



**Announcement of Master's and PhD Scholarships under the DAAD In-Country/In-Region Scholarship Programme, Eastern Africa for 2017/18**

The Nelson Mandela African Institution of Science and Technology (NM-AIST) in Arusha, Tanzania has received support to train **eight (8)** Master's and **four (4)** PhD students under the German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD) In-Country/In-Region Programme for the 2017/18 academic year. Selected candidates will be registered at NM-AIST in the Programmes listed in Table 1 below:

**NM-AIST Degree Programmes and Specialization for the 2017/18 Academic Year**

S/N	Degree Programme	Area of Specialization
1.	(i) Master's in Life Sciences (ii) PhD in Life Sciences	Health and Biomedical Sciences
		Sustainable Agriculture
		Food and Nutritional Sciences
		Biodiversity and Ecosystems Management
2.	(i) Master's in Mathematical and Computer Science and Engineering (ii) PhD in Mathematical and Computer Science and Engineering	Applied Mathematics and Computational Science
		Computer Science and Engineering
3.	(i) Master's in Information and Communication Science and Engineering (ii) PhD in Information and Communication Science and Engineering	Information Technology Systems Development and Management
		Electronics and Telecommunications Engineering

Before applying, applicants are strongly advised to carefully read the DAAD scholarships **Guidelines for In-Country/In-Region Scholarships, Eastern Africa-2017/18**. Applicants who do not have NM-AIST admission are required to apply for NM-AIST admission to meet the specific degree programme requirements and the admission criteria as detailed on the NM-AIST Website ([www.nm-aist.ac.tz](http://www.nm-aist.ac.tz)).

For scholarships short listing process, applicants must submit the following documents:

- 1) Copies of academic transcripts and certificates
- 2) A recommendation letter from the current employer and/or previous supervisor / educator.
- 3) Any publications achieved (added advantage).
- 4) A max. 2-page of Curriculum Vitae (CV).
- 5) A max. 2-page research concept note.
- 6) A max. 2-page motivation letter.

All applications must be emailed to NM-AIST using the following email: [daadscholarships@nm-aist.ac.tz](mailto:daadscholarships@nm-aist.ac.tz).

Incomplete documents or failure to follow instructions will automatically lead to disqualification.

Deadline for receipt of applications: **Friday, 17<sup>th</sup> February 2017.**