

# IEEE Continu▶ED™

## Continuing Education for Engineers in Africa



IEEE New Initiatives Committee Project 2021-2023

# Project Overview

**Long-term goal:** Establish IEEE as a market leader in continuing education for technical professionals in Africa.

**Project goal:** Create the foundation for achieving the long-term goal.

## Approach

- **Customer engagement:** Offer a bundle of courses to engineers through their employers to obtain evaluation and feedback
- **Market awareness:** Work closely with local IEEE sections and volunteers in six target countries
- **Regulatory compliance:** Become familiar with the frameworks governing engineering registration and continuing education requirements

## Three-Year Plan

2021 – launch in Zambia and Kenya

2022 – extend pilot to Rwanda, Uganda, Ghana, and Nigeria

2023 – focus on marketing, certification, sustainability

## Project Team

### Volunteer Co-Leads

Vincent Kaabunga  
Bruce Krogh

### IEEE Staff Lead

Kathy Weeks

### Stakeholder Relations Specialists

Lucy Muchira - East and Southern Africa  
Nneoma Ofodile - West Africa

### IEEE OU Support

EA, Research, Marketing, Tech. Societies

## Project Status

### Pilot program

- 66 employers enrolled in seven countries
- courses completed by over 570 engineers
- over 4,700 courses completed

### Events

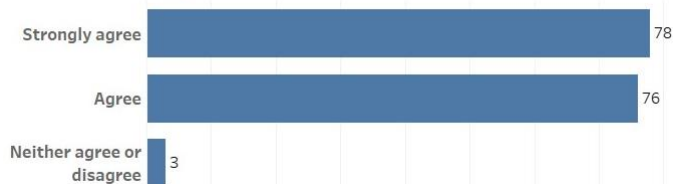
- Webinars
- Section meetings
- Conference presentations & panels

### New content development

- Course modules
- Course mentor support

# Some Feedback

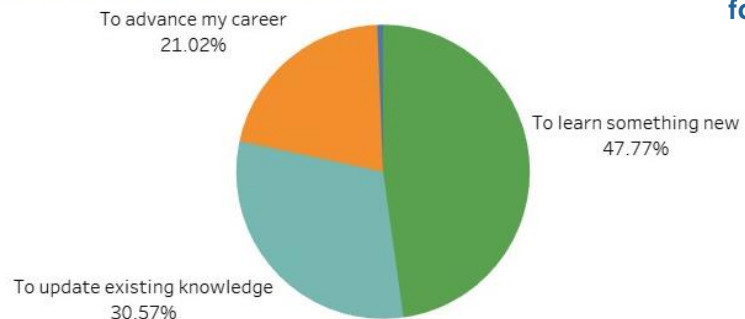
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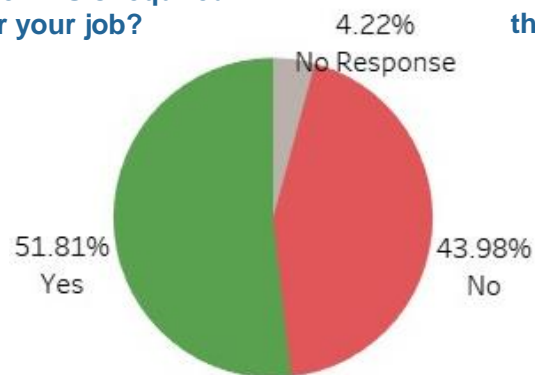
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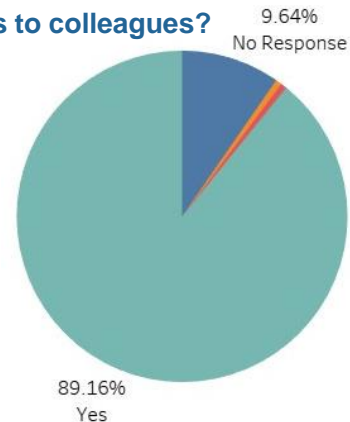
## Why Did I Take the Course?



## Are CEU's required for your job?



## Would you recommend the courses to colleagues?





**We welcome engagement with  
Region 8!**

