



SEASON'S GREETINGS FROM FARA

The 2nd edition of FARA Monthly Bulletin brings to you the empowerment of women and youths through capacity building and innovations. We have the FARA team's visit to Benin recently to plan on establishing a mini Agribusiness Incubator Hub which will deal with up-scaling soya bean as the core commodity value chain and we celebrate the success of a SCARDA scholarship recipient who recently bagged an International award from Korea. Also, some photo shots of the eCapacities™ workshop by the Capacity Strengthening Unit of FARA is embedded for your information. I thank our readers for your support this year and hope that the New Year bring many opportunities your way to explore every joy of life and may your resolutions for the days ahead stay firm, turning all your dreams into reality and all your efforts into great achievements. Compliments of the season. Taiwo Owoeye - Communication and Media Relations Officer FARA

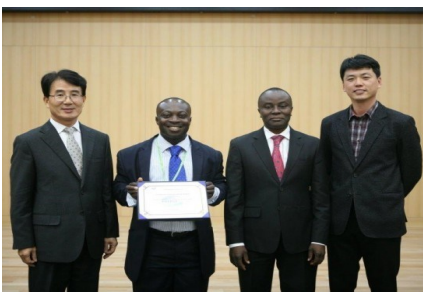


The Republic of Benin is set to receive agribusiness incubation support through the establishment of a mini incubator. This was ascertained during a joint training session organized by the African Agribusiness Incubation Network/ Universities Business and Research in Agricultural Innovation Programme (AAIN/UniBRAIN) and the Platform for African European Partnership for Agricultural Research for Development (PAEPARD) team of the Forum for Agricultural Research in Africa (FARA)...[read more](#)!



FARA HOLDS ECAPACITIES™ TRAINING WORKSHOP FOR PARTNERS

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SCARDA RECIPIENT WINS INTERNATIONAL AWARD IN KOREA

The Korean Government recently bestowed a certificate of excellence on Mr. Michael Kwabena Osei, a Strengthening Capacity for Agricultural Research and Development in Africa (SCARDA) scholarship recipient at Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology (KNUST) who graduated in 2010 with a Master of Science (MSc) Degree in Plant Breeding ... [read more](#)!



JOB AND WEALTH CREATION THROUGH INNOVATIVE SKILLS AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP

Dr Yemi Akinbamijo appreciated the contribution of the Danish government towards fighting unemployment and poverty in Africa through capacity building, technical and most importantly financial support that has generated significant impact in Africa ... [read more](#)!



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