

Integrating UN Development Goal No 8 into Education

Promoting Good Work and Sustainable Economic Development (SDG 8) at African Universities

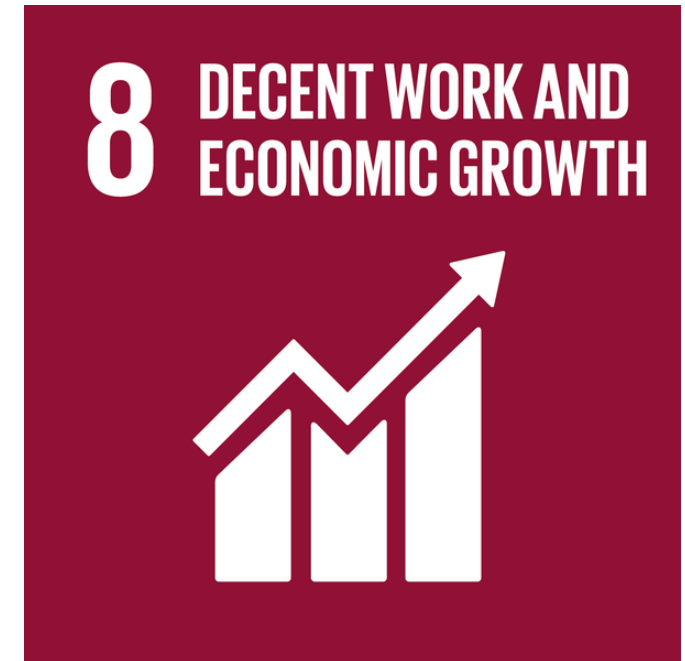
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The UN Sustainable Development Goal 8

The 4 Core Themes

- Adverse effects of **globalized economic growth** on **climate and environment**
- Increase of **socioeconomic disparities**
- Growth of **digitalization, automation, and artificial intelligence** and their impact on work and employment
- Global burden of **work-related diseases**, its causes and consequences



Background and Aim of the Study

Promoting decent work and sustainable economic development is a challenge, especially for emerging countries where OSH is often less institutionalized or anchored in law

The study examines the current status of the integration of UN SDG 8 into programs at African universities

- **In courses related to safety, health and well-being at work**
- **In the organizational structures of the universities**



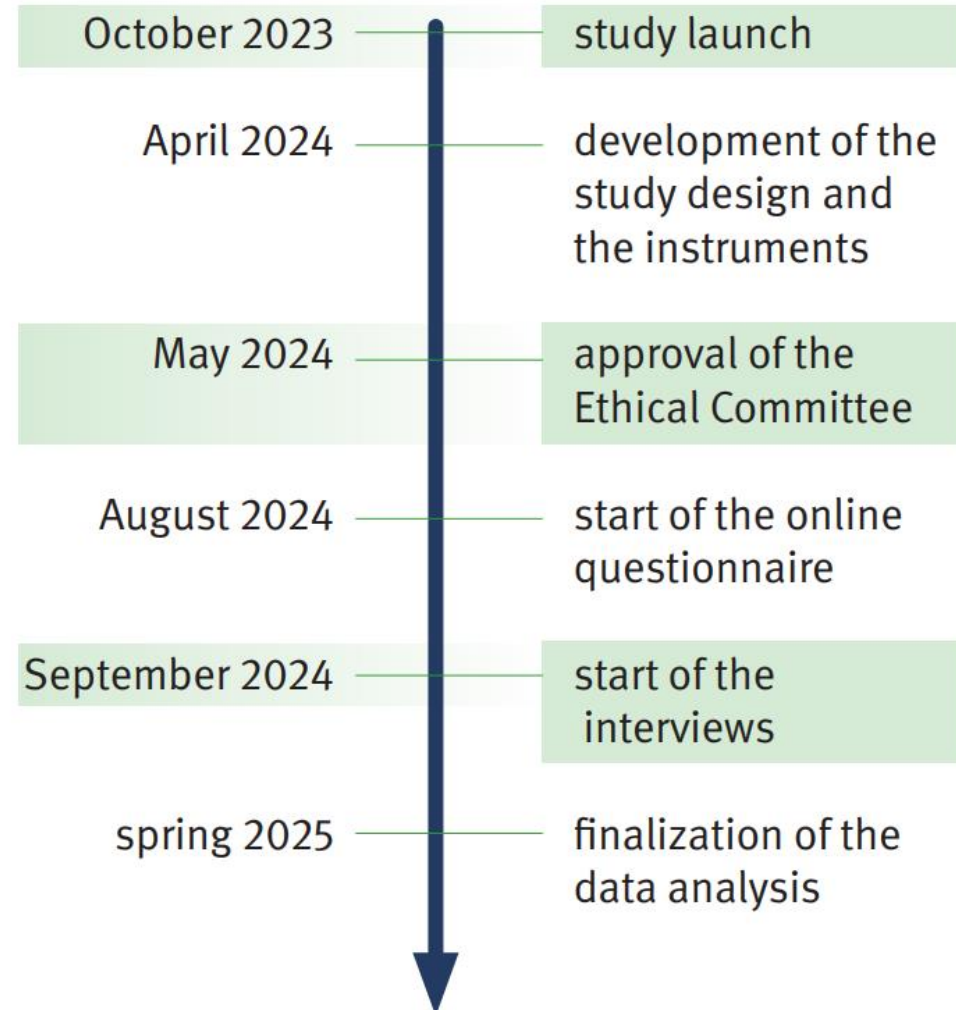
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Our approach



Together with heads of degree programmes and decision makers

TIMELINE



Current Status

Participants from 7 countries

- Botswana, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Ghana, Kenya, Nigeria, South Africa, Zimbabwe

Analysis of interview data with MAXQDA

Preparations for result publication in different formats

- Journal articles, workshop with participants

Thank you for your Attention!

Any Questions?

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