

## **CALL FOR APPLICATIONS TO ATTEND THE INFORMATION COMPETENCE AND MANAGEMENT CROSS-CUTTING COURSE**

The course is being organized by Makerere University Library, with support from the Directorate of Research and Graduate Training, Makerere University.

**DATES:** Monday 20th June to Friday 1st July 2011

**TIME:** 8.45 -12.00 noon

**VENUE:** Makerere University Main Library Research Commons (3rd Level – New Library Extension).

### **COURSE CONTENT**

**The content will include:**

- Introduction to the research process
- Introduction to bibliographic searches for literature review
- Sources of information
- Searching the Makerere Library in-house databases – MakULA, Uganda Scholarly Digital Library, DATAD and Africa Index Medicus)
- Searching the Internet – search engines (Google Scholar, Google Earth etc), and specific databases (e-books, AGORA, OARE, HINARI/Pub Med, TEAL Blackwell, Emerald, EBSCO)
- Document Delivery Services (DDS)
- Management of multiple electronic files and word processing
- Professional citing and quotation
- Reference management using Endnote
- Scholarly Writing
- Presentation of research work

Interested students should apply to the University Librarian at [universitylibrarian@mulib.mak.ac.ug](mailto:universitylibrarian@mulib.mak.ac.ug), or by Fax: 0414-540374, or deliver applications to the University Librarian's Office.

**Who should apply:** Preferably PhD students, Post-doc researchers and second year Masters students. Maximum number of applicants is 40 and selection is on first come-first served basis.