



**COMPETITIVE SMALL RESEARCH GRANTS
APPLICATION FORM**
(2011/12 ACADEMIC YEAR)

(Complete all fields applicable to you)

Full name of applicant		
Surname/last name		
First name.....		
Nationality	Date of birth	
Major academic discipline (please tick one)		
Agronomy <input type="checkbox"/> Animal science <input type="checkbox"/> Veterinary science <input type="checkbox"/> Agroforestry <input type="checkbox"/> Agricultural economics <input type="checkbox"/> Fisheries and aquaculture <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify) _____	Food and nutritional science <input type="checkbox"/> Natural resource management <input type="checkbox"/> Biological sciences/ biotechnology <input type="checkbox"/> Agricultural extension education <input type="checkbox"/> Agricultural engineering <input type="checkbox"/>	
Currently Studying MA/MSc/MPhil/ in (field):	At which University	
Year Completed (eg. 1 st year MSc or PhD)		
Country		
Full postal address		
Email address (compulsory)		
Telephone no. landline (Office) (Please include country and city code)	Mobile	Home
Previous grants awarded		
Research/Development Interests		

Please describe your research or development interests (maximum half page)

Career Goals

1. Please specify **three** clear and realistically achievable career development goals (what you would like to achieve) covering the next ten years professionally (in your technical field) e.g. publications, techniques, teaching skills etc; and personally, e.g. improved visibility, increased self confidence, better work-life balance, leadership aspirations etc) in the:

- short term (one to two years)
- medium term (two to five years)
- long term (five to ten years)

(maximum half page)

2. Why do you think this grant is important for your career development? (maximum half page)

Requirements (conditions for processing of application):

Each application form should be accompanied by:

1. A Curriculum Vitae describing academic and professional accomplishments
2. A current official transcript of the student's classes and academic record
3. A 5-page summary of the research proposal approved by the applicant's academic department;
4. A letter from the Head of the applicant's academic department (or any other designated official) verifying that the applicant's research proposal has been approved. In the absence of such a letter, the Grant Committee may seek alternative proofs of approval (see form included).
5. A letter of recommendation from a senior member of the applicant's academic department (see form included)

Place and date

Name _____

Signature _____