We are pleased to inform you that the School of Biosystems and Environmental Engineering (SoBEE) will host an academic seminar **on Research & Development in Africa,** in iPIC Exhibition Hall, on July 1, 2026, beginning at 11 am. Our speaker for the day will be Prof. Magnus Mfoafo M'Carthy of Wilfrid Laurier University, Ontario, Canada. The seminar aims to encourage postgraduate students and other researchers to focus their academic research on Africa's development and to promote multidisciplinary research.

You may contact Prof Wambua Kaluli (jkaluli@jkuat.ac.ke) for further information.

TIME	ACTIVITY	LEAD
11:00 – 11:10	Arrival and registration	
11:10 – 11:20	Introductions (10 min)	Prof James Wambua Kaluli, JKUAT
11.20 - 11.40	Welcome Remarks	Chair SWEED
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11:40 - 12:00	Remarks by Chief Guest	Prof. Jackson Kwanza - DVC Research, Production and Extension, JKUAT
12:00 - 12:20	Delivery of the lecture	Professor Mfoafo-M'Carthy Winfrid Laurier University, Ontario, Canada
12:20 – 13:00	Questions and answers	
13:00 - 13:10	Vote of thanks and closing remark	Dr. Mwikamba Kaibui, Ag. Registrar RPE