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**Africa Centre of Excellence in Agricultural  
Development and Sustainable Environment**



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## **ADVERTISEMENT FOR ADMISSION INTO SPECIALISED POSTGRADUATE PROGRAMMES FOR THE 2022/2023 ACADEMIC SESSION**

The Federal University of Agriculture, Abeokuta is pleased to announce that admissions into postgraduate training programmes at the Centre of Excellence in Agricultural Development and Sustainable Environment, are now open. Applications are invited from candidates of all nationalities.

The Centre of Excellence in Agricultural Development and Sustainable Environment (CEADESE) runs specialised postgraduate courses leading to award of Master (M.Sc/M.AgSE) and Doctorate (PhD/PhD.AgSE) degrees in Agricultural Development and Sustainable Environment. The courses are designed to integrate academic and entrepreneurial skills with demand-driven research as follows:

- 1. AGRICULTURAL ECONOMICS AND ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY PROGRAMME**
  - M.Sc. (Agricultural Economics and Environmental Policy)
  - PhD (Options: Production Economics, Resource and Environmental Economics, Agricultural Policy and Development, Agricultural Finance and Marketing)
- 2. AGRICULTURAL MECHANIZATION AND SUSTAINABLE ENVIRONMENT PROGRAMME**
  - M.AgSE. (Agricultural Mechanization and Sustainable Environment)
  - PhD.AgSE (Option: Agricultural Mechanization and Sustainable Environment)
- 3. CROP / PASTURE PRODUCTION AND SUSTAINABLE ENVIRONMENT PROGRAMME**
  - M.AgSE (Crop/Pasture Production and Sustainable Environment )
  - PhD.AgSE (Options: Crop Production, Plant Breeding, Seed Technology, Crop Pathology, Crop Protection, Crop Entomology, Pasture Agronomy and Pasture Production).
- 4. ENVIRONMENTAL SYSTEMS AND CLIMATE CHANGE PROGRAMME**
  - M.Sc. (Environmental Systems and Climate Change)
  - PhD (Options: Hydrology and Climate Change, Environmental Geophysics, Remote Sensing and Climate Change, Environmental Safety).
- 5. FOOD PROCESSING AND VALUE ADDITION PROGRAMME**
  - M.Sc. (Food Processing and Value Addition)
  - PhD (Option: Food Processing and Value Addition).
- 6. LIVESTOCK SCIENCE AND SUSTAINABLE ENVIRONMENT PROGRAMME**
  - M.AgSE (Livestock Science and Sustainable Environment)
  - PhD.AgSE (Options: Animal Nutrition, Animal Breeding and Biotechnology, Animal Physiology, Livestock Production System)

Admissions into CEADESE programmes are based on regional and gender balance. Non-nationals of Nigeria and Women are therefore encouraged to apply.

### **ELIGIBILITY**

1. Candidates of all nationalities within and outside Africa possessing qualifications equivalent to recognized first degrees in relevant disciplines are eligible to apply.
2. The M.Sc/M. AgSE and PhD/PhD.AgSE programmes will generally be open to all Agriculture, Environment, Science, Engineering and Technology graduates of B.Sc, B.Eng, B. Agric, B.Sc Agric, B. Tech Agric., B. Eng Agric, and M.Sc/M.AgSE respectively with a minimum of Second Class Lower.
3. Basic University matriculation requirements of five (5) O' level credits including English Language, Mathematics, Chemistry and any other two (2) Science Subjects. However, for Agricultural Economics and Environmental Policy


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programme minimum requirements shall be English, Mathematics, Biology/Agriculture and two Science or Social Science subjects must have been met.

- Admission into M.Sc/M.AgSE for:**  
**Agricultural Economics and Environmental Policy** is open to Bachelor Degree holders in Agric.Economics or Economics or other related disciplines; **Livestock Science and Sustainable Environment** is open to Bachelor Degree holders in Animal Science and related courses; **Agricultural Mechanization and Sustainable Environment** is open to Bachelor Degree holders in Agricultural Engineering, Mechanical Engineering and related disciplines; **Crop/Pasture Production and Sustainable Environment** is open to a first degree with a minimum of second class lower in Agriculture and related discipline; **Food Processing and Value Addition** is open to Bachelor Degree holders in Food Science related disciplines; **Environmental Systems and Climate Change** is open to Bachelor Degree holders in Civil Engineering, Water Resources and Environmental Engineering, Basic and Applied Sciences, Environmental Sciences and related disciplines.
- The **PhD/PhD AgSE programmes** will be open to Master degree holders in courses that are relevant to the different options in the programme.

### DURATION

#### M.Sc/M.AgSE

- Course work along with dissertation for a maximum of 4 Semesters.
- 2-3 months of Internship in collaborating industries, parastatals and institutions.

#### PhD/PhD.AgSE

- PhD AgSE programme will be course and research-based, spanning maximum of 6 semesters.
- 2-3 months of Internship in collaborating industries, parastatals and institutions.
- Application for PhD AgSE is open all year round.

### METHOD OF APPLICATION

- All applicants from Nigeria should generate an invoice at the Post Graduate application portal of CEADSE-FUNAAB at <https://portal.ceadese.funaab.edu.ng> or <https://portal.ceadese.funaab.edu.ng/new-registration>. The application payment of N15,000.00 should be paid at any branch of Zenith Bank or make transfer via Bank App on the account no. on your generated invoice. exclusive of bank charges and thereafter upload your teller or evidence of payment receipt at [portal.ceadese.funaab.edu.ng/upload-receipt](https://portal.ceadese.funaab.edu.ng/upload-receipt) and wait patiently for confirmation of payment in your email with your portal login details. **Login at [portal.ceadese.funaab.edu.ng/login](https://portal.ceadese.funaab.edu.ng/login)** complete your Application. (**Account No:** 1013698635 **Account Name:** CEADSE IGR ACCOUNT).
- Foreign applicants should pay US\$100 into the Centre's domiciliary account (Standard Chartered Bank's Account No: **3000118004**, Swift Code: **SCBLUS33**, Acct Name: **CBN FUNAAB TETFUND**). It is important to upload the telex copies to access the online application form as in No.1
- All applicants must request their respective institutions (University) to forward their hardcopy transcripts directly to **The Director**,  
CEADSE, Federal University of Agriculture, Abeokuta,  
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### DEADLINE

Applications close by **Sunday, 31st March, 2024**. For further information, please send your enquiries to the following contacts; **E-mail:** [ceadese@funaab.edu.ng](mailto:ceadese@funaab.edu.ng), **Website:** [ceadese.unaab.edu.ng](http://ceadese.unaab.edu.ng), **Facebook:** [ceadese](https://www.facebook.com/ceadese), **SpaceX:** [ceadese](https://www.facebook.com/ceadese), **GSM Nos.:** +2348066333341, +2348038155329, +234 8038225891

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