late HOD leaving the University campus for his home outside the campus in his private car only to be crushed to death at the University's main gate by a trailer said to be coming from Ilorin.

Sources said Dr. Falokun's car a Mercedes BMW series immediately caught fire with the late HOD burnt to death inside the car.

Confirming the death of the HOD, LAUTECH Public

Relations Officer, Mr. Yomi Akintunde said the incident occurred around 1.30 a.m on Tuesday.

According to Mr. Akintunde it was as a result of the time of the accident that makes it impossible for any assistance to come the way of the dead HOD to get any rescue as well as the reason why it was impossible for the trailer driver to be apprehended.

He said the late HOD finished the conduct of an examination paper for some of

his students by 11 p.m late Monday evening before he decided to leave for his residence at the wee hours of Tuesday when he met his untimely death.

The late Head of Department was a graduate of the University of Jos where he bagged M.B.B.S and later his Master of Science Degree from the University of Ibadan

Late Dr. Falokun, a native of Ogbomoso was survived by an aged mother, his wife and three children.