

Call for RLC Workshop Scholarships - Forum for Agricultural Research in Africa (FARA)

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Eligibility

- PhD students from East Africa that are currently completing their PhD at an East African university.
- Their PhD research work should be related to smallholder farming in East Africa, for example to questions of productivity and resilience, agricultural interventions and rural development strategies, market changes, governance, land tenure or soil fertility.
- Preferably in the middle/ end of their studies.
- Fluent English is mandatory.
- Women applications are particularly welcome.

The scholarships will cover all costs for international and national travel, hotel accommodation, catering, and working materials. More information for the scholarships can be accessed on https://www.fundsbeeline.com/funding/view_opportunity/OPP022056. The deadline for application is March 6, 2022.