

# International Training Centre for Environmental Research e.V. (ITCER)



## Agenda – Day 1

- 09:00 EAT: Arrival at ITCER (Participants)
- 10:00 EAT: Welcome and introduction to ITCER (Gerhard Rambold)
- 10:15 EAT: GBIF Africa Network and GBIF Kenya Node - Status quo (NN)
- 10:30 EAT: ITCER resources and tools for GBIF data preprocessing (Gerhard Rambold)
- 11:15 EAT: GBIF data paper publication overview (Tanja Weibulat)
- 11:30 EAT: ITCER as a GBIF data publisher - Guidelines (Dagmar Triebel)
- 11:45 EAT: Discussion
- 12:00 EAT: Lunch Break
- 13:30 EAT: ITCER terms, data policy, and roles for GBIF data publication
- 14:30 EAT: Endorsement of ITCER as a GBIF publisher - Technical recommendations
- 15:00 EAT: Summary and End of Day
- 18:30 EAT: Dinner in Siaya town

## Agenda – Day 2

- 10:00 EAT: Welcome at ITCER (Gerhard Rambold)
- 10:15 EAT: Team work in small groups on data workflows
- 12:00 EAT: Lunch Break
- 13:30 EAT: Discussion on challenges and solutions for GBIF data publication
- 15:00 EAT: End of the Day

- Kenya

- Western Kenya

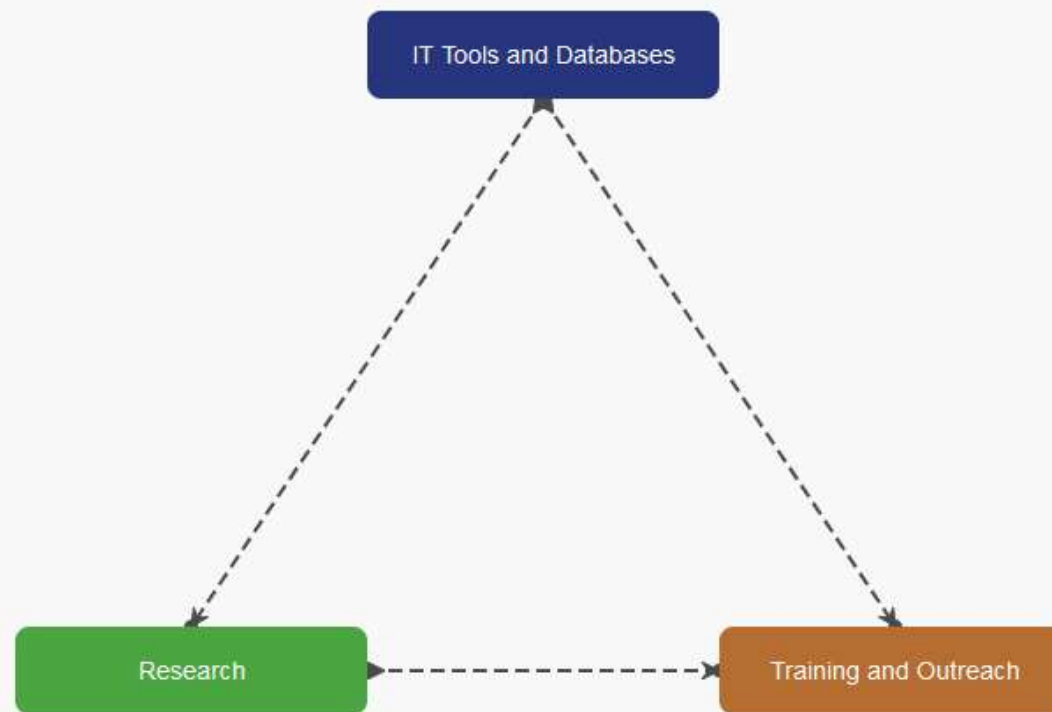
- Siaya County

- SE-Alego, Uradi Village



- Research (long-term projects)
  - Biodiversity and Function
  - Impact on local community
- Training
  - Students from East African Universities
  - Students from Europe
- Infrastructures
  - Field sites (Kenya and → Equatorial Africa)
  - Laboratory
  - Data node

## ITCER – Focus Points and Activities



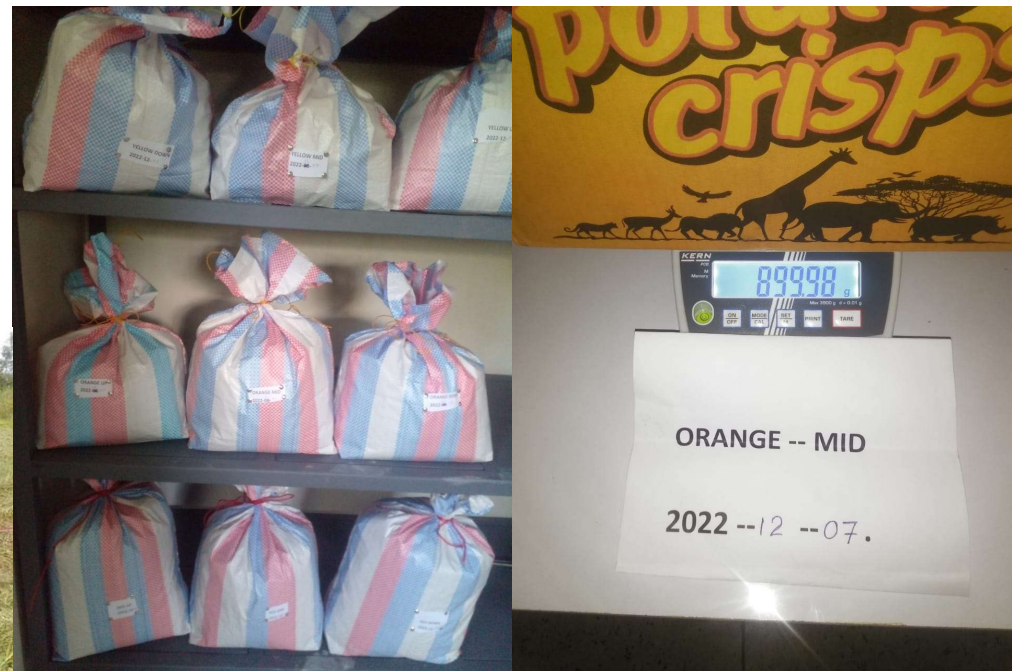
- Seminar of MSc and PhD Students

- (mainly) from Egerton University, Kenya at September 11<sup>th</sup> 2022.



Phoebe Sikuku (Maseno University), Josphat Matasyoh (Egerton University) with student

- Visit from University of Hohenheim (via BW funding of joint projects AFRIKA) on February 28 to March 08, 2023







- Storage and information flow for species data
- Expert Workshop on GBIF Data at ITCER, Kenya at October 27<sup>th</sup>, 28<sup>th</sup>, 2023
  - National Museums of Kenya
  - GBIF Germany (SNSB, NFDI4Biodiversity)
  - County Government of Siaya, (Dept. of Water, Environment and Natural Resources)
  - ITCER Kenya Members



Siaya County Government



- Seminar with students from University of Tübingen at ITCER, Kenya at March 11<sup>th</sup>, 2024



- Workshop 'Enhancing Renaturation in Siaya County' at ITCER, Kenya at April 18<sup>th</sup>, 2024



Siaya County Government

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*Calidea dregii* (Scutelleridae, Scutellerinae, Scutellerini)

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