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KWASU loses lecturer, student in auto crash

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ONE lecturer and a Masters student of the Kwara State University (KWASU), Malete, were killed in an auto crash that occurred on Monday evening along the Minna-Lambata Road in Niger State.

It was gathered that the accident involved one of the university's buses conveying 15 staff members and students.

Seven of the passengers were reported to have been seriously injured in the crash, while six others escaped unhurt.

In his condolence message to families of the victims and the university community, the Kwara State governor, Alhaji Abdulrahman Abdulrazaq, said, through his Chief Press Secretary, Rafiu Ajakaye, that:
"We are devastated by this sad development involving one female lecturer and a Masters student. As believers, we submit to the will of God on this development. We condole with the families of the deceased and the entire university community. We urge them to stay strong in this very trying moment.

"The governor has directed relevant authorities in the state to quickly take over the medical care of the injured.

"Abdulrazaq meanwhile thanked God for the lives of those who survived the crash."

"We also specially commend all the first responders who helped to take the victims to hospitals and supported them."