



Rozina Gidey Gebremariam

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Position	Assistant Researcher
Institution	Ethiopian Institute of Agricultural Research
Country	Ethiopia
MSc	Agricultural Economics
Mentor	Gebremariam G. Gebrelibanos, International Maize and Wheat Improvement Center (CIMMYT)
Research Area	Adoption and impacts of different combinations of agricultural technologies on households' welfare.

Rozina Gidey Gebremariam works at the Ethiopian Institute of Agricultural Research as an Assistant Researcher in the Planning, Monitoring and Evaluation Directorate.

She holds a BSc in Agricultural Economics from Haramaya University. Soon after graduation, she joined the Ethiopian Meat and Dairy Industry Development Institute (EMDIDI) as a marketing information and analysis expert. Her main responsibilities were to work as a focal person on the implementation of the National Livestock Market Information System (NLMIS), produce information on the livestock sector for potential investors and conduct training workshops.

Four years later, she joined the Indian Agricultural Research Institute and graduated with a Master's degree in Agricultural Economics in 2016. Her key areas of research interest include project and impact evaluation, and analysis-related research.

Highlighting the fact that she always had a desire to help smallholder farmers improve their livelihoods through dissemination of improved innovations, she mentioned that she was currently working on the adoption and impacts of new agricultural technologies on the welfare of households.

"This is important because it will help me understand the main constraints in the adoption of agricultural innovations and to estimate their impacts on different indicators," she disclosed.

Gebremariam hopes that the AWARD Fellowship will help her to develop her research and leadership skills. She also hopes to expand her networks and explore opportunities for short-term training and long-term study.

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