



EARIMA

Eastern Africa Research and
Innovation Management Association

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EARIMA

East Africa Research and Innovation Management Initiative



WHO WE ARE

A platform for professional development, capacity building, networking, and advocacy, ensuring that the region's research outputs align with global standards

6th

Still
young

4

Active
States

50+

Members



Uganda



Kenya



Tanzania



Somalia



To Know EARIMA - Understand the EA ecosystem

East Africa ecosystem

Unprecedented changes over the past decades

Driven by globalisation, regionalisation, digitization and structural recalibrations

Steadily advancing in innovations and technology transfer

Acknowledge interconnected, international ecosystem as a driver of scientific innovations

Because of collective north-south leverages on know-how, talent, financial resources, and infrastructure

Over all governments interests in STI are high

Organisations are driving some of the strategies/ National Research agenda offers opportunities to focus on some of the barriers for STI development



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What is happening



University-
led
Innovations



Public-
Private
partnerships



Policy and
regulatory
frameworks



Financing

Still !!!!

*Little progress in
commercialization and
technology transfer*





EARIMA – Moving Forward



MISSION

To develop, define and promote international best practices in research and innovation management, administration, knowledge transfer and growth of the research enterprise.

Expand and increase membership

Global partnerships and alliances

Increased financing

Education and Training