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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 International Open 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 International Open University in July, 2013.

ENROLLMENT AND FEES

The International Open University (IOU) is an affordable institution that only charges an administration fee per semester. Audio and video recordings of lectures and reading materials are available free of charge, along with live tutorials for select subjects.

Part-time (1 to 3 courses)	Full-time (4 to 6 courses)
US\$ 60 - US\$ 190	US\$ 90 - US\$ 290

Note: The fees are based on the student's country of residence and are subject to change without notice.




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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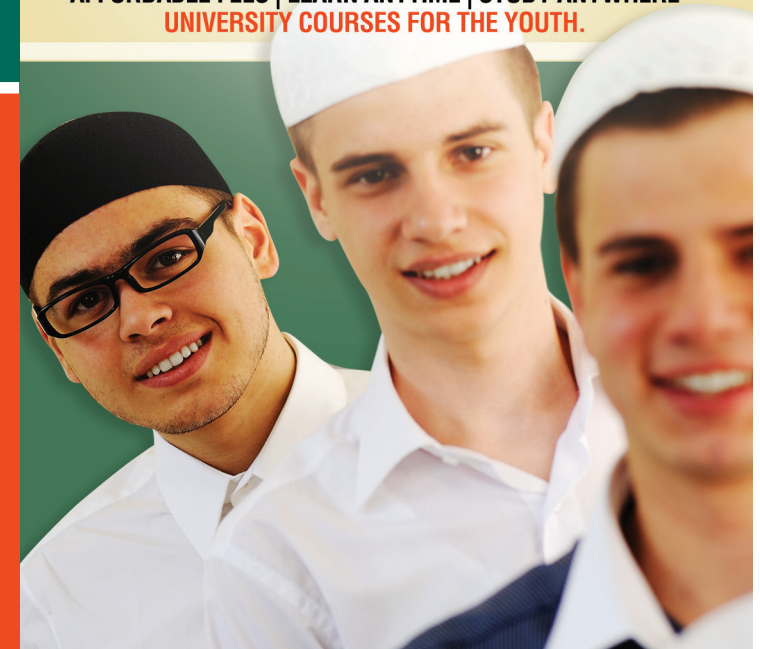


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"Changing the Nation through Education"

Youth

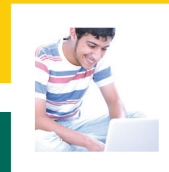
Dual Credit Program

2-YEAR ASSOCIATE'S DEGREE
AFFORDABLE FEES | LEARN ANYTIME | STUDY ANYWHERE
UNIVERSITY COURSES FOR THE YOUTH.



Transforming Young Minds and Lives

"Are those who know equal to those who do not know?" Qur'aan 39:9



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ABOUT IOU

Launched in 2007 by Dr. Abu Ameenah Bilal Philips, the International Open University (IOU) is committed to spreading beneficial knowledge across the globe. Over the past decade since its inception, the university has evolved from providing free certificate and diploma level courses to offering affordable and accredited BA and MA degrees in various fields of study. IOU has a student body made up of over 600,000 students from 229 countries and territories.

In 2010, IOU introduced the world's first affordable, 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, 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.

In 2015, IOU added two more departments: Department of Information Technology and Department of Business Administration.

MISSION

The International Open 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."*



FOUNDER

Dr. Abu Ameenah Bilal Philips is a Jamaican - Canadian Islamic scholar who converted to Islam in the early 70s. 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 Reading Series for children in international Islamic schools.

He has taught Islamic Studies and Arabic in different universities and has presented Islamic programs on the several global Islamic TV channels. He is ranked among the 500 most influential Muslims in the world.

Youth Dual Credit Program

2-year Associate's Degree

International Open University seeks to engage and develop the minds of youth in order to equip them with the basic Islamic knowledge needed to successfully journey through some of the most important years of their life. The Youth Dual Credit Program (YDCP) gives youth the opportunity to enroll in courses at the International Open University for educational enrichment.

What you can study

1 Young Scholars Program

This program is specially designed to address the needs of the students from United States. The program covers both categories: students who attend an accredited high school (public or private) and those who are homeschooled in the U.S. (recognized by the United States).

Entry Requirements:

A student must be 15 years or older and studying in an accredited high school or being homeschooled (recognized by the U.S.) in the United States. He should have completed the 10th grade or equivalent with an overall average grade B. Written approval of a parent/legal guardian is required.

2 Young Savants Program

This program is designed for students outside the United States. The program covers both categories: students who attend an accredited high school (public or private) and those who are homeschooled outside the U.S. (recognized by the country's Ministry of Education).

Entry Requirements:

A student must be 15 years or older and should have completed the 10th grade or equivalent with an overall average grade B. Written approval of a parent/legal guardian is required.

STREAMS AND CURRICULUM

Islamic Studies Stream (DC BAIS)

The associate's degree in this stream focuses on Islamic studies. This degree will enable students to build a solid foundation in major Islamic sciences like theology, jurisprudence, principles of jurisprudence, exegesis, teachings and biography of the Prophet (peace and blessings be upon him).

Education Stream (DC BEd)

This associate's degree focuses on education as its major field along with some emphasis on core Islamic studies subjects. Students of this degree will be equipped with knowledge of various education-related subjects like pedagogy, classroom management, teaching methodology, and differentiated instruction.

Psychology Stream (DC BSc PSY)

This associate's degree focuses on psychology along with some Islamic studies courses. The program covers various courses on psychology such as Introduction to Islamic Psychology, Child Psychology, Lifespan Development Psychology and more, which prepare students for a career in the same field.

Islamic Economics, Banking and Finance Stream (DC BSc IBE)

The associate's degree in this streams focuses on Islamic economics, banking and finance along with certain core Islamic studies courses enabling students to have a future career in the booming field of Islamic economics and finance.

Information Technology (DC IT)

This associate's degree concentrates on the thriving field of information technology along with focus on certain core Islamic studies courses. The program is specially designed to give a headstart to the students for a successful career in information technology. Some of the courses offered in this program include Introduction to Computing, Programming Fundamentals, and Introduction to Software Engineering.

Business Administration (DC BA)

This associate's degree concentrates on the flourishing field of business administration. This program is specially crafted for those who wish to pursue a career in business administration covering courses like Introduction to Business, Business Ethics, Principles of Marketing and Principles of Management.

It is important to note that the classes of the Young Savants and the Young Scholars Programs are not designed to replace regular school classes.