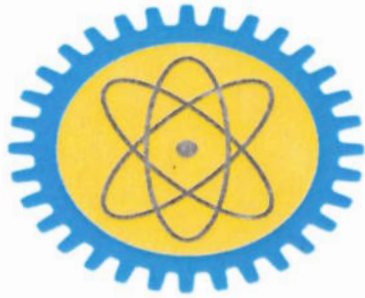


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PRODUCTION AND MANAGEMENT OF BUSITEMA UNIVERSITY**

DECLARATION

I declare that this report is based on the experience and knowledge acquired throughout my internship process. Therefore, it is not a duplication or reproduction of any other report. I have personally carried out the training as required and all the information contained in it is based on my experiences during the internship engagement and has never been presented to any university for examination with intension to be awarded.

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DEDICATION

This Industrial Training report is dedicated to my beloved family and most especially to my Husband and to those who have worked with tremendous efforts towards my academic achievements in terms of financial support, spiritual support and guidance, mentorship that may the good Lord reward you abundantly.



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LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

TC- Town Clerk

FMD- Foot and Mouth Disease

AES- Agricultural Extension Services

BUAC- Busitema University Arapai Campus.

Mr. -Mister

Ms. -Miss

Dr.- Doctor

JCC- Jinja City Council

CBF- Community Based Facilitator

PWD- People with Disability

DCP- Diploma in Crop Production and Management

MAAIF- Ministry of Agriculture Animal Industry and Fisheries.

NARO- National Agricultural Research Organization

IT- Industrial Training

NAADS- National Agricultural Advisory Services

OWC- Operation Wealth Creation

ABSTRACT

This report contains and describes the activities implemented, skills and qualifications gained, challenges faced during the industrial training, conclusion of the report and recommendations derived from the challenges faced in the Production department at Jinja City Council. The objective of this industrial training is to make students benefit from the skills and knowledge gained from the fields, apply the knowledge they get from the classroom in the field and build confidence in the students. During industrial training I was attached to the department of Production and Marketing.

This was followed by orientation where I was first introduced to the Head of the Production Department and later, I implemented the activities such as; castration of bulls for fattening, Training of farmers group on improved Agronomic and Husbandry practices, Training of farmers on animal management, animal treatment, vaccination of dogs and cats, FMD Vaccination in Cattle and also stamping and pruning coffee and banana plantations in all the parishes. These activities have made me to gain a lot of skills and knowledge like; Deworming of goats and cattle, skills in Castration, skills in general management of animals, communication skills and confidence in training farmers on animal and crop management, During industrial Training, I also faced some challenges like; lack of a laboratory and some veterinary drugs for proper disease diagnosis and management, limited transport means for field work in the production department and poor turn up of the farmers to the training.

In conclusion all the activities were implemented and industrial training was carried out successfully. I was able to gain a lot from it. I was in position of getting practical skills and knowledge in line with my career and relating with people in the field. The technical advice that I provided addressed farmers' problem and needs. Much as all were successfully done, there were also some little challenges which hindered the smooth running of the activities making me recommend that proper mobilization of farmers must improve for the training programs to solve problems of poor turn up during such activities, government should also increase the number of motorcycles to solve transport problems and more equipment and veterinary drugs to be installed so that animals are treated and vaccinated in time.

1.0 CHAPTER ONE.

1.1 Introduction.

Introduction

This chapter comprises of the background to the IT exercise and the general over view of the organization which encompasses the objectives of the IT, structure of the organization and the main activities performed in Jinja City Council.

Background to the Field Attachment

The IT exercise is usually a prerequisite for all students in tertiary institutions in Uganda, that is to say Busitema University and all its other campus across the country usually engage its students to carryout IT in order to give them the feel of the practicability of job experience in Uganda to and also to other international countries. The exercise is primarily intended to be performed after the second semester of first year study and later during the last year of study.

The IT exercise is usually conducted outside the university in any organization of a student's choice provided the internee is appointed to a department relative to his/her area of study. Supervision of a student is done by both the organization's supervisor and the university supervisor the internee is assigned to. Additionally, the supervisors assist in training and monitoring of the internee during the exercise thus making IT an off-campus exercise.

1.1 Background of Jinja City Council.

Jinja City is situated on the Northern shores of Lake Victoria, overlooking the Napoleon Gulf, which constitutes the source of the Nile River. It is 80 km from Kampala along Kampala-Tororo highway.(Council, 2015) The City is Uganda's second biggest town and the former principal industrial center of Uganda. Jinja city was declared a city in 2020 after annexing Budondo, Mafubira, Bugembe sub-counties to the former Jinja Municipal Council. In terms of the town councils bordering the city they include Njeru Town Council is bordering the city to the South, Kakira Town Council to the North, Butagaya to East and Lake Victoria shores to the West and to the East respectively. The town is situated on the eastern bank of River Nile at a point where the river flows out of the Lake Victoria to start its 6400 km journey through Northern Uganda, Sudan and Egypt to the Mediterranean Sea.