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AFRICAN WATER RESOURCES MOBILITY NETWORK (AWaRMN)
BUILDING TRANSDISCIPLINARY CAPACITY FOR SUSTAINABLE WATER RESOURCES MANAGEMENT IN AFRICA

Secretariat: Institute for Water Research, Rhodes University, Grahamstown, South Africa

CALL FOR APPLICATIONS

Staff mobility (2022 - 2023)

Date advertisement: 31 May 2022; Application Deadline: 30 December 2022

Staff Mobility Programmes

Applications are invited from suitably qualified staff members for exchange programmes (academic and admin) within **AWaRMN**, in any of the Higher Education Institutions in the partnership.

The available opportunities per partner institution are as follows:

(The partnerships reserve the right not to award or fill all the available positions)

1. **Rhodes University, South Africa (RU)**
2. **Federal University of Technology, Minna, Nigeria (FUTMINNA)**
3. **Makerere University, Uganda (MU)**
4. **University of Kinshasa, Congo (UNIKIN)**

Type of mobility

- ❖ Staff Mobility (to share your expertise in the relevant fields advertised)

Target Groups

Group 1: Staff who are working at any of the AWaRMN partner institutions: RU, UNIKIN, FUTMINAA, MU

Value of Mobility

For successful applicants, AWaRMN funding will cover the following areas:

- ❖ Subsistence allowance: 1200 Euro per month.
- ❖ Economy class roundtrip flight ticket and visa costs
- ❖ Insurance (Health, accident, and travel)

Eligibility Criteria:

General eligibility

To be eligible for support from AWaRMN, applicants must:

- be a national of an African Union member state and resident in Africa at the time of application.
- be a staff of one of the partner institutions
- must be prepared to move from home country to another country where AWARMN has a partner institution. This also apply to foreign applicants who resides in a country with AWARMN institution. For such applicants, you must then consider applying to a third country. For example, you are a Ugandan, but resides in South Africa or have

studied in South Africa, you can not apply to Rhodes University in South Africa or Makerere in Uganda. Scholarships are attached to mobility.

- Scholarships are attached to mobility and therefore you can not apply to an institution in the country where you are a citizen or where you resides.
- Submit a work plan of your activities for the intended mobility

Opportunities

I. **Rhodes University (Institute for Water Research), South Africa**

Co-supervision	1 month (Academic)
Collaborative research	1 month (Academic)
Administrator	1 month (Admin)

II. **Federal University of Technology (Department of Animal Biology; Department of Geology), Minna, Nigeria (FUTMINNA)**

Teach Hydrobiology	1 month (Academic)
Co- supervision	2 months (Academic)
Teach Hydrogeology	1 month (Admin)
Technical IT support	1 month (Admin)

III. **Makerere University (Department of Chemistry), Uganda**

Teach Research Methods	1 month (Academic)
Teach Analytical Methods	1 month (Academic)
Teach Water Chemistry	1 month Academic)
Co- supervision	1 month (Academic)
Administrator (international Office)	1 month (Admin)

IV. **University of Kinshasa (Department of Natural Resources Management and the Congo Basin Water Resources Research Centre), DRC**

Teach Water Quality	1 month (Academic)
Teach Water Resources Planning and Analysis	1 month (Academic)
Teach Irrigation and Drainage	1 month (Academic)
Teach Water Supply and Sanitation	1 month (Academic)

V. National Higher School for Hydraulics, Blida, Algeria (ENSH)

Teach Hydraulic	1 month (Academic)
Teach Hydrology	1 month (Academic)
Teach Hydrogeology	1 month (Academic)
Teach Irrigation	1 month (Academic)
Administrator	1 month (Admin)

To apply:

- ❖ Read the guidelines carefully here <https://www.ru.ac.za/intra-africa-awarmn/>
- ❖ Carefully complete the application form available here <https://www.ru.ac.za/intra-africa-awarmn/>
- ❖ <https://ru.infoready4.com/#manageCompetitionsDetail/1872635>
- ❖ Submit: 2 paged CV, a formal identity document e.g. passport, national identity card, driver license or any other officially recognized form of identification indicating your nationality, 250 words motivation stating why you should be awarded the mobility; A letter from your line manager/HOD indicating support for your mobility; a detailed work plan that aligns to the programme of the host institution
- ❖ **Note:** Should there be any travel restrictions due to the COVID-19 situation, the partnership reserves the right to postpone the mobility. Virtual lectures are not eligible.

Application Deadline:

The deadline for submission of applications is 30 December 2022. Submitted applications will be acknowledged within 3 working days. Applications will be assessed on a rolling basis until all positions have been filled.

Please note that some of the start and end dates have been scheduled as flexible and staff will be admitted on a rolling basis depending on the institutional circumstances.

Note:

Incomplete application will not be considered. Female applicants, people with a disability(ies) or people from a socio-economically disadvantaged background are strongly encouraged to apply.

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