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### SCHOOL OF GRADUATE STUDIES

# CALL FOR APPLICATIONS FOR COMPETITIVE Ph.D SCHOLARSHIPS 2010/2011 SECOND ROUND

Carnegie Corporation of New York has extended support to Makerere University to implement the project titled: "Building, Nurturing and Retaining the next generation of African Academics" under the broad theme of **Food, Nutrition and Value Addition.** 

Part of this grant is to support a total of twenty (20) emerging Junior Academics (at least 30% women) to complete their doctoral degrees by providing tuition and research funds. The expected outcome is excellent PhD graduates that would bring dynamism in the university, contribute to national development and be part of the international community of scholars. Fifteen grants were awarded during the first round

A call is now made for applicants to compete for **five (5) PhD scholarships** remaining under this scheme. Preference will be given to applicants from Economics and Management disciplines.

The applicants must meet the following conditions:

- 1. They must be members of academic staff at Makerere.
- 2. Applicants could be at any stage of their PhD studies e.g. early, middle or late or requiring only supplementary funds to complete the research projects
- 3. The concept/proposal must address the broad theme of Food, Nutrition and Value Addition
- 4. The concept/proposal should have been approved by the respective School/College Higher Degree and Research Committee.
- 5. If registered in another university, evidence of academic status and approval of the research proposal by the appropriate organ in that university be provided
- 6. However, provision has been made for prospective PhD students who are yet to secure admission to Makerere to apply on recommendation by the College/School/Institute
- 7. Maximum period to complete the PhD is three (3) years
- 8. Potential PhD students from Economics and Management are strongly encouraged to apply.

### **Level of support**

Research support covers both tuition and research costs to the tune of USD 50,000.

#### N.B: Female Academics are strongly encouraged to apply

Applications in a soft and three hard copies should be submitted to the Directorate of Research and Graduate Training, Division of Research, Innovations and Knowledge Transfer Partnerships, Lincoln Flat B5 by June 30, 2011.

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For enquiries/clarifications regarding this grant please contact the Research, Innovations and Knowledge Transfer Partnerships Division,, Lincoln Flat B5.