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Dear Sir/Madam

RE: Work Integrated Learning (WIL)

The Department of Natural and Applied Sciences at the Namibia University of Science and Technology (NUST) offers a three year Bachelor of Science (Major and minor in Natural Sciences) programme.

The degree programme has a compulsory component of Work Integrated Learning (WIL) in which students are expected to be placed in various organizations depending on their carrier orientation and also opportunity. The WIL aims to merge theoretical knowledge gained in academic studies to workplace experience by developing relevant professional skills in preparation for future career opportunities.

At the end of WIL, the students are expected to have developed a comprehensive and fair industry skills set which will nurture their behavioral competencies which include among others, self-confidence, communication, initiative, relationship building, technical skills and teamwork.

It is in light of the above narrative that we are writing to your organization requesting for placement of our students majoring in Biology for a limited period (preferably 4-6 weeks). The Internship should be in the areas of Microbiology, Biotechnology, Ecology or Marine Biology. Your help in this exercise will greatly be appreciated.

We look forward to hearing from you soon.

Yours Sincerely,

Prof Habauka M. Kwaambwa
Head of Department

