

S/NO	PARTIES	OBJECTIVES	DATE OF SIGNING	EXPIRY DATE	IMPLEMENTATION STATUS
1	Pan African Postal Union (PAPU)	Serves as a framework for cooperation between PAPU and NM-AIST, under the “e-Commerce, data analytics and Skills development for successful Postal Digital Transformation”.	To be signed on 7 <sup>th</sup> March 2024	6 <sup>th</sup> March 2029	Still new
2	The University of Milano, Bicocca, (PoliMI) Italy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• staff and students mobilities,</li> <li>• joint research and publications;</li> </ul>	16 <sup>th</sup> February 2024	15 <sup>th</sup> February 2029	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• One student from PoliMI will undertake her research at NM-AIST from April to June 2024</li> </ul>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• joint commercialization engagement;</li> <li>• technological cooperation with local industries and communities;</li> <li>• development of global partnerships;</li> </ul>			
3	Simon Fraser University BRITISH COLUMBIA, CANADA	To explore opportunities for innovation and commercialization of new technologies and solutions, joint research and exchange of staff and students	11 <sup>th</sup> November 2023	10 <sup>th</sup> November 2028	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Joint Steering committee appointed</li> <li>• SFU capstone team from Canada to visit NM-AIST from 24<sup>th</sup> April to 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2024 which is composed of one professor, two grad students (PhD and</li> </ul>

					<p>Master) and nine senior undergrad engineering students.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 4 students from NM-AIST are applying the Study in Canada programme to be hosted by SFU.</li> </ul>
4	Descartes Development & Innovation (DDI)	To support innovation in Africa and the European Union by upgrading the capacity of incubators and accelerators in both regions.	11 <sup>th</sup> September 2023	10 <sup>th</sup> September 2026	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Installation of equipment and accessories in place at NM-AIST</li> </ul>

5	Florida Agricultural Mechanical University United State	To have staff and students mobilities, joint research and joint curricular development	12 <sup>th</sup> July 2023	15 <sup>th</sup> July 2026	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Submission of research proposals and faculty exchange ongoing.</li> </ul>
6	Kumasi Hive and Centre for African Epistemic Justice (CAEJ) Kumasi, Ghana Nairobi, Kenya	To have joint research projects	2023	2028	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Submission of research proposals</li> </ul>
7	Chalmers University of Technology, Sweden & -Addis Ababa University, Ethiopia, -Eduardo Mondlane University, Mozambique, -Jaramogi Oginga Odinga University of Science and Technology, Kenya,	To facilitate and promote long-term and equitable cooperation in research, teaching and learning, staff mobilities and exchange of research materials and	16 <sup>th</sup> November 2022	15 <sup>th</sup> November 2027	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 20 research proposals have been submitted among various universities</li> <li>• Scientific Advisory group has been established</li> </ul>

	<p>-Makerere University, Uganda,</p> <p>-Mbarara University – Uganda,</p> <p>-Sokoine University of Agriculture (SUA) – Tanzania,</p> <p>-University of Nairobi – Kenya,</p> <p>-University of Gothenburg – Sweden</p> <p>-University of Rwanda - Rwanda</p>	<p>information among the member univesities under the Sweden and African Universities (SWEAFUN) network.</p>			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Trans-Thematic Committee for the SWEAFUN established.</li> <li>• Various thematic groups among universities have been established</li> </ul>
8	Digitally Smart -London, UK	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• To increase the access of female ICT actors to digital training to enhance the field of science and technology in Tanzania</li> </ul>	11 <sup>th</sup> April 2022	10 <sup>th</sup> April 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The programme of empowering Tanzanian women in the field of science and technology applied to agriculture</li> </ul>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• To enhance the full productive potential of women in ICT to become role models to other women</li></ul>			was done inn 2023 at NM-AIST in collaboration with the Digitally Smart, UK.
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