

Dear UA Members,

I would like to express my sincere congratulations and appreciation for the substantive achievement recently accomplished by the UA Center for Career Development (CCD). The team members have taken ownership of their work and succeeded in sustaining their motivation to defy the crisis and turn it into an opportunity in their own way.

In truth, their efforts over the past seven months have paid off, and as a result of the "Career Center Grants" project prepared by the CCD in collaboration with the United States Agency for International Development (USAID) and the Education Development Center (EDC), Antonine University was granted the amount of 25,056 \$ that will help the CCD team successfully complete the "Global Career Development Facilitator (GCDF)" training certification, optimize the resources available at the CCD Library and improve the career counseling services provided to the UA students to continually support them in acquiring career readiness competencies.

I strongly encourage all the faculties, departments and administrative units to have a clear focus on seeking other funding opportunities. We will be proud to applaud similar inspiring projects which can strengthen the University competitiveness, bring about positive change in our dearest community and create rays of light despite the surrounding darkness.

Looking forward to more success together!

Sincerely,