

**Innovations and capacity building for inclusive nutrition-sensitive value chains in Kenya and Uganda (InNuSens)**



## Call for Applications

### Post-Doctoral Researcher at Makerere University

The InNuSens project will conduct research on nutrition-sensitive value chains for underutilised horticultural crops to create transdisciplinary knowledge contributing to improved food and nutrition security and economic development. The project aims to build individual, organisational and institutional capacities to plan and conduct problem-oriented, transdisciplinary research ‘beyond’ disciplines: at universities and research institutes and in close collaboration with all partners, practitioners and industry stakeholders.

Project partners are: Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin and German Aerospace Center (DLR) (Germany); Makerere University (Uganda); Jomo Kenyatta University of Agriculture and Technology and Egerton Universities (Kenya) and The National Institute of Transport (Tanzania).

In Uganda (Makerere University) InNuSens project will focus on the grain amaranth Value Chain (VC). The project seeks to hire a Post-doctoral researcher to provide technical and administrative support, as well as to coordinate grain amaranth value actors and networks and co-supervise PhD students on the project.

#### Key eligibility criteria

- PhD in Food and Nutrition Sciences, obtained in the last five years
- Graduate level knowledge and skills of food product development, optimisation and characterisation
- Training and/or experience of Multi-stakeholder Platform (MSP) establishment and coordination
- Verifiable knowledge and experience of the grain amaranth value chain in Uganda and of multi-national project coordination and reporting
- Women will be given preference if they have the same qualifications as men.

**Candidates are also expected to have working level the following general skills:** MS Office, Analytical skills, English language and ability to work in an interdisciplinary and multicultural team

**To apply**, send your application, curriculum vitae and academic documents to the Principal Investigator, Makerere University (Dr. Dorothy Nakimbugwe) on [dnprojects2@gmail.com](mailto:dnprojects2@gmail.com)

Applications must be received before midnight on September 13, 2021.