

CALL FOR APPLICATIONS

AFRICAN CENTRE OF EXCELLENCE ON SUSTAINABLE OPERATIONS FOR RESOURCE MANAGEMENT AND FOOD SUPPLY (SCO)

at Kühne Logistics University (KLU) in cooperation with the University of Nairobi funded by the German Academic Exchange Service and the Federal Foreign Office

organize and officially invite master students to apply to the

STUDENT SUMMER SCHOOL IN SUSTAINABILITY

July 08-12, 2024
Hamburg, Germany

Student Summer School in Sustainability will be hosted by Kühne Logistics University in Hamburg, and targets master's students who are pursuing their academic career with a master's degree in the SuMo or MBR program at the University of Nairobi, Kenya.

The Summer School takes place from July 08-12, 2024, in Hamburg Germany. The main objective for the DAAD Summer School is to equip students with valuable knowledge and tools from different disciplinary angles, while always staying focused on sustainability as the overarching business theme.

THEME OF THE SUMMER SCHOOL

Sustainability

MODULE DATES

- (1) 08.07.2024, 9.00 – 10.30, 11.00 – 12.30, 13.30 – 15.00, 15.30 – 17.00
- (2) 09.07.2024, 9.00 – 10.30, 11.00 – 12.30, 13.30 – 15.00, 15.30 – 17.00
- (3) 10.07.2024, 9.00 – 10.30, 11.00 – 12.30, 13.30 – 15.00, 15.30 – 17.00
- (4) 11.07.2024, 9.00 – 10.30, 11.00 – 12.30, 13.30 – 15.00, 15.30 – 17.00
- (5) 12.07.2024, 9.00 – 15.30, 15.30 – 17.00

ELIGIBILITY

Interested students should meet the following eligibility requirements:

1. Master' students interested in learning about sustainability, and who are currently pursuing their academic career in sustainability by enrolling into a master's degree in Sustainable Management and Operations (SuMO) at the University of Nairobi, Kenya
2. Outstanding academic performance
3. The on-site summer school will be held at Kühne Logistics, Hamburg, Germany. Therefore, the students should be able to travel to Hamburg between July 08-13, 2024. The Summer School is a full day program and interested participants are expected not to have any other engagements during that period.

SELECTION PROCESS

Interested applicants should submit:

1. Submit a letter of interest not more than 600 words indicating their understanding of sustainability and its application to your current studies
2. Copy of academic transcripts (certified by the faculty), including grading-scale for the completed years of study
3. Copy of curriculum vitae
4. Letter of recommendation from any of current lecturer

APPLICATION

Interested candidates should submit the application and related documents in one pdf file to Ms. Mercy Nyambura Mburu: mercyn@uonbi.ac.ke with a copy to the dept mgtsoci@uonbi.ac.ke and agecon@uonbi.ac.ke. Only selected applicants will be contacted.

DEADLINE

- The application documents should be submitted by 22. May 2024
- Candidates will be notified about the outcome of their application before 23. May 2024

FUNDING

The scholarship for the Summer School in Sustainability is sponsored by the German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD) and the Federal Foreign Office.

The scholarship includes:

- Exciting lectures including lively discussions taught by professors and experts
- Interactive project work in small groups including a final presentation
- An international environment - form a global network
- Return ticket and accommodation incl. breakfast
- Travel health insurance and Schengen visa application fee
- Lunch on weekdays
- Public transportation ticket Hamburg
- Certificate of completion

TRAVEL PERIOD

- Arrival in Hamburg: 07. July 2024
- Departure from Hamburg: 13. July 2024

CERTIFICATE

A non-grade certificate of the summer school will be awarded based on class participation. The attendance should more than 90%.