

Integrated Environmental Impact Assessment and Environmental Audit Training at the Wangari Maathai Institute

WANGARI MAATHAI INSTITUTE FOR PEACE AND ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES INTEGRATED ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT AND ENVIRONMENTAL AUDIT TRAINING

The Wangari Maathai Institute for Peace and Environmental Studies (WMI), established in honor of the 2004 Peace Nobel Laurette Prof. Wangari Maathai, is located at College of Agriculture and Veterinary Sciences (CAVS) of the University of Nairobi.



The late Prof. Wangari Maathai - 2004 Peace Nobel Laurette

The overall aim of the Institute is to cultivate better environmental stewardship and management of resources and ultimately a reduction in related conflicts. It promotes good environmental practices and cultivates cultures of peace by shaping values, ethics and attitudes of its graduates through experiential learning.

mentoring and transformational leadership.

The institute offers Postgraduate programmes in Environmental governance and Management and short experiential learning courses. The Institute undertakes various activities including: Global outreach, Social engagement, Experiential learning and Research

Wangari Maathai Institute of Peace and Environmental Studies invites applications for the Environmental Impact Assessment and Environmental Audit Training.

Course objectives: The objective of the course is to improve understanding of EIA principles and its practical applications as well as EA as an environmental performance evaluation tool amongst the course participants. We also aim to enhance Environmental Assessment practice in Kenya.

After the course the participants shall have: increased knowledge, experience and ability to assess environmental impacts of policies, plans, programmes and projects as well as ability to carry out different types environmental audits. Participants' theoretical and practical knowledge about EIA and EA procedures including processes, legislation, methods and tools will be enhanced, including improved skills for EIA and EA report writing.

Contents: Framework and concepts of integrated EIA/ EA; EIA/EA tools and methods; EIA/EA Management.

Target group: Candidates should hold at least a first degree or equivalent from a recognized Institution. The course is primarily intended for: Trainers of trainers; Decision-makers and specialists at environmental authorities, Lead Agencies, County governments, people in industry and organizations using EIA to identify and monitor environmental impacts of policies, plans, programmes and projects, and EA as an environmental performance evaluation tool.

Venue: Wangari Maathai Institute for Peace and Environmental Studies, College of Agriculture and Veterinary Sciences, Upper Kabete, University of Nairobi

Mode of Teaching: Interactive lectures, case studies, practicals, assignments and site visits.

Cost per participant: KSh 75,000 (VAT exclusive)

Application Fee: Ksh 1,500 (nonrefundable)

Application Deadline: 17th July 2015

Mode of Study: Full time (8am – 5PM)

Commencement Date: 3rd – 21st August 2015

Application Procedure: Application Forms can be downloaded from Wangari Maathai Institute website: www.wmi@uonbi.ac.ke or obtained from Director, WMI Kapenguria Road upon presentation of a deposit slip of Ksh. 1,500 (nonrefundable application fee).

The application fees should be paid by Direct Deposit into the UoN CAVS Pilot Plant, KCB SARIT, AC/No. 016200542060. CASH WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

Completed application forms with copies of certified relevant certificates and receipt of application fees attached should be returned on or before 17th July 2015 to: Director, WMI, Upper Kabete, off Kapenguria Road, P. O. Box 29053-00625 Nairobi.

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