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### **CALL FOR RESEARCH GROUPS TO REPRESENT THE UNIVERSITY ON THE AFRICAN RESEARCH UNIVERSITIES ALLIANCE (ARUA)**

This is to inform the University community that submissions are hereby requested from multi- and inter-disciplinary research groups who will be competitively selected to represent the University of Ibadan in each of the 13 key research areas on the ARUA Platform.

The University of Ibadan is one of the only three Universities in Nigeria who are members of the African Research Universities Alliance (ARUA). ARUA is a unique network of 16 top African universities, which was created in 2015 to grow the continent's contribution to global research and raise the profile of its research globally. ARUA identified the following 13 key research areas for future inter-University collaboration:

1. Mobility and Migration
2. Unemployment and Skills Development
3. Urbanization and Habitable Cities
4. Notions of Identity
5. Good Governance
6. Poverty and Inequality
7. Post-Conflict Societies
8. Food Security
9. Non-Communicable Diseases
10. Energy
11. Climate Change
12. Materials Development and Nanotechnology
13. Water Conservation

Each research team should submit the following en bloc:

1. A document containing a list of the group members, with their qualifications, research focus/areas of specialization and affiliations (the Team Leader should be clearly indicated)
2. A document containing previous grants/awards obtained and projects executed by the group, if any.

3. A one-page abridged profile of each member including career progression, publications, supervision, grants, awards, honours, distinctions, membership of learned societies, fellowship of academies etc.

Hard Copies should be submitted to the Research Management Office, while soft copies of submissions should be sent to the following Email:[ronodunola@yahoo.com](mailto:ronodunola@yahoo.com), [dvcrisp@mail.ui.edu.ng](mailto:dvcrisp@mail.ui.edu.ng). Submissions should be made by Monday, 22<sup>nd</sup> May, 2017.

Thank you.

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