

What is BRAINS?

Vision

To contribute to the transformation of Africa to a sustainable innovation-led and knowledge-based economy by promoting professional competency, intra-African mobility, collaboration and employability in the health science space.

Mission

To enhance human capital development in Africa, whilst strengthening intra-African collaboration through mobility.



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MoBility for **R**esearch and **A**frican**I**ntegration
through Health Sciences.



Background

The Intra-Africa Academic Mobility Scheme supports higher education cooperation between countries in Africa and aims to promote sustainable development by increasing the availability of trained and qualified high-level professional manpower in Africa. The primary objective is to improve the skills and competences of students and staff through enhanced mobility between African countries

Expected Impact

»The overall objective is to enhance human capital development in Africa, while strengthening intra-African collaboration for as called for by Agenda 2063.

»The program aims to increase the employability of students, improve the quality of higher education in Africa and its relevance to our development agenda, and to strengthen, modernize and internationalize African higher education institutions.

»The project will be able to train Masters and PhD students between the six African countries.

»We will also support short term staff mobilities for up to six months each within the consortium.



Objectives

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Participating Institutions

Our African partners come from the five World Health Organization regions of Africa. More at https://brains.strathmore.edu/?page_id=68

Cordinating Institution

Strathmore University.

African Partners

Hassan II University of Casablanca Morocco

University of Tunis El Manar Tunisia

University of Ghana Ghana

Université des Sciences de la Santé de Libreville Gabon

Stellenbosch University South Africa

Other Partners

European Union

African Union

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