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#### Message from Past Student

*"Having amassed knowledge from the KIZUNA Internship and Summer and Spring Programs and having implemented knowledge gained post completion of the programs, I am glad be an agent for efficient and sustainable utilization of mineral resources on the African continent"*

#### Agri-net Program

Agriculture Studies Networks for Food Security (Agri-net) aims to deliver world-class education in the field of food security, that can tackle a diverse range of food and environmental issues in the world. The program is implemented as part of the Official Development Assistance for Zimbabwe under the bilateral agreement with the Japanese Government.

#### The program aims to:

- Develop human resources of public and private sectors in the field related to Agriculture and Rural Development Policy, Sustainable Agricultural Production, One Health, Marine Resources/Fishery Development, Food Value Chain, and Nature Conservation.
- Strengthen a human network between developing countries and Japan in the above-mentioned fields.



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## Knowledge Co-creation Long-term Training Programs

Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) supports human resources development that enhances innovation and industry, knowledge-based societies and contributes to a stronger foundation for socio-economic development. To achieve this, JICA offers fully supported Masters' Degree and PHD scholarships under the ABE Initiative, SDGs Global Leader, Agri-Net and KIZUNA programs.

#### African Business Education Initiative (ABE)

The objective of the ABE Initiative Master's Degree and Internship Program is to support young personnel who can contribute to the development of industries in Africa. This program offers opportunities to young African men and women to study master's courses at Japanese universities and experience internships at Japanese companies. The expected outcome of the program is to build a network of potential contributors to the development of African industries, who will also lead Japanese businesses to engage further in economic activities in Africa.

