

Africa Agricultural Research  
for Development (AR4D)

# DIRECTORY OF EXPERTS / PRACTITIONERS



During the rollout of the S3A in 2017, members from more than 40 African countries unanimously tasked FARA, AFAAS and SROs (ASARECA, CCARDESA, CORAF & NAASRO) to develop an online directory of AR4D Experts/practitioners for the continent to support the human capital formation, collaboration, peer learning and knowledge retention. This professionally managed portal provides opportunities for African countries to source expertise from each other whenever needed. FARA & partners have implemented this excellent initiative through the CAADO-XP4 project supported by the EC & IFAD and ready to roll out under the [FARADatainformS](#) agenda.

The portal, as an added value to the existing FARA Dgroups collaborative platform (with a host to over 35,000 members), is made up of only verified members by their respective country-level institutions (NARES) and professionally affiliated institutions. It collects detailed information from experts for consultancy opportunities as well.

The portal is NOW opened for registration by all relevant African experts/practitioners resident in Africa and other parts. It is also opened to European AR4D experts interested in Africa.

## Basic Requirement for Membership

- i. African experts/practitioners everywhere.
- ii. Proven publications / Contribution to knowledge (One must have some publications and/or contribute to knowledge)
- iii. Years of work experience (one must have some level of experience to qualify under membership categories.)
- iv. Membership of Professional bodies (one must be affiliated to a professional body, NARES, University or verifiable association such as PAFO, CGIAR, etc)
- v. Peer references
- vi. European Experts are also illegible to apply for special membership.



# Categories of Membership.



- A.** Student expert
- B.** Entry Level 1-5 years
- C.** Mid- Level 6-10 years of experience
- D.** Senior Level-10 & above

# Benefits of Becoming a Member



- a. Free registration for all qualified members
- b. Free access to details of other experts from Africa and beyond.
- c. Possibility of being recognised for consultancies opportunities and paid workshops/ training.
- d. Access to premium funding opportunities with opportunities to collaborate for joint submission
- e. Makes you a member of AR4D experts in the continent recognised by AU, FARA, AFAAS, ASARECA, CCARDESA, CORAF, NAASRO and the National Agricultural Research and Extension Institutions.
- f. Certificate of membership with a unique number
- g. Only registered experts will have access to publish their knowledge products in FARA library/journal

# How to Register



1. Visit [www.faradatainforms.farafrica.org](http://www.faradatainforms.farafrica.org)
2. Select "Experts" from the main menu
3. Apply for site account. A verification email and password reset will be sent to your email. Complete the process
4. Return and fill the form for membership and submit

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