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The AAAPD Inc.

Association of African Agricultural Professionals in the Diaspora (AAAPD)

Real development through strategic partnerships

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**Vision**
Transform African smallholder agriculture through resource mobilization, intermediate technology intervention, information dissemination and networking. AAAPD will through creative and strategic partnerships, contribute to economic, institutional and intellectual growth across Africa.

**Mission**
The Association of African Agricultural Professionals in the Diaspora brings together scientists and professionals in Africa and abroad to participate in the development of African Agriculture and the continent as a whole.

**Objectives**
1. To build a strong network of African agricultural professionals, including scientists and businesses, in the African Diaspora and to strengthen institutional relationships with African public, private and civil sectors with the aim of providing support and expertise to strengthen Africa’s agricultural development.
2. To work closely with key African organizations and facilitate information exchange, technology transfer and resource mobilization to benefit African smallholder farmers and rural businesses.
3. To identify and work with strategic public, private and civil sector partner organizations around the world, starting in North America, and build strong linkages between them and African agricultural institutions.

**Strategic Partners**
African Regional and Continental Organizations such as the African Union Commission/New Partnership for Africa’s Development (AU/NEPAD); ECOWAS; COMESA; SADC; Forum for Agricultural Research in Africa (FARA); Alliance for a Green Revolution in Africa (AGRA); Association of African Universities (AAU); and other strategic sub-regional governmental organizations, regional, university and research networks/forums; farmer and agro-business associations; and regional private sector networks. We also plan to work closely with Africa, U.S. and Canadian-based bilateral and multilateral donor organizations, Foundations and other sector network organizations funding or working on agriculture in Africa, including U.S. Agencies; IRDC; CIDA; IMF/World Bank; UN FAO; IFAD; APLU; and others.

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