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<u>Postgraduate Scholarship from the African Union Commission</u> tenable at the PAN African University

The African Union Commission is offering full scholarship opportunities at the PAN African University.

- 2. The Pan African University is an initiative of the Heads of State and Government of the African Union. It is a Premier continental university network whose mission is to provide quality postgraduate education geared towards the achievement of a prosperous, integrated and peaceful Africa.
- 3. Young qualified, talented and enterprising applicants from African Countries and the African Diaspora are invited to apply to join Masters or PhD degree programmes at any of the following 4 PAU Institutes listed below:-
 - 1. Pan African 2. Pan African 3. Pan African 4. Pan African University University University University **Institute for Institute for Institute for Institute for Basic Sciences**, Life and Earth Governance, Water and **Technology and** Sciences-**Humanities** Energy **Innovation** including Health and Social Sciences and Agriculture (PAUSTI), at **Sciences** including Jomo Kenyatta (PAULESI), at (PAUGHSS), climate **University of** the University at the change **Agriculture and** of Ibadan (UI), **University of** (PAUWES), at **Technology** Yaounde the University Nigeria. (JKUAT), IIand the of Tlemcen, Kenya. **University of** Algeria. Buea, Cameroon.

4. **General information**

Application forms and comprehensive information on the application process can be downloaded from the following website:

www.pau-au.org

5. **Documents to be submitted:**

For Masters Programmes

- Undergraduate degree from a recognized university, with at least a second class upper division or its equivalent, in a relevant field.
- Certified copies of relevant certificates, transcripts (from university and high school), National I. D. card and passport personal details page.
- Recommendation letters from two professors.
- A clear colored passport size photograph (2cm x 2cm).

For Doctoral Programmes

- (i) A Masters degree in a relevant field from PAU or any internationally recognized university.
- (ii) Certified copies of relevant certificates, transcripts, National I. D. card and passport personal details page.
- (iii) A clear colored passport size photograph (2cm x 2cm).
- (iv) A 3 to 4 pages research concept note (tentative title, research questions, objectives, significance of the research etc...).
- (v) Recommendations letters from 2 professors.

6. **Age Limit:**

For Masters

- Maximum age of 30 years for male and 35 years for female applicants.

For Doctoral Programmes

- Maximum of 35 years for male and 40 years for female applicants.

7. **Other Conditions**

- (i) Candidates may be required to undergo a written/oral examination after pre-selection.
- (ii) Candidates for the Masters in Conference Interpreting and Translation programmes are required to have excellent knowledge of at least two of the African Union's official languages (Arabic, English, French and Portuguese).

(iii) The African Union Commission will offer full scholarships to the successful African candidates. Scholarship awardees should be committed to working in Africa after graduation.

8. Mode of application

(i) Application forms must be submitted online at

www.pau-au.net

(ii) Application forms can be downloaded at the following address:

www.pau-au.net

9. Further enquiries can be made through:

pau.scholarships@africa-union.org

www.pau-au.net

10. **Closing Date**

Closing date for submission of **online** applications with all supporting documents is **20 April 2018**.

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