

THE OPEN UNIVERSITY OF TANZANIA



FACULTY OF EDUCATION

CALL FOR APPLICATION INTO MASTERS DEGREE IN CURRICULUM DESIGN AND DEVELOPMENT (MED CDD) EXECUTIVE MODE

Faculty of Education, Department of Curriculum and Instructions invites application from qualified candidates for admission into the Masters Degree in Curriculum Design and Development (MED CDD);Executive program for academic year 2020/2021.

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

Contact Unit coordinators @ 0754051096, 075765133 and 0688496857

The Program is Expected to Commence on Mid December 2020

Below is detailed information

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(Executive Mode)

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Faculty of Education invites applications from qualified candidates for admission into the Master Degree in Curriculum Design and Development (MED CDD) program for the academic year 2020/2021.

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 in Tanzania.

PROGRAM STRUCTURE

MASTER OF EDUCATION IN CURRICULUM DESIGN AND DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

Code	Title	Credits	Units	Status
OEI 621	Curriculum Development Process	20	2	Core
OEI 622	Curriculum Design Approaches and Models: Trends in the National and International Contexts	20	2	Core
OEI 623	Curriculum Implementation Process, Management and Governance	20	2	Core
OEI 624	Issues in Curriculum Research and Evaluation	20	2	Core
OED 634	Curriculum Management and Leadership	20	2	Core
OEI 625	Development and use of teaching and learning materials	20	2	Elective
OEI 626	Curriculum Quality Control and Assurance	20	2	Elective
OEI 627	Assessment of Teaching and Learning	20	2	Elective
OEI 628	Policy Dialogue and Formulation for Curriculum Development	20	2	Elective
OED 699	Dissertation	60	6	Core
	TOTAL CREDITS	180	18	

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 Postgraduate Diploma 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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