



AFRICA SUSTAINABLE INFRASTRUCTURE MOBILITY

CALL FOR CREDIT SEEKING ASIM SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS

About the ASIM Call

Africa Sustainability Infrastructure Mobility (ASIM) is the consortium of four (4) Universities (Ardhi University, Covenant University, University of Johannesburg, University of Malawi – MUBAS) and an EU Technical partner (Leeds Beckett University) under the European Union Commission Grant on Intra-Africa Academic Mobility Scheme Call Reference No. EACEA/07/2020. Opportunities exist in the third round for suitable qualified, and highly motivated applicants from Africa to apply to study at any of the following institutions: **UNIVERSITY OF JOHANNESBURG** (South Africa), **MUBAS** (Malawi), **ARDHI UNIVERSITY** (Tanzania) and **COVENANT UNIVERSITY** (Nigeria).

Credit seeking is a short-term mobility leading to the recognition by the home university of the study period spent at the host university: i.e. the educational components taken abroad by the student are recognised upon return as integrated part of the degree programme at the home institution (either the credits awarded by the host institution are recognised and transcribed by the home institution or the home institution recognises the learning outcomes achieved by the student as compatible for the award of the home degree).

The ASIM Project Supervisory Board (PSB) now invites applications from eligible academics for the **Africa Sustainable Infrastructure Mobility (ASIM) Credit Mobility**. The ASIM credit seeking mobility programme focuses on capacity development and short-term mobility flows of 6 months. The call is based on the urgent need to increase the talent pool of expertise in infrastructure and to develop the capacity of African Higher Education Institution (HEI) to deliver sustainable infrastructure education. The Intra-Africa Academic Mobility Scheme supports higher education cooperation between countries in Africa and aims to promote sustainable development by increasing the availability of trained and qualified high-level professional manpower in Africa.

The Intra-Africa Academic Mobility Scheme is set up under the Pan-African Programme (Development Cooperation Instrument) with the primary objective of improving the skills and competencies of students and staff through enhanced mobility between African countries.

Minimum Requirement for Application

Admission and selection Criteria:

- Should be registered in an African University
- Should be in the stage of doing research
- Research area must be in Sustainable Infrastructure
- Should not be beneficiary of any other funding
- 1st selection will be done on the 1st of April 2025.

Scholarship will cover the following;

- One round trip air ticket and visa costs
- Monthly subsistence allowances [Masters 600€ and Phd 900€ monthly allowance]
- Health Insurance

Please note the following:

- Students cannot apply for ASIM credit seeking to study in their country of origin.
- The credit mobility is only for six months

Prospective applicants should visit the link <https://form.jotform.com/222061044334038> for the application guide and details of the scholarship. **Deadline for Application** is 31st of March 2025 at 23:59 South African Standard Time (SAST)