Journalist's Residency 2020: Call for applications from professionals in Rwanda

Submission of applications until 15 June 2020

The Royal Museum for Central Africa (AfricaMuseum) has set up a residency programme for African journalists. The aim is to strengthen the exchange and dissemination of information, knowledge and scientific research results in the service of sustainable development. Also, the purpose of the journalist residency is to compare views, opinions, testimonies and analyses on issues of colonial history and memory, of representations and of the status of African cultural heritage in Europe and Africa. https://www.africamuseum.be/en/get_involved/journalists

This third edition is aimed at journalists based in Rwanda.

The residency is financed by the Belgian Directorate-General for Development Cooperation and Humanitarian Aid (DGD).

Objectives of the residency

- The production and dissemination in the African media of the results of scientific research and museum activities carried out by the AfricaMuseum
- A look and analysis in an African context
- Facilitated access to collections and archives
- The expansion of professional networks.

The residency offers

- 4 weeks in October 2020 (subject to change)
- Coverage of transportation/travel costs
- Coverage of accommodation costs
- Payment of a daily allowance (per diem) and fees
- The residency will be the subject of an agreement.

Expectations from the resident journalist

- Production and dissemination of journalistic content related to AfricaMuseum
- The candidate lives and works in Rwanda

Selection method: on the basis of a dossier

- Send the file no later than June 15 to JIR@africamuseum.be.
- Documents to provide: CV, cover letter and description of the residency project.
- Selection Committee: end of June 2020