The purpose of the programme is to establish 100 competent black export perishable supply chain technologists. It allows individuals to participate in a one-year experiential training opportunity, designed to expose learners on a theoretical and practical level to the agri export supply chain and to provide them with a headstart in advancing themselves professionally.

Learners are exposed to recent innovations and receive theoretical training from industry specialists in aspects such as factors influencing export viability; total quality management systems; food safety; export legislation and certification; cold chain management; total quality management systems; and product knowledge.

Experiential learning is sector-specific and individuals are able to participate in an exciting current knowledge and skills transfer project.

If you meet the following criteria, you could be able to kick off your career by participating in this innovative programme:

- A national 3-year (minimum) qualification in one of the following fields: Agricultural Sciences, Food Technology or Environmental Health; or you will be studying towards the completion of one of the above-mentioned qualifications and therefore you are required to complete the necessary experiential training associated with the programme
- A strong academic history
- Competency in the English language
- Currently unemployed.

Selection and participation of learners are reserved for individuals from previously disadvantaged groups. Contact Bernadette on tel 021 936 4831 for more information.