

THE TOP 46 MUST APPLY FOR FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES WITH OCTOBER 2023 DEADLINE

1. TWAS Research Professors in un Developed Countries Programme (FULLY FUNDED)

The program's goal is to give institutions and research groups in least developed countries (LDCs) the chance to build long-lasting relationships with TWAS members and TWAS Young Affiliates/Alumni to collaborate on research projects and receive advanced training, thereby assisting in the development of local scientific capacities.

<https://youroportunitiesafrica.com/2023/10/11/twas-research-professors-in-un-developed-countries-programme-fully-funded/>

2. South African Reserve Bank (SARB) graduate development programme for youths

The main goal of this plan is to build strong capabilities in central banking for advanced analytics.

<https://youroportunitiesafrica.com/2023/10/11/south-african-reserve-bank-sarb-graduate-development-programme-for-youths/>

3. ECOWAS regional strategy on employment in agriculture and food industries of senegal

To address the needs of the value chain, Senegal's Regional Centre of Excellence (CRE) on dry cereals and related crops consists of a number of research and educational institutes. The National School of Agriculture (ENSA), the Institute of Food Technology (ITA), and the Regional Study Centre for the Improvement of Adaptation to Drought (CERAAS) work together to coordinate this under the direction of the Senegalese Agricultural Research Institute (ISRA).

<https://youroportunitiesafrica.com/2023/10/11/ecowas-regional-strategy-on-employment-in-agriculture-and-food-industries-of-senegal/>

4. Papua New Guinea Climate Change Research Grant Funding

The grants give financing for projects that further our understanding of the effects of climate change on human health and the environment. This support is primarily concentrated on a few key aspects of how climate change affects infrastructure, agriculture, sustainable development, water quality, the environment, and human health.

<https://youroportunitiesafrica.com/2023/10/10/papua-new-guinea-climate-change-research-grant-funding/>

5. Building Women's Capacity to Produce Mobile Biodigesters and Biogas Cooking Stoves in Madagascar

In order to promote domestic biogas service and better adapted biogas stoves, the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) is inviting national and international nongovernmental organisations (NGOs) as well as organisations of the Malagasy civil society (CSO) to submit their proposal in the area of women's empowerment.

<https://youroportunitiesafrica.com/2023/10/10/building-womens-capacity-to-produce-mobile-biodigesters-and-biogas-cooking-stoves-in-madagascar/>

6. African of the year award from Daily Trust 2023

The African of the Year award initiative was established in 2008 with the goal of annually honouring an outstanding African who has made an extraordinary contribution to the advancement of humanity in any region of the continent and across all fields of endeavour. Africans who have excelled in a variety of fields or carry out charitable endeavours in their close-knit communities that benefit the populace.

<https://youroportunitiesafrica.com/2023/10/10/african-of-the-year-award-from-daily-trust-2023/>

7. Baobab Africa's top startup accelerator programme (\$100 000)

The early-stage funding and hands-on support founders require to unleash growth and create world-class enterprises are being offered by Baobab Network

<https://youroportunitiesafrica.com/2023/10/10/baobab-africas-top-startup-accelerator-programme-100-000/>

8. Ireme Invest Circular Economy Programme Rwanda

Are you a business owner or entrepreneur in the waste management or circular economy industries? Ireme Invest is asking entrepreneurs and companies in the waste and circular economy sector to apply for help and finance through its Project Preparation Facility.

Funding available

<https://youroportunitiesafrica.com/2023/10/10/ireme-invest-circular-economy-programme-rwanda/>

9. Japan-focused networking event for cleantech startups in Nigeria

Selected Nigerian CleanTech Startups will travel to Japan for a week of networking, organised by the National Information Technology Development Agency (NITDA), the Office for Nigerian Digital Innovation (ONDI), and the Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA).

<https://youroportunitiesafrica.com/2023/10/10/japan-focused-networking-event-for-cleantech-startups-in-nigeria/>

10. Apply for the United States Invest in Others Grant Programme

Two grant opportunities—"Grants for Good" and "Grants for Change"—are being offered by Invest in Others to help support charitable organisations' urgent needs as well as those of the communities they serve.

<https://youroportunitiesafrica.com/2023/10/10/apply-for-the-united-states-invest-in-others-grant-programme/>

11. Third Cohort of African Youth Ambassadors for Peace

All African youth who have made a major effort to advance lasting peace and security on the continent and who have shown a commitment to doing so are eligible to apply. Applications from qualified youngsters, including young women, those who have been relocated, and those who are disabled who meet the following requirements are especially encouraged:

<https://youroportunitiesafrica.com/2023/10/10/third-cohort-of-african-youth-ambassadors-for-peace/>

12. ReSAKSS Data Challenge 2023

The ReSAKSS Data Challenge is starting its fourth iteration with AKADEMIYA2063! By utilising data and other resources on the ReSAKSS website and other digital platforms to produce cutting-edge knowledge products or projects that address Africa's development concerns, eager data users can demonstrate their innovation and analytical abilities.

<https://youroportunitiesafrica.com/2023/10/10/resakss-data-challenge-2023/>

13. Workshop on Climate Change Reporting for Journalists in Nigeria by cjid

The Public Affairs Section of the U.S. Embassy in Abuja and the Centre for Journalism Innovation and Development are pleased to encourage Nigerian journalists to apply for a 3-day programme on strengthening skills in climate change reporting.

<https://youroportunitiesafrica.com/2023/10/10/workshop-on-climate-change-reporting-for-journalists-in-nigeria-by-cjid/>

14. BNEF Pioneers Program for Addressing Net-Zero Challenges

The Pioneers Award will be given to innovators in 2024 who have developed scalable, significant, and equitable solutions to three global net-zero challenges.

<https://youroportunitiesafrica.com/2023/10/10/bnef-pioneers-program-for-addressing-net-zero-challenges/>

15. Data Journalism Workshop for Journalists Covering the Net Zero Transition in South Africa

South African journalists are encouraged to apply for a data journalism workshop being hosted in Johannesburg from January 29 to February 4, 2024, by the Internews Earth Journalism Network (EJN).

<https://youroportunitiesafrica.com/2023/10/09/data-journalism-workshop-for-journalists-covering-the-net-zero-transition-in-south-africa/>

16. 18th Wole Soyinka Award for Investigative Reporting in Nigeria

The Wole Soyinka Centre for Investigative Journalism (WSCIJ) will carry on its legacy of honouring outstanding reporting that examines governmental and corporate corruption,

exposes violations of human rights, and draws attention to regulatory abuses in Nigeria this year. The articles must promote human rights, be newsworthy, investigative, and expose or stop illegal activity and corruption in both the public and private spheres.

<https://youroportunitiesafrica.com/2023/10/09/18th-wole-soyinka-award-for-investigative-reporting-in-nigeria/>

17. South Africa has funding available for cultural and creative industries

The National Department of Sport, Arts, and Culture has once again announced the launch of the Mzansi Golden Economy (MGE) open call grant funding applications to the cultural and creative industries as part of its ongoing efforts to maximise the economic impact and development of the arts in South Africa

<https://youroportunitiesafrica.com/2023/10/09/south-africa-has-funding-available-for-cultural-and-creative-industries/>

18. Great Green Wall Initiative's call for concept papers Zambia

The GEF-SGP, which is being implemented in Zambia by the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP), is calling on eligible local communities, Community Based Organisations (CBOs), and Civil Society Organisations (CSOs) to submit creative and pertinent concept papers. These communities must be located in remote, often vulnerable areas and include women, youth, and people with disabilities.

<https://youroportunitiesafrica.com/2023/10/09/great-green-wall-initiatives-call-for-concept-papers-zambia/>

19. call for Project proposals to stop Child Abuse

Applications are being accepted for initiatives that will incite, advance, and provide remedies for ending child sexual abuse, exploitation, and violence.

<https://youroportunitiesafrica.com/2023/10/07/call-for-project-proposals-to-stop-child-abuse/>

20. International Youth Essay Competition (ICU) 2023

Youths from all over the world are being invited by the International Christian University (ICU) and Japan ICU Foundation to express their ideas on how to improve society.

Grants :100,000 Yen

<https://youroportunitiesafrica.com/2023/10/07/international-youth-essay-competition-icu-2023/>

21. NordArt Exhibition 2024 Artists Call

Hans-Julius and Johanna Ahlmann have funded the NordArt Prize, worth 10,000 euros, since 2010. One artist is chosen each year to receive the NordArt Prize. A second invitation to participate in NordArt is extended to the prize winner, who is notified towards the

conclusion of the exhibition. The award presentation takes place the next year at the NordArt opening.

<https://youroportunitiesafrica.com/2023/10/07/nordart-exhibition-2024-artists-call/>

22. Digital storytelling training on climate-resilient agriculture

To help them confidently create compelling digital climate change stories, journalists will be exposed to the fundamentals of climate science as well as the complexities of good storytelling and video story production techniques. With a focus on building resilience and equipping journalists to effectively express the pressing issues of climate change and resilience, this intense week-long course aims to do just that.

<https://youroportunitiesafrica.com/2023/10/07/digital-storytelling-training-on-climate-resilient-agriculture/>

23. IBRO's Accelerator for Neuroscience in Mental Health

Do you want to take part in a special and significant professional chance to start a research partnership with a focus on mental health? You are cordially invited to submit an application for the IBRO-Wellcome Neuroscience Capacity Accelerator for Mental Health, a ground-breaking initiative designed to strengthen the capacity of significant neuroscience research initiatives in Low- and Middle-Income Countries (LMICs).

<https://youroportunitiesafrica.com/2023/10/07/ibros-accelerator-for-neuroscience-in-mental-health/>

24. Call for Proposals for Women's perspectives on anti-corruption

A learning initiative to investigate feminist anti-corruption strategies has been initiated by Global Fund for Women with assistance from the Swedish International Development Cooperation Agency (SIDA).

Grant \$50,000

<https://youroportunitiesafrica.com/2023/10/07/call-for-proposals-for-womens-perspectives-on-anti-corruption/>

25. Funding for Youth Emergency Sport Actions

Grants are available from the European Commission (EC) under the Pilot Projects and Preparation Actions (PPPA) Programme to assist youth sports emergency initiatives.

<https://youroportunitiesafrica.com/2023/10/07/funding-for-youth-emergency-sport-actions/>

26. Grants for Sudanese women's civil society organisations

The main goal of this request for proposals is to award grants to Sudanese women's and young women's civil society organisations working to create an environment that supports WPS commitments, increase women's leadership in conflict resolution, and promote peacebuilding and recovery in humanitarian and conflict-affected settings.

<https://youroportunitiesafrica.com/2023/10/06/grants-for-sudanese-womens-civil-society-organisations/>

27. USAID expanding water and sanitation project in Zambia

This grant activity's goal is to help underserved communities of Zambia by improving the efficiency rate of water delivery infrastructure, increasing access to water, and increasing access to sanitation.

Grant: \$60,000

<https://youroportunitiesafrica.com/2023/10/06/usaids-expanding-water-and-sanitation-project-in-zambia/>

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29. PEPFAR Community Grants Program for Kenyan Organisations *(\$6 000–\$15 000)*

The U.S. Department of State and the American Embassy in Nairobi, Kenya, have launched an open call for applications from Kenyan organisations to carry out HIV-related programmes.

<https://youroportunitiesafrica.com/2023/10/06/pepfar-community-grants-program-for-kenyan-organisations-6-000-15-000/>

30. The future is Fungi award 2023

With The Future is Fungi Award, we hope to recognise and highlight the cutting-edge research that examines how fungi might be used to solve environmental problems. We hope to draw attention to brand-new and emerging fields of fungi research and start-up technologies, bringing them out of the shadows and into the light.

Grant: \$10,000

<https://youroportunitiesafrica.com/2023/10/06/the-future-is-fungi-award-2023/>

**31. Engineering bursaries from ArcelorMittal Group for youths in South Africa
Requirements:**

must be a citizen of South Africa

preparing to enrol full-time in a university in South Africa in 2024

<https://youroportunitiesafrica.com/2023/10/05/engineering-bursaries-from-arcelormittal-group-for-youths-in-south-africa/>

32. Call for Applications for Kenyan Climate Responsive Funds

An application request for the “Climate Responsive Funds” inside the Next Level Grants Facility (NLGF) within the Voices for Just Climate Action (VCA) Programme has been made public by The Shack Dwellers International (SDI Kenya).

<https://youroportunitiesafrica.com/2023/10/05/call-for-applications-for-kenyan-climate-responsive-funds/>

33. Uganda Marketing Excellence Awards 2023

The Uganda Marketing Excellence Awards are returning to honour the outstanding work done by marketers throughout the nation.

<https://youroportunitiesafrica.com/2023/10/05/uganda-marketing-excellence-awards-2023/>

34. Aims african masters of machine intelligence (ammi) program (funded)

Every student accepted into the AMMI programme is given a full scholarship without having to do anything.

All accepted students will be allocated to the campus in Senegal for the school year 2023–2024. Applications that were chosen will receive an admission letter informing them of this choice.

<https://youroportunitiesafrica.com/2023/10/05/aims-african-masters-of-machine-intelligence-ammi-program-funded/>

35. UN-Habitat Youth Advisory Board Applications Now Open

Are you between the ages of 18 and 32? Do you wish to contribute to including urban youth’s views in UN-Habitat’s global programmes and strategy?

<https://youroportunitiesafrica.com/2023/10/05/un-habitat-youth-advisory-board-applications-now-open/>

36. KAC Global Tobacco Harm Reduction Scholarship Programme

The 7th KAC Global Tobacco Harm Reduction Scholarship Programme is now accepting applications.

<https://youroportunitiesafrica.com/2023/10/05/kac-global-tobacco-harm-reduction-scholarship-programme/>

37. OPEN CALL FOR OUTSIDE CAIRO CULTURAL JOURNALISM PROGRAM

The Gothe-Institut Cairo is working on a project outside of Cairo. Through a number of initiatives, Egypt's provinces provide support to artists and cultural workers.

<https://youroportunitiesafrica.com/2023/10/05/open-call-for-outside-cairo-cultural-journalism-program/>

38. L'Oréal Fund for Women

The Fund is dedicated to empowering women and girls, especially through initiatives that assist their social or professional integration and education. Women who are refugees and women who have impairments are given special consideration.

<https://youroportunitiesafrica.com/2023/10/04/loreal-fund-for-women/>

39. Internet Society IGF Youth Ambassadors Program 2024

The Youth Ambassador Programme, which is run by the Internet Society, selects fifteen energetic, young people to take part each year. It aims to prepare the next generation of Internet leaders to work together and innovate for a better world.

<https://youroportunitiesafrica.com/2023/10/03/internet-society-igf-youth-ambassadors-program-2024/>

40. AGRI-Business Innovation Challenge in Nigeria

The AGRI-Business Innovation Challenge aims to explore, develop, and scale inventive solutions to food safety issues and a healthier food supply chain that can meet the needs of an expanding population while simultaneously addressing the pressing issues caused by climate change in Nigeria.

<https://youroportunitiesafrica.com/2023/10/03/agri-business-innovation-challenge-in-nigeria/>

41. Kenya's Wonder Programme for Female Entrepreneurs

The Wonder Programme intends to increase the ability of 150 female business owners through training over the course of three years in order to increase business efficiency and growth.

<https://youroportunitiesafrica.com/2023/10/03/kenyas-wonder-programme-for-female-entrepreneurs/>

42. Direct Aid for Egypt Sudan and Eritrea 2023/2024

There is no minimum funding need for a single DAP project, but the maximum funding amount is \$60,000 over the course of the project (depending on the nation).

The duration of an activity is capped at two years

<https://youroportunitiesafrica.com/2023/10/03/direct-aid-for-egypt-sudan-and-eritrea-2023-2024/>

43. Palladium Challenge Fund for Emerging Organisations

The 2023 Palladium Challenge Fund: Technology for Humanitarian Action is looking for applications from groups with creative responses to humanitarian crises that either scale up already existing breakthroughs or unlock the benefits of technological innovation.

<https://youroportunitiesafrica.com/2023/10/02/palladium-challenge-fund-for-emerging-organisations/>

44. Early career fellowship program (\$6000 stipend)

Each fellow will submit four stories for publication at The Open Notebook during their fellowship, which will be a mixture of reported features and “story behind the story” interviews. They will have weekly phone or video conferences with a mentor who is a seasoned science journalist who will assist them in developing story ideas, offer direction on reporting and writing, edit fellows’ article draughts, and provide general advise and guidance on the craft and career development. Usually, serious editing occurs numerous times for fellows’ articles.

<https://youroportunitiesafrica.com/2023/10/03/early-career-fellowship-program-6000-stipend/>

45. Liz Hughes Award for Her Farm Radio 2024

The Liz Hughes Award for Her Farm Radio honours outstanding radio shows that cater to female audiences. Winning radio shows investigate and promote gender equality, for instance by sharing the thoughts and experiences of women, focusing on issues that are significant to women, or highlighting the contribution of men to gender equality.

<https://youroportunitiesafrica.com/2023/10/03/liz-hughes-award-for-her-farm-radio-2024/>

46. North American Digital Storytellers Lab Fellowship

The Digital Storytellers Lab is a 12-month fellowship that offers digital-first storytellers the chance to create, distribute, and build unique audio and visual content that explores Jewish topics on new media platforms.

<https://youroportunitiesafrica.com/2023/10/03/north-american-digital-storytellers-lab-fellowship/>