



# AMGC News

## Director General's Message



In the month of July the sixth regional training workshop of the ACP-EU Development Minerals programme was conducted. This training workshop was the last of the series of the regional training workshops carried out by the Geo-information Department of the African Minerals and Geosciences Centre (AMGC) as part of the fulfilment of one of the themes of the ACP-EU Development Minerals Programme on Digitization and Mapping of Development Minerals for the African Caribbean and

Pacific Countries. The African component of the programme was organized at AMGC as series six regional training workshops covering all regions of the African continent.

The sixth regional training workshop was held from 16<sup>th</sup> to 27<sup>th</sup> July with participants from five Eastern African countries, Ethiopia, Kenya, Rwanda, Sudan and Tanzania. The purpose of this training workshop was to enhance the knowledge base on mapping, inventory, digitization, resource estimation and dissemination of available data on Development Minerals in the participating countries. The participants representing different sectors including senior government officials, University professors, mining and exploration operators, civil-society organizations in these countries. The training workshop was attended by 28 participants, the largest of all regional workshops, from government, private, academic and civil society institutions.

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## Training on Geological Data Integration and Mineral Targeting



Six Sudanese professionals from the Geological Research Authority of Sudan (GRAS) attended a training course on Geological Data Integration and Mineral Targeting. The course held at the Geo-information department of the African Minerals & Geosciences Centre (AMGC) from 02 to 12 July 2018.

## Training on Mineral Processing– Beneficiation Operations and Metallurgical Processes



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AMGC is  
"To promote  
socio-economic  
and  
environmentally  
responsible  
mineral  
development in  
Africa"*



Six mining-mineral processing engineers from the Geological Research Authority of Sudan (GRAS) participated in a training course on Mineral Processing–Beneficiation Operations and Metallurgical Processes. The course held at Mineral Processing and Small Scale Mining at AMGC facilitated by Eng. Mr. Alex Mkama.



## Sudan appointed its Representative in the AMGC's Board of Directors



Sudan has been elected a member of the Board of Directors (BOD) of African Minerals and Geosciences Centre (AMGC). The appointment was made over the 38th Governing Council meetings held in Dar es Salaam on 08 June 2018. Dr. Mohamed Abu Fatima, the Director General of the Geological Research Authority of Sudan (GRAS) will represent Sudan in the AMGC Board of Directors.

## AMGC – EREX MoU Signing



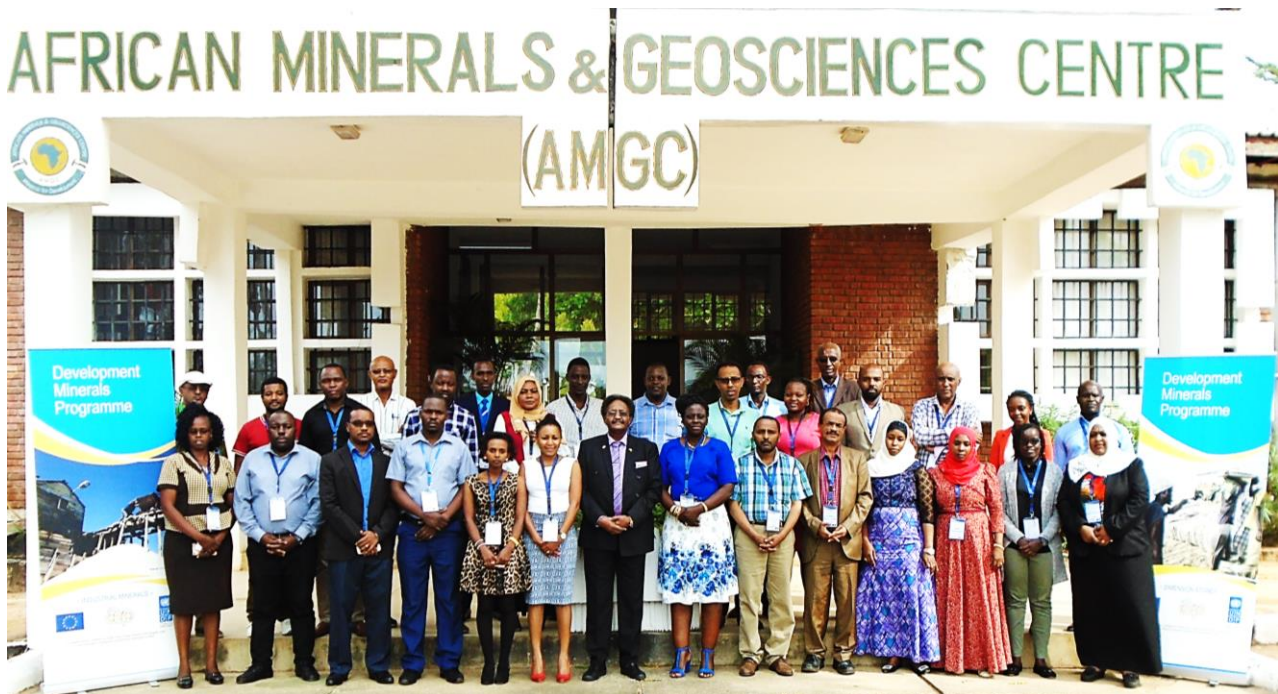
The African Minerals & Geosciences Centre (AMGC) has signed a MoU with the Earth Resources Exploration (EREX), which is a Petroleum Consulting Company based in Cairo, Egypt. AMGC-EREX Partnership is to establish a Fossil Fuel & Energy Department at AMGC premises in Dar es Salaam, Tanzania

## Sudan High Delegation Visit at AMGC



The African Minerals & Geosciences Centre (AMGC) was honored on 20<sup>th</sup> July 2018 by a courtesy visit from a Sudanese high delegation led by H.E. Dr Nafie Ali Nafie, the Secretary General of the Council of African Political Parties (CAPP), who was on a formal visit to Tanzania.

## The 6th Geodata Digitisation and Mapping of Development Minerals



Group photo after Certificates Ceremony of the sixth Geodata Digitization and Mapping of Development Minerals for ACP-EU Development Minerals Programme regional training workshop held from 16 to 27 July 2018 for the Eastern African region. Twenty-eight participants from Ethiopia (6), Kenya (6), Rwanda (5), Sudan (5) and Tanzania (6) from the academia, government, industry and civil societies attended it.



## Practical Training for University Students



**AMGC Director General and Managers of Mineral Processing & Small Scale Mining in a group picture with nine undergraduate students studying minerals processing engineering at University of Dodoma, Tanzania who are currently undergoing a practical training for one month at AMGC.**

## Training on Pottery and Basic Ceramic



**Certificate Ceremony of Mr. Antony Ngaruiya from International School of Kenya. Mr. Ngaruiya attended a two weeks training on Pottery and Basic Ceramic at the African Minerals & Geosciences Centre (AMGC) from 25th June to 6th July 2018.**

## Opportunities



### July 2018 African Minerals and Geosciences Centre (AMGC)

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## International Conference on Artisanal and Small-scale Mining & Quarrying

The ASM18, taking place September 11-13, 2018, in Livingstone, Zambia, It will be a space for the voices of ASM to share visions of the future. A wide spectrum of commodities will be discussed ranging from the well-known, such as precious metals and precious stones, to those that have yet to receive due attention, such as Development Minerals, like aggregate and clay. For more information, please visit <http://asmconference.org>

## Processing Technologies, Metal Recoveries & Economic Feasibility of Deep Sea Mining

An international workshop on Processing Technologies, Metal Recoveries & Economic Feasibility of Deep Sea Mining will be held in Warsaw, Poland from 3-6 September 2018. The workshop is jointly organized by the International Seabed Authority, the Interoceanmetal Joint Organization and the Poland Ministry of Environment. For further information, please visit <https://www.isa.org>.



## Mozambique Gem Fair

The Mozambique 3rd Gem Fair will be held during 15th – 18th August 2018 in Nampula province, Mozambique

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