WEST AFRICAN INSTITUTE FOR FINANCIAL AND ECONOMIC MANAGEMENT (WAIFEM)



VISITING SCHOLAR PROGRAMME

INTRODUCTION

In line with its efforts to enhance the activities of the Research Department and enhance policy outcomes, the West African Institute for Financial and Economic Management (WAIFEM) commenced a visiting scholar programme for researchers and policymakers in 2015.

OBJECTIVE

The objective of the programme is to facilitate the harmonization of the theoretical knowledge of the academia and its practical application. It will also facilitate research works on contemporary policy issues relevant to economic development and integration in the sub-region in particular and sub-Sahara Africa in general.

ELIGIBILITY/REQUIREMENTS

Admission to the programme will depend on the following:

- 1. Candidates must be policy makers engaged in empirical research works.
- 2. The Visiting Scholar Programme will be residential and should be concluded in not more 6 months for the completion of the research work.
- 3. Candidates will be required to present at least one seminar paper on their research work.

- 4. Visiting scholars and/or senior policymakers would produce research paper(s) that is publishable in a reputable journal.
- 5. Candidates will also be required to facilitate on courses of relevance to their field of study at relevant WAIFEM training programmes.
- 6. Candidates must be of ECOWAS citizenship.
- 7. Candidates will be subjected to an entry interview.
- 8. Candidates must abide by the rules and regulations as well as the code of conduct of the Institute.
- 9. Preference will be given to candidates engaged in fields of study that have bearing on the ECOWAS regional integration roadmap.
- 10. The deadline for application is **August 15, 2018**.

APPLICATION AND ENQUIRIES

The successful candidate for the Visiting Scholar Programme would be paid a token honorarium. Interested applicants who meet the eligibility criteria should apply to:

The Director General West African Institute for Financial and Economic Management (WAIFEM) Central Bank of Nigeria Learning Centre P. M. B. 2001, Satellite Town Lagos, Nigeria.

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