

Deploying Interactive On-line Networking Platform for Improving Quality and Relevance of African University Graduates to Labour Markets

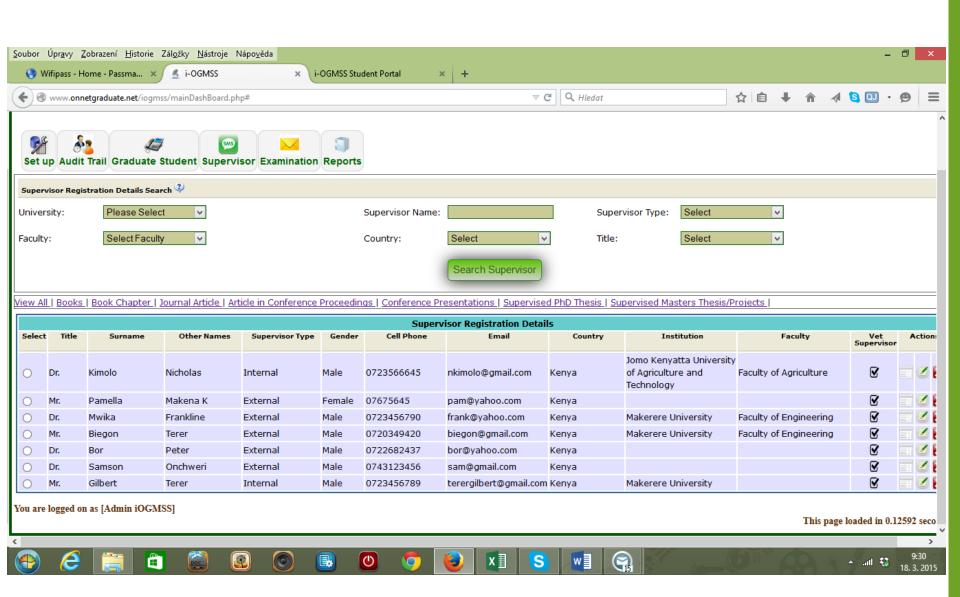
Objective:

- Enhance capacity of African Universities to produce high performing graduates responsive to the demands in the agricultural labour markets
- Interactive online platform complement to lecturers face to face learning
- supervision, mentoring and networking of alumni and university staff with community of researchers, academics, professionals and labour market

Partners:

- 3 Eastern African Universities: Egerton University (coordinator), Jomo Kenyatta, Makerere
- RUFORUM
- AGRINATURA

Duration: 42 months (started February 2014)



Role of AGRINATURA in the project

- Facilitate participation of european experts establishment of online community of practice
- Identify experts from AGRINATURA interested in particular fields of agricultural and environmental sciences
- Budget:
- for participation of experts, 2 000 EUR per each contract/year

Fields of expertise

- 1. Community development and extension, Agricultural Innovation
- 2. Agricultural project management
- 3. Agronomy, breeding, crop management, crop protection
- 4. Animal husbandry management, breeding
- 5. Food transformation and Post-harvest management
- 6. Horticulture
- 7. Water management, Irrigation
- 8. Natural Resources conservation, Reserve management and Biodiversity conservation
- Nutritional Sciences
- 10. Communication, information management