

## **FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS (FAQs)ABOUT THE 2025 BURKINA FASO CITIZENSHIP INITIATIVE**

### **1. What?**

- a. The government of Burkina Faso has asked ADDI to spearhead a citizenship initiative that invites African Diaspora to apply to be citizens of Burkina Faso.
- b. There will be two Tiers of applications.
  - Tier I=All those who have traced their lineage to Burkina Faso through their DNA.
  - Tier II=Any black Diaspora

### **2. When?**

- a. The government of Burkina Faso has indicated that the ceremony conferring citizenship will happen in June 2025. We are waiting on the Government of Burkina Faso to tell us the exact date in June 2025 that this event will occur. This will depend on the availability of the President.
- b. You must be present in Burkina Faso in June 2025 in order to be conferred with Burkina Faso citizenship.

### **3. How?**

Applications should be sent to the following email addresses: [olayinka20@ouraddi.org](mailto:olayinka20@ouraddi.org) and [taylor@ouraddi.org](mailto:taylor@ouraddi.org). (Please see separate page on the website for more detailed information). Applicants should include the following documents:

- a. Evidence of paid up individual or student ADDI membership.
- b. Government issued ID.
- c. Passport sized Photograph.

### **4. What constitutes ADDI Membership for this initiative?**

- a. To qualify for this opportunity, you must be a registered and fully paid up individual or student member of ADDI.
- b. Registration and payment as an ADDI member can be made here: [Membership Options - ADDI](#)
- c. For this opportunity, full membership needs to have been paid by April 30<sup>th</sup> 2025.
- d. The annual registration fee for a fully paid-up individual member of ADDI is as follows:
  - US\$365 (three hundred and sixty-five United States Dollars) for all those living in North America, Canada, Europe, United Kingdom, Australia & New Zealand and China.
  - US\$100 (one hundred United States Dollars) for all those living in Africa, South America and the Caribbean. Please send an email to [Olayinka20@ouraddi.org](mailto:Olayinka20@ouraddi.org) and [taylor@ouraddi.org](mailto:taylor@ouraddi.org) with proof of your residency in any of these areas in order to receive a unique link to apply for ADDI membership.
- e. The annual registration fee for a fully paid-up student member of ADDI is as follows:
  - US\$50 (Fifty United States Dollars)