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LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

- BUAC Busitema University Arapai Campus.
- CSIA Community Savings Investment in Agribusiness.
- T/C- Town council.
- AO- Agricultural Officer.
- CAO- Chief Administrative Officer.
- DINU- Development Initiative for Northern Uganda.
- DPO-District Productions Officer.
- CBSMGs- Community Based Seed Multiplication
- OTC-Otuke Town Council
- MG-Mother garden
- DEMON-Demonstration
- IT-Industrial Training
- KG-kilogram
- S\c-sub county
- ODLG-Otuke District Local Government
- SAA- Sasakawa African Association
- Mgt-management
- i.e- example

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ABSTRACT

An industrial training was carried out from March 14th to May 15th 2022 at Otuke Town Council – Otuke district. Otuke district is located in the Northern part of Uganda the Head Quarter 85km East of Lira Town and accessible by road along Lira-Abim-Kotido Highway. The district is bordered by Lira in the West, Abim to the East and Alebtongto the South East and Agago District in the North. Physically the district lies between Latitude 2° 31'17.06''N and Longitude 33°20'55.01''E.

A total of 500 farmers were trained for a period of two months on the following topics: seed multiplication as business, good nutrition and food security, use of simple technologies in farming (such as planters, weeders, solar dryer), vegetable production

The attachment period consisted of many different responsibilities both within the office and outside in the field with the farmers. This majorly introduces the various tasks performed during attachment was demonstration site verification, seed / seedlings distribution, planting demonstration garden, weeding, training farmers on seed multiplication, nursery bed management, Nutrition and food security. Field visits to farmers, attending meetings, training farmers in various fields like vegetable growing, seed multiplication, piggery, irrigation, Farmers training on Climate smart agriculture, community seed multiplication business, good nutrition, vegetable production, participation in budget laid down for the financial year 2022/2023, work precautions and safety, input / seedling distribution to farmers (cassava cuttings -NAROCas1, improved manages and citrus, soya bean -MAKSoya 3N and upland Rice -Numche 1, goat and sheep good husbandry practices. Despite the challenges that we have, we have learnt a lot and tried to manage some of the challenges during the internship training.

CHAPTER ONE

1.0 INTRODUCTION

1.1 Background of Field Attachment Programme

Field attachment is field base practical training experiences that prepares trainees for the task they are expected to perform on completion of their training, the other names for field attachment include internship, community base education and service industrial training.

It was there for agreed and recommended that for avoidance of this confusion the term field attachment "be adopted for all teaching units to mean any approved field based practical work carried out by staff and students for the purposed of teaching and/or research in places outside the institution control but were there is safety and of staff and students and other who are their actives.

1.2 Objectives of Field Attachment.

- To enable students gets hand-on/real life experience they are expected to work in when they graduate.
- To provide an opportunity for students to apply the principle and techniques theoretically learnt in to real life problem solving situation.
- To provide an opportunity for student and academics staff to interact with the stake holder and potential employers and thus appreciate field situation that will also generate information for curricula review and improvement.
- To develop students understanding of work ethics employment demands, responsibility and opportunities.
- To enhance and strengthen linkages among Kampala University (Lwero Campus) staff, students and various stakeholders.

Otuke district local government was form in 2010 from then Lira district. It mainly occupied by Lango ethnic group comprising of eight sub-counties that is Adwari, Alango, Okwang, Olilim, Ogwete, Orum, Ogor, and Otuke Town Council.

1.3 Location Of Otuke District Local Government

Otuke District Local Government is located in Northern part of Uganda the Head Quarter 85km East of Lira Town and accessible by road along Lira-Abim-Kotido Highway. The district is bordered by Lira in the West, Abim to the East and Alebtongto the South East and Agago District in the North. Physically the district lies between Latitude 2° 31'17.06''N and Longitude 33°20'55.01''E.

1.4 Vision Statement

"To have a well-served society in a Co-ordinate and Sustainable Environment for the Prosperity of All."