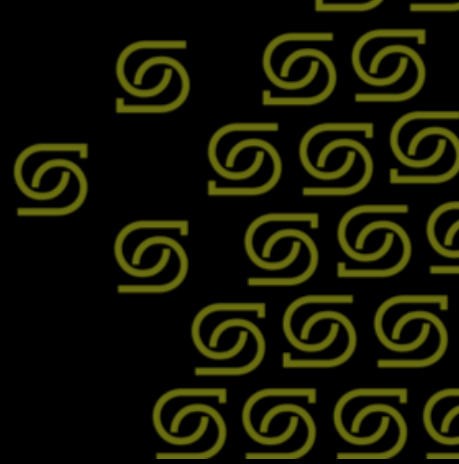


HAQAA PHASE 2 2020 – 2022



PURPOSE: Contribute to and support the further development of the Pan-African Quality Assurance and Accreditation Framework (PAQAF), which is endorsed by the African Union. Through its contribution to the development of the PAQAF, HAQAA Phase 2 intends to support the creation of a revitalised, distinctive, attractive and globally competitive African higher education space, through enhanced intra-African collaboration.

PROJECT SPONSORS: The Initiative is led by the University of Barcelona and consists of the Association of African Universities (AAU), the German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD), the European University Association (EUA), and the European Association for Quality Assurance in Higher Education (ENQA).

GOAL: Development of harmonized quality assurance and accreditation systems at continental, regional and institutional levels.



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OUTCOMES:

1. Promote uptake & usage of the African Standards and Guidelines for Quality Assurance (ASG-QA) amongst Quality Assurance Agencies (QAAs) and systems in Africa.
2. Promote uptake & usage of the ASG-QA (Part A) amongst Higher Education Institutions (HEIs), via dedicated HAQAA Training Courses.
3. Generate a cohort of 175 trained QA professionals across Africa from both QAAs and HEIs; 35 of these professionals will be from the SADC.
4. Develop a User's Guide for the ASG-QA.
5. Conduct a feasibility study for the Pan-African Quality Assurance and Accreditation Agency.
6. Support the AU to promote the different action lines and tools of the PAQAF.

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