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INTRODUCTION

It is with great enthusiasm that I welcome you to this collection of proceedings, from the 3rd FULafia Annual International Conference held on the 4th to 7th March, 2024 and aptly themed *Science and Humanities: Bridging the Divide for Human Development*. This volume represents a convergence of diverse disciplines, drawing from the wellsprings of both scientific inquiry and humanistic reflection. Our aim is to foster dialogue and collaboration between these fields, which, though often seen as distinct, are deeply interwoven in their potential to enhance human understanding and development.

The modern era presents unprecedented challenges and opportunities that require an integrative approach. From the ethical implications of artificial intelligence, the ever seeming eluding security challenges to the cultural impacts of climate change, the complex issues we face today demand insights that transcend traditional boundaries. By bridging the divide between science and humanities, we not only broaden our perspectives but also equip ourselves with a holistic toolkit for addressing the multifaceted problems of our time.

This book brings together scholars, researchers, and practitioners from both domains, showcasing innovative approaches and collaborative efforts that illustrate the power of interdisciplinary synergy. Each contribution serves as a testament to the idea that science and humanities, far from being in opposition, are complementary forces driving human progress.

As you delve into the pages of this first volume, I invite you to explore the numerous ways in which these fields intersect and amplify each other. It is my hope that this collection will inspire further collaboration, spark new ideas, and ultimately contribute to the ongoing dialogue that seeks to bridge the divide for the betterment of humanity.

Welcome to the book of Proceedings of the 3rd FULafia Annual International Conference 2024, *Science and Humanities: Bridging the Divide for Human Development*.

Sincerely,

Professor Aleruchi Chuku
Editor-in-Chief



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