

The call for applications for Certification Short Courses supported by the AFRETEC Project

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Through this program, AFRETEC leadership at the University of Rwanda is organizing a series of training for future-ready skills in emerging technology fields. So, we wish to invite all interested university finalists, graduates, lecturers, and other industry professionals to apply for the following fully sponsored short courses to be delivered at the University of Rwanda College of Science and Technology:

- AI and Data Analytics taking place from 15th December 2025 to 16th January 2025
- Cyber security taking place from 15th December 2025 to 16th January 2025
- Web development short course using current frameworks such as Django, Angular, Laravel, React, taking place from 19th January 2025 to 13th February 2025

Course Duration

Each of these courses will take place for four weeks, four hours per day.

Applicant Eligibility

The courses are designed for all interested graduates, lecturers, and final-year undergraduate students in Information Technology/Engineering/Business Information Technology/Statistics, and other related fields. Applicants can be from academia, public sector, private sector and freelancers are eligible as well.

Application documents

The applicants should submit their CVs and academic documents through the application link

Mode of Attendance and Venue

Courses will be delivered face to face/ in person, evening time at the University of Rwanda, Kigali

Award

Candidates who will successfully complete each of these courses will be awarded a certificate of participation.

Application process

To apply, please click on the link below and fill it:

<https://forms.gle/4WowLfBykkFJUxw67>

(note: this link can be opened on a computer with updated pdf software)

Deadline for the application

9th December 2025

Kindly note that only selected applicants will be contacted.

NB: Female, refugees, and people with disabilities are encouraged to apply.

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