

**CAMEROON ACADEMY OF SCIENCE
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SCIENTISTS
YAOUNDE – CAMEROON**



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Call for Active membership into the Cameroon Academy of Young Scientists (CAYS)

1. Introduction

With reference to Article 3 of our statute, members of the Cameroon Academy of Young Scientists (CAYS) are selected from amongst young scientists under 45 years, working in Cameroon and the diaspora (Associate members and Alumni). CAYS is made up of three colleges:

- College of biological sciences;
- College of social sciences;
- College of physical sciences

Prospective candidates must have demonstrated exceptional scientific distinction and good commitment to the promotion of science education, popularization and research in Cameroon. In line with the above, the CAYS hereby invites prospective candidates to apply for membership to the young academy. This call concerns all areas of Science including Engineering, Medicine, Social Sciences and Humanity.

2. Eligibility criteria

- Be not older than 45 years by the 31st of December 2020;
- Be a holder of a PhD;
- Have experience in the research management of research and innovation;
- Be motivated, available and willing to contribute significantly to CAYS activities.

Candidates for the different CAYS colleges may come from Cameroonian universities and research institutes. Each active member of the CAYS will be elected for a term of three years renewable once. This renewal shall take into consideration the continuous demonstration of scientific excellence by the member.

3. Application file

- The applicants must fill an online application form and attach the required elements;
- Applicants are required to upload a detailed Curriculum Vitae with full contact information of two influential scientists who can comment on the candidate's scientific activities-
Recommendation letters from the two influential scientists

4. Submission process

- Complete your full application file and submit online with all requested documents.
- Also submit the full application file (application form, CV, motivation letter, recommendation letters) as a single pdf file via e-mail to cameroonyoungacademy@gmail.com

5. Important dates

- Deadline for application: 30th of October 2020.
- Announcement of results: 20th November 2020

- Contact meeting of selected candidates with members of CAYS in preparation for the induction ceremony: 20th November 2020 at 14h.
- Induction ceremony: 04th December, 2020 at 14h.30.

6. Contact:

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