

INTERNSHIP POSITION INFORMATION

Internship Position Title:	Young Africa Works in Kenya - Project Assistant
Country:	Kenya
City:	St. John's - Virtual
Sector / SDGs:	14, 4, 5, 1, 2, 8
Host Organization:	Memorial University, Marine Institute School of Fisheries
Partner Organizations:	Marine Institute (MI International)
Position Description:	<p>This position will be attached to an international development project being implemented by the Marine Institute (lead) in partnership with Nova Scotia Community College and Seneca College under the Young Africa Works in Kenya: Youth Employability through Technical and Vocational Education and Training (TVET) project (Young Africa Works in Kenya- YAW-K TVET). The YAW-K Program is managed by Colleges and Institutes Canada. The program aims to increase the participation of young Kenyans, particularly women, in market-relevant skills training programs to ultimately increase the number of youths in dignified and fulfilling work in the Blue Economy sector, specifically in the development of courses in Aquaculture and Fisheries technology.</p> <p>Key Responsibilities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Support the Young Africa Works in Kenya project manager and implementation team in the development of course curriculum and materials. • Conduct regional aquaculture and fisheries-related research. • Support on routine tasks, report and document preparation, and meetings.
Qualifications:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Have at least one year completed in Fisheries/Aquaculture-related program • Ability to coordinate project/partners simultaneously, work well under pressure and meet deadlines. • Excellent technical skills in research, writing, editing, and has strong interpersonal skills. • Skilled in using Microsoft Excel • Be between the ages of 19-30 • Be a Canadian citizen or permanent resident • Have not previously participated in IYIP

