

## Wangari Maathai Institute's PhD students defend their proposals – May 2, 2018



*Ms. Kong'ani defending her PhD research proposal*

The Wangari Maathai Institute for Peace and Environmental Students held PhD students research proposals defense on May 2, 2018. A total of ten (10) students successfully defended their respective proposals and were urged to work closely with their proposed supervisors to enable quality work and timely graduation.

The students' research proposals were as follows:

	<b>NAME</b>	<b>TOPIC</b>
1.	Margaret Muriuki	The impacts of community based Environmental Governance on Community Development and Wildlife Population, Habitat Changes & Community Development in Kenya
2.	Lucy Njue	Quantity of Carbon Dioxide in the Menengai Geothermal Field Bedrock and its Relation to the cap Rock, Magmatic intrusive and Structures
3.	Lilian Namuma Sarah Konga'ni	Role of Meditation in resolving project Implementation Conflicts for Sustainability. Case of Olkaria Geothermal Plant, Naivasha.
4.	Ndiritu James Mwangi	Food based diseases caused by mycotoxins: Implications for the School food feeding program in Machakos County in

		Kenya
5.	Osman Rage	Drought Mitigation status in pastoral arid and semi arid areas in Kenya; A Case Study of Wajir County
6.	Henk Harmsen	Effective detection of poachers in protected areas using environmental criminology and collective intelligence
7.	Rhoda Nyamai Mutono	Urban water demand, supply and health consequences in developing countries: A Case of Nairobi City
8.	Kibet Willy Chebii	Ethonbotany, Governance and Management of Herbal Remedies: Implications for trade. Knowledge and practices in Trans Nzoia County
9.	Kamugisha Marsiale	Transformational Governance for food-secure rural households: Tapping the potential of waste-based agro-forestry in western Uganda
10	Ndagire Abisagi Kasoma	An Investigation into Disposal Methods of Automobile Waste in the greater Kampala Metropolitan Area (GKMA), Uganda