

NEWS & EVENTS

- [RUFORUM Secretariat wishes our readers, families and communities good health and wellbeing](#)
- [My community mobilization skills helped me create market linkages for increased Smallholder Pig Incomes in Northern Uganda](#)
- [Promoting solar drying technology to reduce post-harvest losses among vegetable and fruit farmers in northern Uganda and West Nile regions](#)
- [The AAU, eLearnAfrica and WILEY Education Services partnership to support African Universities](#)
- [Africa's growing risk of diseases that spread from animals to people](#)
- [Internationalising higher education for a better world](#)

Events:

- [CORONAVIRUS: the management of pandemic and the impact on Agenda 2030 18th WASD Annual International Conference. Video Conference. July 1 – 3, 2020](#)
- [IASSIST, EASLIS and APLESA will be hosting the 1st IASSIST Africa Regional Conference. Makerere University, Kampala, Uganda. October 21 – 23, 2020](#)
- [Botho University International Research Conference \(BUIRC\): Research and Innovation for Sustainable Development in the Age of the Fourth Industrial Revolution. Botho University, Gaborone, Botswana. November 25 – 26, 2020](#)
- [National Agricultural Research Organization - Makerere University \(NARO-MAK\). Third Joint Scientific Conference: November 10 – 13, 2020, Kampala-Uganda](#)

PUBLICATIONS

- [RUFORUM Quarterly Report January - March 2020. \(RUFORUM, 2020\)](#)
- [Development of African Tailored Massive Open Online Courses \(MOOCs\): Announcement of the eight courses to be developed into MOOCs. \(RUFORUM, 2020\)](#)
- [Newly published issue Vol. 4 \(2\) for the African Journal of Rural Development. April 10, 2020](#)
- [Removal of contaminants in used lubricating oil with chemical activated carbons from Palm kernel and Coconut shells. \(Boadu, 2020\)](#)
- [Improving shrimp fishers' fishing and bargaining abilities through social networks knowledge transfer in Rivers State, Nigeria. \(Komi and Isubikalu, 2019\)](#)
- [Comparative Studies of the Physicochemical Properties and Heavy Metals Adsorption Capacity of Chemical Activated Carbon from Palm Kernel, Coconut and Groundnut Shells. \(Boadu et al., 2018\)](#)

FEATURED VIDEO: [A formidable Baobab research team: RUFORUM expands support in West Africa](#)

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OPPORTUNITIES

Grants and Awards:

- [RUFORUM Call for the Graduate Teaching Assistantship \(GTA\) Research Grants 2020/2021](#). **Deadline May 20, 2020**
- [RUFORUM Call for Post- Doctoral Fellowships: RU/2020/Post Doc/01](#). **Deadline May 20, 2020**
- **(New)** [Call for Post- Doctoral Fellowships: RN/2020/Post Doc/02](#). **Deadline May 20, 2020**
- [RUFORUM call for Expression of Interest for Staff Mobility in African Universities](#). **Deadline May 31, 2020**
- The IGAD, in partnership with the CILSS and the FAO invite all partners to respond to the call for proposals (CFP): [The Horn of Africa and Sahel Knowledge Share Fair 2020](#). **Deadline April 27, 2020**
- **(New)** [APNI, UM6P and OCP: New Young African Phosphorus Fellowship for Early Career Scientists](#) **Deadline June 1, 2020**
- **(New)** [Carnegie African Diaspora Fellowship Program: 2021 Applications Open](#). **Deadline June 30, 2020 at 11:59 PM EDT**

Scholarships and courses:

- [PhD Training Opportunities through the RUFORUM Graduate Teaching Assistantship Program](#). **Deadline vary by University**
- [APNI and UM6P: New Scholarship Program Announced for Plant Nutrition Graduate Students in Africa](#). **Deadline April 30, 2020**
- [MasterCard Foundation Scholars Program at KNUST](#). **Deadline May 1, 2020 at 17:00 GMT**

Calls for Papers and Posters:

- **(RUFORUM call)** [Call for manuscripts: African Journal of Rural Development](#). Regular articles, short communications and reviews accepted. **Deadline: Open**
- [Call for Papers for 18th WASD Annual International Conference](#). **Deadline May 25, 2020**

WEBINARS AND E_DISCUSSIONS

- **(New)** [ESSA Scholarship Webinar – RSVP: 'A collective voice: what impact can scholarships achieve?'](#). **April 21, 2020 14:30-16:30 (UTC+00:00) Dublin, Edinburgh, Lisbon, London**

JOBS

- **(New)** [APNI: Vacancy Announcement for Cropping Systems Agronomist \(CSA\) in East Africa](#). **Deadline April 30, 2020**

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