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2022 L'OREAL UNESCO FOR WOMEN IN SCIENCE INTERNATIONAL AWARD

The National Universities Commission is in receipt of a Call Circular Ref.IEF.54/S.283/III/367, dated 26th May, 2021, from the Nigerian National Commission for UNESCO on the above subject.

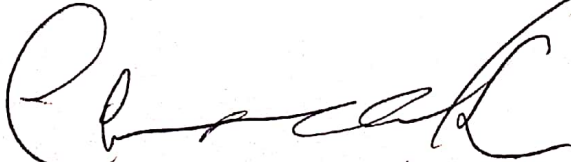
The UNESCO Headquarters in France is inviting suitably qualified female candidates for the L'oreal UNESCO for Women in Science International Awards 2022. The prize is aimed at recognising and supporting eminent women in science throughout the world for their contributions to the advancement of Life Sciences, Physical Sciences, Mathematics and Computer Science in alternating years.

The 2022 edition of the awards will designate five (5) outstanding scientific researchers in the life and environmental sciences and each of the five (5) laureates will receive an award of One Hundred Thousand Euro's (€100,000) for her contributions to advance in scientific research at a ceremony to be held in March, 2022.

In this regard, interested candidates who wish to collaborate in this programme are requested to visit the UNESCO's website for detailed information and criteria for eligibility and adhere strictly to them via www.forwomeninscience.com on or before UNESCO's deadline of 31st May, 2021.

Consequently, I am to bring the above information to the attention of Vice-Chancellors for their urgent action and wide circulation in their respective universities.

Please accept the assurances of the Executive Secretary's highest regards at all times.

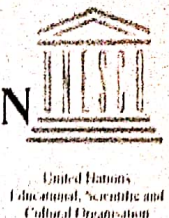


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2022 L'OREAL UNESCO FOR WOMEN IN SCIENCE INTERNATIONAL AWARDS

I am directed to inform you that the Commission received a Call Circular from UNESCO Headquarters, inviting suitably qualified female candidates for the L'Oreal-UNESCO for Women in Science International Awards 2022.

2. Kindly note that the Prize was created towards recognizing and supporting eminent women in science throughout the world for their contributions to the advancement of Life Sciences, Physical Sciences, Mathematics and Computer Science in alternating years.
3. Please, note further that the 2022 edition of the awards will designate five outstanding scientific researchers in the life and environmental sciences and each of the five laureates will receive an award of €100,000 for her contributions to advances in scientific research at a ceremony to be held in March 2022.
4. Kindly note also that nominators are requested to visit UNESCO's website for detailed information on criteria for eligibility and adhere strictly to them, ensuring that applications from highly qualified candidates are forwarded through:
www.forwomeninscience.com on or before UNESCO's deadline of **31st May, 2021**.
5. While anticipating your prompt response, please accept the assurances of the Honourable Minister's best regards.


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