

MSc/PhD 'Wildlife Economy Project' Bursaries

One MSc bursary and one PhD bursary are available from the African Wildlife Economy Institute at Stellenbosch University. The bursaries are available for commencement of studies in 2022. The successful applicants will take up positions as Research Fellow in the Institute.



The value of the MSc bursary is R90 000 per annum and is tenable for 24 months. The value of the PhD bursary is R150,000 per annum and is tenable for 36 months.

Project background

The African Wildlife Economy Institute undertakes interdisciplinary and multidisciplinary research to enhance the governance and operations of wildlife economies across Africa. Its major areas of research are:

- (1) Enabling environment for the wildlife economy;
- (2) Ethics and principles in the wildlife economy; and
- (3) Effective wildlife economy operations.

A list of possible research projects is available here: https://www0.sun.ac.za/awei/posts/bursaries

Application requirements

Interested candidates should submit a CV and a research concept note (max 500 words) that outlines a proposed area of research related to the list of possible topics. Prospective PhD candidates will be asked for a more detailed research proposal.

Closing dates

31 October 2021 for the MSc bursary and anytime for the PhD bursary

Please apply via email to Dr J Baum, AWEI Programmes Manager: <u>ibaum@sun.ac.za</u>.



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