



ABOUT THE AI4D SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

- A comprehensive scholarship program partnership between **African Centre for Technology Studies (ACTS)** & **Artificial Intelligence for Development Africa (AI4D)**.
- Funded by International Development Research Center (**IDRC**) & Swedish International Development Cooperation Agency (**SIDA**).
- **Goal**~support the next generation of PhD students and early career academics by fostering the talent needed to meet a growing demand for research and development in responsible AI.

5 SCHOLARSHIP CATEGORIES.

- **Registered PhD Students.**
- **Disadvantaged Female Students and Students from Low Income Countries.**
- **Early Career Academics.**
- **Post-Doctoral Fellows.**
- **Senior Scholars.**



Eligibility Criteria

Each scholarship category has specific requirements to be met for ones application to be deemed eligible.

Visit:
<https://www.acts-net.org/ai4d-scholarships>
to check your eligibility and start your journey as an AI4D Scholar.

How to Apply

1. Visit:
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2. Complete the expression of interest form.
3. Complete the application form.
4. Attach all necessary documents.
5. Submit your application by 25 April 2021.



SCHOLARSHIP BENEFITS

Scholarships from **\$27,000 up to \$ 68,000** will be provided to successful applicants to support their research projects.



Research activities of up to **\$25,000**



Tuition fees of up to **\$6,000**



5 short courses will be delivered to beneficiaries.

- **Intellectual Property and Artificial Intelligence** by Kwame Nkrumah of Science and Technology
- **Gender & Artificial Intelligence** by Human Sciences Research Council of South Africa.
- **AI Research for Policy Influence** by ACTS, Kenya.
- **Artificial Intelligence and Ethics** by University of California.
- **Understanding responsible AI development and deployment** by University of Linkoping.



Travelling support of up to **\$6,000**



Mentorships, Workshops, Seminars, Conferences & Training sessions for Supervisors.



Living allowance of up to **\$15,000**



Research Infrastructure of up to **\$30,000**

PARTNER INSTITUTIONS



Eduardo Mondlane University



Université Cheikh Anta Diop de Dakar (UCAD)



Institute for Humanities in Africa



Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology (KNUST)

University of California



Human Sciences Research Council



University of Linkoping



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For more information on the Call for Applications, please visit <https://www.acts-net.org/ai4d-scholarships>

