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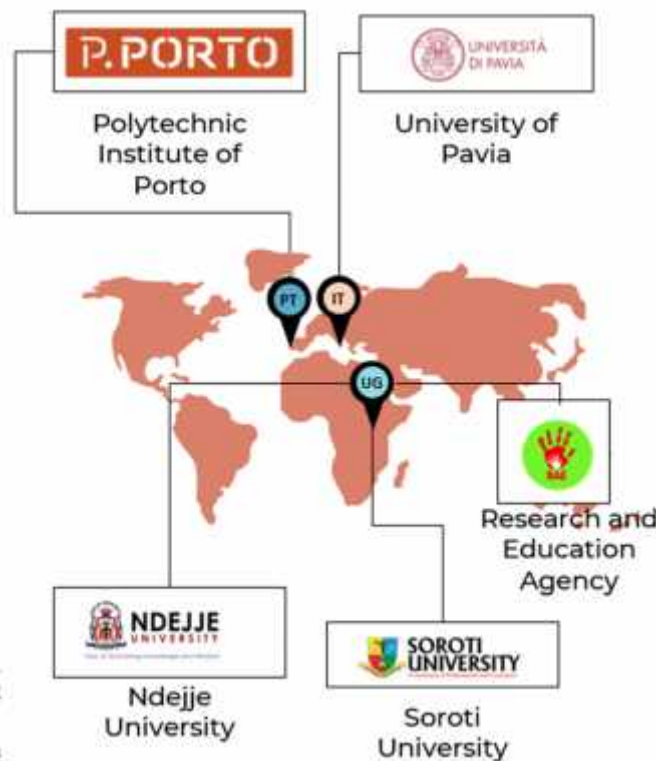
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Announcement: Strengthening Research and Training Capacities for Universities and other Institutions

The STRCUU Project is pleased to announce upcoming **online** training programs specifically designed for Strengthening Research and Graduate Training Capacities for Effective delivery of Research for Development Initiatives.

The targeted Training sessions encompass important topics related to effective Management of Research and Training Programs, Enhancing Research Capacities, strengthening resource mobilization, strengthening partnership Engagements and Inclusivity in R&D undertakings, and designing and operationalising Monitoring, Evaluation and Learning Frameworks for tracking implementation progress towards desired outcomes.

The trainings will be conducted by Experts from European and African Institutions and open to global participation.

Attached is a tentative schedule of the proposed training sessions to be offered. Follow up communication will be issued to confirm the Training Dates and Times.

Monitor the STRCUU Website (www.strcuu.org) for updates

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Proposed Online Training Session 2026

N°	Topic/Theme	Comments	Possible Resource Persons	Possible Period for delivery
1	Research Design, Data Collection and Data Analysis using R statistics	. Implemented	Dr Suzan Balaba, Dr Hellen Namaweje, Dr Thomas Odongo-Makerere University	24-26 Feb 2026 1400-1700 EAT
2	Grant Sourcing, Proposal Development and Report Writing	Implemented	Dr Kenneth Odhiambo, University of Eldoret, Kenya	2-5 March 2026. 1400-1700 EAT
3	Research Designs and Methods for Developing Individual Research Projects	Implemented	Prof Maria Sassi, University of Pavia, Italy	9-13 March 2026 0900-1100 EAT
4	Communication, Branding, Marketing and Promoting Visibility of Action	Implemented	Ms Joan Apio, KAVIBE Uganda	16-18 March 2026 1400-1700 EAT

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5	Scientific Writing and Preparation of Policy Briefs		Dr Paul Nampala, Dr JS Tenya-Makerere & Bugema Universities	23-26 March 2026 1400-1700 EAT
6	Gender Mainstreaming in Research for Development		Dr Deborah Alio, Kampala International University	Dates: 22-25 April 2026 Time: 1400-1700 EAT Registration Link: https://bit.ly/471n3D1
7.	Partnership Engagement Strategies		Dr Sarah Akello-Makerere University	26-28 May 2026 Time; 1400-1700 EAT
8	EU Grant Sourcing, Financial Management and Compliance		Prof Nuno Escudeiro from Technical Institute of Porto (IPP) & Prof Maria Sassi from University of Pavia (UniPavia)	12-14 May 2026 Time: 1400-1700 EAT
9	Principles behind the EU-Africa Partnership in Higher Education and possible funding opportunities		Prof Maria Sassi, University of Pavia	June 2026; Maria to confirm dates

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10.	Setting up Digital Research Infrastructure and e-Learning Platforms		Prof Nuno Escudeiro from IPP	21-23 July 2026 Time: 1400-1700 EAT
11.	Integrating Competency based education in University teaching and research	Dates to be confirmed	Prof Nuno Escudeiro from IPP and Prof Maria Sassi from UniPavia	June – July 2026 Time: 1400-1700 EAT

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