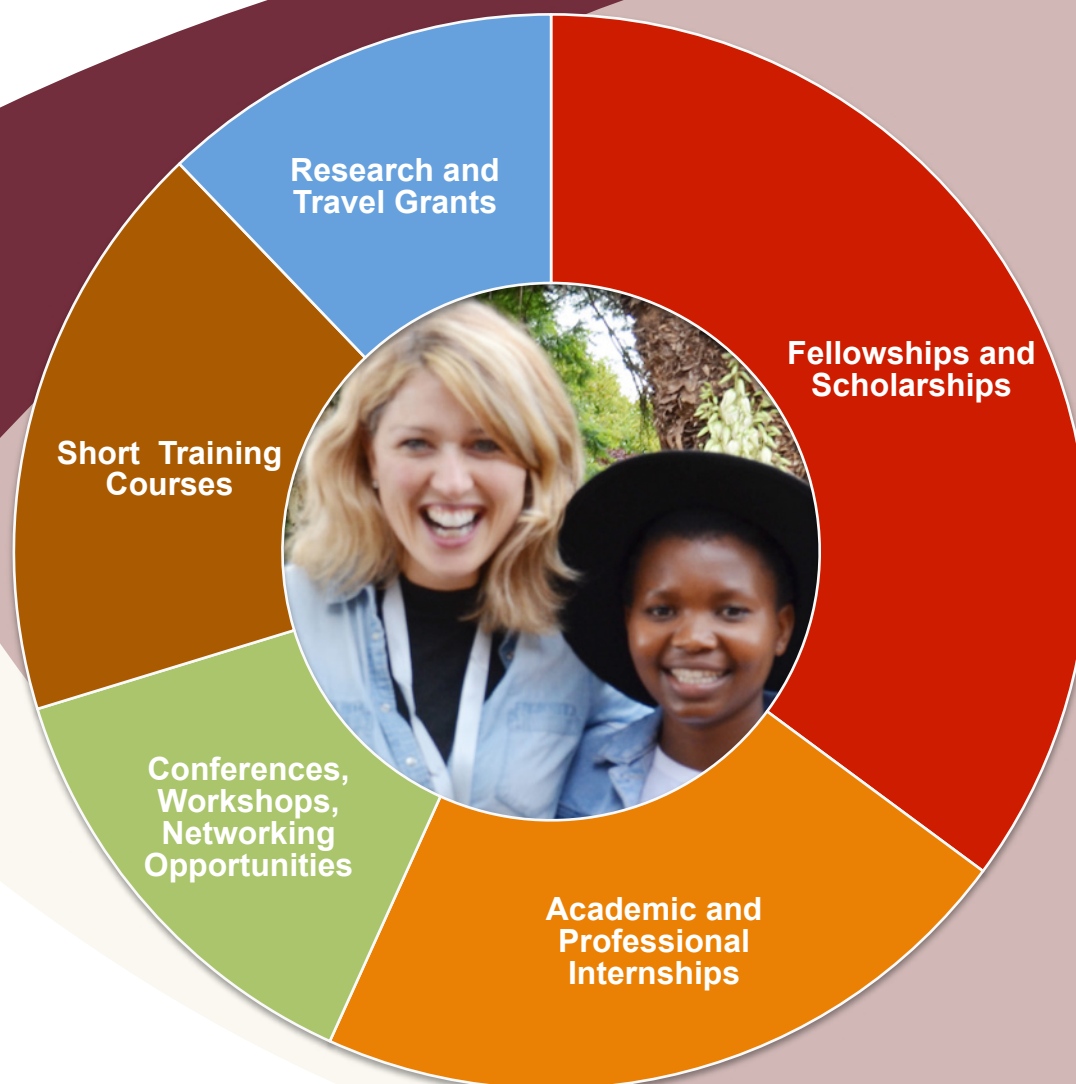


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Fellowships, Scholarships and Internships

- The International Livestock Research Institute is offering Msc graduate fellowship - genetic diversity study and GWAS in Napier grass (*Cenchrus purpureus*) collections in sub-Saharan Africa. **Application deadline: June 30, 2020.** Click for details.
- The Partnership for Skills in Applied Sciences, Engineering and Technology – Regional Scholarship Innovation Fund (PASET-RSIF) of the International Centre of Insect Physiology and Ecology is offering PhD scholarships. **Application deadline: June 15, 2020.** Click for details.
- The Washington State University - Global Health Program, Kenya is offering PhD training for physicians and veterinarians. **Application deadline: July 1, 2020.** Click for details.
- The Meryl Williams Fellowship - supporting women to enhance their Leadership skills and Increase their Impact. **Application deadline: July 31, 2020.** Click for details.
- The DAAD Helmut-Schmidt Masters scholarships (2020/2021) for public policy and good governance. **Application Deadline: July 31, 2020.** Click for details.
- The African Institute for Mathematical Sciences Next Einstein Initiative – Fellowship for women in climate change science. **Application deadline: June 30, 2020.** Click for details.
- Matsumae International Foundation Research Fellowships. **Application deadline: June 30, 2020.** Click for details.
- The Science and SciLifeLab Prize for young scientists. **Application deadline: July 15, 2020.** Click for details.
- The African Economic Research Consortium-World Bank visiting scholars' program 2020. **Application deadline: June 18, 2020.** Click for details.
- The World Academy of Sciences (TWAS) young affiliates program 2020. **Nomination deadline: June 30, 2020.** Click for details.
- International Sustainability Academy scholarship program 2012/2022. **Application deadline: June 30, 2020.** Click for details.
- The African Scientific, Research and Innovation Council (ASRIC) and the Euro-Mediterranean University of Fes call for PhD scholarship 2020. **Application deadline: July 15, 2020.** Click for details.
- Welcome senior research fellowship. **Application deadline: July 16, 2020.** Click for details.
- Global Good Fund Fellowship. **Application deadline: June 30, 2020.** Click for details.
- University of Auckland Marsden Grant PhD international scholarship in phylogenetic biogeography, 2020. **Application deadline - open.** Click for details.
- The World Academy of Sciences – Council of Scientific and Industrial Research (TWAS-CSIR) postgraduate fellowship programme. **Application deadline: July 31, 2020.** Click for details.
- The World Academy of Sciences PhD fellowships. **Application deadline July 31, 2020.** Click for details.
- The World Academy of Sciences Postdoctoral fellowships. **Application deadline July 31, 2020.** Click for details.
- The World Academy of Sciences BIOTEC Postdoctoral fellowship programme. Application deadline: **August 31, 2020.** Click for details.
- One World Scholarships Program to students from developing countries. **Application deadline: July 31, 2020.** Click for details.
- Post-doctoral fellowships at the Vienna BioCenter (VBC), Austria. Click for details.
- PhD positions at Heidelberg Biosciences International Graduate School (HBIGS), Germany. **Applications accepted throughout the year.** Click for details.
- Master of Science in data science programs at the University of Rwanda. **Application deadline: June 18, 2020.** Click for details.
- Australian Museum Research Institute postgraduate fellowship for research on today's environmental challenges. **Application deadline: June 30, 2020.** Click for details.
- Carnegie African diaspora fellowship program. **Application deadline: June 30, 2020.** Click for details.
- Owen Browning MSc. and PhD scholarships in forestry and environmental science at the University of Canterbury, New Zealand. **Application deadline: November 1, 2020.** Click for details.



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- Visiting fellowships at the Centre for the Study of African Economies. **Application deadline: June 26, 2020.** Click for details.
- The Islamic Development Bank and The World Academy of Sciences postdoctoral fellowship programme for research related to the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals. **Application deadline: June 8, 2020.** Click for details.
- Smithsonian Institution fellowship program for graduate students, pre-doctoral students and postdoctoral and senior investigators to conduct independent research. Click for more details.
- Volkswagen Foundation: Freigeist Fellowships for junior researchers in all disciplines. **Application deadline: October 15, 2020.** Click for details.
- Applications for the 2020 McDonald Fellowships are now open to researchers working in areas relevant to multiple sclerosis. **Application deadline: June 30, 2020.** Click for details.
- University of Bradford - sub-Saharan Africa undergraduate and masters scholarships 2020/2021 targeting african students. **Application Deadline: open.** Click for details.
- UK Research and Innovation (UKRI) - Open call for research and innovation ideas to address COVID-19. **Application deadline: open.** Click for details.
- International Science Graduate Scholarships for postgraduate at University of Melbourne, Australia 2020/21. Application Deadline: open. Click for details.
- Orange Knowledge Programme - scholarships on sustainable and inclusive development, for mid-career professionals. **Application deadlines vary.** Click for details.
- Asian Development Bank – Japan scholarships for international students in the field of economics, management, science and technology, and other development-related fields at participating academic institutions in the Asia-Pacific region. **Application deadline: July, 19 2020.** Click for details.
- Wageningen University and Research: Postdoctoral position on Identification of agro-ecological crop traits for designing diversified cropping systems. **Application deadline: June 15, 2020.** Click for details.
- Wageningen University and Research: PhD positions on food environments and promoting healthy and sustainable diets. **Application deadline: June 18, 2020.** Click for details.
- Western Sydney Vice-Chancellor's academic excellence postgraduate scholarships. Application deadline: June 21, 2020, **June 29 2020 or October 18, 2020.** Click for details.
- Presidential postgraduate research scholarships (diverse subject areas) at University of Southampton in UK. **Application deadline: July 31, 2020.** Click for details.
- English language international scholarship at Macquarie University, Australia, 2020. **Application deadline: July 24, 2020.** Click for details.

Funding - Grants and Awards



- Capacity development for disease outbreak and epidemic response in sub-Saharan Africa, in collaboration with Africa CDC. **Application deadline: July 30, 2020.** Click for details.
- Innovation for sustainability grant programme – call for concept notes. **Submission deadline: June 26, 2020.** Click for details.
- Wellcome investigator awards in science. **Application deadline: June 16, 2020.** Click for details.
- New award for innovation in education, training and communications programs focused on improved plant nutrients use in African agro-ecosystems. **Application deadline: July 1, 2020.** Click for details.
- GoGettag Agripreneur Prize 2020 to fund agribusinesses that bring technology, innovation, and passion to the agriculture and food industries. **Application deadline: June 18, 2020.** Click for details.
- International Development Research Center (IDRC) Doctoral Research Awards 2020. **Application deadline: June 17, 2020.** Click for details.
- The World Academy of Sciences – Samira Omar Innovation for Sustainability Award. **Application deadline: June 30, 2020.** Click for details.
- Early Career Researchers CENTRAL – Travel grants and fellowships. **Deadlines vary.** Click for details.
- Crawford Fund: applications are open for our 2020 student awards. **Application deadline: June 26, 2020.** Click for details.
- Future Agro challenge program. **Application deadline: vary with country.** Click for details.

Training/Learning Resources



- A guide for transboundary research partnerships. Click [for details](#).
- Online training courses at the Foscore Development Centre - result based skill development services. Click [for details](#).
- iCRA courses: dates and deadlines vary. Click [for details](#)
- Free online training in bioinformatics and biostatistics. Click [for details](#).
- Class Central: a search engine, discovery platform and review site for MOOCs. Click [for details](#).
- Free Textbooks and Library Link special issue during Covid 19 package. Click [for details](#).
- British Council free online courses 2020. Click [for details](#)
- Bioinformatics for the terrified – an introduction to the science of bioinformatics. Click [for details](#).
- Nature Masterclasses: Online courses on [and](#)
Free for ILRI staff, fellows, students and interns. Click on the titles for more details and registration.
- FAO E- learning courses. Click [for details](#).
- One Health Regional Network for the Horn of Africa (HORN): Open Access One Health E- learning Materials. Click [for details](#).
- Media skills for scientists: A free online course to teach scientists how to use media to reach non-scientists. Click [for details](#).



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Symposia/Conferences/Workshops



- How difficult can online facilitation be? Free online event, **June, 15, 2020**. Click [for details](#).
- An interactive site on the Impact of Covid-19 on tertiary education in sub-Saharan Africa – an update by the World Bank. Click [for details](#).
- International Conference on Science & Technology Research, **November 05-06, 2020**. Click [for details](#).
- The African Green Revolution Forum (AGRF) Summit - **September 8-11, 2020**. Click [for details](#).
- UK conference of bioinformatics and computational biology, **September 28-30, 2020**. Click [for details](#).
- Botho University International Research Conference (BUIRC): Research and innovation for sustainable development in the age of the fourth industrial revolution, **November 25-26, 2020**. Click [for details](#).
- National Agricultural Research Organization - Makerere University (NARO-MAK), Third Joint Scientific Conference: **November 10 – 13, 2020**, Kampala-Uganda. Click [for details](#).
- The Global African Swine Fever Research Alliance (GARA) bi-annual scientific meeting, **August 25-27, 2020**. Click [for details](#).

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