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Ref:IITA-HR-NRS2017-0025	Positions: Research Technician III
Locations: Ibadan	Recruitment Type: National (3 year renewable contract)
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The International Institute of Tropical Agriculture seeks suitable Nigerian for the position below at the Institute’s Headquarters, Ibadan.

Position	Responsibilities	Qualification
Research Technician III	<p>Successful candidate will among other things perform the following duties:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Carryout regeneration and rescue of seed lots on the field and screen house to improve the quality of research • Coordinate Planting, spraying of herbicides and insecticides; • Collect and enter research data using appropriate research tools • Coordinate labor recruitment, time keeping and supervise casual worker during field activities; • Carry out characterization and evaluation of seeds crop; • Participate in planting operation in the outstation seed regeneration activities; • Coordinate casual labor and consultants to carry out regeneration and characterization activities on the field and screen house; • Organize day to day activities on regeneration and virus indexing of seeds crops; • Perform any other duty assigned by the Supervisor. 	<p>National Diploma in Crop production, General Agriculture or related field with at least Six (6) years’ experience performing same role.</p> <p>Competencies</p> <p>The ideal candidate must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be computer literate and have good sense of cleanliness. • Have good research activity knowledge • Have good safety precaution techniques.

REMUNERATION:

We offer highly competitive salary with equally attractive benefits and excellent working conditions in a pleasant campus environment.

METHOD OF APPLICATION:

Interested applicants should complete the online application at IITA website: <http://www.iita.org/careers> attaching their cover letter with detailed curriculum vitae saved in a single file in Microsoft Word format no later than two weeks from the date of this publication. The application must include the names and e-mail addresses of three professional referees which must include the applicant's current or previous direct Supervisor, professional colleague and evidence of current remuneration package.

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