

## **RCMRD/GMES and Africa Scholarship Grants**

The RCMRD/GMES and Africa project seeks to build scholarly capacity in the use of Earth observation (EO) in addressing the various societal challenges in the broad Eastern African Region. To this effect, ten scholarships worth \$2,400 each have been made available to Masters students and Phd Candidates registered in Universities in Comoros, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Djibouti, Kenya, Madagascar, Mauritius, Rwanda, Seychelles, Somalia, Sudan, South Sudan, Tanzania and Uganda. To be eligible for the scholarship, interested students should be;

- Using EO as a major component of their research. Students using European Space Agency Satellites mainly sentinel will be at an added advantage
- Registered Masters students in their second year and at the research stage of their Master's program and Phd candidates in their final year

The scholarship is meant to facilitate students successfully complete their dissertations in an application harnessing the potential of Earth Observation. The scholarship is valid for 12 months (Not exceeding December 2023) and will cover research costs of eligible students. Interested graduate students meeting the criteria should avail the following through electronic mail:

- Motivation letter demonstrating proof of need and how the scholarship will support your studies (Not more than 500 words)
- Proof of registration
- CV
- Research proposal
- Letter from the Department Head
- Letter from the supervisor confirming progress
- Testimonial for First year of graduate school
- Budget

Kindly email the requested information to [rcmrd.gmes@mak.ac.ug](mailto:rcmrd.gmes@mak.ac.ug) not later than Monday 30<sup>th</sup> January 2023 at 5pm East African Standard Time. Short listed candidates will be contacted and if necessary interviewed. For any inquiries, please address them to the Coordinator at [rcmrd.gmes@mak.ac.ug](mailto:rcmrd.gmes@mak.ac.ug)

