



# KENYATTA UNIVERSITY

## GRADUATE SCHOOL

### REGIONAL MSc PROGRAMME IN INTEGRATED SOIL FERTILITY MANAGEMENT (ISFM)

#### ANNOUNCEMENT AND CALL FOR APPLICATIONS

##### **Background**

Kenyatta University School of Agriculture and Enterprise Development wishes to announce and call for Applications from candidates to join a recently developed MSC programme in “**INTEGRATED SOIL FERTILITY MANAGEMENT (ISFM)**”

This will be a 2-year MSc programme with course work, examination and thesis with effect from September 2010. The programme has been developed with support from Alliance for Green Revolution in Africa (AGRA).

The programme is designed to take cognizance of new and emerging knowledge and skills in the management of soil fertility for sustainable soil productivity. It addresses the contemporary challenges and highly complex issues that affect soil productivity and sustainable development. The degree is intended to produce well trained scientists equipped with modern knowledge and skills for analyzing and interpreting data to solving the soil productivity challenges that are affecting farming communities in food production. The programme is also intended to avail excellent opportunities in broadening the students perspectives and vision for global market competitiveness, for careers in the environmental sector, fertilizer industry research and further training to PhD level.

##### **Admission Requirements:**

Applicants must be holders of a BSc degree with an upper second class honours in Agriculture, Agricultural resource management, dry-land agriculture, Agricultural engineering, range management, horticulture, environmental science, agricultural education or any other equivalent qualification from other institutions recognized by Kenyatta University senate. Also holders of BSc degree with lower second class honours in agricultural related areas but with at least two years relevant research experience will be considered.

##### **Call for applications**

Applications are invited from suitably qualified candidates to apply for **admission** in this **MSc** programme. We actively encourage applications from suitable female candidates.

Applicants must fill in application forms available at Kenyatta University Website and submit the same accompanied with their CV, copies of degree certificates and transcripts.

The application letter should give the full name, contact address, telephone/fax number and Email address.

**Eligibility**

This call all is open to applicants from Kenya, Rwanda and Mozambique

**Closing Date: 21<sup>st</sup> May 2010**

Prospective candidates should apply directly to:

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