



2016 BHEARD Scholar
Jovia Kamatenesi

Profile

Country of Study:	Kenya
University:	University of Nairobi
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Student Position:	Graduate Research Assistant—M.Sc.
Hometown:	Kigali, Rwanda
Home Institution:	Rwanda Agricultural Board
Home Position:	Seed Analyst

Research Area: Horticulture

BHEARD PROGRAM START DATE: September 2016

UNDERGRADUATE EDUCATION: B.Sc., Applied Biotechnology, Kigali Institute of Science and Technology, Rwanda

RESEARCH INTERESTS: The horticulture program will be important to Jovia's institution and Rwanda, as it will enhance capacity in the area of plants in the horticulture program by using modern technologies including molecular tools.

PERSONAL STATEMENT: Jovia's goal in the future is to improve agriculture sectors using modern technologies in Rwanda.

WHEN I AM NOT WORKING I ENJOY: For Jovia, she likes to spend her time reading new scientific journals and listening to gospel music.