SOME OF OUR INSTRUCTORS



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ACCREDITATIONS



THE MINISTRY OF HIGHER EDUCATION, RESEARCH SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, THE GAMBIA

The Ministry of Higher Education, Research, Science and Technology has granted a license to operate an online university in The Gambia to the Islamic Online University in May, 2014.



DIRECTORATE OF HIGHER EDUCATION, SOMALI FEDERAL REPUBLIC

The Somali Federal Republic, Ministry of Public and Human Services through the Directorate of Education, Culture and Higher Education granted a university license and accreditation to the Islamic Online University in July, 2013.

ENROLLMENT AND FEES

The Islamic Online University is a tuition-free institution that does not charge students to take classes. Audio and video recordings of lectures and reading materials are available online free of charge along with live tutorials for every subject.

There is, however, a fixed modest semester registration fee for degree programs ranging from \$70 to \$160 based on the standard of living in the student's country of residence.

The semester enrollment opens twice a year for Spring and Fall semesters beginning in March and September; however, students can enroll anytime via the Early Enrollment feature. The semester ends with comprehensive, externally-supervised examinations in IOU approved exam centers around the world.

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Department of **EDUCATION**





"Are those who know equal to those who do not know?"

Qur'aan 39:9



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ABOUT IOU

The Islamic Online University (IOU) is the brainchild of Dr. Abu Ameenah Bilal Philips, launched in 2007 from Qatar offering more than 24 short free diploma courses. By the beginning of 2015, its total registered student body has reached more than 255,000 from 228 countries around the world. IOU has the distinction of having the most diverse student body of any university in the world.

In March 2010, the IOU introduced the world's first tuition-free, online Bachelor of Arts in Islamic Studies based on a modified curriculum derived from those of the Islamic University of Madeenah, Omdurman Islamic University, Sudan, and Al-Azhar University, Cairo.

In 2014, the IOU announced four new departments: Department of Education, Department of Islamic Economics, Banking and Finance, Department of Psychology, and Department of Arabic Language and Linguistics. One year later, in 2015, IOU added two more departments: Department of Information Technology and Department of Business Administration.

Department of Education

Whether you want to homeschool, teach at kindergartens or schools, Islamic Online University is your source of authentic knowledge and quality education.

PROGRAMS

Bachelor of Education (B.Ed.)

- This is a four-year accredited degree program. IOU also offers two non-accredited alternative streams for those who do not meet the minimum requirements or do not wish to take exams. Please see Streams for more details.

Associate Degree in Education (AD.Ed)

-Two-year program (four semesters)

Certificate in Education (C.Ed.)

-One-year program (two semesters)

Minimum requirement for all programs is a high school diploma unless stated otherwise. The undergraduate degree program in Education may be completed in a maximum twelve years. Certificate or Associate Degree in Education can later be forwarded towards the Diploma or B.Ed. degree in Education.

MISSION

The Islamic Online University aims to grant global access to quality undergraduate, graduate and postgraduate level Islamic and Islamized educational programs for students at virtually no cost. Its mission is to be a catalyst for change in the global Muslim nation in order to facilitate their contribution to the progress of human civilization. Its motto is

"Changing the Nation through Education."

	YEA	AR 1	
	Semester 1		Semester 2
EDU 101	Teaching Methodology	EDU 104	Classroom Management
AQD 101	Aqeedah I (Usool al- Aqeedah)	FQH 102	Fiqh II (Ibaadaat)
EDU 102	Child Psychology	EDU 105	Professional Development
TAF 101	Tafseer I (Usool at-Tafseer)	FQH 101	Fiqh I (Math'habs)
ECM 103	Subject Knowledge (Pedagogy)	ECM 106	Differentiated Instruction
ARB 101	Arabic Grammar I	MTH 101	Arabic Grammar II
		EDU 303	Practicum
YEAR 2			
	Semester 3		Semester 4
EDU 201	Psychology of Education	ECM 204	Methodology of Subject Teaching
FQH 201	Fiqh II (Mu'aamalaat I)	FQH 202	Fiqh III (Mu'aamalaat II)
EDU 202	Educational Administration	EDU 205	Special Needs Education
SER 101	Seerah I (Prophetic Biography)	SER 102	Seerah II (Prophetic Biography)
EDU 203	History of Education	EDU 206	Guidance and Counselling
ARB 200	Arabic Grammar II+	FQH 302	Fiqh VI (Maxims & Maqaasid)
		EDU 207	Practicum
YEAR 3			
	Semester 5		Semester 6
EDU 301	Philosophy of Education	EDU 304	Sociology of Education
AQD 102	Aqeedah II (Asmaa & Sifaat)	AQD 201	Aqeedah III (Tahaawiyyah)
EDU 302	Educational Technology	EDU 305	Educational Planning & Supervision
HAD 102	Hadeeth II (Best of Islam)	EDU 306	Comparative Education
EDU 303	Measurement and Evaluation	FQH 301	Fiqh V (Usool al-Fiqh)
FQH 102	Fiqh II ('Ibaadaat)	EDU 307	Practicum
YEAR 4			
	Semester 7		Semester 8
EDU 401	Career Counselling	EDU 404	Trends (changes) in Education
AQD 202	Aqeedah IV (Heresiology)	AQD 401	Aqeedah VII (Angels, Jinn & Humans)
EDU 402	Educational Research Methodology	EDU 405	Curriculum Design & Assessment
TAJ 101	Tajweed I	TAJ 102	Tajweed II
EDU 403	Psychological Controversies in Teaching	EDU 406	Practicum
DHD 101	Da'wah & Du'aat	CVN 101	Islamic Civilization
		EDU 407	Thesis (Education in

Qur'aan & Sunnah)

FOUNDER

Dr. Abu Ameenah Bilal Philips is a Jamaican - Canadian Islamic scholar who converted to Islam in the early seventies. He completed a BA in Islamic studies in Madeenah, MA in Islamic Theology in Riyadh, and PhD in Islamic Theology in the University of Wales, UK.

Dr. Bilal Philips has written, translated and commented on over 50 books on various Islamic topics. He has also edited and published the Eemaan English Reading series for children in international Islamic schools.

Dr. Bilal Philips has taught Islamic Studies and Arabic in a variety of universities and has presented Islamic programs on the majority of global Islamic TV channels. He is ranked among the 500 most influential Muslims in the world for his establishment of the mega-university, the IOU.



STREAMS

Advanced Diploma

Students who do not possess a high school diploma or its equivalent and choose to take the B.Ed. degree in Education will receive an Advanced Diploma Education upon completion of the entire program

Audit Courses

There are no minimum requirements for BA Audit Courses. Certificate of Attendance is issued by the Departments of Education to those who successfully complete the whole course, but do not wish to take exams at IOU's supervised exam centers.

STUDY WITH IOU

All studies with IOU are of the highest quality, affordable, flexible, organized, easily accessible, completely online and in English medium (except the Intensive Arabic Program). Seeking authentic knowledge couldn't get any easier.

Study on the Go

You can use Android and Moodle iOS applications to view videos, listen to audios, participate in the forums, tests, and so much more.

