

Research Collaboration Marketplace

Applicants from Ghana and Tanzania searching for a Danish Partner, Call for Phase 1 applications 2017, research collaboration projects in Danida priority countries

Research Theme of Application	
Relevant research theme according to the country of applicant as defined in the Call: (http://dfcentre.com/research/calls-for-applications/)	Growth and technological innovation
Applicant Information and Contact Details	
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Project Proposal Information	
Proposed title for the project to be applied for	Greening the economy through municipal solid waste (MSW) management in Tanzania: turning a Municipal Solid Waste (MSW) problem into a green resource
Brief project description/project idea (10-15 lines)	Studies show that as the world continues to urbanise and develop economically, global MSW production is also steadily growing, with stronger trends in developing countries; Tanzania not being an exception. The exponential growth of solid waste is a wake-up call for this scientific enquiry. The study argues that MSW management is not only a challenge to local governments but also an opportunity for business showcasing with a scientific approach. In the scoping phase, the study seeks to regress solid waste management (SWM) activities and actions impact on the green economy to confirm the linkage but also creating innovative knowledge base to address urbanisation & economic development challenges using the experience of Tanzania. This will contribute to the 'greening of the economy agenda' while offering opportunities for private sector participation, revenue-making businesses and enhancing the domestic tax base.
Brief description of the research competencies available on your team	Dr. John Isaac Mwita; - Team Leader - holds a PhD in development administration specialist from University of Birmingham, UK; has massive expertise in project management, public sector

	<p>perfomance management, environmental management accounting (MAS), full cost accounting (FCA)</p> <p>Ms. Caroline Fumbuka; Team member - an environmental geographer. She holds an MA in Environmental Management in Geography and a PhD candidate at the University of Dar es Salaam specialising in sand mining impact on ecosystem change;</p> <p>Ms. Kokuteta Baregu Mutembei; Team member - Experience in the field of international and human rights law, strong work experience in the fields of environmental conservation law, gender, child protection and welfare, human rights, governance, OVC/MVC vulnerability issues, HIV/AIDS, social protection</p>
Describe in max 10 keywords the research competencies you are searching for in a Danish partner	Municipal social scientist; solid waste management experience; renewable energy scientist