



THE AGA KHAN UNIVERSITY

Population Health Fellowship - CALL FOR APPLICATIONS

The Aga Khan University (AKU) is an institution of the Aga Khan Development Network with global reach and local relevance. AKU has 35 years of experience in the field of education, research and clinical services reaching populations across three continents. In East Africa, the AKU Medical College is establishing a Department of Population Health that brings together expertise in public health and public medicine to focus on achievable and sustainable impact on health and well being of the populations we serve.

We invite applicants from East African citizens for a two-year fellowship in Population Health, a joint collaboration between Aga Khan University and Tsinghua University in Beijing, China. Successful candidates will spend the first year completing an International MPH (delivered in English) in the Global Health Programme of Tsinghua University and the second year in the Population Health Department of the AKU Medical College. Fellows will be expected to carry out their research on a priority area of relevance to East Africa and that draws on the expertise of both universities.

Applicants must meet the entrance and funding criteria of the Tsinghua Global Health Programme (<http://www.phrc.tsinghua.edu.cn/ccert/f/list-2fb817e2f40c494fbb06d72d6bbd2f48.html>) and be aligned to the research goals of AKU Medical College (<https://www.aku.edu/mcea/Pages/home.aspx>) with the anticipation of joining the Department of Population Health on completion of the fellowship, subject to availability of a funded position.

Successful candidates will have a professional qualification in health sciences and/or in methodological areas relevant to the health sciences. The candidate must be prepared to live in Beijing for the first year and Nairobi or Dar es Salaam in the second year of the fellowship.

The closing date for applications is March 9th and if selected the candidate will have to apply to Tsinghua University by March 31st. Applications including curriculum vitae, copy of highest degree certificate and two referees should be addressed to the Associate Dean, Research, Medical College, Aga Khan University at hr.recruitment@aku.edu.