

**Application for African Postdoctoral Training Initiative (APTI) - a partnership of the African Academy of Sciences, the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation, and the U.S. National Institutes of Health**

- The application must be written in English and completed online.
- Accompanying documents
  - Candidate letter of interest expressing:
    - Research interest(s),
    - Long-term professional goals
    - Commitment to return to position in African home institution after completion of two-year fellowship at NIH.
  - Two (2) professional letters of recommendation
  - Letter of support from African home institution to express:
    - Interest in collaboration with an NIH intramural laboratory
    - Intention to grant unpaid leave or sabbatical to candidate to pursue research at the NIH for two years
    - Intention to provide a fulltime position with at least 50% protected time for research (funded by APTI) for two years upon return to their home institution

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

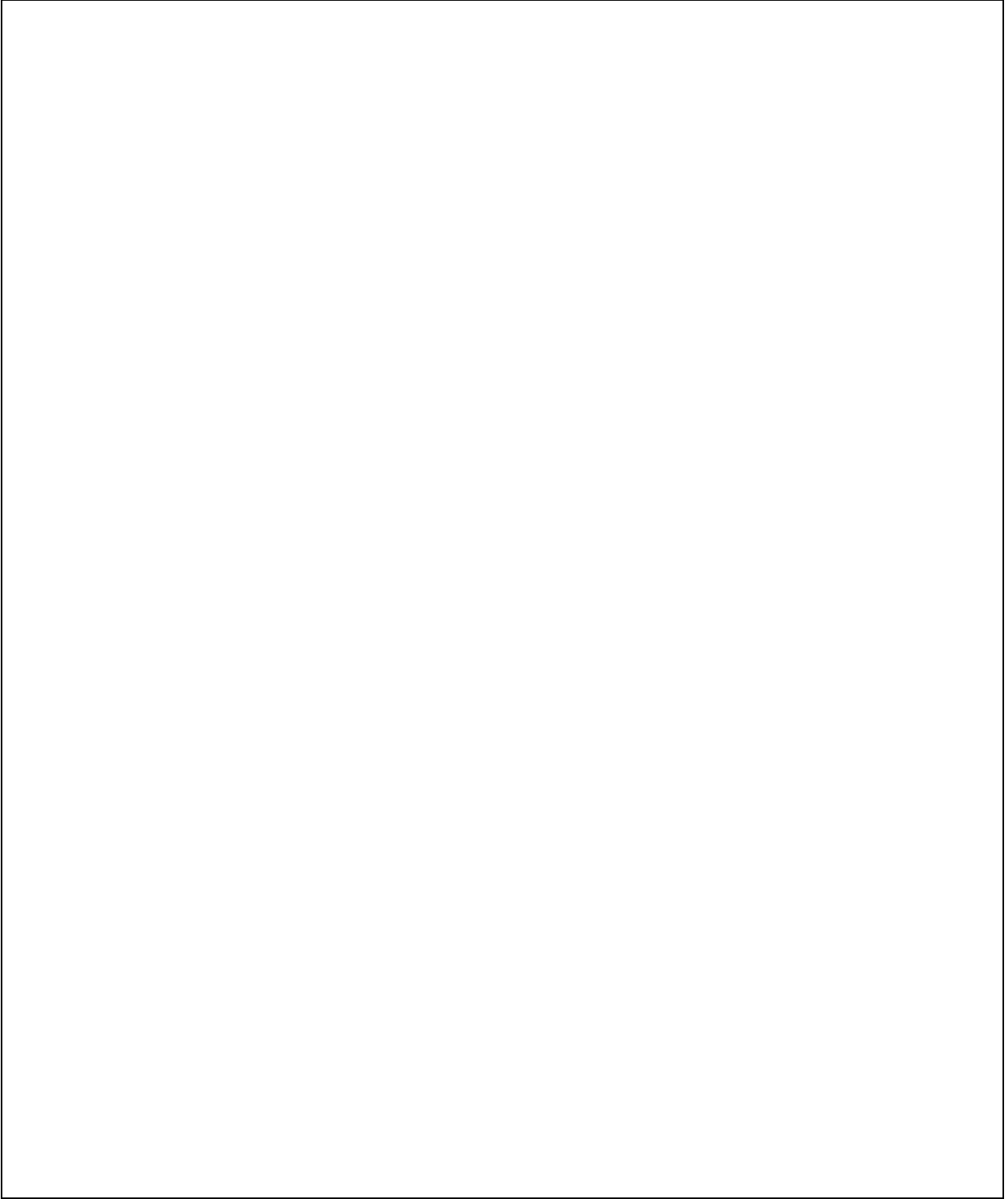
1. Name in Full (family, first, middle):				
2. Gender male      female				
3. Date of Birth: (Day/Month/Year)				
4. Nationality:				
5. Mailing Address:				
① Office:				
Tel:				
E-mail:				
② Home:				
Tel:				
E-mail:				
6. Highest Academic Degree (circle one) Ph.D., M.D., MBBS, D.V.M., D.Sc., Other (specify)				
① Type:		② Date conferred:		
③ Field:		(Day Month Year)		
④ Institution:				
7. Current Supervisor				
① Name:				
② Position or Title:				
③ Institution:				
8. Education Background (From Undergraduate Level)				
Name of University / Institute	Location	Degree	Field	Completion Date (Month, Year)
9. Previous Employment:				
Name of Institution/Organization	Location	Position	Duration (From--To)	

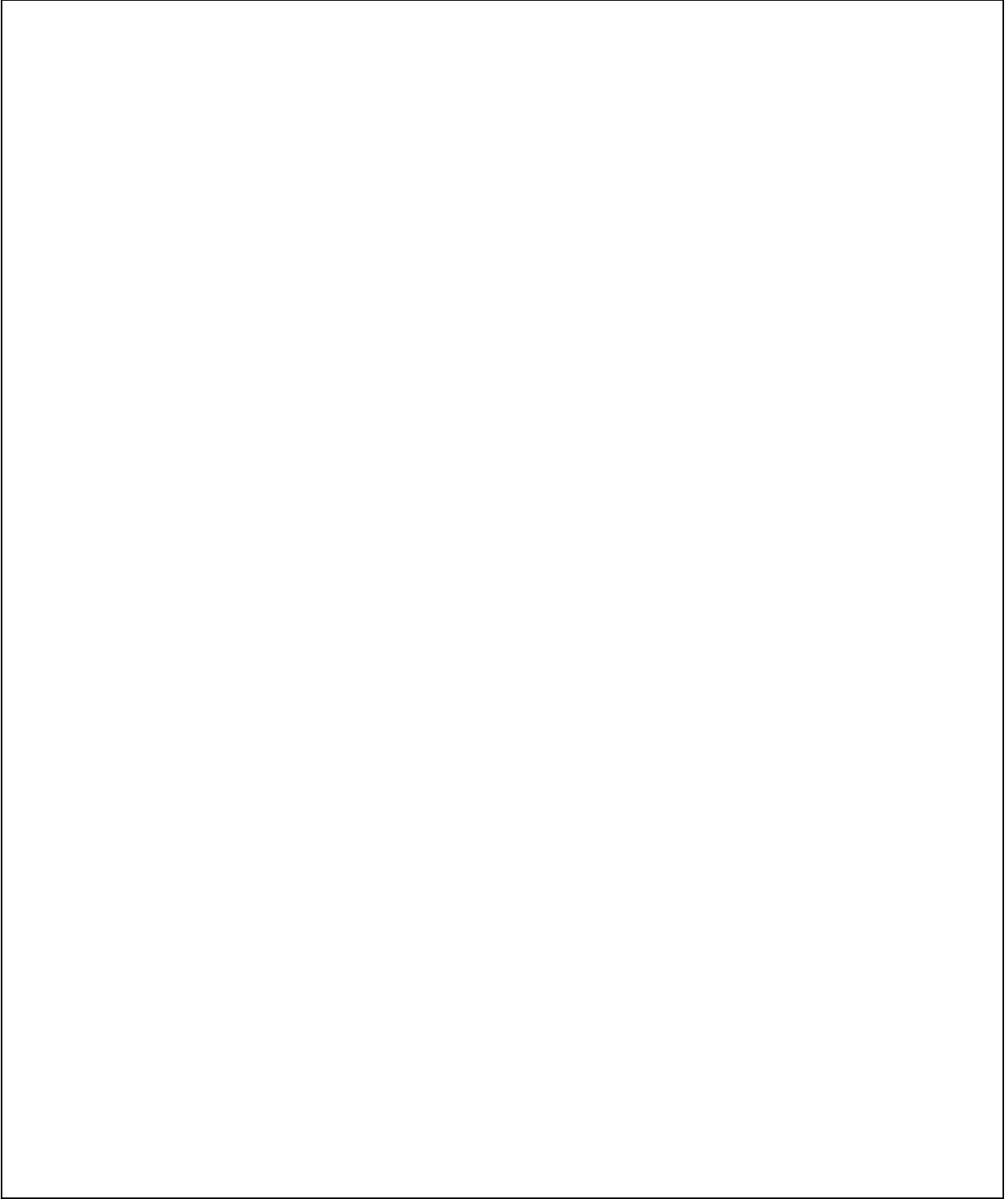

10. Professional Awards (Please indicate title of award, conferring organization and awarded calendar year)

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**11. Past or Current Research and Achievements:**

(You may not use figures nor tables. No more than two pages. List publications from any of your research work. Do not change the page format or add extra pages)





1) Publications

2) Presentations at international conferences (poster/oral)

**The applicant must confirm the following undertakings**

1. I confirm that I (and all those providing personal information in the application) have read and understood the AAS Data Protection statement (pdf) which was accepted when registering online to complete this application.
  
2. To the best of my knowledge, the information provided in this application is accurate and complete.
  
3. I have read the conditions under which grants are awarded and, if a grant is made, I agree to abide by them.
  
4. The necessary facilities will be made available to conduct this research, and will continue to be available for the duration of the AAS award.