

The Honorary Graduate: Silas Adekunle

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Silas Adekunle is to be awarded the Honorary Degree of Doctor of Technology

Silas Adekunle is the Co-Founder and CEO of Reach Robotics, the company creating the future of entertainment by fusing robotics, augmented reality and video games.

Born in Nigeria and raised in both his birthplace and Britain, Silas is channelling his lifelong passion for biology, video games and robotics into a first-of-its-kind experience. Under his guidance, Reach Robotics recently launched its inaugural product, MekaMon with Apple in both the UK and USA markets. MekaMon is a competitive gaming platform that combines advanced robots with videogames via augmented reality gameplay, controlled by smartphone.

Silas, previously based in the prestigious Bristol Robotics Laboratory, started Reach Robotics during the 3rd year of his undergraduate studies and graduated with First Class Honours from the University of the West of England earning a Bachelor of Science in robotics technology and previously worked at GE Aviation and Infineon Technologies.

The Honorary Degree is awarded in recognition of Silas Adekunle's contribution and commitment to student entrepreneurship and technology development.