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**Graduate Programme
The Institute for Gender
and Development Studies:
Nita Barrow Unit**



**THE INSTITUTE FOR GENDER
AND DEVELOPMENT STUDIES :
Nita Barrow Unit**

**Post-Graduate Diploma /
MSc. in Gender and
Development Studies**

2016-2017

POST-GRADUATE DIPLOMA and MSc. in GENDER AND DEVELOPMENT STUDIES

The Post-Graduate Diploma and MSc. in Gender and Development Studies are taught programmes that are offered by the Institute for Gender and Development Studies: Nita Barrow Unit (IGDS). The aim of the programme is to develop a cadre of well-trained gender specialists who are able to understand and respond to the complexity of gender relations and systems within the Caribbean region and beyond.

OBJECTIVES

The Post-Graduate Diploma and MSc. in Gender and Development Studies are designed to:

1. Teach students the tools of gender analysis and how to apply them to development processes and operations within public, private and non-profit sectors.
2. Expose a range of modern techniques and an enhanced capacity to address developmental issues in the Caribbean and globalized world.
3. To increase the pool of experts that train or teach women's/gender and development studies at different levels.
4. To strengthen gender-based training and research in diverse subject areas.

MSc. in GENDER AND DEVELOPMENT STUDIES

Entry Requirements

The minimum requirement for MSc. in Gender and Development Studies (GDS) is a Lower Second Class (Honours) undergraduate degree or equivalent. Candidates with an UWI Minor in GDS or Gender Studies OR equivalent tertiary level diploma and extensive working experience in a related field are encouraged to apply.

Duration

The programme can be completed full-time in 12-18 months or part-time in 24 months.

Programme Structure/Course of Study

Students are required to gain 35 credits through successful completion of 5 compulsory courses (19 credits), 2 elective courses (8 credits), 1 research paper or internship project supervised by a gender specialist (15,000-20,000 words, 8 credits) and 1 research seminar (non-credit).

POST-GRADUATE DIPLOMA in GENDER AND DEVELOPMENT STUDIES

Entry Requirement

The minimum requirement for PG Diploma in Gender and Development Studies (GDS) is a Lower Second Class (Honours) undergraduate degree or equivalent. Non-degreed candidates or candidates with Pass degrees who have other relevant qualification and sustainable government or NGO experience will be considered for entry on a case by case basis.

Duration

The programme can be completed full-time in 8-12 months or part-time in 24 months.

Programme Structure/ Course of Study

Students are required to gain 23 credits through the successful completion of five (5) compulsory courses (19 credits) and one (1) elective course (4 credits).

COST (Self-financed programme)

PG Diploma BDS \$20,000 (US \$10,000)

MSc. BDS \$25,000 (US \$12,500)

Students enrolled in this self-financed programme are billed for the courses for which they register each semester. UNIVERSITY FEES are additional to the programme fees and are billed every semester until degree has been awarded.

For current costs of the programme and University fees, log on to the website for the School for Graduate Studies and Research at www.cavehill.uwi.edu/gradstudies.

Programme Cost and University Registration fees are subject to change.

LIST OF COURSES

Compulsory

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1. Contemporary Feminist Theorizing
2. Feminist Epistemology and Methodology
3. Issues in Caribbean Feminism and Gender Relations
4. Gender Analysis for Development, Policy and Planning
5. Sexualities, Bodies and Power in Society.

Electives

MSc. students can select either two (2) IGDS electives or one (1) IGDS elective and one (1) elective from other graduate programmes depending on their interest and the availability of courses.

Select 1 or 2 from the following:

IGDS Electives

1. Key Issues in Gender and Transformation in the Caribbean
2. Key Theories & Debates in Gender & Development
3. Data Collection and Analysis: A Gendered Approach
4. Gender & Political Mobilisation & Activism
5. Gender and Globalization
6. Gender and Human Rights
7. Regulating Sexual Citizenship in 'Postcolonial' Nations.

OR

One (1) Elective from other Graduate Programmes

1. Under Western Eyes: Rethinking Cultural Hegemony in Caribbean Gender Relations
2. Women's Writing and Feminist Theory
3. Women, Fiction and Gender
*Or any other approved Graduate course relevant to student's research area.

(PG Diploma students select 1 IGDS elective.)

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HIGHER DEGREE PROGRAMMES

FACULTY OF HUMANITIES & EDUCATION

MA Caribbean Studies :
Languages / Literatures

MA Creative Arts

Dip / MA Cultural Studies

MA History

MA Heritage Studies

MA Linguistics

Diploma in Education (*Secondary*)

Master in Education (MEd)

specialisations (Curriculum Studies; Educational Leadership; Inclusive Practices for Special Needs Students; Language & Literacy Education; School Counselling; Science and Technology Education; Social Context and Education Policy; Testing, Measurement and Evaluation; and The Psychology of Education)

FACULTY OF LAW

LLM / PG Diploma Law

with specialisations in

(Corporate & Commercial Law, Public Law, Intellectual Property Law, General)

FACULTY OF MEDICAL SCIENCES

DM Anaesthesia and Intensive Care

DM Emergency Medicine

Diploma, MSc., DM

Family Medicine

DM General Surgery (Parts I and II)

DM Internal Medicine

DM Obstetrics and Gynaecology

DM Ophthalmology

DM Orthopedics (Part II)

DM Paediatrics

DM Psychiatry

Master in Public Health

FACULTY OF SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY

PG Dip/ MSc. Biosafety

Dip / MSc. Computing Innovation

MSc. Computing Research

MSc. Natural Resource and Environmental Management

Dip / MSc. Technology Entrepreneurship

MSc. Renewable Energy Management

FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

Master of Social Work

MSc. Applied Psychology

MSc. Banking & Finance

MSc. Building & Construction Management

MSc. Counselling Psychology

MSc. E-Governance for Developing States

MSc. Financial & Business Economics

MSc. Financial Management

MSc. Human Resources Management

MSc. Integration Studies

MSc. International Management

MSc. International Trade Policy

MSc. Investments

& Wealth Management

MSc. Labour & Employment Relations

MSc. Logistics and Supply Chain Management

MSc. Marketing
MSc. Project Management & Evaluation

MSc. Sociology

MSc. / Dip. Sport Sciences

MSc. Tourism & Events Management

MSc. Tourism & Hospitality Management

MSc. Tourism & Sport Management

MSc. Tourism with Project Management

MSc. Tourism Marketing

MSc. Transport Economics

THE INSTITUTE FOR GENDER AND DEVELOPMENT STUDIES

Post-Graduate Diploma in Gender and Development Studies

MSc. / MPhil / PhD in Gender and Development Studies

CAVE HILL SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

Doctor of Business Administration

Executive Master in Business Administration (*offered*

in three specialisations: – General

Management, Public Sector Management

and Human Resource Management)

Masters in Business Administration (Entrepreneurship)

International Master in Business Administration

Masters in Entrepreneurship and Innovation



UWI also offers a range of MPhil and PhD programmes in a number of areas. Information on these as well as our application process, online application forms, and the documentation required can be found at:

www.cavehill.uwi.edu/gradstudies