

APPLY FOR

The Emerging African Scholars PhD Workshop

The Association for Research on Civil Society in Africa (AROCSA), in collaboration with The Association for Research on Nonprofit Organizations and Voluntary Action (ARNOVA), The Council for the Development of Social Science Research in Africa (CODESRIA) and The Université Cheikh Anta Diop (UCAD), is pleased to announce the call for applications for the Emerging African Scholars PhD Workshop, with support from the Ford Foundation.

The PhD Workshop is a full-day professional development and intellectually engaging workshop. The seminar seeks to provide guidance for emerging scholars on the path to a successful career, help sharpen their research skills and address the challenges that African PhD students face. The GOAL is to provide scholarly research support, professional advice and mentoring for doctoral students in the field of nonprofit management, philanthropy, civil society, social entrepreneurship, and voluntary action studies.

Eligibility

The program is open to doctoral students from Africa whose research focus is on nonprofit management, philanthropy, civil society, social entrepreneurship, and voluntary action studies in Africa. Students at the various under-listed stages in their doctoral

program are encouraged to apply:

- Students who have defended a dissertation proposal
- Students who have not yet defended a dissertation proposal
- Students whose dissertation plans are not yet fully formed

Requirements

Applicants are required to apply for the PhD Workshop through the electronic application on the AROCSA website. Applications must include the following;

1. 5-page description of dissertation research or proposed research outline (double space, 12pt font with one-inch margins)
2. Brief Statement of Purpose, outlining how the student expects to benefit from participation in the Virtual PhD Workshop
3. Recommendation from student dissertation advisor/faculty advisor

*Please compile your 5-page description, your Statement of Purpose, and recommendation letter in one PDF document before submitting

Selection Criteria

Slots in the workshop are limited. The selection of candidates will be based on the following criteria:

1. Potential quality and impact of the proposed research.
2. Centrality of the work to philanthropy, nonprofit management, civil society, social entrepreneurship, and voluntary action studies in Africa.
3. Potential for the student to gain from the workshop

Important dates to look out for:

Call for application
26th of May, 2022

Application Deadline
15th of July, 2022

Awardee Notification
29th of July, 2022

PhD Workshop
7th of Sept, 2022

NB: This workshop is FREE of charge. Please ensure that you are available to attend the workshop physically on SEPTEMBER 7, 2022 in Dakar, Senegal.

* Selected candidates MUST: Participate in the PhD Workshop, from 08h00 GMT - 15h00 GMT



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