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POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA IN LEADERSHIP AND ACCOUNTABILITY



OVERVIEW

This programme is designed to equip learners with knowledge, skills and attitude to understand the environment in which their organisations operate; and align good strategic decision-making to maintain their organisational effectiveness and high performance. It seeks to build learners' capacity to apply theory to everyday situations and develop the knowledge, skills and awareness to empower others to make effective contributions to the leadership and management of their organisations and communities, and be able to critically evaluate contemporary issues in leadership and accountability.

Leadership and Accountability Career Projections

- Team Leader or Manager
- Government and Public Administration
- Entrepreneurship
- Human Resources Manager/Director
- Chief Learning Officer (CLO)
- Financial Services Leadership



PROGRAM STRUCTURE

Programme Learning Outcomes

- At the completion of this programme, learners should be able to:
1. Describe the current policy environment for leadership accountability in a variety of settings
 2. Analyse various ethical and professional issues in leadership and accountability
 3. Formulate appropriate public policy on leadership and accountability
 4. Practise the characteristics of an accountable leader and build accountable teams

Total credit hours and course units required for graduation
The programme shall be offered in 8 semesters. The minimum total courses for the programme are 48. The minimum total course credit hours required for graduation is 144 hours.

ASSESSMENT

- Continuous Assessment Tasks: 50%**
- Final Examination: 50%**



ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- A bachelor's degree from an institution recognized by Senate OR
- Any other qualifications that may be determined by senate recognizing prior learning leading to equivalents of the identified criteria, experience and skills of learners.

APPLICATION PROCESS



Application Form

Register by completing the online application form.



Application Screening

Your application will be reviewed to determine if it is a fit with the program.



Join OUK now

Secure your seat by enrolling now for the upcoming cohort



DURATION

1 year

MODE OF DELIVERY

ONLINE



Flexibility

Students can customize their learning experience to fit their unique needs and commitments; with the freedom to choose courses and set their own learning pace



Inclusivity

Diversity is celebrated, and efforts are made to ensure that all students and staff have access to resources and support services to enable their success



Openness

Through open admission criteria, affordable tuition options, and online or distance learning programs, the Open University of Kenya strives to removing barrier to access to education and promote lifelong learning



Certification

All students qualify for progressive certification towards a bachelor's degree:

- Certificate (one third (1/3) of the credit hours)
- Diploma (two-third of (2/3) of the credit hours)
- Degree (programme full credit hours)

LEVEL 1 PROGRAM COURSES

FIRST SEMESTER

SECOND SEMESTER

Leadership and Accountability Fundamentals	Accountability and Accountability Systems
Organizational Design and Change Management	Ethical Leadership Development
Critical Thinking and Problem Solving	Team Building Engagement and Empowerment
Leadership and Communication	Team Building Engagement and Empowerment
Strategic Leadership	Public Policy Analysis for Leaders
Research for Leaders	Financial Management for Leaders
Corporate Governance	Diversity and Gender in Leadership
Leadership in Conflict and Risk Management	Emotional Intelligence and Leadership Development
Design Thinking & Innovation	Capstone Project



READY TO DEVELOP LEADERSHIP EXCELLENCE AND ACCOUNTABILITY?

APPLY NOW!

September 2023 Intake Ongoing!



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