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GGML Offer In-service Training for Graduates

(GEITA – PRESS RELEASE) – Geita Gold Mine Limited (GGML) today launched its 2018 intake of 21 entrants into its internship programme, which provides young graduates with practical training and exposure to real challenges of the workplace. Apart from imparting skills, the programme also creates a talent pool which can be tapped when positions become available at the mine.

The internship programme has been running for two years, and to date 48 graduates have been placed in a range of departments at the mine including geology, mining, process plant, human resources, legal, community, safety and environment.

One of this years’ selected interns’ is Beatrice Makanga, a Tanzanian graduate in Finance and Accounting for Public Sector. Beatrice completed her studies from Mzumbe University in Morogoro in the year 2017.

“I am delighted to be part of this Program as it will help me to acquire more skills and working knowledge to cooperate with the Finance Department at GGML. Through acquiring experience concerning accounts and Finance, the Internship Program will also help to develop my career,” She said, adding that the program will open more opportunities as at the end of her internship she will have enough skills and confidence to compete at the Tanzania market.

As a private-sector player in the growing Tanzanian economy, GGML is committed to supporting the national economic development plans of the government to make Tanzania a middle-income country by 2025.

Aboubakary Abdalah Ligima is another Tanzania graduate Engineer in Civil and building from Dar es Salaam Institute of Technology (D.I.T) in 2017.

He is optimistic that the 2018/2019 Internship Program will help fresh graduates like him to acquire the working experience and technologies used in the mining industry.

“It is a privilege to get the opportunity to join Anglo Gold Ashanti Internship Program because it will expose us to different working environment and link the theories from Universities to the practical aspects in Companies and Organizations,” He said.

“GGM recognizes that as a responsible corporate citizen, and one of the most important African investors in Tanzania, we have an obligation to the people of Tanzania, and especially
to the communities that host our mining operations,” GGM Vice President-Sustainability Mr. Simon Shayo said. “We actively seek to empower young Tanzanians to build capacity that can help sustain Tanzania’s impressive growth and propel its industrialisation effort.”

GGML’s internship initiative also supports the government’s initiatives to reflect the curricula used for institutional training and required labour market skills, in a bid to prepare Tanzanian graduates for future employment.

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