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Travel opportunity Advertisement – Academic/Administrative Staff Mobility

Intra-Africa Academic mobility Project: Partnership for Training *Scientist in Crop Improvement for Food Security in Africa (SCIFSA)*

What is the program about?

The EU under its Intra-Africa Academic Mobility Scheme, has provided funding to support training of graduate students in African universities. In this academic mobility programme five African partner institutions (Cairo University, Cheik Ante Diop University of Dakar, Makerere University, University of Eldoret and University of Ghana, Legon) and one EU partner will collaborate in the training of professionals in crop science to achieve effective food security in Africa through increased food production and enhanced food and nutritional security. In addition to providing scholarships for MSc and PhD studies, SCIFSA also provides opportunity for university academic and administrative staff to share experiences and learn from others. We are happy to announce the availability of four slots for staff mobility. The staff will be hosted for a period **one to six months** in one of the five partner universities mentioned above.

The Call for applications is open from **16th March 2020** and will close on **30th April 2020**. The application for staff mobility should be sent to the project coordinating office (mobilityscifsa@gmail.com and ruthiemutyaba@gmail.com) with copy to the coordinator at the host and sending institutions (see the list below).

This opportunity is only open to staff from Cairo University, Cheik Ante Diop University of Dakar, Makerere University, University of Eldoret and University of Ghana, Legon. Female and candidates with disabilities are particularly encouraged to apply. Please indicate the university you intend to visit.

Contacts of local coordinators

Host institution	Website	Contact person
Makerere University	www.mak.ac.ug	Dr. T.L Odong thomas.l.odong@gmail.com
University of Ghana Legon	www.wacci.edu.gh www.ug.edu.gh	Dr. Agyemang Danquah adanquah@wacci.ug.edu.gh
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University of Eldoret	www.uoeld.ac.ke	Prof. Julius Ochuodho juliusochuodho@gmail.com
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For more information on the Intra-ACP mobility programme contact Dr Thomas Odong email: thomas.l.odong@gmail.com Website: (<http://www.scifa.org>)

The mobility funding covers

The scholars will cover: monthly subsistence allowance for the entire mobility for the entire mobility period (1200 Euro), round trip ticket, visa cost and Comprehensive insurance (Health, Accident and Travel)

Eligibility

Applicant must be working full time in one of the five partner universities either as academic or administrative staff. Those who have already participated in staff mobility under Intra-ACP or Intra-Africa mobility will be not be eligible.

Criteria

The home and host universities of the consortium will work together to evaluate the applications based upon the following criteria 1) Motivation for mobility period 2) Language skills 3) Relevance of the mobility to both the host and sending institutions and 4) proposed research/teaching/working plan. In addition to the above criteria, equal geographical representation of the partner universities in the mobility scheme will be taken into consideration. Female and staff with disability are encouraged to apply.

