

Profile



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Safaa Ouahid is on a mission to make a meaningful impact in her field and community by advancing scientific research and leading innovative projects that address critical challenges. Her current research is focused on developing climate-resilient barley through various technologies.

Joining the AWARD Leadership Program for Emerging African Women in Science was an opportunity for Safaa to enhance her leadership skills, with a specific emphasis on communication, decision-making, strategic thinking, and team management. "The program has been instrumental in empowering me to pursue leadership in science and it has provided a supportive network of mentors and peers who have been invaluable in my growth," she says.

As someone who aspires to work with young women in science, she adds, "To younger women considering joining this program, embrace this opportunity. It will develop your leadership skills, connect you with a supportive and inspiring community, and empower you to make a significant impact in science."