**Announcement**

**East Africa Case Challenge 2022**

The State University of Zanzibar (SUZA) under Building Stronger University Project
(BSU) invites students from SUZA, SUA, KCMCo, GULU and Aalborg university to spend 4 days to develop solutions to a specific case challenge on food security and nutrition from 28ᵗʰ-31ˢᵗ March 2022.

Countries in East Africa like many other countries in the world have been facing so many challenges in food security and nutrition. This widespread phenomenon has caused many problems
to many people and sectors in the region. Immediate solutions are needed to overcome such
rampant occurrence and have a unique strategy that will eradicate the problem in the future.
To tackle the impact of food security and nutrition in East Africa, the State University of Zanzibar sees the
demand of innovative teamwork across disciplines available at universities in East Africa.

The Case Challenge calls for new innovative ideas to design and sustain food security and improve nutrition. This again requires commitment and collaboration across disciplines and sectors
including strong ties between planners, decision makers, stakeholders, and students.

The East Africa Case Challenge 2022 is now Open for registration ([click here](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/14j1nKv_Gd6vcSDhCbOiHbNSeGM8MHOB1LLKsQ9a-jgw/viewform?edit_requested=true)).

**Practical information**

The EA Case Challenge 2022 is open to students from SUZA, SUA, KCMCo, GULU and Aalborg University. A team must have six students’ members. If you do not have a team, please visit the matchmaking groups
on [WhatsApp](https://chat.whatsapp.com/G8K04nnoMgU5trOC6cdqzC) (click here) or [Facebook](https://www.facebook.com/groups/525567425658539) (click here). Students have great success in finding
the right team to join through these platforms.
What is a case challenge?
In a case challenge (also often called a case competition) participating teams strive to develop
the best solution to a real-world issue presented by a business or organization, most often
within a 24– or 48-hour time-span. Each team presents its solution both in writing (one
page) and as a short oral pitch to a jury (5-10 minutes). All teams receive pitch training to
prepare them for the final presentation.

**Registration**

**Register your team**

Fill out the registration form [here](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/14j1nKv_Gd6vcSDhCbOiHbNSeGM8MHOB1LLKsQ9a-jgw/viewform?edit_requested=true) to submit your team application.
Deadline for application is Monday 28th February, 2022 at 11:59PM (midnight).
EA Case Challenge –food security and Nutrition, 28 -31 March 2022.
Students from all campuses and educational programme can apply.
You must sign up as a team!

A team must have six students. Two member from SUZA and one member from SUA,GULU,KCMC AND Aalborg universities to make a team of 6 students. You need to add details about all the team members in the
form below, so please set your team before registering. The students include Bachelor
and Master students.
When selecting the teams, we will put emphasis on the interdisciplinarity of the team
and the motivational text (max. ½ page). The motivation must give a brief introduction to the
team members and reflect on what your team can bring to this year’s East Africa case challenge
on nutrition and Food security.

**Looking for teammates?**

If you are looking for teammates, feel free to use the matchmaking groups on WhatsApp and
Facebook.
[Matchmaking Group on WhatsApp](https://chat.whatsapp.com/G8K04nnoMgU5trOC6cdqzC) (click here)
[Matchmaking Group on Facebook](https://www.facebook.com/groups/525567425658539) (click here)
Just request to join the group, and we will approve it asap.
Registration deadline is Monday 28th February 2022 at 11:59PM (midnight).
All registered teams will be informed if they are invited to take part in the East Africa case challenge by
Friday 4 March 2022. On this day, the selected teams will receive an email
with specific information on the case, practical information and the programme schedule for
the case challenge. We will select up to six teams and they are expected to be physically
present at selected SUZA venue on 28-31 March 2022.
Meals and beverages are served as part of the event.