

PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION BEFORE FILLING IN THE APPLICATION FORM

Course details

The course will be delivered between May and July, 2018. Delivery of the theory component will be online and laboratory practical component will be face to face in Lusaka, Zambia, at the School of Veterinary Medicine of the University of Zambia. The online component will run for ten weeks. After completion of the online modules, twenty-five successful participants will be invited to the University of Zambia for eight days for a face to face theory and hands-on laboratory practical sessions on the different diagnostic techniques of vector-borne diseases and transboundary animal diseases (TADs). Selection for the face to face theory and hands on laboratory practical sessions will be based the performance during the online modules. The medium of instruction will be English. A certificate will be awarded to the candidates who complete the course.

Course Modules

The following modules will be delivered online:

1. Introduction to vector-borne diseases
2. Introduction to TADs
3. Diagnostic acarology and entomology
4. Fundamentals of livestock disease diagnosis I: microscopic diagnosis of livestock diseases
5. Fundamentals of livestock disease diagnosis II: serological diagnosis of livestock diseases
6. Fundamentals of livestock disease diagnosis III: molecular diagnosis of livestock diseases
7. Applied surveillance and monitoring systems

Costs to be borne by prospective participants on the training course:

1. Nominal participation fee 5 US \$ to cover administrative expenses.
2. Costs associated with per diems, dinners and subsistence allowance for participants during the duration of the training course should be covered by the participants' institutions.
3. Any insurance associated with travel, and medical that participants may need while participating in the training must be borne by participants or their institution
4. Visa application costs associated with regional travel (if applicable) must be borne by the participant
5. Shuttle costs both in participant's home country and the country where the training will be delivered should be covered by the participant. This includes airport shuttles on arrival and departure, and shuttles between accommodation and training venue during the duration of the training

Costs to be borne by the University of Zambia and SANBio

1. Travel in respect of regional flights (economy class ticket, most economical and direct routing) and accommodation (bed and breakfast). Please note that travel and accommodation costs will only be covered for international students.
2. Tea and lunch to cover all participants, during the onsite training at the University of Zambia

APPLICATION FORM

Please fill in all sections of the application form and attach academic qualifications, short resume, reference letter from your employer or supervisor, first page of your passport for international students and a short motivation why you wish to take part in this course (300 – 500 words).

First Name	
Middle Name	
Surname	
Sex	
Age	
Nationality	
Postal Address	
Email Address	
Telephone Number	
Academic Qualifications	
Employment Position	
Nature of Employment	
Employer	

Checklist of submitted documents (Please Tick)

- Academic qualifications
- Short resume
- Reference letter from employers and supervisor
- Short motivational statement
- Short motivational

Applicant's signature.....

Date.....