



# **UNIVERSITY OF SINE SALOUM ELHADJ IBRAHIMA NIASS (USSEIN)**

**UNIVERSITY OF AGRICULTURE  
FOR FOOD SECURITY,  
SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT  
AND PROSPERITY**

**A new type  
of university  
with impact**

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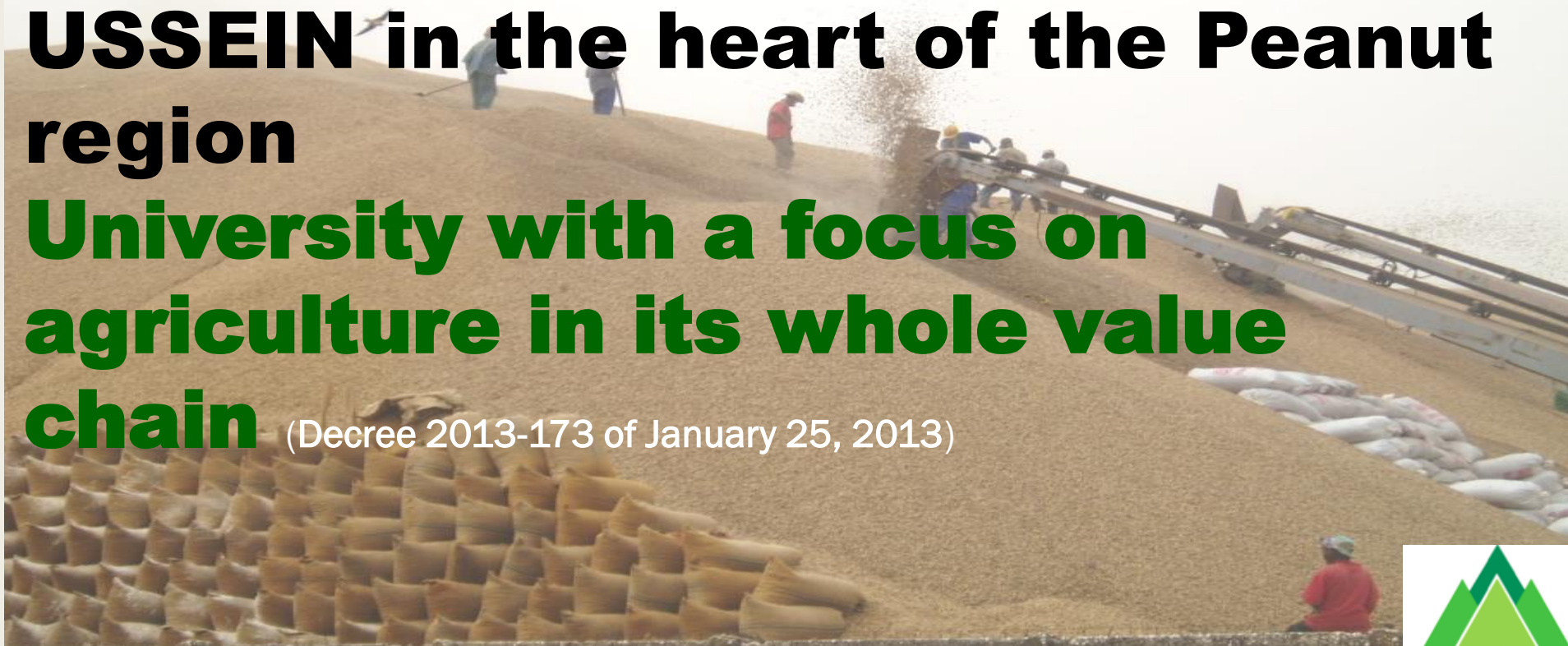


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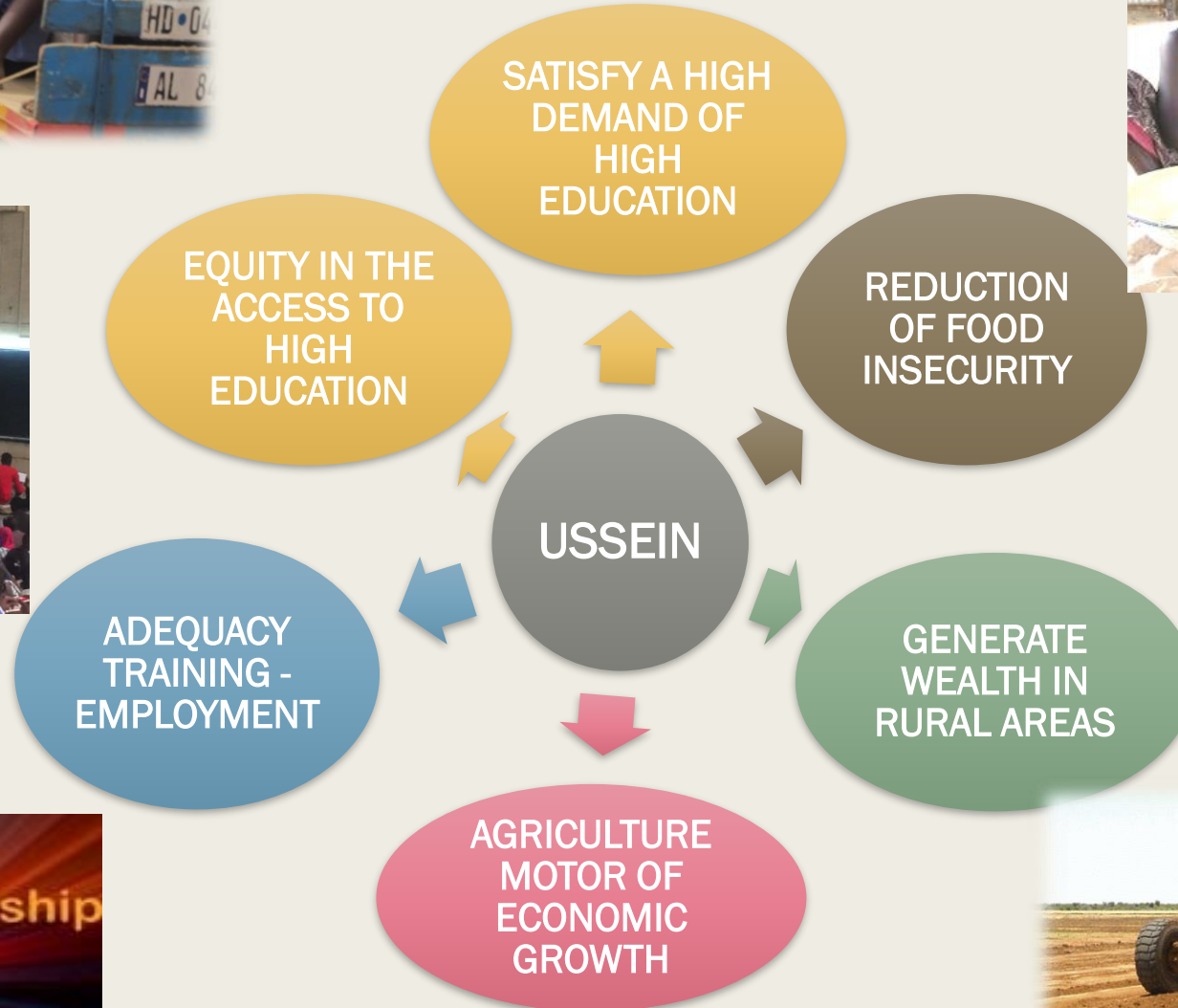
**To modernize and develop the  
agricultural sector → creation of  
USSEIN in the heart of the Peanut  
region**

**University with a focus on  
agriculture in its whole value  
chain** (Decree 2013-173 of January 25, 2013)





# CHALLENGES



# OBJECTIVES



- **Train human resources to be able to meet the needs of agricultural and rural development and to develop knowledge and technologies adapted to local development**
- **Provide competitive and open training to young people to enable them to take advantage of the opportunities offered by local development and regional integration**
- **Contribute to regional integration and to the consolidation of the African space for higher education**



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- **Promote an inclusive approach that takes into account the traditional contributions of communities in adaptation and innovation strategies**
- **Build a partnership between farmers, researchers and extension workers in order to develop appropriate sustainable technologies**
- **Bring up the quality of both training and research to international standards and develop international collaborations**

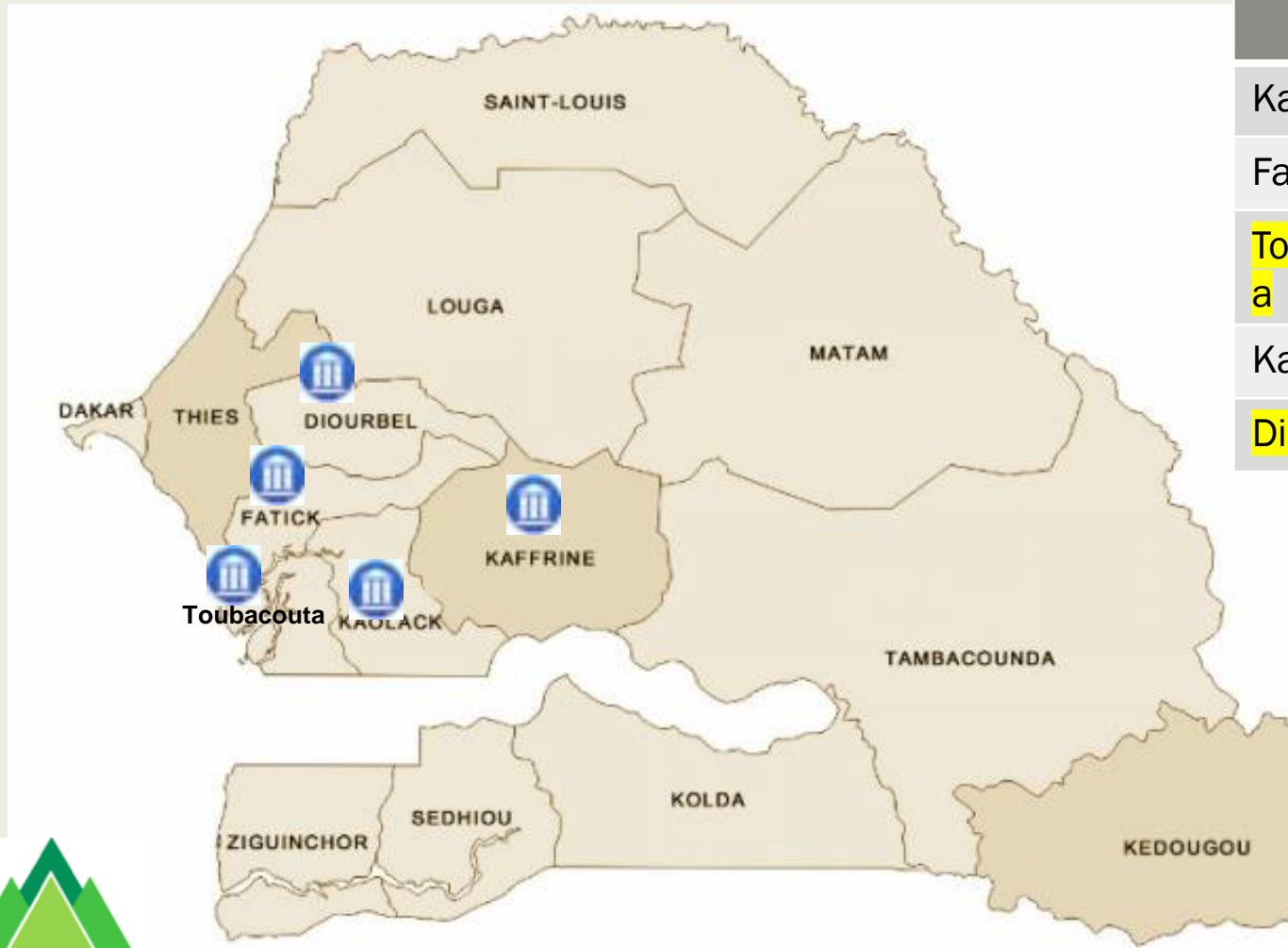
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- Meet the diversified training needs of heterogeneous group of learners (students enrolled in short or long-term courses, people interested in short-term vocational training or retraining, etc.)**
- Install a research spirit geared towards agricultural innovation and development, and services to the community**
- Train skilled individuals able to manage innovations**
- Be a modern green university**



# A MULTICAMPUS UNIVERSITY



	1504 ha
Kaolack	304
Fatick	700
Toubacouta	100
Kafrine	100
Diourbel	250

Not yet explored



# ACADEMIC PROJECT

## 1. TRU Agronomy, Livestock, Fisheries-Aquaculture and Nutrition Sciences

- Departments
  - Agronomy and Plant Production
  - Breeding science and technique
  - Management of fishery resources
  - fishing and aquaculture
  - Nutrition and Food
- **Peanut Institute**

## 2. TRU Fundamental and Engineering Science

- Departments
  - Maths, Computer Science
  - Hydraulics, rural engineering, machinery and renewable energies
  - Food science and technology
- **Hall of technology**

TRU = Training Research Unit



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## 3. TRU Social and Environmental Sciences

- Departments
  - o Environment, biodiversity and sustainable development
  - o Social Science
- **Institute of climate change Research**

## 4. TRU Economics, Legal Sciences and Tourism

- Departments
  - o Tourism, Hotel and Gastronomy
  - o Legal and political sciences
  - o Economics and Management

# PARTNERSHIP

## **NATIONAL - FARMERS ORGANISATIONS – INTERNATIONAL**

- **Cooperation in the field Education/ Research**
  - *Exchange of research students and scientists for educational and research programs of mutual interest.*
  - *Exchange of academic materials and publications in the field of education and research.*
  - *Collaborative research programs, seminars and workshops.*
  - *Faculty development program of mutual interest.*
  - *Exchange of administrative staff of mutual interest.*
  - *Joint consultancies.*

*Thank you for attention*