

## **CALL FOR TECHNICAL TRAINERS**

The Kenya Accreditation Service (KENAS) is a State Corporation established under the Kenya Accreditation Service Act 2019. KENAS is mandated to accredit and exercise oversight over conformity assessment providers and maintain an internationally recognized accreditation system. Further, the Act in section 6(g) obligates KENAS to provide training, and other related services and promote research on accreditation and conformity assessment matters. In performing the training function, the Service engages trainers with a wide range of expertise and technical competences within its existing accreditation schemes and scopes.

KEANS wishes to strengthen and widen its database of trainers hence this is a call for interested persons across the country to join our pool of trainers. The applicants are required to have technical expertise in any of the following accreditation schemes.

- ✓ Testing ISO/IEC 17025
- ✓ Calibration ISO/IEC 17025
- ✓ Medical Testing ISO 15189
- √ Veterinary Testing ISO/IEC 17025 and OIE requirements
- ✓ Proficiency Testing ISO/IEC 17043
- ✓ Management System Certification ISO/IEC 17021-1
- ✓ Product Certification ISO/IEC 17065
- ✓ Certification of Persons ISO/IEC 17024

- ✓ Inspection ISO/IEC 17020
- Method Validation and uncertainty of measurements in the following technical fields; Chemistry, Microbiology, Engineering, Calibration, Medical laboratory
- ✓ Biotechnology-Biobanking ISO 20387
- √ Validation and Verification ISO/IEC 17029

The potential trainers shall be expected to meet the following minimum requirements:

1. Bachelor's Degree in relevant technical field with at least 5 years of experience implementing the relevant conformity assessment standard.

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- 2. Diploma in relevant technical field with at least 7 years of experience implementing the relevant conformity assessment standard.
- 3. Holders of Master's Degree will have an added advantage
- 4. Proficiency in English and Swahili languages.
- 5. Basic computer skills.
- 6. A Trainer of Trainer Course lasting not less than 1 week will be an added advantage.
- 7. Demonstrated oral and written communication skills;
- 8. Demonstrated previous experience as a trainer, industrial training specialist or related position.
- 9. Ability to take assignments within short notice

Eligible candidates are encouraged to apply attaching a detailed curriculum vitae (CV), copies of relevant academic and professional certificates, copy of national identity card or passport. Applications shall be submitted to: <a href="mailto:trainers@kenas.go.ke">trainers@kenas.go.ke</a> on or before 31st July 2024. Canvassing or giving of false information will lead to automatic disqualification.

Note: Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted.