



**INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTE OF TROPICAL AGRICULTURE (IITA)
INTERNAL & EXTERNAL ADVERTISEMENT**

Ref: IITA-HR-NRS2022-011	Position: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Research Supervisor
Location: Ibadan	Recruitment Type: National (2, 3-year renewable contract)
Date Posted: 20 July 2022	Closing Date: 3 August 2022

The International Institute of Tropical Agriculture seeks suitable applicants for the positions below at the Institute's Headquarters in Ibadan:

Position: Research Supervisor

Contract: 2-year renewable contract

Location: Ibadan

DUTIES:

- Carry out sorting of true cassava botanical seeds and make ready them ready for sowing.
- Carry out the establishment of a crossing block in preparation for a new breeding season, maintenance of crossing blocks and Pre-nursery beds.
- Collect agronomic data with the use of field book and manage harvest and disposal of transgenic field trials.
- Handle transplanting of tissue culture transgenic plants.
- Maintain and harden tissue culture and SAH transgenic plants.
- Manage facility equipment, functionality and keep record of survival rates.
- Establish field trial design with the use of cassbase.org.
- Manage data management, upload to cassbase.org and keep field book files for data collection.
- Perform any other job-related task as may be assigned by the Supervisor.

QUALIFICATION:

BSc/HND in Agriculture, Crop Science, or related field with a minimum of two (3) years' experience performing similar role in a well-structured environment.

COMPETENCIES:

The ideal candidate must:

- Have basic knowledge of seed and agronomic data collection with the use of field book.
- Have good communication skill (writing, reading, and speaking).
- Be able to perform multiple tasks and work under pressure.

- Be able to follow instructions and work independently when necessary

REMUNERATION:

We offer highly competitive salary with equally attractive benefits and excellent working conditions in a pleasant campus environment.

METHOD OF APPLICATION:

Interested applicants should complete the online application attaching detailed cover letter and curriculum vitae saved with their names in Microsoft word format to IITA website: <http://jobs.iita.org/erecruit> no later than Two Weeks from the date of this publication. The application must include the names and e-mail addresses of three professional referees which must include the applicant's current or previous direct Supervisor, professional colleague, and evidence of current remuneration package.

IITA is an equal opportunity employer and is committed to building a diverse workforce, particularly welcoming applications from women. While all applications will be acknowledged, please note that only shortlisted candidates will be contacted