

# INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTE OF TROPICAL AGRICULTURE (IITA) INTERNAL & EXTERNAL ADVERTISEMENT

Ref:IITA-HR-NRS2018-0024	Position:  Research Technician I
Location: <b>Ibadan</b>	Recruitment Type: National (2-year renewable contract)
Date Posted: 27th August 2018	Closing Date: 10 <sup>th</sup> September 2018

The International Institute of Tropical Agriculture seeks suitable Nigerian for the position below at the Institute's Headquarter in Ibadan:

Position: Research Technician I

Contract: 2-year renewable contract Location: Ibadan

#### **DUTIES:**

Successful candidate will among other things perform the following duties:

- Assist in laboratory and field research activities related to plantain breeding.
- Assist with collection, processing and documentation of field and lab samples.
- Ensure sterile environment practices, orderliness of lab, screen house and work environment.
- Assist in maintaining of stock and inventory for germplasm and laboratory items.
- Participate in research data collection, entry and processing.
- Assist in supervising casuals in daily assigned tasks.
- Perform any other duties as may be assigned by the supervisor.

# QUALIFICATION:

OND in General Agriculture, Science Laboratory Technology or related field with two (2) years relevant experience performing similar roles.

### **COMPETENCIES:**

The ideal candidate must:

- Be computer literate
- Have ability to concisely record data and write basic report.
- Have good interpersonal skill, diligence and attention to detail.
- Have good self-motivation and be well organized.

#### 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 attaching detailed cover letter and curriculum vitae saved with their names in Microsoft word format to IITA website: <a href="http://www.iita.org/about/jobs/">http://www.iita.org/about/jobs/</a> 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.

IITA is an equal opportunity employer and particularly welcomes applications from female candidates.