



# AMGC News

## Director General's Message



During the month of April, the activities in African Minerals and Geosciences Centre (AMGC) was training and the routine analytical services. The training courses carried out include: training on Metallurgical Balance and Process Control, training on Modern Laboratory

Management Methods, and training On Geo-Statistics Application to Geology.

During this month, other events were the visit of the Pan-African Women in Mining Association (PAWOMA) Executive Director to discuss on issues of mutual interest between AMGC and PAWOMA. AMGC had also discussed with Chemical Analytical Equipment Supplier, Vision Scientific Engineering Kenya Ltd for possible upgrading of the analytical capacity of the Centre. The University of Dar es Salaam students from Geology Department made a study tour at the Centre.

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## Training on Modern Laboratory Management Methods



Certificate Ceremony of Mr. Tilahun Moges Zeleke, a Chemist and Director of the Chemical Laboratory at Geological Survey of Ethiopia (GSE). Mr. Tilahun attended a two weeks training course on Modern Laboratory Management Methods offered by Geochemical and Environmental Department of AMGC from 01-12 April 2019.

## Training on Metallurgical Balance and Process Control



Certificates Ceremony of seven Mineral Processing Engineers from Geological Research Authority of the Sudan (GRAS) trained in Metallurgical Balance and Process Control. The training course was conducted at Minerals Processing & Small Scale Mining Department of AMGC from 02 to 10 APRIL 2019.



## Training On Geo-Statistics Application to Geology



Certificate ceremony for Mr. Azarias Macuacua, the geologist from the National Institute of Mining of Mozambique who attended a two weeks training course on Geo-statistics Application to Geology from 25 March to 05 April 2019 at Geo-information Department in the African Minerals & Geosciences Centre

## PAWOMA Executive Director Visit at AMGC



AMGC Director General, Mr. Ibrahim Shaddad received Ms. Rosemary Olive Mbone Enie, who is the geologist, Gender Ambassador, Executive Director and Coordinator of Pan- African Women Miners Association (PAWOMA) on 4<sup>th</sup> April 2019 at AMGC premises in Dar es Salaam. Ms. Rosemary sought the technical cooperation with AMGC in both PAWOMA Program and Geology Education and Training (GET) Program to support the African Women interested in the two Programs.

## Meeting with Chemical Analytical Equipment Supplier



The African Minerals & Geosciences Centre (AMGC) is in the process of discussing to get new chemical analytical equipment from a supplier, who is Vision Scientific Engineering Kenya Ltd. A meeting was held on 4<sup>th</sup> April 2019 with Mr. Subash Ambidy, the Vision's Director of Instrumentation & Service for acquiring new XRD machine to be followed by XRF, AAS machines.

## Netherlands King's Day Celebration in Dar Es Salaam, Tanzania



AMGC Director General, Mr. Ibrahim Shaddad attended celebration of King's Day 2019 at the Dutch Ambassador's residence in Dar es Salaam, Tanzania on evening of 30<sup>th</sup> April 2019. Mr. Shaddad did both his postgraduate diploma and master degree at ITC, Netherlands during 1987-1989.



## University of Dar es Salaam Students Study Tour



University of Dar es Salaam, Geology Department final (4<sup>th</sup>) year and 2<sup>nd</sup> year students paid a one-day study visit to the African Minerals & Geosciences Centre (AMGC).



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## Development of East African Community (EAC) Mineral Value Addition and Policy Framework

The African Minerals & Geosciences Centre (AMGC) is in partnership for the Development of East African Community (EAC) Mineral Value Addition and Policy Framework. A Taskforce is formulated which will guide the development of EAC Minerals Value Addition (MVA) Strategy. AMGC is selected to be part of the Taskforce due to the relevance of work it is doing and the opportunities to leverage AMGC technical expertise. The first meeting of the task force will be on 5-7 June 2019 in Arusha, Tanzania. The East African Community (EAC) is an intergovernmental organization composed of six countries in the African Great Lakes region in eastern Africa: Burundi, Kenya, Rwanda, South Sudan, Tanzania, and Uganda. Paul Kagame, the president of Rwanda, is the EAC's chairperson.



## Kenya Gem & Jewelry Fair (KGJF) 2019



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