

REPUBLIC OF RWANDA



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PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT

REPUBLIC OF KOREA - GOVERNMENT OF RWANDA SCHOLARSHIP

The Higher Education Council (HEC) wishes to inform the general public that, through the Bilateral Cooperation between the Government of Rwanda and the Republic of Korea, the International Cooperation Agency (KOICA) has offered to the Government of Rwanda scholarships for Master's Degree and PhD Program in the fields of Social Economy, Response to Climate Change, Applied Artificial Intelligence, Control of Infectious Disease, Digital Transformation Technology for the academic year 2022.

Interested candidates should submit of the following documents:

- Application letter addressed to the Director General of HEC
 - National ID or Valid Passport
 - Curriculum Vitae
 - One (1) recent passport size photo
 - Original - notified certificate and transcripts
 - Recommendation from the employer
 - KOICA application form
 - Document checklist
 - University application form with required documents
- * Refer to the program information on KOICA CIAT Website
<https://www.koica.go.kr/sites/ciat/index.do>

Please note:

Prospective applicants must meet all of the following conditions:

1. **Citizenship:** Be a Rwandan citizen.
2. **Government nomination:** Be a government employee and officially nominated by their institution; with a minimum of 2 years of experience in the field of study.
3. **Age:** (Preferably) be under age 40 as of February 1, 2022.
4. **Health:** Be in good health, both physically and mentally.
 - Those with disabilities, but in good mental and physical health, are eligible to apply.
 - Those with severe illness are NOT ELIGIBLE to apply.
5. **Level of Education:** Have completed Bachelor Degree, Masters or an equivalent to College/ University Level. (Some programs have specific qualifications in terms of Level of Education. Please refer to the program information for each program).
6. **English proficiency:** Have a good command of both spoken and written English in order to take classes conducted entirely in English and to be able to write academic reports in English.
7. Not be a person who has withdrawn from KOICA's scholarship program.
8. A person belonging to the institution in which candidates submitted false documents and returned to his/her country arbitrarily in the middle of SP program cannot apply.
9. Have not participated in KOICA scholarship program or any of the Korean Government's scholarship programs before.
 - * PhD Program Applicants: recipients of Master's scholarship from Korea are still eligible.

(An applicant who holds a Master's Degree through the KOICA SP may not apply for another KOICA Master's Degree, but may apply for a KOICA PhD scholarship).

10. The offer covers all costs of study including: air fare of one round-trip, tuition fees, fees for extra-curricular activities, monthly living allowance, accommodation, settlement allowance, scholarship completion grants, and insurance. Any other extra expenses that are associated, or which may arise in due course will be covered personally by the candidate.
11. The above mentioned application documents are available on the link: <https://www.koica.go.kr/sites/ciat/index.do> as well as on HEC website, and applicants must submit their application online to HEC MIS using the link : <https://mis.hec.gov.rw/system-login>

Deadline extension: 15/05/2022.

Done at Kigali, 13/05/2022

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