



2015 BHEARD Scholar
Innocent Malunga

Profile

Country of Study:	Kenya
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Research Area: Soil Science

BHEARD PROGRAM START DATE: September 2015

UNDERGRADUATE EDUCATION: B.Sc., Chemistry and Biology, University of Malawi

RESEARCH INTERESTS: Innocent's research proposal is entitled, "Effects of legume intercrops and mineral nitrogen on nutrient uptake and yield performance of maize (*Zea mays* L.) in Malawi."

PERSONAL STATEMENT: To contribute toward food security in Malawi through scientific interventions which are cheaper and easier to be adopted by smallholder farmers.

WHEN I AM NOT WORKING I ENJOY: Innocent enjoys chatting, watching soccer, documentaries, nature walks and going to church.