



## **African Studies Association of the United Kingdom**

### **Teaching Fellowship**

The ASAUK Council is offering £5,000 to support a teaching fellowship for a UK based academic to work in an African University.

This is a pilot project and we hope to raise funds to support a more sustained programme in future years. ASAUK Council is committed to developing partnerships and academic relations between British and African Universities. Ideally we are looking for applications from young academics who have recently finished doctoral degrees on African topics in British universities. But we will also consider doctoral students, especially those with some teaching experience, and others based in British universities. The award is open to applicants of any nationality trained in British universities.

The award is designed to cover about three month's subsistence at £1,300 a month plus travel expenses. However, ASAUK Council has a flexible approach to the award and would be keen to support co-funding or exchange arrangements that could last over a longer period. We would like to ensure that the applicant has a mentor. The award can cover any field in the social sciences and humanities.

Applicants should send the following by email to David Kerr [d.kerr@asauk.net](mailto:d.kerr@asauk.net) by Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> December.

- a CV, including research plans and teaching experience
- a short description of teaching plans and any co-funding or partnership arrangement
- a letter of support from a sponsor in an African institution
- a letter of support from a supervisor or other referee in the UK.

The successful applicant will be asked to write a report for the ASAUK newsletter or a journal and to participate in developing the scheme.