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Higher Education Council

THE STUDENT GUIDE TO

Higher Education in the Kingdom of Bahrain

Available Programs and Degrees
Academic Year 2013–2014

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Foreword by the Minister

It gives me great pleasure to introduce this first student guide to higher education in the Kingdom of Bahrain.

A key policy for the Higher Education Council is to give students up to date information, advice and guidance about higher education in the Kingdom of Bahrain. This comprehensive and up to date student guide will give students and parents all the key facts that they need to choose the most appropriate course that is available for enrolment in the academic year 2013-2014.

The Higher Education Council is committed to giving students the best possible education and this student guide is one of several key projects that we will deliver to improve standards in higher education in the kingdom of Bahrain.

Dr. Majid bin Ali Al Nuaimi
Minister of Education
Higher Education Council
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Introduction

The Higher Education Council wants to help students understand what courses are available to them at university and how these courses can help students achieve their goals. Our ambition is to improve the quality of information that students receive about higher education choices.

This guide brings into one place all current available courses in private universities that are available for enrolment during the summer 2013. It covers key information such as entry requirements, course contents, fees and career prospects.

Students should also visit the QAAET website for reports and confidence ratings of programs http://en.qaa.bh

Our hope is that school, students and parents make choices based on the best possible information with the facts available in one place. Our aim will be to keep this guide up to date and readily available on our website.

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Prof Riyad Hamzah
General Secretary
Higher Education Council

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PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS

Established in 1986, University of Bahrain (UoB) is the only national university in the Kingdom of Bahrain, with a history that dates back to the 1960s. With a total area of 156,607 m2, University of Bahrain is comprised of 10 colleges

For full information on courses and entry requirements available visit;

www.uob.edu.bh

- College of Arts
- College of Business Administration
- College of Engineering
- College of Information Technology
- College of Law
- College of Science
- College of Applied Studies
- Bahrain Teachers College
- College of Physical Education and Physiotherapy
- College of Health Sciences

Bahrain Polytechnic is a comprehensive, learner centred, environmentally responsible higher education organisation that serves its local, regional and international learners and their communities through high-quality and flexible education, training, applied research, and scholarship.

Bahrain Polytechnics technical and applied professional qualifications aim to develop students employability skills to meet the needs of a more creative economy, which values innovation and productivity. Programmes include a global perspective that will enable graduates to make a valuable contribution to the wider society as it changes in response to regional and international competition. Bahrain Polytechnic is the provider of choice for students seeking:

For more information on courses and entry requirements visit;

www.polytechnic.bh

- Quality, applied education and training
- A learner-centred approach
- Work integrated learning
- Opportunities to develop leadership and social skills
- Integration of applied research and scholarship with teaching and learning
- Environmental sustainability
- International opportunities
- Career success

REGIONAL UNIVERSITIES

The Arabian Gulf University was established in 1980 as regional Gulf university in addressing the developmental issues of the Gulf Cooperation Council countries through its innovative and effective educational and research programs with relevance to Arabian Gulf regional issues and aspires to gain an eminent international reputation. The AGU offers only colleges in graduate studies and medicine and medical sciences.

For more information on admission to AGU please visit;

www.agu.edu.bh

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Programmes Available

AHLIA UNIVERSITY

College of Business and Finance

PROGRAMME:
Bachelor's Degree in Accounting and Finance

DEGREE FACTS:

- Students will gain solid background and key skills in accounting, both theoretical and practical experience. They will also gain a range of transferable business skills which are usually required by employers.

- The students will have a great opportunity for self-development through placement, exchange programmes and elective choice.

- The course will run over four years.

- The programme is taught in English.

- In total, a student needs 132 credits to graduate and will include a graduation project.

CAREERS:

Accounting graduates are much sought by different business and industries, both in the public and the private sectors. With such wide area, a student can choose his/her career with one of the large number of business within these two sectors, locally and abroad.

A degree in accounting will also lead to further professional qualifications (ACCA, CMA…) which are sought by large corporations including the big 4 firms of auditing.

INTRODUCTION:

This course is designed to provide the students with knowledge and learning means of the various areas of accounting. Beside the theory, the course will also introduce the students to the practical side of accounting thus preparing them for the real life work and practice. This will be backed by fields' trips to different industries and business.

Over four years, the course will gradually introduce the students to different fields of accounting within the following main areas:

- Financial Accounting

- Managerial Accounting

- Auditing

The first and second years of the course will have strong emphasis on the principals and intermediate accounting, while the following two years will concentrate on the advance, theoretical and international areas of accounting. During these years, students will also be exposed to managerial accounting which introduce them to management and decision making. This will include case studies, visiting speakers and real life assignments.

The students will also be introduced to the general standards of accounting, including the IFRS.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

- An applicant normally should hold a recently issued recognized secondary school certificate or its equivalence.

- The university administers placement tests in English language and Mathematics. Students who pass these tests are exempted from the orientation program.

- Candidates transferring from a recognized institution of higher education are eligible for consideration for admission.

Fees
Fees are charged per credit as follows:
Year 1: BD 100 per credit;
Year 2 BD 110 per credit;
Year 3 BD 120 per credit;
Year 4 BD 130 per credit

AHLIA UNIVERSITY

College of Business and Finance

PROGRAMME:
Bachelor's Degree in Banking and Finance

DEGREE FACTS:
- The program is 4 years in length.
- The number of credits required to graduate are 132, these credits include a graduation project.
- There is a credit transfer from other universities.
- The programme is taught in English.
- The programme includes a great opportunity for self-development through work placements and exchange programmes with our exchange partners from around the world.

CAREERS:
The employment opportunities for our graduates are as follows:
- Finance departments of all types of corporations in all sectors,
- Financial units of international trade companies,
- Financial institutions that provide insurance, auditing, customs clearance and storage services,
- Banking, financial consulting and training institutes,
- Finance divisions of universities and research related institutes,
- Conventional and Islamic banks.

INTRODUCTION:
Bahrain is considered the hub of banking and financial services in the GCC countries. These financial services are highly competitive and rapidly changing not only in Bahrain but also in every modern economy. The program is structured around the two fields of banking and finance. The BSBF degree has a very high banking component (Conventional as well as Islamic) within it and there is a direct application of economics and finance to banking. Finance is the study of how investors allocate their assets over time under conditions of certainty and uncertainty. A key point in finance, which affects decisions, is the time value of money, which states that a unit of currency today is worth more than the same unit of currency tomorrow. Finance aims to price assets based on their risk level, and expected rate of return.

The aims of the Banking and Finance Programme at Ahlia University are:
- To provide a high-quality undergraduate Banking and Finance education that serves the needs of Bahrain and the global market.
- To achieve excellence enhanced by research and interaction with the financial related fields.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:
- An applicant normally should hold a recognized secondary school certificate or its equivalence.
- The university administers placement tests in English language and Mathematics. Students who pass these tests are exempted from the orientation program.
- Candidates transferring from a recognized institution of higher education are eligible for consideration for admission.

Fees:
Fees are charged per credit as follows:
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Year 4 BD 130 per credit

AHLIA UNIVERSITY

College of Business and Finance

PROGRAMME:
Bachelor's Degree in Management and Marketing

DEGREE FACTS:

- You will gain sufficient knowledge that makes you competent in management or marketing.

- You will have the opportunity to discuss many business issues with experienced faculty members.

- The program is Four years in length.

- You need to take 132 credits to complete the programme, these credits include a graduation project.

- The programme is taught in English.

- The programme includes a great opportunity for self-development through work placements and exchange programmes with our exchange partners from around the world.

CAREERS:

Graduates from this program can choose between wide ranges of important careers. They can be professionals and work in management, marketing, sales, customer service and many more areas. The employment opportunities include positions such as supervisors and managers, marketers, brand managers, product developers, event managers and public relations managers. In addition, students can pursue higher education (MSc, MBA and PhD).

INTRODUCTION:

The program focuses on Management and Marketing as two important business disciplines for the planning and application of strategies and techniques. In this program you will be able to grasp sufficient knowledge that makes you pursue a career in management or marketing. It will provide you with analytical skills necessary which will make you competent when you are employed in any type of organizations. Core skills include management skills, marketing skills, research skills, finance skills, human resource management and many others. Additionally, other soft skills are also obtainable in this program including communication skills, presentation skills and teamwork skills.

The focus for the first and second years will be on the acquisition of fundamental knowledge in management, marketing, management information system, human resource management and finance. On the third and fourth year the student will be able to acquire in-depth knowledge and necessary skills at a more advanced level in management and marketing. Towards the final year, you will have the opportunity to choose a project, under careful supervisor of our faculty members, which will give you the chance to apply what you have learnt in this program before starting your professional career.

During the program, you will have the opportunity to choose elective modules which are made available to you to enhance your academic performance and explore many business areas which are of interest to you.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

- An applicant normally should hold a recognized secondary school certificate or its equivalence.

- The university administers placement tests in English language and Mathematics. Students who pass these tests are exempted from the orientation program.

- Candidates transferring from a recognized institution of higher education are eligible for consideration for admission.

Fees:
Fees are charged per credit as follows:
Year 1: BD 100 per credit;
Year 2 BD 110 per credit;
Year 3 BD 120 per credit;
Year 4 BD 130 per credit

AHLIA UNIVERSITY

College of Business and Finance

PROGRAMME:
Master's Degree in Business Administration (MBA)

INTRODUCTION:

Ahlia University has designed its MBA degree programme to match curricula offered by leading business schools world–wide with a view to further enhancing the attractiveness of its sought-after graduates in a variety of executive positions available in the market-place in Arabian Gulf countries.

The Ahlia University MBA programme accommodates part-time study by scheduling classes on week nights and during mornings, afternoons and evenings on the extended weekend (Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays) with a view to facilitating MBA study on the part of Bahrainis, Saudis and Kuwaitis regardless of their national weekend. The format of the courses is one three-hour session per week.

Students with exceptional undergraduate records may be admitted to the MBA programme directly upon graduation from their undergraduate institutions.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

- Admission to MBA programme is contingent on the applicant demonstrating sufficient academic preparation at the undergraduate level to warrant a prediction of scholastic success at the postgraduate level.

- Admission is granted on the basis of the applicant holding an undergraduate degree from a recognized university in which English is the primary language of instruction. Entry into any postgraduate programme is contingent on the applicant holding a BSc or BA degree.

- Applicants should normally possess a minimum undergraduate GPA of 2.5 or its equivalent.

- Those applicants who have studied and earned degrees in undergraduate institutions for which English is not the primary language of instruction need to demonstrate a competency in English sufficient to provide an ability to carry out postgraduate studies in English.

- The Admissions Committee reserves the right to stipulate deficiency requirements to any applicant offered admission where, in the judgment of the Committee, the mastery of the relevant subject matter has not been conclusively demonstrated by the academic transcript.

- Upon recommendation of the department and subsequent approval by the Dean, courses recently completed at other institutions for postgraduate credit may be transferred in partial fulfillment of degree requirements with the caveat that no course may be transferred from another institution unless the grade attained is equivalent to an Ahlia grade of "C+" or higher and unless the course was within the time limit prescribed.

Fees:
BD 160 per credit-hour/semester

DEGREE FACTS:

- MBA Students will gain a good opportunity to develop analytical skills and technical expertise in the area of business administration.

- The program will provide students with a range of knowledge and a critical framework which is needed to develop an in-depth understanding of key functional areas of management in a real-world setting.

- The program will assist in developing students' leadership potential through a variety of 'soft' skills such as effective communication (verbal, non-verbal, written, and listening), teamwork, global thinking, and change management.

- This programme consists of 18 credits (6 courses) core subjects, 6 credits (2 courses) elective "core" subjects, and a 12-credit dissertation or two elective subjects (6 credits) plus a dissertation track 2 (6 credits).

- The core courses is designed as an analytical foundation while the two elective core courses provide MBA candidates with multifunctional approach providing multidisciplinary breadth to analytic depth afforded by the core courses.

- The MBA Programme has gone through many reviews and lately received Confidence status in the Programme Review conducted by HERU/QAAET in 2012.

CAREERS:

We expect our MBA students to work in nearly different industries. Here are just a few examples of job opportunities for the graduated MBA students:

- Financial Services
- Marketing
- Management Consulting
- Public Relations
- Investment Banking
- Investment Management
- Healthcare
- E-commerce
- Retail
- Consumer Goods

Or may decide to continue for high education such as PhD

AHLIA UNIVERSITY

College of Business and Finance

PROGRAMME:
Bachelor's Degree in Economics and Finance

DEGREE FACTS:

- The programme is 4 years in length.
- The programme is taught in English.
- The number of credits required to graduate are 132 and these credits include a graduation project.
- The programme includes a great opportunity for self development through work placements and exchange programmes with our exchange partners from around the world.

CAREERS:

Graduates with economic and finance background are successful in wide variety of careers including public sectors, private enterprises, international institutions, and multinational corporations. Students can opt for postgraduate degrees in economics and finance after completing their undergraduate degree so they can also work in academic institutions by contributing to both teaching and research. In addition, careers in economic and finance stream offer jobs in the financial world, consulting, marketing and global markets.

INTRODUCTION:

The programme is designed to provide students with up-to-date academic and technical skills in the fields of economics, finance and business. Also to train students to become professionals in the commercial fields, especially in such vital areas as financial institutions and markets, government services, corporations and international organizations. The programme is structured to build linkages among various fields of business and finance to qualify students to meet the challenges of employment and compete in the market place. Furthermore, the programme aims to help students in acquiring basic knowledge and understanding of the contemporary social and political systems and their impact on the economy.

In the first two years of the programme, students are offered foundation courses aiming at strengthening their theoretical knowledge in economics, finance and other business related subjects at both domestic and global levels. Also to enrich students understanding about the functioning of various markets and the role that business plays in the overall development of society. During the last two years of the programme, students are given specialized courses in several fields of business studies including money, investment, econometrics, international business, business law, international finance and industrial organization.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

- An applicant normally should hold a recognized secondary school certificate or its equivalence.
- The university administers placement tests in English language and Mathematics. Students who pass these tests are exempted from the orientation programme.
- Candidates transferring from a recognized institution of higher education are eligible for consideration for admission.

Fees:
Fees are charged per credit as follows:
Year 1: BD 100 per credit;
Year 2 BD 110 per credit;
Year 3 BD 120 per credit;
Year 4 BD 130 per credit

AHLIA UNIVERSITY

College of Business and Finance

Bachelor's Degree in Management Information Systems

INTRODUCTION:

The programme aims to prepare graduates for meeting the informational challenges of the 21st Century enterprise in the information age. The programme focuses on providing students with required knowledge and skills in the areas of business information and information technology that prepares students to pursue a career in business in general and business information system in particular. The programme provides the student with the necessary analytical skills which will make them a competent employee in any type of organizations. The programme core skills include system analysis & design, E-commerce, managing enterprise systems, knowledge management, data base management systems, and computer systems. Additionally, other soft skills are also obtainable in this program including communication skills, presentation skills and teamwork skills.

The first two years will focus on the acquisition of fundamental knowledge in information technology, management information systems, management and finance. During the last two years of the programme the student will be able to acquire in-depth knowledge in managing information systems and the required skills at an advanced level. Towards the final year, the student has the opportunity to choose subject for their graduation project and under careful supervisor of our faculty members, the student will be given the chance to apply what they have learnt in this programme before starting their professional career.

During the programme, the student has opportunity to choose elective modules which are available to enhance their academic performance and explore many business information systems.

DEGREE FACTS:

- You will gain sufficient knowledge that makes you competent in management information system.
- You will have the opportunity to discuss many business information issues with experienced faculty members.
- The programme is 4 years in length.
- The programme is taught in English.
- The number of credits required to graduate are 132 and these credits include a graduation project.
- The programme includes a great opportunity for self-development through work placements and exchange programmes with our exchange partners from around the world.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

- An applicant normally should hold a recognized secondary school certificate or its equivalence.
- The university administers placement tests in English language and Mathematics. Students who pass these tests are exempted from the orientation program.
- Candidates transferring from a recognized institution of higher education are eligible for consideration for admission.

Fees:
Fees are charged per credit as follows:
Year 1: BD 100 per credit;
Year 2 BD 110 per credit;
Year 3 BD 120 per credit;
Year 4 BD 130 per credit

CAREERS:

Graduates with economic and finance background are successful in wide variety of careers including public sectors, private enterprises, international institutions, and multinational corporations. Students can opt for postgraduate degrees in economics and finance after completing their undergraduate degree so they can also work in academic institutions by contributing to both teaching and research. In addition, careers in economic and finance stream offer jobs in the financial world, consulting, marketing and global markets.

AHLIA UNIVERSITY

College of Engineering

PROGRAMME:
Bachelor's Degree in Computer and Communication Engineering

DEGREE FACTS:

- The programme is taught in English.
- The programme is 4 years in lenth.
- 132 credits are required to graduate, these credits include a graduation project.
- Inclusion of professional courses such as the Microsoft Certified System Engineer Certification (MCSE).
- The programme includes a great opportunity for self development through work placements and exchange programmes with our exchange partners from around the world.

CAREERS:

Telecommunication Engineer, Communication Networks Engineer, Microsoft Certified System Engineer, MSCE Certification trainer, and other career prospects in such growth areas as Telecommunications and Internet technology, Automotive and Traffic Technology, etc..

INTRODUCTION:

The Computer and Communication Engineering undergraduate programme focuses on computer and communication engineering concepts and applications. The programme provides exposure to diverse cutting-edge technologies spanning information security, software engineering, and various communication techniques.

The Microsoft Certified Systems Engineer is launched into this programme. The MCSE credential is the premier certification for professionals who can successfully design, plan, and implement a network infrastructure and client deployment on the Microsoft Windows server. This certification will lead the students to become Systems Administrators who will be responsible for implementing, managing and maintaining messaging on Exchange Server. The certificate track is divided into six dependent courses, the first two courses are compulsory courses inserted within the third year of the programme; and the remaining four courses are listed as optional electives for students to choose from (two programme electives + two free electives).

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

- An applicant normally should hold a recognized secondary school certificate or its equivalence.
- The university administers placement tests in English language and Mathematics. Students who pass these tests are exempted from the orientation programme.
- Candidates transferring from a recognized institution of higher education are eligible for consideration for admission.

Fees:
Fees are charged per credit as follows:
Year 1: BD 100 per credit;
Year 2 BD 110 per credit;
Year 3 BD 120 per credit;
Year 4 BD 130 per credit

AHLIA UNIVERSITY

College of Engineering

PROGRAMME:
Bachelor's Degree in Mobile and Network Engineering

INTRODUCTION:

The Mobile and Network Engineering undergraduate programme focuses on mobile technology and network engineering and provides students with the knowledge and skills so important for a career in the rapidly changing mobile and networking industry. Through this programme, students acquire an in-depth knowledge in networking technologies, wireless communications, mobile communication technologies and multimedia service convergences.

The Cisco Professional Certificate is launched into this programme. With this certification, students will be able to build a functional configuration to support the specified network operational requirements. The certificate track is divided into four dependent courses, the first is compulsory inserted within the third year of the programme; and the remaining three courses are listed among programme electives for students to choose from (two programme electives + two free electives).

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

- An applicant normally should hold a recognized secondary school certificate or its equivalence.

- The university administers placement tests in English language and Mathematics. Students who pass these tests are exempted from the orientation programme.

- Candidates transferring from a recognized institution of higher education are eligible for consideration for admission.

Fees:
Fees are charged per credit as follows:
Year 1: BD 100 per credit;
Year 2 BD 110 per credit;
Year 3 BD 120 per credit;
Year 4 BD 130 per credit

DEGREE FACTS:

- The programme is 4 years in length.

- The programme is taught in English.

- The number of credits required to graduate are 132 and these credits include a graduation project.

- The programme includes a great opportunity for self development through work placements and exchange programmes with our exchange partners from around the world.

- Inclusion of professional courses such as the CISCO Professional Certifications (CCNA- CCNP)

CAREERS:

Network Engineer, Telecommunication Engineer, and Network/ IT administrator.

AHLIA UNIVERSITY

College of Information Technology

PROGRAMME:
Bachelor's Degree in Information Technology

DEGREE FACTS:

- IT programs aim to provide IT graduates with the skills and knowledge to take on appropriate professional positions in Information Technology upon graduation and grow into leadership positions or pursue research or graduate studies in the field.

- The programme is 4 years in length.

- The number of credits required to graduate= 132, these credits include a graduation project.

- The programme is taught in English.

- The programme includes a great opportunity for self-development through work placements and exchange programmes with our exchange partners from around the world.

CAREERS:

The B.Sc. Information Technology degree will prepare the students for a dynamic career in business or IT. You will have knowledge of both the technical and commercial aspects of modern business, so a host of professional opportunities will be available to you on graduation. You will be very well placed to take on roles in IT, business management or consultancy, in the public or private sectors.

INTRODUCTION:

The Information Technology undergraduate programme prepares students to be proficient not only in a wide variety of computer programmes but also in the design, implementation and use of information technology. The programme imparts thorough knowledge of the components of computer systems, the role of the operating systems, and inculcates expertise in programming languages, advanced applications, databases and expert systems.

A significant feature of our undergraduate program is that it incorporates the Oracle 10g Database Administrator Professional Certificate in the structure of its curriculum. The Professional Certificate is launched into this programme with an aim to create Data Base Administrators in Oracle 10g version. Oracle Database Administrators manage the industry's most advanced information systems. This certification advances the success as an oracle professional in the area of database administration. The certificate track is divided into four inter-dependent courses, the first course is a compulsory course inserted within the third year of the programme; and the remaining three courses are listed as optional electives for students to choose (two programme electives + two free electives). Upon completion of these courses, the student will be an Oracle certified professional in the area of database administration.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

- An applicant normally should hold a recognized secondary school certificate or its equivalence.

- The university administers placement tests in English language and Mathematics. Students who pass these tests are exempted from the orientation program.

- Candidates transferring from a recognized institution of higher education are eligible for consideration for admission

Fees:
Fees are charged per credit as follows:
Year 1: BD 100 per credit;
Year 2 BD 110 per credit;
Year 3 BD 120 per credit;
Year 4 BD 130 per credit

AHLIA UNIVERSITY

College of Information Technology

PROGRAMME:
Bachelor's Degree in Distributed Systems and Multimedia

DEGREE FACTS:

- The programme is 4 years in length.
- The programme is taught in English.
- The number of credits required to graduate are 132 and these credits include a graduation project.
- The programme includes a great opportunity for self development through work placements and exchange programmes with our exchange partners from around the world.
- Inclusion of professional courses such as the Microsoft Certified Technology Specialist (MCTS).

CAREERS:

Graduates from the Bachelor Degree in Distributed Systems and Multimedia will lead students to pursue careers in computing and ICT industry, as well as in other areas of business as web developers, windows developers, enterprise software developers, graphic designers, and system applicant specialist.

INTRODUCTION:

The Distributed Systems and Multimedia undergraduate programme aims to provide the student with an understanding of both the theoretical and practical aspects of distributed systems while focusing on the challenging area of multimedia. The programme is designed to train students on how computers obtain, manipulate and represent visual media. Plus the programme imparts expertise in the production of technically advanced professional presentations including integrated pictures, audio, video, 3-D and 4-D graphics and computer animation.

The Microsoft Certified Technology Specialist (MCTS) certification is embedded in the programme. The MCTS technology specialist certifications enable professionals to target specific technologies and to distinguish themselves by demonstration in-depth knowledge and expertise in their specialized fields. The certificate track is divided into four dependent courses, the first course is a compulsory course inserted within the third year of the programme; and the remaining three courses are listed as optional electives for students to choose (two programme electives + two free electives).

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

- An applicant normally should hold a recognized secondary school certificate or its equivalence.
- The university administers placement tests in English language and Mathematics. Students who pass these tests are exempted from the orientation programme.
- Candidates transferring from a recognized institution of higher education are eligible for consideration for admission.

Fees:
Fees are charged per credit as follows:
Year 1: BD 100 per credit;
Year 2 BD 110 per credit;
Year 3 BD 120 per credit;
Year 4 BD 130 per credit

AHLIA UNIVERSITY

College of Information Technology

PROGRAMME:
Master's Degree in Information Technology and Computer Science

DEGREE FACTS:

- The MITCS programme consists of a total of 36 credits including six Core Courses (18 credits), two Elective Courses (6 credits), and a Dissertation comprising of (12 credits).
- The MITCS Programme has gone through many reviews and lately received Confidence status in the Programme Review conducted by HERU/QAAET in 2010.
- The MITCS Programme is offered by the Department of IT in the College of IT in collaboration with the departments in the College of Engineering and the MIS Department in the College of Business and Finance.
- The MITCS Programme is offered by the IT Department since 2003.
- Normally students need 1.5 - 2 years to finish the program successfully.
- A student must score a CGPA of at least 3.0 to graduate from the program.

CAREERS:

The MITCS Programme aims to provide graduates with the skills and knowledge required to take on appropriate professional positions in Information Technology upon graduation and grow into leadership positions or pursue research or graduate studies in the field. However, the landscape of Information Technology is undeniably rapidly changing as the computing field continues to evolve at astonishing pace and new technologies are continually introduced. Thus, the MITCS Programme is kept up-to-date by developing revised and enhanced versions that address the current developments in computing technologies.

Today, networking and the Web have become the underpinnings for much of world economy. There is unprecedented innovation in technologies for communication, computation, interactivity, and delivery of information.

INTRODUCTION:

Advanced Information Technology (IT) and Computer Science (CS) knowledge and skills are needed for Industry and related fields of research. Since 2003, the Department of IT has offered a Master's Degree in Information Technology and Computer Science (MITCS). The MITCS programme imparts advanced theoretical and practical concepts with a view to instilling in its Master degree candidates a broad panoply of skills spanning programming, software engineering, information systems, networking and security, and distributed systems and multimedia.

The aims of the MITCS Programme are as follows.

- To equip students with advanced professional knowledge and skills in areas of information technology and computer science in accordance with international standards.
- To nurture an innovative research culture that encourages students and faculty to undertake independent and collaborative high-quality research.
- To enable students to identify multifaceted problems in their area of specialization and to design, analyze, implement and manage efficient solutions for them using current information technologies.
- To motivate graduates to apply tools, skills, and techniques of information technology in their current and future work environment to increase their organization's productivity and to gain a competitive advantage.
- To prepare graduates to demonstrate ethical behavior and to be professionally competent and motivated to life-long learning.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

Admission to the MITCS programmes is contingent on the applicant demonstrating sufficient academic preparation at the undergraduate level to warrant a prediction of scholastic success at the postgraduate level. Admission is granted on the basis of the applicant:

1. Holding an undergraduate degree from a recognized university in which English is the primary language of instruction. Entry into the MITCS programme is contingent on the applicant holding a BSc degree although applicants may of course apply for postgraduate admission in their senior year of undergraduate study before the completion of their programme. Ordinarily, candidates for the MITCS degree ought to have had an undergraduate major in MIS, computer science or an allied field.

2. Applicants should normally possess a minimum undergraduate GPA of 2.5 or its equivalent. Applicants with a GPA of less than 2.5 may be asked to take the orientation courses.

3. Those applicants who have studied and earned degrees in undergraduate institutions for which English is not the primary language of instruction need to demonstrate a competency in English sufficient to provide an ability to carry out postgraduate studies in English.

4. The Admissions Committee reserves the right to stipulate deficiency requirements to any applicant offered admission where, in the judgment of the Committee, the mastery of the relevant subject matter has not been conclusively demonstrated by the academic transcript by requiring applicants to take one or more of the orientation courses.

Fees: BD 160 per credit-hour/semester

AHLIA UNIVERSITY

College of Arts, Science & Education

PROGRAMME:
Bachelor's Degree in Interior Design

INTRODUCTION:

Interior design is both an art and science that involves the adaptation of natural and human-made environments not only to the cultural, social, economic and behavioral activities, but also to the physiological and psychological attributes of people. Different interior design dynamics apply to public as opposed to private buildings. However, the focus of interior design space shifts to the satisfaction of group and individual needs. The quality of the interior environment is determined by how well it satisfies the users' needs and their preferences for functions, materials, and aesthetics.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

- An applicant should normally hold a recognized secondary school certificate or its equivalence.

- The university administers placement tests in English language and Mathematics. Students who pass these tests are exempted from the orientation program.

- Candidates transferring from a recognized institution of higher education are eligible for consideration for admission.

Fees:

Fees are charged per credit as follows:
Year 1: BD 100 per credit;
Year 2 BD 110 per credit;
Year 3 BD 120 per credit;
Year 4 BD 130 per credit

DEGREE FACTS:

- This program aims at providing the students with knowledge, background and ability in the subject of design and organization of inner spaces.

- Students are provided with both theoretical and practical knowledge.

- All audio-visual media are used for designing works in the computer laboratories by means of modern drawing software (AutoCAD, Photoshop, Sketch-up & 3D Max).

- Information given in courses like "Design Studio I, II, III & IV", "Construction and Material" is mainly professional for the first three years. In the last year, which is the period of entering the profession, the schedule includes the final project research and design and several elective courses to offer the students the opportunity to choose from various specializations within field of interior design.

- The program is a four year full time professional degree with a total of 132 Credit Hours, these credit include a gradation project.

- The medium of instruction is 100% English

CAREERS:

Graduates from the department of Interior Design have the opportunity to work in the interior design, interior architecture and architecture offices. They can either establish their own offices or work in the private and public sectors conducting design, implementation and commercial activities. Besides, they have the opportunity to become instructors in universities after continuing their higher education.

AHLIA UNIVERSITY

College of Arts, Science & Education

PROGRAMME:
Bachelor's Degree in Mass Communication & Public Relations

INTRODUCTION:

The Department of Mass Communication and Public Relations aspires to produce highly competent communicators who apply critical thinking to solve public relations issues and demonstrate ethical and professional behavior.

In minting socially responsible communication professionals capable of competently employing a broad range of media and technologies available for disseminating messages and images to various publics, the Department enables students to explore media-related issues from many points of view with a view to instilling a creative thought process requiring both inquiry and critical thinking

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

- An applicant normally should hold a recognized secondary school certificate or its equivalence.

- The university administers placement tests in English language and Mathematics. Students who pass these tests are exempted from the orientation program.

- Candidates transferring from a recognized institution of higher education are eligible for consideration for admission.

Fees:
Fees are charged per credit as follows:
Year 1: BD 100 per credit;
Year 2 BD 110 per credit;
Year 3 BD 120 per credit;
Year 4 BD 130 per credit

DEGREE FACTS:

- This program aims to help the students to gain knowledge, background and ability in the subject of Mass Communication & Public Relations.

- Students are provided with both theoretical and practical knowledge.

- All audio-visual media are also used for designing works in computer laboratories by means of modern drawing software. (Photoshop, Flash).

- Information given in courses like "Graphic and Multimedia" is mainly professional for the first three years. In the last year, which is the period of entering the profession, students are provided with first-hand experience in designing interactive multimedia.

- The program is a four year full time professional degree with a total of 132 credit hours, these credits include a graduation project.

- The medium of instruction is approximately 60% - 40% Arabic - English.

CAREERS:

Graduates from the department Mass Communication & Public Relations have the opportunity to work in radio, television, and the press or public relations. They can either establish their own offices or work in the private and public sectors in areas such as public relations, implementation and commercial activities. Besides, they have the opportunity to be instructors in universities after continuing their higher studies.

AHLIA UNIVERSITY

College of Arts,
Sciences & Education

PROGRAMME:
Master's Degree in
Mass Communication
& Public Relations

INTRODUCTION:

The Department of Mass Communication and Public Relations prepares students to become professionals in the dual fields of communication and public relations. Students who opt for a communication specialization will be eligible to assume a diverse variety of positions in media organizations ranging from journalism to broadcasting. Alternately, students who opt for a public relations specialization will be eligible to assume positions as public relations associates in advertising firms and as staff members in public relations departments in corporations and government organizations.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

- An applicant should normally hold a bachelor's degree in mass communication and public relations.

- Candidates transferring from a recognized institution of higher education are eligible for consideration for admission.

- Students with no undergraduate background in media studies, journalism and communication will be required to take two foundation courses before proceeding to the core courses.

Fees:

BD 160 per credit-hour/semester

DEGREE FACTS:

The programme aims to train individuals to be highly skilled communication and public relations practitioners by providing them with diverse academic, research and practical experience to enrich their professional development.

The Mass Communication and Public Relations Programme blends practical training and academic study in an innovative way that will enable students upon graduation to perform multifunctional communication roles and convey public relations knowledge effectively.

Credit hours: 36

Years of study: 2 years

Course language: Arabic and English

CAREERS:

Graduates from the department Mass Communication & Public Relations have the opportunity to work in radio, television, the press or public relations. They can either establish their own offices or work in the private and public sectors in public relations, implementation and commercial activities. Besides, they have the opportunity to be instructors in universities after continuing their higher studies.

AHLIA UNIVERSITY

College of Graduate Studies and Research

PROGRAMME:
Master's Degree in Engineering Management in collaboration with the George Washington University – USA

DEGREE FACTS:

- EMSE Program is offered by GWU Off-campus office and hosted by Ahlia Univresity.
- The EMSE is an integrated program of research and teaching offered to staff and managers of technology in industry, government, and international entities.
- The EMSE Program provides understanding of managerial roles, analysis of the diverse functions of technological organizations, and instruction in modern management techniques and tools as they apply to formulating and executing decisions in engineering, technical and scientific organizations.
- The curriculum of EMSE Program requires 12 graduate–level courses totaling 36 credit hours.
- It contains two types of course requirements are included in the masters curricula—core course requirements (12 credits) and focus course requirements (18 credits) including a research project dissertation (6 credits).
- Core courses requirements are taken by all students in the EMSE Master's Degree programs. Focus course requirements address specialized topics that, as a whole, provide the level of detail necessary for management proficiency in particular engineering environments.
- Course language: English
- Years of study: 2 years

INTRODUCTION:

The Engineering Management and Systems Engineering (EMSE) Off-Campus Program office at George Washington University (GWU), USA, offers a master degree program in Engineering Management in the Kingdom of Bahrain at Ahlia University that were designed to develop leaders for technically oriented organizations and prepare them for the future. The GW/AU Master's program in Engineering Management teaches employees of engineering, business and technical organizations to complement technical knowledge with managerial skills. The GW Department of Engineering Management and Systems Engineering in collaboration with Ahlia University bring its time-honored education programs to a convenient location in the Middle East.

The field of Engineering Management with focus in Engineering and Technology Management (E&TM) bridges the gap between engineering and management. It involves the overall management of organizations oriented to manufacturing, construction, engineering, technology or production. E&TM enables engineers to function more effectively in the business environment. A master. degree in engineering management provides a technical–based alternative to traditional M.B.A. programs. Practitioners specialize in such areas as management of technology, product and process, quality, organizational management, operations management, program management or marketing and finance.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

- Students applying for the Master's degree program in Engineering Management must meet the entrance requirements of the School of Engineering and Applied Science (SEAS) at GWU.
- A Bachelor's degree with a minimum grade average of B (2.5 on a 4.0 scale) in the last two years of undergraduate study from a recognized institution is generally required. Grades of C or better in two college calculus courses are prerequisite to all graduate programs in the EMSE department.
- Applicants who do not meet this requirement must take the 3credit hour's course, EMSE 6992, Special Topics: Quantitative Methods in Engineering Management, must be taken during the first semester of graduate study at Ahlia University.

Fees:
BD 240 per credit–hour/semester

CAREERS:

Graduates from the Master Degree in Engineering Management are practitioners in several management fields such as technology management, project management, product and process management, quality management, organizational management, operations management, program management or marketing and finance.

AHLIA UNIVERSITY

College of Graduate
Studies and Research

INTRODUCTION:

The PhD without residence aims to produce graduates in many fields of study. This programme enables students to qualify as PhDs through contribution to knowledge in their chosen field of research in Management Studies, Operational Research and any other related fields.

PROGRAMME:

Doctor of Philosophy (PhD-WR) in Management Studies, offered by Brunel University, UK in collaboration with Ahlia University.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

- Applicants are normally expected to hold a good honours degree in a relevant academic discipline. Ideally applicants should also have successfully completed a Master's degree.

- If English is not your first language you will be required to demonstrate an adequate level of proficiency as prescribed by Brunel University.

- The programme needs to be perused for a minimum of three years.

Fees:
£13080 (British Pounds) per year

DEGREE FACTS:

Enables students to:

- Discover novel findings – which should be of a standard sufficient for publication in peer reviewed academic journals;

- Have a broad and in depth understanding of their field including relevant methodologies, an ability to discuss critically research, its implications and limitations;

- Prepare a well written and presented thesis describing the background to their work, the methods used, observations made and critical discussion in the context of the broader field.

CAREERS:

As researchers develop, promote and facilitate research on various topics with respect to the national, regional and international contexts.

As academics contribute to teaching and developing students in various fields.

As professionals contribute to industry as employees or consultants in areas that need in-depth understanding and exploitation of concepts and phenomena for the benefit of the industry.

AHLIA UNIVERSITY

College of Graduate Studies and Research

INTRODUCTION:

The PhD without residence aims to produce graduates in many fields of study. This programme enables students to qualify as PhDs through contribution to knowledge in their chosen field of research in Information Systems, Computing, Mathematics and any other related fields.

PROGRAMME:

Doctor of Philosophy (PhD-WR) in Information Systems, Computing and Mathematics offered by Brunel University, UK in collaboration with Ahlia University.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

- Applicants are normally expected to hold a good honours degree in a relevant academic discipline. Ideally applicants should also have successfully completed a Master's degree.

- If English is not your first language you will be required to demonstrate an adequate level of proficiency as prescribed by Brunel University.

- The programme needs to be perused for a minimum of three years.

Fees:
£13080 (British Pounds) per year.

DEGREE FACTS:

Enables students to:

- Discover novel findings – which should be of a standard sufficient for publication in peer reviewed academic journals in the field of Information Systems, Computing and Mathematics;

- Have a broad and in depth understanding of their field related to Information Systems, Computing and Mathematics including relevant methodologies, an ability to discuss critically research, its implications and limitations;

- Prepare a well written and presented thesis describing the background to their work related to Information Systems, Computing and Mathematics, the methods used, observations made and critical discussion in the context of the broader field.

CAREERS:

As researchers develop, promote and facilitate research on various topics with respect to the national, regional and international contexts in the fields of Information Systems, Computing and Mathematics.

As academics contribute to teaching and developing students in various fields that are related to Information Systems, Computing and Mathematics.

As professionals contribute to industry as employees or consultants in areas that need in-depth understanding and exploitation of concepts and phenomena for the benefit of the industry pertaining to Information Systems and Computing.

AMA INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY – BAHRAIN (AMAIUB)

College of Administrative and Financial Sciences

PROGRAMME:
Associate in Business Informatics (ABI)

INTRODUCTION:

The Associate of Business Informatics offers a pathway to Bachelor Degree in Business Informatics. It provides students the opportunity to integrate traditional business programmes and information technology (IT), hence, providing students with an appreciation of the connections between business and Information technology. On successful completion of the award, students should be able to converse critically with a range of audience where business administration skills are required. Graduates of the programme should be able to undertake simple to complex analysis involving cross-linkage of business functional areas and information technology.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

A new student applicant is required to submit all of the following documents together with the completely filled out application form:

- Pass AMA Admission Test.

- Original Secondary School Certificate or its equivalent together with an English translation of the transcript and an "A" level certification from the Ministry of Education.

- A photocopy of the applicant's passport or at least 2 valid identification cards and 4 copies of recent passport-size photographs.

- Certificate of good moral character from last school attended and graduated from.

- Original and copy of Standardized English Test score such as: TOEFL score of at least 550 (173 CBT, 61 CBT) or its equivalent in a standardized English language test, such as 5.5 IELTS or other standardized internationally recognized English test approved by the Ministry of Education if applying for exemption from English foundation courses.

- Students are required pass the entrance examination and the interview.

- 50 BHD for each credit unit.

DEGREE FACTS:

- The duration of the programme is two (2) years.

- The medium of instruction for all courses is English.

- The number of credits required to complete the programme is 108 units.

CAREERS:

On completion of the awards, graduates can take roles such as executive, financial and marketing assistants. In addition, the Programme awards transferable credits which can lead graduates for bachelor degrees in business.

AMA INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY – BAHRAIN (AMAIUB)

College of Administrative and Financial Sciences

PROGRAMME:
Diploma in Business Informatics (DBI)

INTRODUCTION:

The Diploma of Business Informatics offers a pathway to the Associate of Business Informatics. The Diploma provides students the opportunity to develop and systematically apply knowledge of business informatics issues. The discipline specific units prepare students for more advanced study of the theoretical frameworks and skills which underpin successful practice in information technology and business. On successful completion of the award, students should be able to conduct conversational communication, performs data entry and basic accounting.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

A new student applicant is required to submit all of the following documents together with the completely filled out application form:

- Pass AMA Admission Test.
- Original Secondary School Certificate or its equivalent together with an English translation of the transcript and an "A" level certification from the Ministry of Education.
- A photocopy of the applicant's passport or at least 2 valid identification cards and 4 copies of recent passport-size photographs.
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- Students are required pass the entrance examination and the interview.
- 50 BHD for each credit unit.

DEGREE FACTS:

- The duration of the programme is one (1) year.
- The medium of instruction for all courses is English.
- The number of credits required to complete the programme is 54 units.

CAREERS:

Graduates of the programme should be able to undertake simple analysis in the fields of accounting and business and can take roles such as office clerk, administrative staff, and financial assistant. In addition, the Programme awards transferable credits which can lead graduates for associate degrees in business.

AMA INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY – BAHRAIN (AMAIUB)

College of Engineering

PROGRAMME:
Diploma in Informatics Engineering (DIE)

INTRODUCTION:

The Diploma of Informatics Engineering offers a pathway to Associate of Informatics Engineering. The programme covers competencies and skills in basic mathematics, natural sciences, computing, and communication. It intends to provide students with basic technical competencies in engineering and computing; and communication skills which they can use on practice in entry level professions.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

A new student applicant is required to submit all of the following documents together with the completely filled out application form:

- Pass AMA Admission Test.
- Original Secondary School Certificate or its equivalent together with an English translation of the transcript and an "A" level certification from the Ministry of Education.
- A photocopy of the applicant's passport or at least 2 valid identification cards and 4 copies of recent passport-size photographs.
- Certificate of good moral character from last school attended and graduated from.
- Original and copy of Standardized English Test score such as: TOEFL score of at least 550 (173 CBT, 61 CBT) or its equivalent in a standardized English language test, such as 5.5 IELTS or other standardized internationally recognized English test approved by the Ministry of Education if applying for exemption from English foundation courses.
- Students are required pass the entrance examination and the interview.
- 50 BHD for each credit unit.

DEGREE FACTS:

- The duration of the programme is one year (1).
- The medium of instruction for all courses is English.
- The number of credits require to graduate is 54 units.

CAREERS:

Graduates of the programme can pursue a career as CAD Operator; Network Technician; Production Operator, Computer/Software Technician; Technical Sales Representatives. In addition, the Programme awards transferable credits which can lead graduates for associate degrees in engineering.

AMA INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY – BAHRAIN (AMAIUB)

College of Engineering

PROGRAMME:
Associate in Informatics Engineering (AIE)

INTRODUCTION:

The Associate of Informatics Engineering offers a pathway to bachelor degrees in engineering. The programme covers competencies and skills in advanced mathematics, natural sciences, computing, basic electronics, electricity and communication. It also provides students with basic technical competencies and communication skills which they can use on practice in entry level professions in the fields of engineering and computing.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

A new student applicant is required to submit all of the following documents together with the completely filled out application form:

- Pass AMA Admission Test.

- Original Secondary School Certificate or its equivalent together with an English translation of the transcript and an "A" level certification from the Ministry of Education.

- A photocopy of the applicant's passport or at least 2 valid identification cards and 4 copies of recent passport-size photographs.

- Certificate of good moral character from last school attended and graduated from.

- Original and copy of Standardized English Test score such as: TOEFL score of at least 550 (173 CBT, 61 CBT) or its equivalent in a standardized English language test, such as 5.5 IELTS or other standardized internationally recognized English test approved by the Ministry of Education if applying for exemption from English foundation courses.

- Students are required pass the entrance examination and the interview.

- 50 BHD for each credit unit.

DEGREE FACTS:

- The duration of the programme is two years (2).

- The medium of instruction for all courses is English.

- The number of credits require to graduate is 108 units.

CAREERS:

Graduates of the programme can pursue a career as CAD Operator; Network Support Analyst; Production Assistant; Computer/Software Analyst; Technical Sales Representatives; Engineering Technician. In addition, the Programme awards transferable credits which can lead graduates for bachelor degrees in engineering.

AMA INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY – BAHRAIN (AMAIUB)

College of Computer Studies

PROGRAMME:
Diploma in Computer Science (DCS)

INTRODUCTION:

The Diploma of Computer Science offers a pathway to Associate of Computer Science. It covers underpinning concepts, principles, applications, and technologies of computing. The Diploma in Computer Science programme covers competencies and skills in basic mathematics, natural sciences, computing, and communication. The Programme intends to provide students with basic technical competencies in computing and communication skills which they can use on practice in entry level professions in the fields of computing.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

- Pass AMA Admission Test.
- Original Secondary School Certificate or its equivalent together with an English translation of the transcript and an "A" level certification from the Ministry of Education.
- A photocopy of the applicant's passport or at least 2 valid identification cards and 4 copies of recent passport-size photographs.
- Certificate of good moral character from last school attended and graduated from.
- Original and copy of Standardized English Test score such as: TOEFL score of at least 550 (173 CBT, 61 CBT) or its equivalent in a standardized English language test, such as 5.5 IELTS or other standardized internationally recognized English test approved by the Ministry of Education if applying for exemption from English foundation courses.
- Students are required pass the entrance examination and the interview.
- 50 BHD for each credit unit.

DEGREE FACTS:

- The duration of the programme is one year (1).
- It requires students to complete 54 credits.
- The courses in the curriculum are taught in English.

CAREERS:

Graduates of the programme can work after graduation as computer operator, junior web and multimedia developer. In addition, the Programme awards transferable credits which can lead graduates for associate degrees in computing.

AMA INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY – BAHRAIN (AMAIUB)

College of Computer Studies

PROGRAMME:
Associate in Computer Science (ACS)

INTRODUCTION:

The Associate of Computer Science offers a pathway to bachelor degrees in computing. It covers underpinning concepts, principles, applications, and technologies of computing. It provides development of competencies and skills in advanced mathematics, natural sciences, computing, web designing and communication. It focuses on the study of algorithms, computer architecture, operating systems, survey of programming languages and techniques in programming.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

Pass AMA Admission Test.

- Original Secondary School Certificate or its equivalent together with an English translation of the transcript and an "A" level certification from the Ministry of Education.
- A photocopy of the applicant's passport or at least 2 valid identification cards and 4 copies of recent passport-size photographs.
- Certificate of good moral character from last school attended and graduated from.
- Original and copy of Standardized English Test score such as: TOEFL score of at least 550 (173 CBT, 61 CBT) or its equivalent in a standardized English language test, such as 5.5 IELTS or other standardized internationally recognized English test approved by the Ministry of Education if applying for exemption from English foundation courses.
- Students are required pass the entrance examination and the interview.
- 50 BHD for each credit unit.

DEGREE FACTS:

- The duration of the programme is two years (2).
- It requires students to complete 108 credits units.
- The courses in the curriculum are taught in English.

CAREERS:

Graduates of the programme can work as network analyst, senior programmer, system designer and database designer. In addition, the Programme awards transferable credits which can lead graduates for bachelor degrees in computing.

Programmes Available

www.asu.edu.bh

APPLIED SCIENCE UNIVERSITY

College of Law

PROGRAMME:
Bachelor in Law

INTRODUCTION:

Faculty of Law was established with other faculties at Applied Science University by the Council of Ministers resolution on 5 July 2004 in the Kingdom of Bahrain. The Faculty commenced its function in teaching BA degree in Law 2006/2005.

The university and the faculty seek to enhance and strengthen the Bachelor program in Law in order to achieve its mission and vision in addition to its strategic objectives which are related to the local community, the labor market and the community development needs of the Kingdom of Bahrain.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

- High school (Thanawya) or equivalent: A minimum of 60% cumulative GPA or its equivalence.
- Fees: BD 90 per credit.
- A Thanawya student graduated from a discipline other than the sciences are required to take remedial courses.
- A Student below 60% can be admitted if he/she can fulfill one of the following:
- 3 years of experience in a related field of specialization approved by a certificate from the employer.
- Passing a personal interview.
- Athletes and Artists who represents Kingdom of Bahrain at regional and international Champions.
1. (Number of admitted students according to the above criteria should not exceed 5% of the total admitted students in that particular semester).

DEGREE FACTS:

- Providing students with basic and advanced knowledge in the branches of the Bahraini law and its various sources.
- Developing the students' intellectual and practical skills in the law field and their ability to learn and utilize the sources of knowledge and applying the theoretical knowledge in this field of everyday problems.
- Developing the students' skills in writing legal researches and using the databases and information technology.
- Enabling the students to develop the skills of written and oral communication and encouraging them to work effectively, independently and collectively as one team.
- Preparing graduates who are able to contribute to and participate in the performance of the legal services and academic activities and acquiring a good mount of applied and practical skills related to legal work in order to provide fertile ground to engage in the labor market in the Kingdom of Bahrain and other countries.
- The Period of study is 3 – 4 years long.
- The number of credit hours required for graduation is 135 starting from first semester 2013/2014.
- The program is delivered in Arabic language.

CAREERS:

The career prospects for administrative and practical professional are wide in front of the graduates of the Faculty of Law. Perhaps the most important things that the student of Law may practice are the following:

1. Working in the diplomatic corps.
2. Working in the human rights organizations and judicial institutions.
3. Working in the private sector such as legal consulting companies and offices.
4. Practicing the lawyer job.
5. Taking over the functions of the Public Prosecution and the Judiciary.
6. Holding BA degree in Law qualifies to graduate studies.

APPLIED SCIENCE UNIVERSITY

College of Administrative Sciences

PROGRAMME:
Bachelor of Political Science

DEGREE FACTS:

- The student will gain a solid grounding in the basic issues political science at both theoretical and practical levels.
- The student will gain a range of transferable skills such as presentation and research skills.
- The Period of study is 3 – 4 years long.
- The number of credit hours required for graduation is 135 starting from first semester 2013/2014.
- The program is delivered in Arabic language.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

- High school (Thanawya) or equivalent: A minimum of 60% cumulative GPA or its equivalence.
- Fees: BD 90 per credit.
- A Student below 60% can be admitted if he/she can fulfill one of the following:
- 3 years of experience in a related field of specialization approved by a certificate from the employer.
- Passing a personal interview.
- Athletes and Artists who represents Kingdom of Bahrain at regional and international Champions.

(Number of admitted students according to the above criteria should not exceed 5% of the total admitted students in that particular semester).

INTRODUCTION:

Program's aims:

- To equip students with the required knowledge in political science and the related skills that help them compete effectively in the labor market.
- Provide students with sufficient background in political sciences that helps them pursue their graduate's studies.
- Develop students' verbal and written communication skill.

The course themes are developed through a variety of teaching and learning methods. The course content has been designed in response to the needs of political field in Gulf region generally, and Kingdom of Bahrain particularly, and to help students to further their careers.

On this course, students will acquire knowledge about the basic issues in political science, and develop a range of core skills such as the ability of critical thinking, and enhancing their capabilities in political analysis.

Students also will acquire a range of transferable skills such as: presentation techniques, and research skills.

CAREERS:

Political Science graduates will be in apposition to choose from a wide range of interesting careers in areas such as: Diplomatic Affairs, Think tanks (research centers), International and Regional organizations, Mass-media institutions, and civil society organizations).

In addition, many students can progress to study for a higher degree (Master and PhD) and certificates in political sciences.

APPLIED SCIENCE UNIVERSITY

College of Administrative Sciences

PROGRAMME:
Bachelor in Accounting and Finance

DEGREE FACTS:

- The program prepares the students to meet the demand of Bahrain market where Banking and Finance is booming.
- The Period of study is 3 - 4 years long.
- The number of credit hours required for graduation is 135 starting from first semester 2013/2014.
- The program is delivered in English language.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

- High school (Thanawya) or equivalent: A minimum of 60% cumulative GPA or its equivalence.
- Fees: BD 90 per credit.
- A Thanawya student graduated from a discipline other than the sciences are required to take remedial courses.
- A Student below 60% can be admitted if he/she can fulfill one of the following:
- 3 years of experience in a related field of specialization approved by a certificate from the employer.
- Passing a personal interview.
- Athletes and Artists who represents Kingdom of Bahrain at regional and international Champions.

(Number of admitted students according to the above criteria should not exceed 5% of the total admitted students in that particular semester).

CAREERS:

1. Accounting and Finance graduates will be able to choose carriers like, Account, Investment analyst, Financial analyst, Bankers.

2. In addition many students progress to study for a higher degree, like Masters, CPA, ACCA, CMA. These Professional courses increase the chances of getting job with higher paid salaries.

INTRODUCTION:

To equip students with the required accounting and finance knowledge and related skills that help them compete effectively in the labor market.

Provide students with sufficient background in accounting and finance that helps them pursue their graduate's studies and pass professional examinations.

Develop students' verbal and written communication skills and apply accounting and finance techniques to solve practical problems.

Establish and maintain strong ties and cooperation with business community especially the industry, financial institutions and the accounting profession.

The course is structured with two key themes of accounting and finance skills, which are developed through a variety of teaching and learning tools and methods including site visits.

The program of Accounting and Finance is delivered by experts in the field of accounting; they have years of teaching experience and research. At ASU the teaching staff is from different nationalities and come with different culture, yet works as one team under the umbrella of ASU to fulfill its mission and enrich the students with their knowledge and experience, making them better citizens of tomorrow.

The Accounting and Finance program has a plan study. *(SM Plan of study)*, According to the plan the students have two semesters and one summer course in a year. Each year students can finish approximately 13 to 15 courses, which are approximately 39 to 45 credits. For example, According to the plan the students study Principles of Accounting I and Principles of Accounting II. Where more percent of knowledge and understanding is assessed. During the final year of the B.Sc degree when students register for example for a course like Advanced Financial accounting or International Accounting Standards, such courses cover and test more percent of Analysis, Application of Theory and Practice skills.

Since the programmed has a blend of Accounting and Finance students will know to differentiate between financial risk and business risk. Besides that the Program will develop knowledge of Insurance and Financial Institution, Accounting and Auditing Firms in Bahrain. Students will gain transferrable skills such as presentation techniques and good communication skills.

APPLIED SCIENCE UNIVERSITY

College of Administrative Sciences

PROGRAMME:
Master in Accounting and Finance

INTRODUCTION:

The course is structured around the two key themes of accounting and finance skills. These themes are developed through a variety of teaching and learning methods, including field trips, visiting speakers from the filed of accounting and finance of Bahrain institutions and banks, The course content has been designed in response to the needs of accounting and finance to help further your career.

On this course, you will develop a range of key core accounting and finance skills, such as auditing, banking, cost, financial management and accounting information technology. You will also acquire a range of transferable skills such as presentation techniques, research skills, interpersonal communication skills and knowledge of various IT packages.

Years of study have a strong emphasis on Accounting and Finance. You have the opportunity to choose from a range of elective modules which will allow you to explore and further develop your particular interest.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

- Minimum of 60% cumulative GPA in bachelor degree in Accounting or Finance or any such closer degrees.
- Students are required to be interviewed and must be able to demonstrate an interest in this Program.
- Fees for each credit is 140 BD.
- The programis delivered in Arabic language.

DEGREE FACTS:

Students have on occasion used their dissertation as a vehicle to increase their skills and gain employment.

- You will gain solid skills in accounting and finance at the theoretical and practical level.
- Students will gain a range of transferable skills.
- There is a great opportunity for self- development through placement, study abroad and elective choice.
- The course is 6 semester long.
- The number of credit hours for degree completion is 36 credit hours, noting that the thesis is 6 credit hours.
- The course is delivered in Arabic language.

CAREERS:

Master degree in Accounting and Finance graduates are much sought after and you will be in a position to choose from a wide range of interesting and challenging careers in area such as: accounting and finance services, financial management and research.

In addition, many students progress to study for a higher degree (PhD) and certificates in accounting, auditing and finance.

APPLIED SCIENCE UNIVERSITY

College of Administrative Sciences

PROGRAMME:
Bachelor in Management Information Systems (MIS)

DEGREE FACTS:
- Student will gain a solid base in the key information systems skills at theoretical, practical and application levels.
- Student will gain a range of transferable skills which are highly sought by the employers.
- The Period of study is 3 – 4 years long.
- The number of credit hours required for graduation is 135.
- The program is delivered in English language.

CAREERS:
Management Information System graduates are much sought after and you will be in a position to choose from wide range of interesting and challenging careers, as information system are used in every aspect of life and continues to grow, such as information technology departments in government and private sector establishments, financial establishments, Banks, Sales departments, computer networking and mobile companies, training and teaching institutes, running own small business and pursing higher studies for the degree of MSc and Ph.D.

INTRODUCTION:
The Program is structured around two themes, Information Technology and Management. These Themes are introduced to the student through a variety of teaching and learning methods, including lectures, Labs, discussions, projects, assignments and field trips. Program has been designed to meet the needs of Business and management for Information Technology to tackle their problems.

With this program you will develop a range of key skills, such as, computer networking, electronic commerce, information systems types, Information system development security computer programming, web programming and management concepts.

On year one and two, you will develop arrange of core skills in the information system concepts technology management, business fundamental and computer programming and application. The program offers a number of elective courses which allows you to explore and further develop your interest.

Years three and four have a strong emphasis on information systems their applications and Infrastructure. This offer to the student's insight of how information systems applied in business to deal with problems in the business context.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:
- High school (Thanawya) or equivalent: A minimum of 60% cumulative GPA or its equivalence
- Fees: BD 90 per credit.
- A Thanawya student graduated from a discipline other than the sciences are required to take remedial course in mathematics.
- A Student below 60% can be admitted if he/she can fulfill one of the following:
- 3 years of experience in a related field of specialization approved by a certificate from the employer.
- Passing a personal interview.
- Athletes and Artists who represents Kingdom of Bahrain at regional and international Champions.

    (Number of admitted students according to the above criteria should not exceed 5% of the total admitted students in that particular semester).

APPLIED SCIENCE UNIVERSITY

College of Administrative Sciences

PROGRAMME:
Bachelor in Business Administration (BBA)

DEGREE FACTS:

- You will gain a solid base in the key business administration skills at theoretical and practical levels.
- Student will gain a range of transferable skills which are highly sought after by the employers.
- The Period of study is 3 – 4 years long.
- The number of credit hours required for graduation is 135.
- The program is delivered in Arabic language.

CAREERS:

Business graduates are much sought after and you will be in a position to choose among a wide range of interesting and challenging careers in both public and private sector such as sales, marketing, human resources management, financial services, running own small business, etc...

In addition, many students progress to study for a higher degree.

INTRODUCTION:

The Applied Science University Bachelor of Science in Business Administration is underpinned by a recognized need to develop graduates with both knowledge and understanding of the functions of business and how they are integrated. This knowledge is then 'Applied' through practical skills development, allowing students to integrate their conceptual knowledge with practice.

Consequent to this approach students will be introduced to the key functions of business including the disciplines of general management, marketing, financial management and organization where they will be equipped with a fundamental understanding of key concepts and theories in each area and exposed to practical approaches to solving 'real world' business problems and issues through a range of teaching methods and approaches that focus on the practical application of knowledge.

Year One and Two have a strong emphasis on introductory courses, while in Years three and four a strong emphasis on intellectual and practical skills.

The programme is designed to equip graduates with the knowledge and skills to operate in a wide range of organizational settings and add value to the organization they are employed with.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

- High school (Thanawya) or equivalent: A minimum of 60% cumulative GPA or its equivalence.
- Fees: BD 90 per credit.
- A Thanawya student graduated from a discipline other than the sciences are required to take remedial course in mathematics.
- A Student below 60% can be admitted if he/she can fulfill one of the following:
- 3 years of experience in a related field of specialization approved by a certificate from the employer.
- Passing a personal interview.
- Athletes and Artists who represents Kingdom of Bahrain at regional and international Champions.

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APPLIED SCIENCE UNIVERSITY

College of Administrative Sciences

PROGRAMME:
Bachelor in Accounting

DEGREE FACTS:
- Student will gain solid skills in accounting at the theoretical and practical level.
- The program prepares the students to meet the demand of Bahrain market where Banking and Finance is booming.
- The Period of study is 3 – 4 years long.
- The number of credit hours required for graduation is 135.
- The program is delivered in Arabic language.

CAREERS:

Accounting graduates will be in a position to choose from a wide range of interesting and challenging careers in area such as: Accounting, Finance services, Financial management and Research.

In addition, many students progress to study for a higher degree (Master and PhD) and certificates in accounting, auditing and finance.

INTRODUCTION:

The course is structured around the two key themes of accounting skills. These themes are developed through a variety of teaching and learning methods, including field trips, visiting speakers from the filed of accounting and finance of Bahrain institutions and banks, The course content has been designed in response to the needs of accounting in local and external market.

Aims of the program:–

- To equip students with the required accounting knowledge and related skills that help them compete effectively in the labor market.
- Provide students with sufficient background in accounting that helps them pursue their graduate's studies and pass professional examinations.
- Develop students' verbal and written communication skills and apply accounting techniques to solve practical problems.
- Establish and maintain strong ties and cooperation with business community especially the industry, financial institutions and the accounting profession.

At ASU the teaching staff is from different nationalities and come with different culture, yet works as one team under the umbrella of ASU to fulfill its mission and enrich the students with their knowledge and experience, making them better citizens of tomorrow.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:
- High school (Thanawya) or equivalent: A minimum of 60% cumulative GPA or its equivalence.
- Fees: BD 90 per credit.
- A Thanawya student graduated from a discipline other than the sciences are required to take remedial course in mathematics.
- A Student below 60% can be admitted if he/she can fulfill one of the following:
- 3 years of experience in a related field of specialization approved by a certificate from the employer.
- Passing a personal interview.
- Athletes and Artists who represents Kingdom of Bahrain at regional and international Champions.

  (Number of admitted students according to the above criteria should not exceed 5% of the total admitted students in that particular semester).

APPLIED SCIENCE UNIVERSITY

College of Administrative Sciences

PROGRAMME:
Master in Human Resources Management (MHRM)

DEGREE FACTS:

- The MHRM student will acquire a wide spectrum of skills in different modules; as human resources management, research methodology, training and developing human resources, financial management and performance evaluation encompassing them into an interdisciplinary approach.
- The course is 6 semester long.
- The number of credit hours for MHRM degree completion is 36 credit hours, noting that the thesis is 6 credit hours.
- The course is delivered in Arabic language.

INTRODUCTION:

Recognizing the human resources as one of the important sources of competitive advantage for corporate sustainability, corporations are striving to nurture and manage their human resources more effectively.

The ASU MHRM programme is designed to provide existing graduates from different disciplines to study for master in Human Resources Management.

The ASU MHRM welcomes candidates from a number of countries and the program is delivered within a domestic and regional context.

The programme is designed to equip the student with skills in management and human resources management to start their human resources career.

The program aims to develop Human Resources specialist understanding and critical appreciation of the theories, tools and techniques of management and human resources management to enable them more effectively lead and manage human resources in organizations. It seeks to improve the quality of performance as a profession.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

- Minimum of 60% cumulative GPA in bachelor of business or from non-business background while those from non-business background must be enrolled in introductory courses with zero credit hour as a condition to get eligible for first semester MHRM courses enrollment.
- Students are required to be interviewed and must be able to demonstrate an interest in this Program.
- Fees for each credit hours is 140 B.D.

CAREERS:

Upon successful completion of the ASU MHRM candidates will be exposed for a range of careers in both the private and public sectors.

Human resources specialists are recognized as essential business partners who create programs and activities that impact business and contribute to its success.

The MHRM graduate has a potential opportunity in all organizations that seek specialist with knowledge and skills in Human resources context.

APPLIED SCIENCE UNIVERSITY

College of
Arts and Science

PROGRAMME:
Bachelor in
Computer Science

INTRODUCTION:

The computer science offer market-driven curricular programs which meet the current and future needs of students and society, regularly reviewing the match between curriculum, enrollment and resources to ensure quality, competency-based academic programs based on the QAA concepts.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

- High school (Thanawya) or equivalent: A minimum of 60% cumulative GPA or its equivalence.
- Fees: BD 90 per credit.
- A Thanawya student graduated from a discipline other than the sciences are required to take remedial courses
- A Student below 60% can be admitted if he/she can fulfill one of the following:
  - 3 years of experience in a related field of specialization approved by a certificate from the employer
  - Passing a personal interview.
  - Athletes and Artists who represents Kingdom of Bahrain at regional and international Champions.

    (Number of admitted students according to the above criteria should not exceed 5% of the total admitted students in that particular semester).

DEGREE FACTS:

- To ensure the enhancement of the learner's analytical, creative and critical thinking skills.
- To establish and maintain an effective program and course evaluation system to ensure continuous quality improvement in educational activities and technology.
- To stress students' participation in various activities, conferences and workshops.
- To support students through academic and social counseling, participation in decision making and building up a true co-operative students' union who is committed to values, ethics and principles.
- The Period of study is 3 - 4 years long.
- The number of credit hours required for graduation is 136 starting from first semester 2013/2014.
- The program is delivered in English language.

CAREERS:

- Computer Programmer.
- System analyst.
- Postgraduate Student.
- Other IT functions employee.

APPLIED SCIENCE UNIVERSITY

College of
Arts and Science

PROGRAMME:
Bachelor in
Interior Design

INTRODUCTION:
To prepare and graduate a qualified artists and designer who are able to compete and meet, the local labor market needs in Bahrain and Gulf through offering advanced academic programs.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

- High school (Thanawya) or equivalent: A minimum of 60% cumulative GPA or its equivalence
- Fees: BD 90 per credit.
- A Student below 60% can be admitted if he/she can fulfill one of the following:
- 3 years of experience in a related field of specialization approved by a certificate from the employer
- Passing a personal interview
- Athletes and Artists who represents Kingdom of Bahrain at regional and international Champions.

  (Number of admitted students according to the above criteria should not exceed 5% of the total admitted students in that particular semester)

DEGREE FACTS:

- To prepare graduates who have artistic, technical, intellectual and cultural expertise, entitling them to adapt to changing circumstances and capable to meet the labor market demands.
- To direct academic research in raising the level of education and community service.
- The Period of study is 3 – 4 years long.
- The number of credit hours required for graduation is 148 starting from first semester 2013/2014.
- The course is delivered in Arabic language.

CAREERS:

- Interior designer for general interior spaces.
- Supervisor of the fulfillment of interior design siter.
- Managing and planning the designing project.
- Furniture designer of interior design.
- managing the furniture factories and their production lines.
- assistant designer of architecture engineering offices.
- computer graphics programme.
- making interior and external models.
- the painter of interior and external perspectives (views).
- designing and coordinating internal and external gardens.

APPLIED SCIENCE UNIVERSITY

College of Administrative Sciences

PROGRAMME:
Accounting and finance Msc.

INTRODUCTION:

The course is structured around the two key themes of accounting and finance skills. These themes are developed through a variety of teaching and learning methods, including field trips, visiting speakers from the filed of accounting and finance of Bahrain institutions and banks, The course content has been designed in response to the needs of accounting and finance to help further your career.

On this course, you will develop a range of key core accounting and finance skills, such as auditing, banking, cost, financial management and accounting information technology. You will also acquire a range of transferable skills such as presentation techniques, research skills, interpersonal communication skills and knowledge of various IT packages.

Years of study have a strong emphasis on accounting and finance. You have the opportunity to choose from a range of elective modules which will allow you to explore and further develop your particular interest.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

- Bachelor degree in accounting or finance or any such closer degrees.
- Students are required to be interviewed and must be able to demonstrate an interest in this course.
- Fees for each credit in BD?

DEGREE FACTS:

Students have on occasion used their dissertation as a vehicle to increase their skills and gain employment.

- You will gain solid skills in accounting and finance at the theoretical and practical level.
- Students will gain a range of transferable skills.
- There is a great opportunity for self- development through placement, study abroad and elective choice.
- The course is 2 years in length.
- The number of credits required to graduate.
- The course is taught in Arabic.
- Number of completed credits to graduate is 36 credit hours.

CAREERS:

Master degree in accounting and finance graduates are much sought after and you will be in a position to choose from a wide range of interesting and challenging careers in area such as: accounting and finance services, financial management and research.

In addition, many students progress to study for a higher degree (PhD) and certificates in accounting, auditing and finance.

APPLIED SCIENCE UNIVERSITY

College of
Arts and Science

PROGRAMME:
Bachelor in
Graphic Design

INTRODUCTION:

To prepare and graduate a qualified artists and designer who are able to compete and meet, the local labor market needs in Bahrain and Gulf through offering advanced academic programs.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

- High school (Thanawya): A minimum of 60% cumulative GPA or its equivalence.
- Fees: BD 90 per credit.
- A Student below 60% can be admitted if he/she can fulfill one of the following:
- 3 years of experience in a related field of specialization approved by a certificate from the employer.
- Passing a personal interview.
- Athletes and Artists who represents Kingdom of Bahrain at regional and international Champions.

   (Number of admitted students according to the above criteria should not exceed 5% of the total admitted students in that particular semester).

DEGREE FACTS:

- To prepare graduates who have artistic, technical, intellectual and cultural expertise, entitling them to adapt to changing circumstances and capable to meet the labor market demands.
- To direct academic research in raising the level of education and community service.
- The Period of study is 4 years long.
- The number of credit hours required for graduation is 142 starting from first semester 2013/2014.
- The course is delivered in Arabic language.

CAREERS:

- Offices of advertising.
- Field of printing.
- Field of directing journal list.
- Field of wore design internet.
- Packaging companies.
- Technical fields, official institution(fore design, ministry of defiance, the ministry of culture and media, ministry of education).
- Field directed T.V program.

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College of Computer Studies (FCS)

BSc (Honors) Information Technology and Computing (ITC)

INTRODUCTION:

ITC program aims to:

- Provide up-to-date knowledge of important concepts and trends in information technology and computing and their context.
- Enable students to apply their knowledge and understanding appropriately in such activities as analysis, abstraction, problem-solving, design and testing.
- Prepare students for professional work in the fields of information technology and computing by equipping them with appropriate cognitive, key, practical and professional skills, including the skills needed to undertake lifelong learning in their chosen professional field.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

To be admitted in ITC program the student should fulfill the following conditions:

- Obtain a general secondary school certificate or equivalent.
- Fulfill any other conditions determined by the University or competent authorities of the HEC.
- Admission to programs is subject to local authority regulations.

AOU administers **Language Placement Tests in both Arabic and English**, not as admission requirements but as indicators to help place students at the appropriate level of language development. Based on the test scores, students will be assigned courses which aim to develop the students' proficiency in English/Arabic in order to undertake the full course load in their respective areas of specialization.

Years of study: 4 years.

Total fees: BD 5860.

DEGREE FACTS:

To obtain the BSc Honors degree in ITC, students must achieve at least 131 credit hours:

- General University requirements (18 credit hours).
- Faculty compulsory Requirements (6 credit hours).
- Faculty elective requirements (9 credit hours).
- Faculty core requirements (98 credit hours).

CAREERS:

ITC graduates can choose from a wide range of interesting and challenging careers in areas such as: designing and implementing software (includes aspects of web development, interface design, security issues, mobile computing, and so on). In addition many software professionals return to school to obtain a terminal master's degree.

ARAB OPEN UNIVERSITY

College of Business Studies

PROGRAMME:
BA (Honors) Business Administration (System Track)

DEGREE FACTS:

To obtain the BA Honors degree in Business Administration (System Track) , students must achieve at least 128 credit hours:

- General University requirements (18 credit hours).
- Faculty compulsory Requirements (3 credit hours).
- Faculty elective requirements (11 credit hours).
- Faculty core requirements (96 credit hours).

CAREERS:

Business graduates can choose from a wide range of interesting and challenging careers in areas such as: Administrative, HRM, Marketing, Operation Management, Trade, Executive Secretary, Sales, Purchase, all topic related to organization Supply Chain, Store Keeper, Bookkeeper, Management System, Problem Solver.

In addition many graduates return to school to obtain a terminal master's degree.

INTRODUCTION:

Business program aims to:

- a Business Studies programme of study which specializes in one of Management, Marketing, Accounting, Economic, and Systems Practice.
- an honours level 6 experience;
- the knowledge, skills, business awareness and confidence that will enable them to succeed in the wider business world;
- a high quality education in a stimulating environment, appropriately resourced;
- an introduction to the world of business, including an understanding of markets and market economies;
- an understanding of the structures, cultures and functioning of business organisations and the complex nature of key business functions and processes;
- a recognition of the processes and outcomes of organisational decision-making, how organisational strategies both develop and diversify and the nature and role of policies which impact on business;
- a range of important business graduate skills which students can bring to their employment in businesses or organisations;
- support and guidance to develop as independent learners.
- Acquisition of basic skills in each track..

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

To be admitted in Business program the student should fulfill the following conditions:

- Obtain a general secondary school certificate or equivalent.
- Fulfill any other conditions determined by the University or competent authorities of the HEC.
- Admission to programs is subject to local authority regulations.

AOU administers Language Placement Tests in both Arabic and English, not as admission requirements but as indicators to help place students at the appropriate level of language development. Based on the test scores, students will be assigned courses which aim to develop the students' proficiency in English/Arabic in order to undertake the full course load in their respective areas of specialization.

Years of study: 4 years.

Total fees: BD 4909.

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College of Administrative & Financial Sciences

PROGRAMME:
Human Rsources Management and Public Relations–B.sc.

INTRODUCTION:

This course meets the needs of those wishing to become human resource management professionals and also provides a foundation for postgraduate study. The student will follow core management topics as well as more specialist human resource management modules. The degree develops skills in the communication of information and ideas and in the analysis and evaluation of complex problems in managing people.

The program incorporates a focus on Human Resources & Public Relations as part of the core skill package critical to success. Students gain the competencies needed to manage a wide range of responsibilities.

Our interactive learning philosophy enriches students with relevant knowledge taught by faculty who bring their real world experience into the classroom.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

- High School Diploma (Thanawiya) or its equivalence – Minimum of 70% Cumulative GPA, otherwise preparatory courses are required.
- Students are required to show proficiency in English (have one of the international language certificates) or take a placement test to determine level; preparatory course(s) may be required.
- Students are required to take a placement test in mathematics and computer literacy to determine whether preparatory course(s) are required.
- Fees for each Credit hour is 100 BD.

DEGREE FACTS:

- The students will develop skill that will enable them to gain entry into the field of Human Resources Management & Public Relations.
- The student will gain a general overview of human resource planning, staffing, employee/labor relations, and training and development combined with public relations theory and industry-specific concepts that help build the student's public speaking, presentation and interview skills.
- The program is 4 years in length.
- The number of credit hours required to graduate is 141.
- The course is taught in Arabic and English (provided enough students enroll in the desired section).

CAREERS:

Human Resources Management in all sectors (financial, industrial, banking); Public Relations in all sectors (financial, industrial, banking); Compensation & Benefits; Media Relations; Employee Relations; Training & Development; Job Analysts.

GULF UNIVERSITY

College of Administrative & Financial Sciences

PROGRAMME:
Communication and Public Relations – B.sc.

INTRODUCTION:

This program is developed to meet demands that communication and public relations professionals are employed in a wide variety of settings in mass communication, business, government, education, and non profit organizations. The goal of the program is to prepare students for careers in communication-based companies. Students are prepared not just for entry-level positions, but for advancement in their selected fields. This bachelor's degree prepares students to create targeted social media messaging, develop marketing campaigns, write persuasive communications, deliver winning presentations, and promote ideas that instigate others to take action by focusing on the latest practices and strategies.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

- High School Diploma (Thanawiya) or its equivalence – Minimum of 70% Cumulative GPA, otherwise preparatory courses are required.
- Students are required to show proficiency in English (have one of the international language certificates) or take a placement test to determine level; preparatory course(s) may be required.
- Students are required to take a placement test in mathematics and computer literacy to determine whether preparatory course(s) are required
- Fees for each Credit hour is 100 BD.

DEGREE FACTS:

- The student shall acquire knowledge in media production communication theories and ethics.
- The student will acquire writing skills for mass communication media and learn about public relations and the skills of its management and the skills advertisement.
- The program is 4 years in length.
- The number of credit hours required to graduate is 141.
- The course is taught in Arabic.

CAREERS:

- Public relations officers in government, industry, business and other institutions.
- Editors, directors, writers in journalism, television, radio and other media institutions.
- Graphic design and advertising institutions.

GULF UNIVERSITY

College of Administrative & Financial Sciences

PROGRAMME:
Accounting and Finance – B.sc.

INTRODUCTION:

Accounting and Finance program involves more than just computational skills. The program teaches students how to perceive and understand the nature of organizations and Financial aspects. It also gives students an understanding of how the market allocates finances to firms.

This Program designed to respond to the requirements of work in areas of professional accountancy, investment banking, investment analysis, management, financial management, and to develop proficiency skills and academic knowledge, as well as to more advanced academic study.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

- High School Diploma (Thanawiya) or its equivalence – Minimum of 70% Cumulative GPA, otherwise preparatory courses are required.
- Students are required to show proficiency in English (have one of the international language certificates) or take a placement test to determine level; preparatory course(s) may be required.
- Students are required to take a placement test in mathematics and computer literacy to determine whether preparatory course(s) are required.
- Fees for each Credit hour is 100 BD.

DEGREE FACTS:

- Students will gain a solid grounding in key accounting and financial skills at the theoretical and practical level.
- Students will gain a range of transferable skills and knowledge which are required and effective in a working market.
- The program is 4 years in length.
- The number of credit hours required to graduate is 141.
- The course is taught in Arabic and English (provided enough students enroll in the desired section).

CAREERS:

Accounting graduates are much sought after, and students will be in a position to choose from a wide range of interesting and challenging careers in areas such as: financial accounting; cost accounting; financial management; auditing; running own accounting and auditing business; and research.

In addition, students may progress to study for a higher degree (MSc, PhD, and Chartered Accountant, CPA, CMA, CFA, CIMA).

GULF UNIVERSITY

College of
Engineering

PROGRAMME:
Interior Design
Engineering – B.sc.

INTRODUCTION:

The Interior Design Engineering curriculum is in line with highly recognized international standards, leading to a Bachelor of Science. After their third year, students participate in a summer internship program that requires them to work in an Interior Design office for no less than eight weeks.

Interior Design engineering program provides a healthy mix of theory, technology and design informs the curriculum, which seeks to enhance the knowledge and skill necessary to link understanding to experience, theory to practice, and art to science in ways that respond to human needs, aspirations, and sensibilities.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

- High School Diploma (Thanawiya) or its equivalence – Minimum of 70% Cumulative GPA, otherwise preparatory courses are required.
- Students are required to show proficiency in English (have one of the international language certificates) or take a placement test to determine level; preparatory course(s) may be required.
- Students are required to take a placement test in mathematics and computer literacy to determine whether preparatory course(s) are required.
- Fees for each Credit hour is 100 BD.

DEGREE FACTS:

The B.Sc. in Interior Design Program will :

- Provide the students with a strong foundation in the basic principles and elements of design, drawing and color in order to develop a non-verbal design language, visual logic, and fluency of expression.
- Help the student learn to think critically about a design problem before, during and after creating a design solution.
- Encourage creative expression and original work within a structured curriculum that balances theory and practice, vision and planning, creativity and logic, art and technology.
- Encourage the dialogue between interior design and architecture by providing students with knowledge of architectural history, spatial relationships and organizations, methods and materials, construction codes and building systems.
- Provide awareness of business practices related to interior design and the designer's ethical responsibilities to profession and society.
- Enable the student to work effectively on multidisciplinary teams for the optimum solution of a wide range of Interior Design problems.
- The program is 4 years in length.
- The number of credit hours required to graduate is 144.
- The course is taught in English.

CAREERS:

There are many different careers in interior design and several exciting and rewarding career paths that an interior designer can chose to follow. Graduates in Interior Design take jobs as residential Interior Designers, commercial Interior Designers, etc. , quite often an interior designer will decide to specialize in more than one area of practice.

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ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS IN IRELAND – MEDICAL UNIVERSITY OF BAHRAIN (RCSI BAHRAIN)

PROGRAMME:
Medical Commencement Programme (MCP)

INTRODUCTION:

The Medical Commencement Programme (MCP) is a one year, full time programme that provides students with a greater knowledge of general science subjects, study/research skills and medical related English. It is designed to equip students with the skills and knowledge required to bridge the gap between second level education and that of a third level medical university.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

Admission to the MCP is based on academic grades and qualifications, performance at a structured interview, recommendation letter from your school and English language ability.

The academic entry requirements for the MCP are as follows;

- Completion of the science stream of the Secondary School Leaving Certificate and achievement of a cumulative Grade Point Average (cGPA) of 87%+.
- Achievement of an IELTS examination score of 4.5 (or TOEFL equivalent grade).

★ Please note: These grades are minimum entry requirements only and do not guarantee entry into the programme.

Interested applicants should complete an online application form available at www.rcsibahrain.edu.bh and submit the following documentation:

- School transcripts/certificates (applicants who do not have their final grades should submit transcripts for Grades 10/11).
- IELTS or TOEFL examination results.
- Confidential statement/letter of recommendation (completed by your School).
- Copy of your passport and CPR (if applicable).
- Personal statement.
- Two recent passport sized photographs.

Following completion of the online application and receipt of the above essential documentation, the Admissions Department will be in contact to advise if the applicant has been shortlisted for interview.

For additional information, please visit our website www.rcsibahrain.edu.bh or contact the Admissions Department on Email: admissions@rcsi-mub.com or Tel: + 973 17351450 Ext: 5555.

Fees:
Academic Year 2012/2013: US$10,960 per year
(subject to change)

DEGREE FACTS:

- The academic year commences in September and extends over two semesters.
- The programme comprises of 12 modules.
- All students follow the core science subjects. In addition, students with an IELTS score of less than 6.5 undertake English language for medical purposes and students with an IELTS score of 6.5+ undertake research modules.
- The programme is taught solely in English.

CAREERS:

On successful completion of all modules of the Medical Commencement Programme and achievement of a score of 5.5 in IELTS (or TOEFL equivalent), students can progress to the 6 year Medical Programme (MB BCh BAO) in RCSI Bahrain.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS IN IRELAND – MEDICAL UNIVERSITY OF BAHRAIN (RCSI BAHRAIN)

PROGRAMME:

Medicine (MB BCh BAO) – Bachelor of Medicine, Bachelor of Surgery, Bachelor in the Art of Obstetrics

INTRODUCTION:

This five/six year, full–time Medical Programme is open to school leavers and those who have undertaken an undergraduate degree in another discipline but now wish to pursue a career in Medicine. The programme is designed to ensure students develop a balanced perspective of domiciliary, community and hospital care and acquire a sound knowledge of the principles of both science and the art of medicine. Students are also provided with comprehensive training through exposure to a variety of specialities, thus enhancing career opportunities at home and abroad

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

Admission to the Medical Programme is dependent on academic grades and qualifications, performance at a structured interview, recommendation letter(s) from School/University and English language ability.

Entry requirements for the six year Medical Programme are as follows;

- Completion of the science stream of the Secondary School Leaving Certificate with achievement of a cumulative Grade Point Average (cGPA) of 92%+.
- Achievement of an IELTS examination score of 5.5 (or TOEFL equivalent grade).

(5/6 year entry requirements for additional curricula (including IB, A Levels, CBSE, etc) and information regarding eligibility for direct entry into the 5 year programme is available at www.rcsibahrain.edu.bh or contact the admissions office admissions@rcsi-mub.com).

★Please note: These grades are minimum entry requirements only and do not guarantee entry into the programme.

Interested applicants should complete an online application form at www.rcsibahrain.edu.bh and submit the following documentation:

- School transcripts/certificates (applicants who do not have their final grades should submit transcripts for Grades 10/11)
- University transcripts (if applicable).
- IELTS or TOEFL examination results.
- Confidential statement/letter of recommendation (completed by your school/university).
- Copy of your passport and CPR (if applicable).
- Personal statement.
- Two recent passport sized photographs.

Following completion of the online application and receipt of the above essential documentation, the Admissions Department will be in contact to advise if the applicant has been shortlisted for interview.

For additional information, please visit our website www.rcsibahrain.edu.bh or contact the Admissions Department on Email: admissions@rcsi–mub.com or Tel: + 973 17351450 Ext: 5555.

Fees:

Academic Year 2012/2013: US$38,250 per year (subject to change).

DEGREE FACTS:

- The Medical Programme consists of three cycles, Junior (3 semesters), Intermediate (3 semesters) and Senior Cycle (4 semesters) which can be preceded by a Foundation Year (2 semesters).
- The programme is systems based and outcome focused with an emphasis on early access to clinical skills.
- The course is taught entirely in English.
- The programme is identical to that offered in RCSI Dublin.
- Exit awards: students who are unable to complete the Bachelor of Medicine Programme, but have completed and passed all modules up to Intermediate Cycle 1 and have gained 120 credits, may exit the programme with the award of Diploma in Medical Sciences. Students who have completed 180 credits and have completed, either Intermediate Cycle 2 and an optional research dissertation or Intermediate Cycle 3, may exit the programme with a BSc in Medical Sciences.

CAREERS:

Graduates are awarded the degree of MB BCh BAO from the National University of Ireland (NUI) and from RCSI Bahrain. In addition, they also receive the Licentiate of the Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland (LRCSI) and the Licentiate of the Royal College of Physicians of Ireland (LRCPI).

The Medical Programme is accredited by the GCC Medical Schools Deans' Committee, is included in the World Health Organisations Directory of Medical Schools and the International Medical Education Directory of the Foundation for the Advancement of International Medical Education and Research (FAIMER). The above awards and recognition allow graduates to pursue a wide variety of postgraduate training opportunities around the world.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS IN IRELAND – MEDICAL UNIVERSITY OF BAHRAIN (RCSI BAHRAIN)

PROGRAMME:

MSc in Healthcare Management

INTRODUCTION:

This programme has been designed to facilitate healthcare professionals, managers and administrators to develop the necessary knowledge, expertise and skills in management and leadership which can be applied to various settings within healthcare systems.

This is a part-time modular 2-year programme. Each module is delivered by blended learning with a mixture of in-class delivery and web based resources and instruction. There are six modules in Year 1 with the classroom component of each module taught in a four-day block.

Year 2 is dedicated entirely to the dissertation where students complete a change management project in their workplace. This is three modules worth of work and is supported by a series of dissertation seminars and action learning sets.

Assessment is carried out through individual and group assignments, case studies, presentations, reports, reflection, posters, examination and a change management project.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

- Candidates must fulfil the National University of Ireland entry requirements which include holding a primary degree or equivalent.
- A minimum of three years work experience, following an undergraduate degree.
- Where English is not a first language, a TOEFL or IELTS test is required with scores of 62 and above for TOEFL, or IELTS scores of 5.0 and above.
- The programme is offered on a part-time basis over 2 years.
- The cost of the two year MSc Programme may be paid with a flexible payment schedule.
- The course fee includes all resources including core textbooks, access to our award-winning virtual learning environment and access to extensive RCSI only databases.
- Each candidate application will be considered on an individual basis.
- Further additional entry requirements may be requested by the Higher Education Council, Bahrain.

Admissions Process
- Completed Application Form
- Personal Recommendation Form
- Attested copies of Transcripts / Degree
- Attested copies of High School Certificate
- Proven proficiency in the English language (IELTS / TOEFL)
- Clear copy of the individual's valid passport
- One recent passport-size photograph
- Current copy CV
- An application letter (details provided with the application form)
- Non-refundable administration/processing fee of BD50

All of the above should be posted to:
Ronald Joseph
RCSI Institute of Leadership
PO Box 15503
Building 2241, Road 2835, Block 228
Busaiteen, Kingdom of Bahrain

Fees:
Academic Year 2012/2013: BD5,250 per year/BD10,500 per programme

DEGREE FACTS:

This programme has been designed to develop the student's ability as a manager and leader in healthcare. It gives the student the opportunity to learn about managing organisations and people, operations management and principles, evaluating and measuring improvement, finance and budgeting within healthcare organisations, managing quality and risk, leadership, and strategy. Students will be expected to explore their leadership skills in leading a change project in their workplace which is based on sound research evidence.

The Masters programme is delivered by the Institute of Leadership in RCSI. It is accredited by the National University of Ireland and the Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland. It is recognised by the Higher Education Council (Bahrain) and accredited by the Commission for Academic Accreditation, United Arab Emirates.

Applications are invited from all those working in the healthcare sector including doctors, managers, nurses, other clinical specialists and administrators who wish to develop and extend their knowledge and skills in the leadership and management in healthcare.

Personnel in allied health businesses such as medical supplies/equipment and pharmaceuticals may also find the programme relevant and valuable for their needs.

CAREERS:

We expect our graduates to be better able to ensure the delivery and configuration of high quality healthcare services, lead and manage change and development within their organisations and professions.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS IN IRELAND – MEDICAL UNIVERSITY OF BAHRAIN (RCSI BAHRAIN)

PROGRAMME:
MSc Quality and Safety
in Healthcare Management

INTRODUCTION:

This programme has been designed to facilitate healthcare professionals, managers and administrators to develop the necessary knowledge, expertise and skills in quality and safety in healthcare which can be applied to various settings within healthcare systems.

This is a part-time modular 2-year programme. Each module is delivered by blended learning with a mixture of in-class delivery and web based resources and instruction. There are six modules in Year 1 with the classroom component of each module taught in a four-day block

Year 2 is dedicated entirely to the dissertation where students complete a change management project in their workplace. This is three modules worth of work and is supported by a series of dissertation seminars and action learning sets.

Assessment is carried out through individual and group assignments, case studies, presentations, reports, reflection, posters, examination and a change management project.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

- Candidates must fulfil the National University of Ireland requirements which include holding a primary degree or equivalent.
- A minimum of three years work experience following an undergraduate degree.
- Where English is not a first language, a TOEFL or IELTS test is required with scores of 62 and above for TOEFL, or IELTS scores of 5.0 and above.
- The programme is offered on a part-time basis over 2 years.
- The cost of the two year MSc Programme may be paid with a flexible payment schedule.
- The course fee includes all resources including core textbooks, access to our award-winning virtual learning environment and access to extensive RCSI only databases.
- Each candidate's application will be considered on an individual basis.
- Further additional entry requirements may be requested by the Higher Education Council, Bahrain.

Admissions Process
- Completed Application Form
- Personal Recommendation Form
- Attested copies of Transcripts / Degree
- Attested copies of High School Certificates
- Proven proficiency in the English language (IELTS / TOEFL)
- Clear copy of your valid passport
- One recent passport-size photograph
- Current copy of your CV
- An application letter (details provided with the application form)
- Non-refundable administration/processing fee of BD50

All of the above should be posted to:
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RCSI Institute of Leadership
PO Box 15503
Building 2241, Road 2835, Block 228
Busaiteen, Kingdom of Bahrain

Fees:
Academic Year 2012/2013: BD5,250 per year/BD10,500 per programme

DEGREE FACTS:

This programme has been designed to develop the student's ability to debate the drivers and barriers for a quality and safe healthcare system. It will give the student the opportunity to use quality improvement tools and interventions that are specific to quality, safety and risk in healthcare. The programme will provide healthcare professionals with the skills to evaluate core concepts around patient safety, quality, accreditation and governance. Students will be expected to explore their leadership skills in leading a change project in their workplace which is based on sound research evidence.

The Masters programme is delivered by the Institute of Leadership in RCSI. It is accredited by the National University of Ireland and the Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland. It is recognised by the Higher Education Council (Bahrain) and accredited by the Commission for Academic Accreditation, United Arab Emirates.

Applications are invited from all those working in the healthcare sector including doctors, managers, nurses, other clinical specialists and administrators who wish to develop and extend their knowledge and skills in the management of quality and safety in healthcare.

Personnel in allied health businesses such as medical supplies/equipment and pharmaceuticals may also find the programme relevant and valuable for their needs.

CAREERS:

Graduates of this programme will be better able to ensure the delivery and configuration of high quality healthcare services and lead change and development within their service areas.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS IN IRELAND – MEDICAL UNIVERSITY OF BAHRAIN (RCSI BAHRAIN)

PROGRAMME:

Bachelor of Science (BSc) in Nursing

INTRODUCTION:

The Bachelor of Science in Nursing is a four year, full-time degree programme, open to school leavers and graduates who have completed an undergraduate degree in another discipline but now wish to pursue a career in Nursing. The programme aims to equip students with the appropriate knowledge, skills and attitudes to become competent and caring nurses. It also provides a strong foundation for continued personal and professional development.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

Admission to the BSc in Nursing is dependent on academic grades and qualifications, performance at a structured interview, recommendation letter(s) from school/university and English language ability.

Entry requirements are as follows:

- Completion of the science or commerce stream of the Secondary School Leaving Certificate with achievement of a cGPA of 80%+.
- Applicants are also required to pass an English Placement Test which must be taken in the university at interview stage.

(★For other academic entry requirements, please visit our website www.rcsibahrain.edu.bh or contact the admissions office admissions@rcsi-mub.com).

★Please note: These grades are minimum entry requirements only and do not guarantee entry into the programme.

Interested applicants should complete an online application form at www.rcsibahrain.edu.bh and submit the following documentation:

- School/university transcripts/certificates (applicants who do not have their final grades should submit transcripts for Grade 10/11).
- Confidential statement/letter of recommendation (completed by your School).
- Copy of your passport and CPR (if applicable)
- Personal statement.
- Two recent passport sized photographs.

Following the completion of an online application and receipt of the above essential documentation, the Admissions Department will be in contact to advise if the applicant has been shortlisted for the English exam and subsequent interview.

For additional information, please visit our website at www.rcsibahrain.edu.bh or contact the Admissions Department on Email: admissions@rcsi-mub.com or Tel: + 973 1735 1450 Ext: 5555.

Fees:

Academic Year 2012/2013: US$11,630 per year (subject to change). ★Bahraini Nationals may be eligible to apply to Tamkeen for sponsorship.

DEGREE FACTS:

- The programme is semesterised (8) and modularised. It commences in September each year and ends in June the following year.
- The curriculum adopts a problem-solving approach to nursing practice to enable graduates to cope with complex and diverse nursing situations.
- Medical sciences as well as social and behavioural science are integrated within the curriculum. These courses provide the necessary background to support the basic knowledge needed by competent nurses.
- The programme is delivered entirely in English.

CAREERS:

The BSc in Nursing awarded by RCSI Bahrain is internationally recognised and fulfils all the requirements of the World Health Organisation and the European Union, allowing graduates the freedom to register and practice as nurses throughout Europe and most of the developed world. Following two years of experience as a registered nurse, graduates are also eligible to apply for the MSc in Nursing at RCSI Bahrain.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS IN IRELAND – MEDICAL UNIVERSITY OF BAHRAIN (RCSI BAHRAIN)

PROGRAMME:

Bachelor of Science (BSc) in Nursing – Bridging Programme

INTRODUCTION:

The BSc Nursing Bridging programme is delivered part-time, over 18 months and is designed for registered nurses who have completed study to Diploma level and wish to upgrade their qualification to a full BSc degree. Registered nurses from a variety of clinical backgrounds including general hospital, psychiatric and community nursing are eligible to apply.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

Admission to the BSc in Nursing – Bridging Programme is dependent on academic grades and qualifications, performance at a structured interview, work experience, recommendation letter(s) from your employer and English language ability.

Entry requirements are as follows:

- Applicants must be a registered nurse or midwife.
- Applicants must have recent experience in nursing practice.
- Applicants must hold an Associate Degree in Nursing or a 3 year Nursing Diploma and have completed 12 years of High School education.
- Applicants must pass an English Placement Test, which must be taken in the university at interview stage or provide an IELTS certificate with achievement of a minimum score of 5.0 (or TOEFL equivalent).

Interested applicants can download an application form from www.rcsibahrain.edu.bh. The following documentation is also required:

- School transcripts/certificates.
- A certified copy of Associate Degree/Diploma in Nursing.
- Valid nursing license.
- Confidential statement/letter of recommendation (completed by your employer).
- Copy of your passport and CPR (if applicable).
- Curriculum Vitae.
- Two recent passport sized photographs.

Completed applications and documentation can be submitted by post/hand to RCSI Bahrain, Building 2441, Road 2835, Busaiteen 228, P.O. Box 15503, Kingdom of Bahrain or by email to admissions@rcsi-mub.com.

Following receipt of the application form and the above essential documentation, the Admissions Department will be in contact to advise if the applicant has been shortlisted for the English exam and subsequent interview.

For additional information, please visit our website at www.rcsibahrain.edu.bh or contact the Admissions Department on Email: admissions@rcsi-mub.com or Tel: + 973 1735 1450 Ext: 5555.

Fees:

Academic Year 2012/2013: US$11,630 per year (subject to change). *Bahraini Nationals may be eligible to apply to Tamkeen for sponsorship.

DEGREE FACTS:

- The programme has an intake in September and January each year.
- The programme is delivered through 6 modules, 2 per semester over 1.5 years.

CAREERS:

The BSc in Nursing awarded by RCSI Bahrain is internationally recognised and fulfils all the requirements of the World Health Organisation and the European Union, allowing graduates the freedom to register and practice as nurses throughout Europe and most of the developed world. The programme provides an opportunity for nurses to undertake further education to enhance both their personal and professional development. Following two years of experience as a registered nurse, graduates are also eligible to apply for the MSc in Nursing at RCSI Bahrain.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS IN IRELAND – MEDICAL UNIVERSITY OF BAHRAIN (RCSI BAHRAIN)

PROGRAMME:
Master of Science (MSc) in Nursing

INTRODUCTION:

The Master of Science in Nursing is a two year, part-time, postgraduate programme suitable for nurses from a variety of clinical backgrounds who hold a BSc in Nursing and wish to undertake further education to enhance both personal and professional development. The programme facilitates students to develop as reflective practitioners with the confidence and awareness necessary to identify, influence, implement and evaluate evidence-based health care. Students who exit the programme following successful completion of Year 1 are awarded a Postgraduate Diploma in Nursing Theory.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

Admission to the MSc in Nursing is dependent on qualifications, work experience, performance at a structured interview, recommendation letter(s) from your employer and English language ability

Entry requirements are as follows:

- Applicants must hold a BSc in Nursing Degree.
- Applicants must have at least two years recent experience in nursing practice and be a registered nurse or midwife.
- Applicants must provide an IELTS certificate with a minimum achievement of 5.5 (or TOEFL equivalent grade).

Interested applicants can download an application form from www.rcsibahrain.edu.bh. The following documentation is also required:

- High School transcripts/certificates
- University transcripts/certificates
- Personal recommendation form (completed by your employer)
- Copy of your passport and CPR (if applicable)
- Curriculum Vitae
- Copy of IELTS or TOEFL certificate
- Copy of a valid Nursing License
- Two recent passport sized photographs

Completed applications and documentation can be submitted by post/hand to RCSI Bahrain, Building 2441, Road 2835, Busaiteen 228, P.O. Box 15503, Kingdom of Bahrain, or by email to admissions@rcsi-mub.com.

Following receipt of the application form and the above essential documentation, the Admissions Department will be in contact to advise if the applicant has been shortlisted for the English exam and subsequent interview.

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Fees:

Academic Year 2012/2013: US$14,550 per year (subject to change).

DEGREE FACTS:

- The programme is part time, over two academic years and commences in September.
- The first year of the programme consists of six modules, including Advanced Research Methods, Leadership, Contemporary Issues in Nursing, Health, Discourses and Society, Education and Training in Practice and Healthcare Reflection on Practice.
- In year two students must complete an additional Advanced Research Methods module and a dissertation.
- The program is delivered in English language.

CAREERS:

The MSc in Nursing awarded by RCSI Bahrain enhances both personal and professional development. The award is internationally recognised and fulfils all the requirements of the World Health Organisation and the European Union enabling graduates to pursue further higher education training should they wish.

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Programmes Available

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ROYAL UNIVERSITY FOR WOMEN

College of Art & Design

PROGRAM:
Master of Fine Arts in Drawing & Painting

INTRODUCTION:

This Program provides you with the incremental skill base necessary to secure mid-level or higher position in the field of Drawing & Painting. This Program's emphasis is on the development of originality, clarity, and studio discipline to prepare you for professional careers. By focusing on independent studio work, you are encouraged, with faculty assistance, to discover your individual forms of expression. The program involves investigation into contemporary issues challenging you to find those critical ideas that will form your creative output. Diverse styles and attitudes are encouraged as well as both traditional and experimental methods of creating a body of work. The Painting & Drawing program is committed to engaging the cultural diversity found on the University campus by working with you to define your approach to artistic and cultural production through course offerings in drawing and painting that range from the beginning through graduate levels.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

1. You must have a bachelor degree with a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.7 in one of the following areas of specialization: Fine Arts, Applied Arts and Design, or equivalent qualifications with good academic standing. You are required to come for interview with a portfolio of your artwork.

2. Other areas related to the specializations mentioned above can also be considered for admission. Talented applicants from other specializations in graduation may be accepted upon a portfolio review and will have to take two Foundation courses as decided by the faculty.

These are:

- PMAD 501 History and Theory of Art & Design.
- PMAD 503 Drawing & Painting: Material & Techniques.

3. You must show evidence of a minimum level of English language proficiency in line with internationally accredited tests of English language with the corresponding levels of proficiency required by RUW.

- IELTS overall band score of 5.5; or
- TOEFL: paper-based 513; or Computer-based 183; or Internet-based 65; or
- RUW English Placement Test overall band score of 5.5.

If you do not show evidence of sufficient English skills, you will be required to do an English course offered at RUW.

- PMAD 500 English

Tuition Fees: BHD 8500 for the program payable in 4 instalments (200 BHD /Credit + Registration fee+ Thesis defence fee + Graduation Fee).

For further information & assistance regarding admissions, please check the RUW website at: www.ruw.edu.bh or contact the Admissions Office, Tel: +973 17 764444 or +973 17 764419 Email: admit@ruw.edu.bh.

DEGREE FACTS:

Bridge the gap between the domestic and regional art and the global art, as this study provide the student with great opportunity to learn, know and communicate with the global culture and art. Deal with the increasing need for more specialists is one of the main characteristics of this era, not only in arts, but in all fields. Develop the scientific spirit of reading, researching and exploring with in turn helps to understand the different cultures and civilizations, and set the correct base for developing community. Train and preserve the talents and young artists, providing them with chance to improve their knowledge and skills. Build strong relations and connections with other universities, artistic and cultural centers and related institutions, to enhance the relationship between university and community.

- The program is a part time professional degree and taught in English.
- Fulfill all the conditions predetermined in the regulations for the Master's Program.
- You must complete a minimum of 36 credit hours of Master Degree courses distributed as 6 Compulsory Courses (18 credit hour) 3 elective courses (9 credit hour) and Dissertation (9 credit hour).
- The course is two years part-time.

CAREERS:

Graduates can pursue various careers that may include Teaching; Freelance Artists; Art Critiques.

ROYAL UNIVERSITY FOR WOMEN

College of Art & Design

PROGRAM:
Master of Design Management

INTRODUCTION:

This Program provides undergraduate degree holders an opportunity to pursue higher studies. The program offers courses that endeavour to develop your knowledge and skills in a wide range of interdisciplinary studies such as design, management, marketing, media and communication, and information technology. The program provides you with an understanding of design and communication-oriented management education by preparing you for the interdisciplinary nature of design management that includes product information and environmental design, assisting you in building up your strengths and creating competitive products.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

1. You must have a bachelor degree with a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.7 in one of the following areas of specialization: Design (Interior, Graphic and Fashion) and Applied Arts, Fine Arts, Architecture, information Technology, Management and the different engineering specializations or equivalent qualifications with good academic standing. You are required to come for interview with a portfolio of your artwork.

2. Other areas related to the specializations mentioned above can also be considered for admission. Talented applicants from other specializations in graduation may be accepted upon a portfolio review and will have to take two Foundation courses as decided by the faculty. These are:

- PMAD 501 History and Theory of Art & Design

- PMAD 502 Philosophical Discussions: Media & Culture of Art & Design.

3. You must show evidence of a minimum level of English language proficiency in line with internationally accredited tests of English language with the corresponding levels of proficiency required by RUW.

- IELTS overall band score of 5.5; or

- TOEFL: paper-based 513; or Computer-based 183; or Internet-based 65; or

- RUW English Placement Test overall band score of 5.5.

If you do not show evidence of sufficient English skills, you will be required to do an English course offered at RUW.

- PMAD 500 English

Tuition Fees: BHD 8500 for the program payable in 4 instalments (200 BHD /Credit + Registration fee+ Thesis defence fee + Graduation Fee).

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DEGREE FACTS:

Prepares you for the interdisciplinary nature of design management that includes product, information and environmental design. Develop your basic knowledge, understanding and skills related to research, reading, and synthesis of design and management Developing your knowledge of a range of business and management principles. Enable you to apply taught techniques, knowledge, and personal understanding to real world business and management scenarios. Cultivate the concept that the practice of design is a creative activity that immensely influences business development and growth.

- The program is a part time professional degree and taught in English.

- Fulfill all the conditions predetermined in the regulations for the Master's Programme.

- You must complete a minimum of 36 credit hours of Master Degree courses distributed as 6 Compulsory Courses (18 credit hour) 3 elective courses (9 credit hour) and Dissertation (9 credit hour).

- The course is two years part-time.

CAREERS:

Graduates can pursue various careers that may include Design Consultancy, Design and Advertising; Project Management; Communication Consultancy.

ROYAL UNIVERSITY FOR WOMEN

College of Art & Design

PROGRAM:

Edexcel BTEC Level 3 Foundation Diploma in Art & Design

INTRODUCTION:

This level 3 Foundation (FDN) Program is designed to help you discover and demonstrate your individual abilities, that is, knowledge, practical skills, imagination and maturity of ideas and your power of critical judgment. These abilities, as they develop, will be helped by the broad based lectures and seminars on subjects common to all art and design studies. This all helps you to meet the requirement for entry onto a particular degree, or, higher diploma program. At the end of the academic year, a satisfactory completion of the course will be demonstrated both through your portfolio, final assessment grade and maturity in intellectual and critical skills. The Foundation Diploma in Art and Design is distinguished from other art and design qualifications at this level by the fostering your ability to understand how art and design disciplines can interrelate and the contemporary contexts in which they operate. The program is also distinguished by its recognition of the importance of independent thinking, organization and motivation, leading to an informed choice of progression opportunities.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

Show evidence of having successfully completed Secondary Education or its equivalent in the Kingdom of Bahrain or overseas, attested by the Ministry of Education, Kingdom of Bahrain (MoE). Show evidence of a minimum level of English language proficiency, the following are examples of internationally accredited tests of English language with the corresponding levels of proficiency required by RUW:

- IELTS overall band score of 5.5, or
- TOEFL: paper-based 513; or Computer-based 183; or Internet-based 65, or
- RUW English Placement Test overall band score of 5.5.

Tuition Fees: BHD 180 per credit.

For further information & assistance regarding admissions, please check the RUW website at: www.ruw.edu.bh or contact the Admissions Office, Tel: +973 17 764444 or +973 17 764419 Email: admit@ruw.edu.bh.

DEGREE FACTS:

- Designed to provide a transition into higher education. The program leads to a Diploma in Art and Design and into the Bachelor Degrees in Art in Fashion Design, Interior Design or Graphic Design. It also prepares you for further studies at BTEC level 4. The Diploma requires one full academic year of study, and allows you to explore a range of processes and practices in the disciplines of art and design and develop an array of personal learning and thinking skills. The program is offered in two semesters of 15 credit hours each. It is delivered step by step in the following three stages; Exploratory Stage, Pathway Stage and Confirmatory stage. For entering in to the pathway and confirmatory stages, successful completion of the respective previous stage is mandatory.

- The program is taught in English.

CAREERS:

This program is designed to provide a transition into higher education.

ROYAL UNIVERSITY FOR WOMEN

College of Art & Design

PROGRAM:
Bachelor of Arts in Interior Design

INTRODUCTION:

This 4 year Program allows you to major in Interior Design. The successful completion of the one year Foundation Program is a must and you will take a number of specialized courses spread over the next three years or six semesters. Through these courses you gain knowledge about solving different problems in Interior Design, Interior Design Illustration and Drawing, History of Interior Design, Construction and Technology, Computer drafting etc. The program of Interior Design is designed to meet international standards. This program helps you communicate and create suitable and powerful solutions to your work. You not only learn about Interiors, but you are also exposed to the professional world through field trips, internships programs, guest lectures, and workshops. This Program is augmented by 18 credits in the liberal arts as part of RUW's responsibility to prepare graduates for active participation in civic life.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

You must have successfully completed the Foundation Programme of 30 credits as described in Programme on Edexcel BTEC Level 3 Foundation Diploma in Art & Design.

Tuition Fees: BHD 180 per credit.

For further information & assistance regarding admissions, please check the RUW website at: www.ruw.edu.bh or contact the Admissions Office, Tel: +973 17 764444 or +973 17 764419 Email: admit@ruw.edu.bh

DEGREE FACTS:

- Develop the ability to find the right tools and techniques, to communicate design concepts using a range of techniques, and understanding of contemporary commercial, economic, culture, and historic design. Expose you to different recent trends in the field of Interior Design, encourages you with the practice to combine the application of different media in communicating design concepts. Provide opportunities for quality and learning experience in interior design development, provide student with knowledge and understanding of today's business practices, and provide student with both tradition and technological skills to produce their designs. Teach concepts of interior design with construction techniques; teach the ability to use aesthetic, technical, and human factors for solutions to a variety of design problems.

- The program is taught in English.

- University graduation requirement: 120 credits.

A study plan is followed to ensure that pre requisites to certain courses are done as per requirement. An Internship course and final project are an integral part of the study plan.

- The course is four years.

CAREERS:

Graduates can pursue various careers that may include Design Project Coordinator; Style Editor; Project Director; Planner.

ROYAL UNIVERSITY FOR WOMEN

College of Art & Design

PROGRAM:
Bachelor of Arts in Fashion Design

DEGREE FACTS:

- Teach concepts of fashion design by developing the ability to find the right tools and techniques, and to communicate design concepts using a range of techniques. Expose you to recent trends in the field of fashion forecast and design. Provide you with both tradition and technological skills to produce your own designs in the field of fashion. Provide opportunities for quality and learning experience in design development. Understanding of contemporary commercial, economic, culture, and historic fashion design. Encourage your practice to combine the application of different media in communicating design concepts.
- The program is taught in English.
- University graduation requirement: 120 credits

A study plan is followed to ensure that pre requisites to certain courses are done as per requirement. An Internship course and final project are an integral part of the study plan.

- The course is four years.

CAREERS:

Graduates can pursue various careers that may include Design Consultant; Design Manager; Product Consultant; Digital Illustrators.

INTRODUCTION:

This 4 year Program allows you to major in Fashion Design. The successful completion of the one year Foundation Program is a must and you will take a number of specialized courses spread over the next three years or six semesters. Through these specialized courses you will gain knowledge about concepts of fashion design and their application, fashion techniques, fashion illustration, garment construction, pattern making, applied design, accessory designing and catwalk presentation. Thus, you learn the fashion concepts from their inception to the final marketing and you will be exposed to the fashion scenario, famous designers and their inspirations as well. You will be able to understand the complete design process and also, through an internship programme and links with local and regional industry and organizations abroad, you gain experience of business and commerce in fashion. You not only learn about fashion, but you are also exposed to the professional world through field trips, internships programs, guest lectures, and workshops. This program is augmented by 18 credits in the liberal arts as part of RUW's responsibility to prepare graduates for active participation in civic life.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

You must have successfully completed the Foundation Programme of 30 credits as described in Programme on Edexcel BTEC Level 3 Foundation Diploma in Art & Design.

Tuition Fees: BHD 180 per credit

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ROYAL UNIVERSITY FOR WOMEN

College of Art & Design

PROGRAM:
Bachelor of Arts in Graphic Design

INTRODUCTION:

This 4 year Program allows you to major in Graphic Design. The successful completion of the one year Foundation Program is a must and you will take a number of specialized courses spread over the next three years or six semesters. In Graphic Design studios, you participate in both formal and informal critiques, where you discuss your design. Graphic Design combines art and technology to communicate with the audience. In design you will combine culture and traditions along with the latest software to create a unique design and also learn to create vibrant and efficient communication solutions with the imagination of a designer. The graphic design program covers typography, cooperate identity, photography, business practice, publication, websites, motion graphics, environmental design, and packaging & 3D graphics. This program helps you communicate and create suitable and powerful solutions to your work. You not only learn about graphics, but are also exposed to the professional world through field trips, internships programs, guest lectures, and workshops. This Program is augmented by 18 credits in the liberal arts as part of RUW's responsibility to prepare graduates for active participation in civic life.

DEGREE FACTS:

- Enable you to develop your qualities and skills relevant for immediate employment in graphic design and advertising. Equip you with the knowledge and understanding of techniques and developments related to a career in graphic design and advertising. Prepare you for a variety of careers in research and teaching (Master, and Doctoral Degree). Enable you to contribute in the development in your countries by enhancing the visual language of graphic design (locally/globally).

- The program is taught in English.

- University graduation requirement: 120 credits.

A study plan is followed to ensure that pre requisites to certain courses are done as per requirement. An Internship course and final Project are an integral part of the study plan.

- The course is four years.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

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Tuition Fees: BHD 180 per credit.

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CAREERS:

Graduates can pursue various careers that may include Production Designer; Art Directors; Designers; Visual Merchandising Illustrator.

ROYAL UNIVERSITY FOR WOMEN

College of Information Technology

PROGRAM:
Bachelor of Science in Computer Science

DEGREE FACTS:

- Knowledge and understanding of core concepts, principles, and theories related to the computer science field as well as computing technical language. You will have the ability to plan, develop and report a significant programming project. You will be able to learn independently in a variety of situations, effectively planning and managing resources and time for the purposes of continuing professional development.
- The program is taught in English.
- University graduation requirement: 120 credits.
- The course is four years.

CAREERS:

Graduates can pursue various careers that may include Software Engineer; System Analyst; Web Application; Database Designer/Developer.

INTRODUCTION:

This major is designed to allow you to explore current and emerging technologies while providing you with a sound foundation in classical computing. In the first two years you are introduced to the principles of computer science before being exposed in the last two years to more advanced topics such as computer graphics, artificial intelligence, web design, data mining, and other exciting cutting edge subjects. The Liberal Arts Requirement (LAR) is RUW's undergraduate general education programme and is an integral component of every undergraduate degree offered. All RUW undergraduate students are required to complete 21 credits of LAR.

The program provides you with fundamental concepts of mathematics and computing, later focusing on modeling, designing and implementing computer based systems using effective methods and tools. You will progress to cutting edge computing technologies and professional considerations. The final year project, a very significant component, is a practical and problem solving project allowing you to demonstrate your computing related cognate, practical skills and transferable skills to a specific problem. Through classroom-based lectures, lab tutorials, group and individual projects, you will acquire the necessary knowledge and skills necessary to deal with future developments in this challenging discipline.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

Show evidence of having successfully completed Secondary Education or its equivalent in the Kingdom of Bahrain or overseas, attested by the Ministry of Education, Kingdom of Bahrain (MoE). Show evidence of a minimum level of English language proficiency, the following are examples of internationally accredited tests of English language with the corresponding levels of proficiency required by RUW:

- IELTS overall band score of 5.5; or
- TOEFL: paper-based 513; or Computer-based 183; or Internet-based 65; or
- RUW English Placement Test overall band score of 5.5.

Tuition Fees: BHD 170 per credit.

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ROYAL UNIVERSITY FOR WOMEN

College of Information Technology

PROGRAM:
Bachelor of Science in Information Technology

DEGREE FACTS:

- Knowledge and understanding of core concepts, principles, and theories related to the information technology field as well as computing technical language. The ability to involve in the analysis, design, test and implementation of organization's information technology projects. The ability to learn independently, showing responsibility by working with different activities including multiple deadlines concurrently.
- The program is taught in English.
- University graduation requirement: 120 credits.
- The course is four years.

CAREERS:

Graduates can pursue various careers that may include Software Project Manager; Database Developer; Software Development Consultant; IT Entrepreneur.

INTRODUCTION:

This major allows you to explore information technology from the "application of technology" perspective. You will gain some knowledge of programming, but focus more on the application end with respect to business institutions. The Liberal Arts Requirement (LAR) is RUW's undergraduate general education programme and is an integral component of every undergraduate degree offered. All RUW undergraduate students are required to complete 21 credits of LAR.

The program provides you with fundamental concepts of mathematics and computing and later focuses on IT in organizations and designing and implementing IT based systems using effective methods and tools. You will progress to IT resource planning, management information systems, digital media and business related aspects as well as understanding the professional and legal issues associated with IT. The final year project, which is a very significant component, is a practical and problem solving project allowing you to demonstrate your IT related cognate and practical skills and transferable skills to a specific problem. Through classroom-based lectures, lab tutorials, group and individual projects, you will acquire the necessary knowledge and skills necessary to deal with future developments in this challenging discipline.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

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Tuition Fees: BHD 170 per credit.

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ROYAL UNIVERSITY FOR WOMEN

College of Business & Financial Sciences

PROGRAM:
Bachelor of Business in International Business

INTRODUCTION:

This major is ideal for you in a region where the global dimensions of business affect all business transactions. This major provides you with a solid basic business education and a specific understanding of the international dimensions of business. Emphasis is placed on international economic factors and institutions. This includes trade, financing, exchange rates, development and government policies. Upon completion of their degree; you will be prepared for positions in business, government, and international agencies in the fields of industrial development, international trade, and global business operations. The Program also provides professional education that includes a business core, and a year of courses focusing on International Business. The general requirements courses provide mathematical and statistical analysis skills along with IT and communication capabilities needed for business management. This major is augmented by 18 credits in the liberal arts as part of RUW's responsibility to prepare graduates for active participation in civic life.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

Show evidence of having successfully completed Secondary Education or its equivalent in the Kingdom of Bahrain or overseas, attested by the Ministry of Education, Kingdom of Bahrain (MoE). Show evidence of a minimum level of English language proficiency, the following are examples of internationally accredited tests of English language with the corresponding levels of proficiency required by RUW:

- IELTS overall band score of 5.5; or
- TOEFL: paper-based 513; or Computer-based 183; or Internet-based 65; or
- RUW English Placement Test overall band score of 5.5.

Tuition Fees: BHD 160 per credit.

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DEGREE FACTS:

- The original program was developed by a team from McGill University, Canada. The primary objective of the program is to prepare you for effective professional and managerial careers in international business. This preparation includes developing a capacity for critical thinking, for integrating knowledge across different disciplines, and for utilizing current theory in approaching practical international business issues. You are expected to become comfortable to work as part of a team, and to develop the necessary skills to lead others.
- The program is taught in English.
- University graduation requirement: 120 credits.
- The course is four years.

CAREERS:

Graduates can pursue various careers that may include Business Advisor; Business Development Manager; Public Service; Import-Export Officer.

ROYAL UNIVERSITY FOR WOMEN

College of Business & Financial Sciences

PROGRAM:
Bachelor of Business in Human Resource Management

DEGREE FACTS:

- The original program was developed by a team from McGill University, Canada and the primary objective of the program is to prepare you for effective professional and managerial careers in a Human Resource Department of organizations. This preparation includes developing a capacity for critical thinking, for integrating knowledge across different disciplines, and for utilizing current theory in approaching practical Human resource problems. You are expected to become comfortable to work as part of a team, and to develop the necessary skills to lead others.

- The program is taught in English.

- University graduation requirement: 120 credits.

- The course is four years.

CAREERS:

Graduates can pursue various careers that may include Human Resources Generalist or Specialist; Employment Service Manager; Staff Performance Officer.

INTRODUCTION:

This major introduces you to the variety of programs managed by a human resources department. Human resource expenditures are one of the company's largest expense items, a considerable amount of emphasis is placed on the optimal management of the department. Included in the course are topics such as analyzing work processes and designing jobs according to a company's work processes, recruiting and retaining personnel to fill those jobs, creating compensation packages and training and evaluating personnel. You will also examine regulations that affect workforce policy and procedures. Graduates become proficient at developing strategies that enhance worker productivity, cohesiveness, goal-orientation and overall workplace satisfaction. Upon completion of this degree, with a concentration in Human Resource Management, you will be well prepared for entry-level positions within companies of various sizes, in both the public and private sectors. This major is augmented by 18 credits in the liberal arts as part of RUW's responsibility to prepare graduates for active participation in civic life.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

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Tuition Fees: BHD 160 per credit.

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ROYAL UNIVERSITY FOR WOMEN

College of Business & Financial Sciences

PROGRAM:
Bachelor of Business in Banking & Finance

DEGREE FACTS:

- The original program was developed by a team from McGill University, Canada and the primary objective is to prepare you for effective professional and managerial careers in banking and finance including developing a capacity for critical thinking, for integrating knowledge across different disciplines, and for utilizing current theory in approaching practical banking and finance issues. You are expected to become comfortable to work as part of a team, and to develop the necessary skills to lead others.
- The program is taught in English.
- University graduation requirement 120 credits.
- The course is four years.

INTRODUCTION:

This major provides you with the theoretical framework and analytical tools and techniques to handle a variety of finance, banking, and business functions. The program is designed to prepare you for financial positions with non-financial corporations, the financial services industry, energy companies, small businesses, and real estate firms. After gaining comprehensive business skills through business core courses, you may study advanced courses in three areas: Accounting, Banking & Investment, and Finance. Islamic finance is part of this curriculum. Accounting courses enables you to understand the principles of accounting and the concepts underlying the accounting methodology. The primary goal is to train you to successfully prepare Corporate Financial Statements according to the International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS). Banking and Investment includes subjects such as commercial banking, portfolio management, derivative securities and global investments. These subjects equip you with knowledge of banking operations, managing portfolio investments, measuring risk and return of both local and international securities. You will also learn about hedging strategies and how to manage foreign currency risks of international transactions. Finance is the study of resource allocation, that is, the process, markets, institutions, and instruments that facilitate the transfer of money and wealth. Finance courses deal with the basics of finance and encompass topics such as working capital management, sources of finance and investment appraisal. Also included are the more advanced topics of risk and return, bonds and equity calculation, and financial statement analysis. This major is augmented by 18 credits in the liberal arts as part of RUW's responsibility to prepare graduates for active participation in civic life.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

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Tuition Fees: BHD 160 per credit.

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CAREERS:

Graduates can pursue various careers that may include Public Finance Administrator; Investment Banking Agent; Finance Reporting Officer; Valuations Analyst; Finance Officers in Private Institutions.

ROYAL UNIVERSITY FOR WOMEN

College of Law

PROGRAM:
Bachelor of Law

INTRODUCTION:

This Program, established in June 2012, is only for Women who are looking for excellence. Our Faculty provides a teaching that is globally oriented, addresses the needs of the local market, and also leads to international careers. Our program provides a minimum of 60% of the courses in English, for in today's world, fluency in foreign languages is a key to success. Law Degree is mandatory to practice Legal professions. It is also required for certain positions in the Public Administration. Beyond this fact, it is an incredible leadership program, especially for young women. It opens doors for a large number of professional opportunities either internally or internationally. This program will give you many transferable skills that will make you capable of working in any other business, such as banking or insurance, for example, or even as journalists or high school teachers.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

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- RUW English Placement Test overall band score of 5.5.

Interest in Law studies: You will meet the Dean of the Faculty of Law for a short interview and express a serious interest in the law Program.

Tuition Fees: BHD 180 per credit.

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DEGREE FACTS:

- This program is focused on linking theory to field work; therefore you have complete internships in year 3 and 4. Research is very important too and in year 4, in order to graduate, you must present a research project that counts for 6 credits. Educational trips and competitions in international virtual cases competitions are also part of the program.
- 70% of the program is taught in English.
- University graduation requirement: 141 credits.

CAREERS:

Graduates can pursue various careers that may include a Judge; a Lawyer; a Legal Consultant; an Arbitrator.

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Programmes Available

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TALAL ABU GHAZALEH UNIVERSITY

College of Business

Bachelor of Business Administration – BBA / International Accounting

INTRODUCTION:

The Accounting Specialization offers broad courses of accounting coupled with courses in Economics and Business Administration. This concentration provides the graduate with a sound educational foundation for an accounting career or post-graduate studies. The International Accounting degree equips students with knowledge in a variety of subjects, including all aspects of accounting, in particular the legislation of the International Accounting Standards and GAAP. This specialization also provides graduates with the educational requirements to progress throughout their career life. This program also qualifies graduates to understand the various aspects of International Accounting.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

- Original & Stamped High School Certificate or Equivalent
- IELTS 5 and more, TOFEL 500 and more if available.
- English Placement Test.
- Interview for Applicant.

The TOEFL or IELTS tests should have been taken no more than two years prior to admission to TAGUCB.

Fees for all Majors

Tuition fees will be related to the students' GPA in High School with three levels of scholarships as follows:

- Tuition Fees for one credit Hour is BHD 105 for students who get High School Average less than 90%.
- Tuition Fees for one credit Hour is BHD 75 for students who get High School Average 90 – 94%.
- Students who get High School Average 95% and above, could apply for full scholarships.

DEGREE FACTS:

- The degree helps the graduate to fulfill potential for: High earnings, increased responsibility, Greater personal development Self-employment.
- The minimum period of students' residence to complete their program is three (3) years and the maximum period is eight (8) years.
- Each student must complete 123 credit hours with a minimum cumulative grade average of 2.0 out of 4.0 to graduate from our Bachelors program.
- Course language: English.

CAREERS:

The BBA in Accounting Program is designed to provide an understanding of the importance and application of accounting in the management of a company and the analysis of its business decisions. The program is designed for students who desire a strong career-oriented education and preparation in accounting. Coursework in the accounting program offers a broad base of knowledge in financial accounting, managerial accounting, taxation, and auditing.

The purpose of the curriculum is to prepare students for private, public and governmental careers in accounting. As well, the program content also provides an excellent foundation for students who desire to obtain their Certified Public Accountant (CPA) designation.

TALAL ABU GHAZALEH UNIVERSITY

College of Business

PROGRAMME:
Bachelor of Business Administration – BBA / Logistics

INTRODUCTION:

The Logistics Specialization offers broad courses of Supply Chain Management, Procurement, Inventory and Purchasing to ensure operational excellence. This concentration aims to provide students with the required skills to build and manage product and information flow within supply chain systems. The skills and knowledge students will acquire from studying Logistics are: operations process expertise, analytical capabilities to support decision making, and utilizing information technology to facilitate business supply chain functions.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

- Original & Stamped High School Certificate or Equivalent.
- IELTS 5 and more, TOFEL 500 and more if available.
- English Placement Test.
- Interview for Applicant.

The TOEFL or IELTS tests should have been taken no more than two years prior to admission to TAGUCB.

Fees for all Majors

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- Tuition Fees for one credit Hour is BHD 75 for students who get High School Average 90 - 94%.
- Students who get High School Average 95% and above, could apply for full scholarships.

DEGREE FACTS:

- The degree helps the graduate to fulfill potential for: High earnings, increased responsibility, Greater personal development Self-employment.
- The minimum period of students' residence to complete their program is three (3) years and the maximum period is eight (8) years.
- Each student must complete 123 credit hours with a minimum cumulative grade average of 2.0 out of 4.0 to graduate from our Bachelors program.
- Course language: English.

CAREERS:

TAGUCB programs prepare graduates for executive careers in varied businesses by focusing on the development of their abilities and skills.

TAGUCB Provides students the opportunity to apply theories they learn from class in a real-world business sought after business and industry training before they graduate. The BBA degree is often referred to as the elite passport, since it gives its holders an edge in the job market by opening more doors of opportunity.

At TAGUCB, we have always believed that your University experience should be designed to enhance your professional life. We place as much emphasis on gaining skills relevant to the workplace as on learning the academic discipline that you are studying. Developments have created a healthy demand for qualified Logistics managers with employment possibilities in a wide range of both public and private organizations in recruiting areas that include: government agencies; consultancy firms (supply chain management); logistics service companies; manufacturing and retailing companies; transport companies; and planning and transport departments in local authorities.

TALAL ABU GHAZALEH UNIVERSITY

College of Business

PROGRAMME:
Bachelor of Business Administration – BBA / Management

INTRODUCTION:

The Management Specialization prepares students for professional careers in Business Administration. This specialization is designed to provide students with the leadership and administrative skills necessary to succeed in today's business environment. The Management courses cover several aspects of Human Resources, Operations Management, Strategic Management and Business Administration Disciplines.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

- Original & Stamped High School Certificate or Equivalent
- IELTS 5 and more, TOFEL 500 and more if available.
- English Placement Test.
- Interview for Applicant.

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- Tuition Fees for one credit Hour is BHD 75 for students who get High School Average 90 – 94%.
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DEGREE FACTS:

- The degree helps the graduate to fulfill potential for: High earnings, increased responsibility, Greater personal development Self-employment.
- The minimum period of students' residence to complete their program is three (3) years and the maximum period is eight (8) years.
- Each student must complete 123 credit hours with a minimum cumulative grade average of 2.0 out of 4.0 to graduate from our Bachelors program.
- Course language: English

CAREERS:

The BBA in Management program is designed to provide students with the experience and education necessary for careers in managing organizations. It provides students with a wide range of knowledge and skills to enable them to function effectively in business. Students are equipped with conceptual and analytical skills to be able to formulate feasible and effective management policies in a complex organizational setting.

It also enables the students to work in Human Management department and any other Business functions.

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THE KINGDOM UNIVERSITY

College of Architectural Engineering and Design

PROGRAMME:
Interior Design

DEGREE FACTS:

- The course is 4 years in length according to optional enrollment in summer semester
- The Number of credits required to graduate is 130 mandatory and 12 elective credits hours
- The course is taught in English
- Number of completed credits to graduate are 142

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

Documents needed for admission:

- High school Diploma: Minimum of 60% cumulative GPA.
- Unexpired passport photo copy.
- Unexpired CPR photo copy.
- Two personal photos.
- Equivalence of the high school for the students who finished from foreign schools or their high school certificate was from outside the kingdom of Bahrain.

Students who score less than 60% could set for an entrance exam based on the result of exam, they could be admitted to the Program of required to set for an orientation.

- Required: pass a two placement tests (an exam measure your freehand skill, the other is English placement test and based on that it will determine the level that you will start with either in the foundation or your study plan).

Fees:
BD130/- per credit hour.

INTRODUCTION:

The program of the B.Sc. in interior design at the Kingdom University aims to attract imaginative students from diverse study backgrounds, ages, and nationalities to build on their knowledge and skills to be professional innovators for the interior architecture of the built environment.

The program introduces an integrated design approach of interior environments, where a total environment is made up of the physical space, along with the people, furnishing, activities and relations within that space.

In stimulating studio-based educational environments, students are taught, learn, and work collaboratively to gain the design experiences of several types of interior environments, where they are supported by theoretical, historical, and technical knowledge correlated with oral, written, and visual communication skills.

The outcome of the program is creative professional interior designers. They are empowered by problem solving, critical thinking competencies, associated with futuristic thinking, self-development, and leadership attributes to meet the industry demands.

You will be resourceful in wide spectrum design fields including architectural interiors, furniture, and garden design. In addition, their conscious awareness of sustainability and socio-cultural issues are qualifying them to deal creatively with challenges of human health, lifestyles and communities' development in Bahrain and beyond.

CAREERS:

Besides graduating marketable interior designers to be employed in governmental and private sectors and inspired by Bahrain 2030 economic vision, the program prepares, trains, and encourages them to establish your own design practice after graduation.

THE KINGDOM UNIVERSITY

College of Law

PROGRAMME:
Associate Diploma
of Law

DEGREE FACTS:

- The program is 2 years in length.
- The program is planned on a total of 69 credit hours.
- The courses are taught in Arabic with the exception of three compulsory courses in English.
- Fees: BD110/ credit hour.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

Admission requirements:

The applicant must have a high school grade point average of at least 60%.

An orientation program is offered to the students whose GPA is below 60%, in which the student is required to take the following courses: Arabic, English, Foundations of Writing, and General Principles of Law. The student who successfully passes the orientation program will be allowed to join the program.

INTRODUCTION:

The program of Associate Diploma in Law aims to attract students who are interested in achieving justice and human rights in the society. The program prepares students from different gender, nationalities, and backgrounds to work in the legal field.

Several teaching and learning methods are applied in delivering the program such as: lectures, class work and discussions, brain storming, assigning students to homework, preparation of working papers, conducting research, drafting contracts, scientific visits, particularly to libraries, attending seminars and specialized lectures. The aim is to develop the students' legal knowledge, their personal and intellectual skills and encouraging the spirit of continuous learning.

The students receive basic knowledge of principles of law, rules of the basic theories, principles governing the professional ethics of practice, the rules that underlie Bahrain's justice.

The graduates of the program will contribute to the legal community by presenting basic competences and dedication to assist in undertaking legal actions and procedures.

CAREERS:

Graduates will be qualified to take various jobs such as: assistants in lawyers' offices and the offices which provide legal advice, administrative jobs, personnel affairs etc., assistant in court and legal institutions, in addition to jobs which require the basic legal knowledge and skills.

THE KINGDOM UNIVERSITY

College of Law

PROGRAMME:
Bachelor of Law

DEGREE FACTS:

- The program is 4 years in length.
- The program is planned on a total of 138 credit hours, including compulsory and elective courses.
- The courses are taught in Arabic with the exception of four compulsory courses and one elective in English.
- Fees: BD110/ credit hour.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

Admission requirements:

The applicant must have a high school grade point average of at least 60%.

An orientation program is offered to the students whose GPA is below 60%, in which the student is required to take the following courses: Arabic, English, Foundations of Writing, and General Principles of Law. The student who successfully passes the orientation program will be allowed to join the program.

INTRODUCTION:

The program of B.Sc. in law aims to attract students who are interested in achieving justice and human rights in the society. The program prepares students from different gender, nationalities, and backgrounds to work in the legal field and to communicate with others disciplines effectively, while constantly seeking teamwork and using modern technology.

Several teaching and learning methods are applied in delivering the program such as: lectures, class work and discussions, brain storming, assigning students to homework, preparation of working papers, conducting research, drafting contracts, scientific visits, particularly to libraries, attending seminars and specialized lectures. The aim is to develop the students' legal knowledge, their personal and intellectual skills and encouraging the spirit of continuous learning.

The students receive knowledge of principles of law, rules of the basic theories, principles governing the professional ethics of practice, rules for interpreting legal texts, the rules that underlie Bahrain's justice and legal system and the rules governing regional and local institutions. Furthermore, the students are exposed to conduct research, prepare working papers and lawsuits, and appear before courts.

The graduates of the program will contribute to the legal community by presenting specialized competences and committed attributes and possessing enough knowledge and skills to direct legal action.

CAREERS:

There are several jobs that could be filled by a graduate such as working as a prosecutor, a judge or a lawyer, working as a legal advisor to the administrative units in various ministries, or working as a legal advisor to companies and public and private bodies.

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College of Business Administration

PROGRAMME:
Bachelor of Science in Business Administration (B. Sc. Business Administration)

DEGREE FACTS:

- Upon completion of the degree students will have a strong understanding of Business Administration at theoretical and practical levels.
- Upon completion of the degree students will have a range of transferable skills which are highly sought after by employers.
- The four year degree program provides opportunity for self-development as the student progresses through the program.
- The graduate student needs to successfully complete 120 credit hours with a Cumulative GPA of not less than 1.70 out of 4.00.
- The medium of instruction is in English.

CAREERS:

- Business Administration graduates have career opportunities in various business sectors. Graduates will be in a position to choose from a wide range of interesting and challenging careers in areas such as: Accounting, Finance, Banking, Islamic Banking and Finance. Marketing and Management amongst other potential careers.
- In addition, many students progress to study for a higher degree, here or abroad.

INTRODUCTION:

- The Business Administration program at UCB started with its first batch in Fall 2002-2003.
- This program is structured to provide students with a strong understanding of Business Administration. In this program, students develop knowledge and subject specific skills in Business Administration and chose one of five concentrations including: Accounting, Management, Islamic Finance, Finance and Marketing.
- Students will also acquire a range of transferrable skills such as presentation techniques, research skills, and interpersonal communication skills.
- Years One and Two are focused on departmental compulsory courses, and university compulsory courses for the concentration subjects.
- Year Three and Four have a strong emphasis on analyzing the specific concentrations as students specialize in one particular field.
- In year Four, students have the opportunity to explore career choices, practice technical skills, and gain additional knowledge through the course "Internship" along with doing other courses.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

Entry Requirements:

- Bahraini secondary school certificate or its equivalent with a minimum GPA of 60%.
- Proof of English proficiency (TOEFL or IELTS).
- Applicants with non Bahraini Secondary School Certificate must submit the equivalency certificate from the Ministry of Education along with the other required documents.
- The application form and all other required documents must be submitted to the Admission Office at the Admission & Registration Department including a non-refundable application fee of 50 BD. Only completed applications will be reviewed.
- Students applying for entry into the Business Administration major must also have completed high school credits in Mathematics.

Fees:

- The Fee for each credit is BD./145. Student, who registers for 12 or 15 credit hours, will be charged for BD./2175.
- Special installment payment program can be implemented with special approval.

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF BAHRAIN

College of Communication & Multimedia

PROGRAMME:
Bachelor of Arts in Communication & Multimedia (B.A. in Communication & Multimedia)

INTRODUCTION:

- The program of Communication and Multimedia started in Fall 2004-2005 and it offers three areas of concentration namely: Graphic Design, Multimedia and Public Relations.

- The discrepancies in Graphic Design are slightly higher because of professional hands on studio work, and where the students are encouraged to develop their own work portfolio.

- Students in years one and two have to focus on departmental compulsory and university's courses.

- Students in year three are given a strong emphasis on the area of concentration.

- Students in their fourth year will have the ability to explore career choices, practical skills and industrial attachment through graduation project to gain industrial skills in preparation for job market.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

Entry Requirements:

- Bahraini secondary school certificate or it equivalent with a Minimum GPA of 60%.

- Proof of English proficiency (TOFEL or IELTS)

- Application with non-Bahraini Secondary School Certificate must submit the equivalency certificate from the Ministry of Education along with the other required documents.

- The application form and all other required documents must be submitted to the Admission Office at the Admission and Registration Department including the non-refundable application fee of BD /50. Only completed applications will be reviewed.

Fees:

- The fee of each credit is BD/ 145 for the Public Relations concentration. Student who register for 12 to 15 credit hours, will be charged BD./2175. The fee for each credit is BD./160 for the Graphic Design and Multimedia concentration. Student who registers for 12-15 credit hours, will be charged BD./2400.

- Special installment payment program can be implemented with special approval.

DEGREE FACTS:

- Students will gain a sound of theoretical and practical training in Graphic Design, Multimedia or Public Relations.

- Student will gain a wide range of transferable skills in the field of creative and visual industries, in the field of technological and digital multimedia industries and in the field of public relations communication industries for organizations.

- There is great opportunity for self-development through industrial placement, and study abroad.

- The student needs to complete at least 136 credit hour to pursue in the area of Graphic Design, 121 credit hour in the area of Multimedia and 120 credit hour in the area of Public Relations.

- Four years is the duration of study in the Program of Communication and Multimedia.

- The graduate student needs to maintain a CGPA of not less than 1.70 out of 4.00.

- English is the medium of instruction in the program.

CAREERS:

- Graphic Design graduates have a career opportunities employment within the creative industries like publishing houses, advertising, packaging, branding. Television graphics, and corporate communication.

- Multimedia media concentration students have the opportunities employment in the creative and communication industries and organizations employing the digital state-of the art technological computer devises and digital outputs like animation, web, audio-video, interactive media and digital arts.

- Public Relations concentration students have the opportunities employment in organizations and the communication industries that uses the services of public relations in their organizations as PRO's and alike.

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF BAHRAIN

College of Information Technology

PROGRAMME:
Bachelor of Science in Information Technology (BSc. IT)

DEGREE FACTS:

- Students will gain a solid ground in Management Information Systems and Computer Science at theoretical and practical levels.
- Students will gain a range of transferable skills which are highly sought after by employers
- There is a great opportunity for self-development through placement, study abroad and elective choice
- The course is 4 years in length
- The numbers of credits required for graduation is 120 credit hour with a CGPA of not less than 1.70 out of 4.00.
- The medium of instruction is English.

CAREERS:

- Information Technology graduates have career opportunities in various business sectors. Students will be in a position to choose from a wide range of interesting and challenging careers in areas such as: analyst, designer, programmer, administrator.
- In addition, many students progress to study for a higher degree, here or abroad.

INTRODUCTION:

- Information Technology program at UCB started its first batch in Fall 2002-2003 . This program is structured to provide students with strong basic information technology knowledge. On this program, students will develop knowledge and subject specific skills for Management Information Systems or Computer Science concentration.

- Students will also acquire a range of transferrable skills such as presentation techniques, research skills, and interpersonal communication skills.

- Years One and Two are focused on departmental compulsory, university compulsory courses for both the two concentration.

- Year Three and Four have a strong emphasis on looking at the above concentrations on a more strategic level.

- In year Four, students have the opportunity to explore career choices, practice skills, and gain additional knowledge through the course "Internship". In this year, students also complete a Graduation Project in an area of their choice. Students have on occasion used their Graduation Project as a vehicle to increase their skills and gain employment.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS AND FEES:

Entry Requirements:

- Bahraini secondary school certificate, or its equivalent with a minimum GPA of 60 % .
- Proof of English proficiency (TOEFL or IELTS).
- Applicants with non Bahraini Secondary School Certificate must submit the equivalency certificate from the Ministry of Education along with the other required documents.
- The application form and all other required documents must be submitted to the Admission Office at the Admission & Registration Dept. including a non-refundable application fee of BD./50. Only completed applications will be reviewed.
- Students applying for Information Technology must also have credits in Mathematics.
- Applicants to the Program of Information Technology may be asked for an interview .

Fees:

- The Fee for each credit is BD./145. Student, who registers for 12 or 15 credit hours, will be charged for BD./2175.
- Special installment payment program can be implemented with special approval.

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