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CALL FOR APPLICATION

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How to Apply

Download the application form for MED-CDD from the OUT website www.out.ac.tz follow the instructions and submit to:

The Post Graduate Unit / Coordinator Curriculum Design and Development Programmes

The Open University of Tanzania,

P.O. Box 23409,

Dar-es-Salaam or by e-mail to at dpgs@out.ac.tz or medcdd.coordinator@out.ac.tz copied to dfed@out.ac.tz

Contact Unit coordinators @ 0754051096 and 0752648505

Deadline for Applications: 15th March 2019

Below is detailed information

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The Masters in Curriculum Design and Development is programme offered by the Open University of Tanzania (OUT) in collaboration with UNESCO. It is aimed to strengthen the capacities of stakeholders in education and training; management, research, monitoring and evaluation. Specifically, it targets curriculum developers, teacher educators, graduate serving teachers, school inspectors, examination officers as well as educational planners and policy makers at local and regional level; for the purpose of enhancing their competencies in understanding, leading, researching, planning, designing, implementing, monitoring and evaluating decisions about curriculum and education in general.

Expected Learning Outcomes

It is expected that by the end of the programme participants should be able to:

1. Demonstrate an understanding of curriculum concepts, theories and issues
2. Acquire professional skills as trainers in curriculum matters
3. Demonstrate competencies in educational leadership, research methodology, monitoring and evaluation
4. Design programmes of instruction based on modern approaches to curriculum development and cross-cutting issues
5. Conduct monitoring and evaluation for improvement of teaching and learning process
6. Lead and supervise curriculum processes including decision making about curriculum resources.

To be admitted, a candidate should have at least a first degree or its equivalent, or Postgraduate Diploma and at least a 3-year teaching or curriculum practice experience in a relevant field. The minimum class for the degree/PGD qualification should not be less than GPA 3.0. Candidates should have access to internet to participate in the online sessions and available to attend the face-to-face intensive sessions.

Fee Structure

The total fee for the Masters Programme for students who do not hold the postgraduate Diploma will be USD 3,830 covering the following items (split in two academic years where USD 2,230 must be paid during the first year):

- Application (USD 30), registration (USD 100), Student ID (USD 20), Student union Fees (USD 20) and Quality Assurance fees (USD 20)
- Coursework modules (12 units @ 170 = USD 2040) delivered by face to face and e-Learning • Dissertation supervision and examination (USD 900)
- Certification fees (USD 700)

The total fee for the Masters Programme for students who hold the Postgraduate Diploma in Curriculum Design and Development (PGDCDD) will be USD 2,470 covering the following items:

- Application (USD 30), registration (USD 100), Student ID (USD 20), Student union Fees (USD 20) and Quality Assurance fees (USD 20)
- Coursework modules (4 units @ 170 = USD 680) delivered by face to face and eLearning
- Dissertation supervision and examination (USD 900)
- Certification fees (USD 700)

Awards

Final Award

Successful candidates will be awarded the Master of Education in Curriculum Design and Development of the Open University of Tanzania. The following regulations shall apply to all students:

1. Participants registered for Master of Education in Curriculum Design and Development shall complete a minimum of 180 credits within two academic years.

2. Participants shall take and pass all registered courses offered by the Department of Curriculum and Instructions in the Faculty of Education of the Open University of Tanzania (OUT), including a dissertation which has a weighting of 60 credits.
3. The minimum pass grade shall be “B” grade or 50%.
4. A participant who fails a course where it is assessed wholly by continuous assessment, he or she will be required to repeat the course.
5. Participant who fails a repeated course shall be discontinued from the programme.

Exit Award

The Exit award which is equivalent to the PGD in Curriculum Design and Development shall be offered to individuals who exit from the programme having completed at least 120 credits units for the programme

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