

# ***Africa Graduate Mentorship and Coaching Programme (AGMCP) 2023***

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## **Memorabilia**



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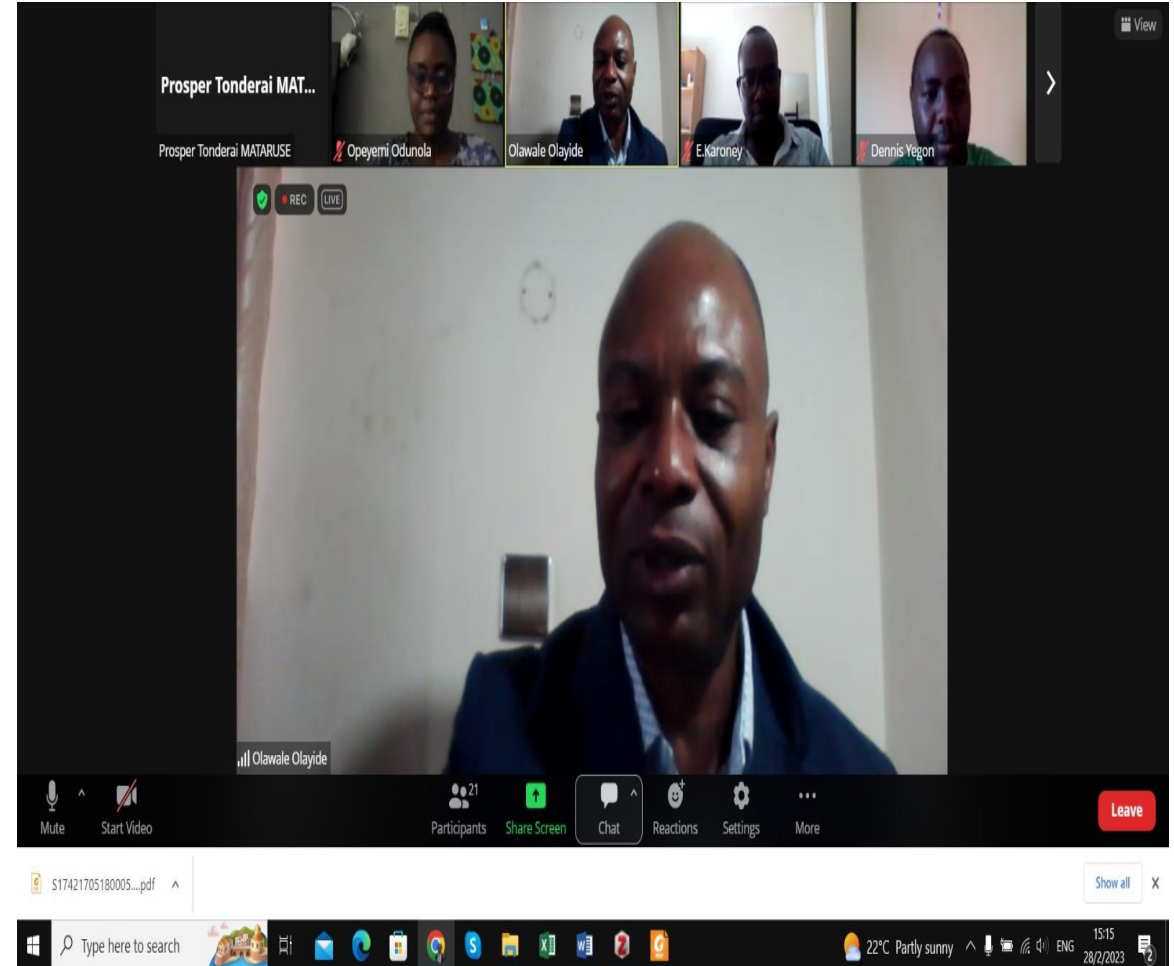
# 1. Introduction

- ❖ The Africa Graduate Mentorship and Coaching Programme (AGMCP) is a ***mentor-mentee relationship facilitated*** by the Interconnections for Making Africa Great Empowered and Sustainable (IMAGES) Initiative.
- ❖ It is designed for ***mentoring and coaching graduate-level students*** (Masters and PhD) between 20 and 30 years of age in Africa in the areas of research and professional development, work-life balance and career advancement.
- ❖ This presentation summarizes my experiences and achievements during the AGMCP Programme in 2023

## 2. Experiences, activities and outputs of the fellowship

### Monthly Modules participation for Mentorship and Coaching Programme 2023

Key outputs: capacities increased in terms of scientific research, paper review, article research, communications, networking and grant writing



## 2. Experiences, activities and outputs of the fellowship

**Participation in 1st Eastern Africa Agroecology Conference, 2023;  
Theme was sustainable  
transformation of agriculture**

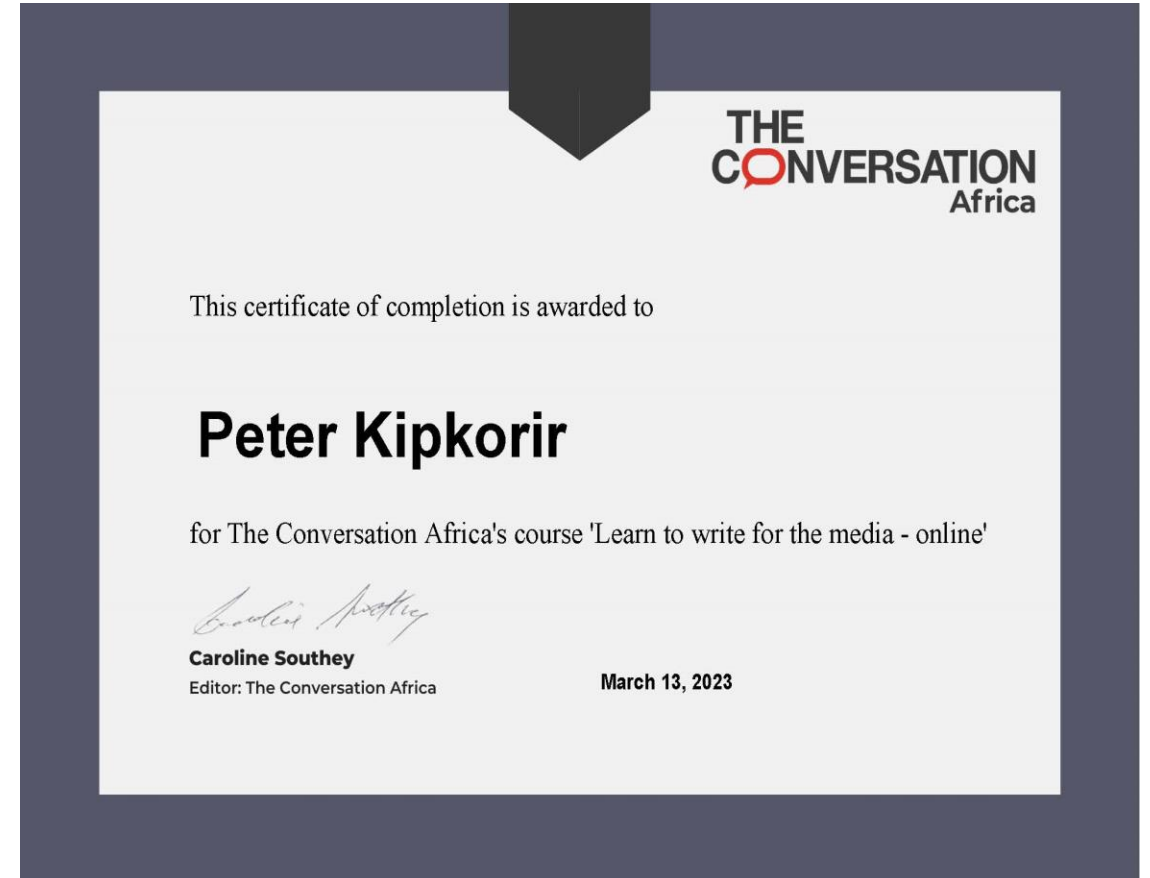
**Key outputs: Rapporteur, Networking and acquisition of new  
knowledge on sustainable  
environmental solutions**



## 2. Experiences, activities and outputs of the fellowship (3/5)

**Participation to the online course on “Learn to write for the media” offered by The Conversation Africa**

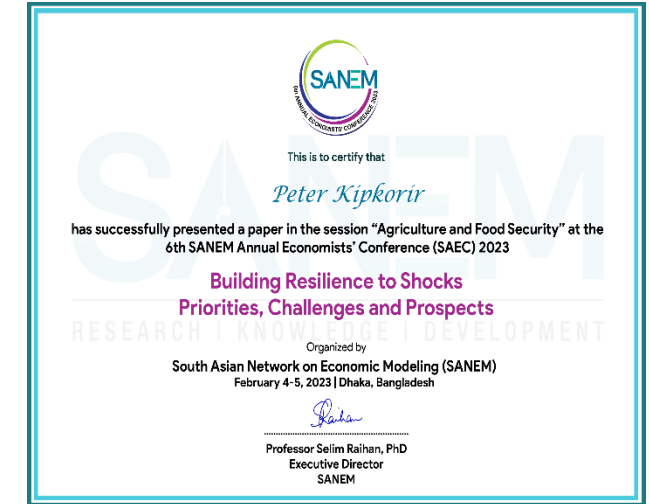
**Key outputs: Key considerations on how to articulate and communicate scientific research findings for non- scientific audience**



## 2. Experiences, activities and outputs of the fellowship (4/5)

Participation in conferences, trainings and webinars, (Find attached certificates of attendance)

Key outputs: Networking, collaborations, peer to peer exchange of ideas and knowledge, presentation of research to a large scientific audience



## 2. Experiences, activities and outputs of the fellowship (5/5)

**Participation in an online training on resilience index measurement and analysis tool**

**Key outputs: developing resilience measurement index for food security using four pillars**





### 3. *Most significant contributions of the fellowship to my professional career (1/1)*

- ❑ Capacities building in terms of **scientific writing**;
- ❑ **Networking among my peers and mentors**;
- ❑ **Improvement of my competence and ability** to apply for many opportunities (grants, participation in conferences, article writing, youth symposium);
- ❑ **Better understanding of work-life balance, healthy living and lifestyles**;
- ❑ Improvement of my **personal branding and skill marketing** on social media especially LinkedIn and also in research gate ORCID, Frontiers

## 4. Suggestions for the AGMCP Management Team

- Management team may consider modules **on policy research**
- **Organize placement of mentees** in academic, research and government institutions for hands-on experiences
- **Source funding to facilitate face-to-face meeting** between mentors and mentees

## 5. Acknowledgements

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