

1st November 2023.

From: Member, Board of Advisers - Easy STEM SL

To: Coordinator, National Science, Technology and Innovation Council

Dear Sir/Madam,

Re: Commitment to Host the Applied Research Project on AI in Education – AbuSenseBod

I am delighted to confirm that Easy STEM will be serving as the host for the AbuSensebod platform which seeks to integrate AI in education. Easy STEM is fully prepared to embark on this initiative, which aligns with clear commitment to educational innovation. This will seek to contribute towards work done in Primarily achieving the Sustainable Development Goal 4, and various clusters in the National Development Plan.

We will be providing support to the team to spearhead this project, ensuring that the integration of AI will be handled with diligence and strategic foresight, ensuring the team meet the stated deliverables and on time while ensuring quality work. Regular updates and a collaborative approach with the National Science, and Innovation Council will be a priority, as we aim to maximize the impact of this grant. We have put together a very diverse primary team and have a secondary team ready to assist.

We are eager to begin this venture and look forward to the advancements it will bring to the educational landscape.

Sincerely,

Sunah Keili

Member, Board of Advisers

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28th September 2023

From: Chief Operating Officer, Directorate of Science, Technology, and Innovation

To: The Coordinator, National Science Technology, and Innovation Council (NSTCI)

Dear Sir/Madam,

Re: Commitment to provision of technical support to the project

I write in relation to the above and to inform you that the Directorate is ready and willing to provide technical support to Abdulrahim Jalloh and team in the planned project that seeks to introduce AI in Education.

The all-in-one solution proposed embeds an AI teacher that facilitates personalized learning, simplifying even the most intricate subject materials thereby making teaching and learning more efficient. The application would support teaching in local languages such as Krio, Mende, and Temne through its English to local language converter.

Looking forward to supporting the team in project implementation. We are available to provide any additional information that may be required.

Yours faithfully,

Michala Mackay
Director & Chief Operation Officer





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The Coordinator
National Science, Technology and Innovation Council

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Dear Sir/Madam:

This letter is confirmation that Fourah Bay College (FBC) fully supports the application of Abdulrahim Jalloh and Team, students of FBC to participate in the National Science, Technology and Innovation Council project.

The objectives of the project captured in the proposal are attractive and fully resonate with the focus of FBC and to a large extent the University of Sierra Leone. Artificial Intelligence (AI) has the potential to address some of the biggest challenges in education today, innovate teaching and learning practices, and accelerate progress towards achieving the UN Sustainable Development Goal 4. In addition, the project has a strong potential in providing research collaboration and innovation which would have an international character through for example, partnership publications and best practices.

The College will support the implementation of the project through the following actions:-

1. Collaborate with the project team to set up a monitoring and evaluation framework.
2. Facilitate publicity arrangements of the results of the project on its website.

The College looks forward to a successful execution of the terms of the project and its expected outcomes and impacts on Education in Sierra Leone.

Yours sincerely,

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