



DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN RESOURCES, SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

Call for Applications for Scholarships Tenable at Hawassa University Hawassa, Ethiopia

**For Masters Programmes in Natural Sciences, Agriculture,
Forestry, Natural Resources, and Humanities**

CLOSING DATE: 19th NOVEMBER 2016

The Hawassa University has made ten (10) scholarships to the African Union Commission, through the Department of Human Resources, Science and Technology, to enable African students to undertake Masters Programmes. **Applicants are invited to apply for one of the following fields of studies.**

Computational Mathematics	Mathematical and Statistical Modeling	
Applied Statistics	Chemistry	Material Science
Eco-toxicology and Environmental Health		Micro Biology
Veterinary Epidemiology	Veterinary Microbiology	Animal Production
Animal Breeding	Animal Nutrition	Soil Science
Crop Protection	Bio Technology	Agronomy
Plant Breeding	Climate Smart Agriculture	Horticulture
Wildlife Management	Production Forestry	Biodiversity
Agro-Forestry and Soil Management		Water Shade Management
Natural Resource Economics and Policies		Climate Change and Development
Communication and Cultural Studies		Linguistic and Multilingualism
Teaching English as a Foreign Language (TEFL)		

The scholarships are open to all qualified young African Nationals who meet the following **Admission Requirements**

- i) Be a holder of a Bachelor's Degree from a recognized university, with at least a second class upper division or its equivalent, in a relevant field.
- ii) Maximum age of 32 years
- iii) Fluency in the English language, as it is the teaching language

THE SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

For successful candidates, the scholarship award covers the following:

- Tuition fees
- A round-trip economy rate air ticket from candidate's home country
- Boarding at campus of Hawassa University in provided facilities
- Monthly stipend of 300 US\$ to support living expenses
- Total amount of 1,200 US\$ to support Masters Research. (In case this fund is not sufficient, the student should find other supplementing sources)

Application Procedure

Interested candidates should complete the Application Form which is available on the Africa Union web-site: <http://www.au.int/en/scholarship>

Applications must include the completed Application Form together with the following documents:

- i. Summarized CV including education, work experience and publications if any;
- ii. Certified copies of relevant certificates, and transcripts;
- iii. Personal details page of national passport;
- iv. Recent clear passport size photograph;
- v. Recommendations from two academic referees with contact addresses; and
- vi. An essay of not more than 500 words that explains the motivation for applying the chosen field of study, its importance to Africa's development, and how the qualification will enable the candidate to serve the African continent.

Interested candidates should scan and produce electronic copies of all application documents (converted to PDF format) and send to the following e-mail addresses:

To: OlgaA@africa-union.org ; Leonl@africa-union.org

Cc: info@hu.edu.et ; atuesu@gmail.com

The Closing date for the submission of applications is **19th November 2016**

Note: Applications received after this deadline will NOT be considered.

Information about HAWASSA UNIVERSITY can be found at:

www.hu.edu.et/hu/ and <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-Vw-XJCHRdA>