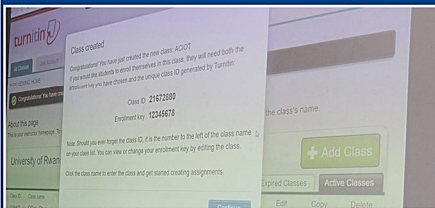


PhD and Masters students trained in Turnitin



ACEIoT in collaboration with the Centre of Open, Distance and ELearning, operating at the College of Education, conducted a two - day training on plagiarism Control using Turnitin. The training targeted the Masters and PhD students from ACEIoT.

During this training, students were equipped with skills to be aware of the academic integrity in their works and use Turnitin to check similarities of what to write and what has already been written in their research areas.

Dr. Damien Hanyurwimfura, the Head PhD Studies at ACEIoT finds this training a good way of helping students to be serious in research, and be able to produce high quality research. He added that students improved their research works in terms of quality by avoiding any form of plagiarism.



One of the facilitators during training

Students from ACEIoT completed a six months training



Participants took photos after receiving certificates

Four of the Masters students from the ACEIoT completed a six months training program supported by JICA under the ICT Engineer Development initiative. The training was from January to July 2019 offered by Kobe Institute of Computing (KIC) in Kigali supported by JICA. During the six months, the students learned the skills related to Business and Entrepreneurship, Internet of Things and Leadership.

Participants to the training said it was timely and beneficial. Mrs. Meron Alemnew, a Master's student specialising in MSc in IoT-Embedded Systems, who attended this training testified that she got skills in analysing existing problems in the society and think of how these problems can be turned into business opportunities.

Staff from ACEIoT attended a training on Design for Innovation

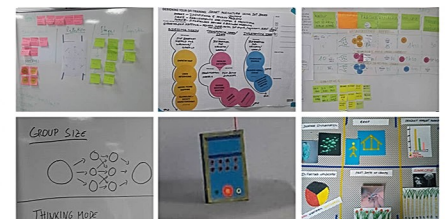
The Design for Innovation training is organised by National Industrial Research and Development Agency (NIRDA), Rwanda and was offered by Innovation Researchers at Fraunhofer CERRI.

The Design for Innovation course focuses on providing participants with substantial knowledge on design-based methods and their use throughout the innovation process.

The Design for Innovation aims at providing academics, company representatives and political decision-makers with practices-oriented, design-based methods for drafting and implementing innovation processes, whether it will be high-tech or social innovation.

It was attended by 15 participants from varying backgrounds (academics, private /public sector representatives and political decision makers). The training was delivered in three Phases of 4 days in each Phase.

During this training, participants acquired methods and strategies for innovation and solutions-oriented approach to challenges such as new forms of collaboration among diverse stakeholders, novel technologies and ways of knowledge production.



ACEIoT Masters' students visited Rwanda Meteorology Agency (Meteo Rwanda)

On 2nd July 2019, Masters Students from the ACEIoT conducted a study tour to Meteo Rwanda, an Agency which is responsible for providing accurate, timely weather and climate information and products for the general welfare of the people of Rwanda.

The main objective of the visit was to witness how the Agency works and see if they can include IoT in order to provide better service to the people. Students were shown different tools that are used



Students observing the tool used at Meteo

in weather predictions and other activities and exchanged with staff to better understand the system.

Gaspard Nelly Uwumuremyi, a Master's student at ACEIoT specialising in WISeNet is one among the students who visited the Agency. He says that the study tour was fruitful that they found it is possible to include IoT in the Agency system for time management and improvement of the accuracy of the predicted information.