



Introduction

The North-West University's (NWU) Post-graduate Diploma in Management is offered by the NWU Business School. For the past 35 years, the Faculty of Economic and Management Sciences of the NWU has delivered competent graduates to Southern Africa, who, in turn, make a proven contribution to the social- and economic growth in the region.

The Business School has as its aim to provide professional post-graduate management and business training. The personnel corps of the Business School makes a concerted effort to conciliate theory and practice so that management's strategic leadership potential can be fully unlocked.

The programme content and the standard of this diploma ensure that participants obtain expertise from management and business practices, in order to confront local as well as international challenges.

Admission Requirements

- An acknowledged Baccalaureus degree or similar qualification, or sufficient relevant experience.
- Acceptable academic record.



Application Procedure

Students can only apply online via the NWU website. Click on <http://distance.nwu.ac.za/applyonline> to enquire.

Duration and structure of the diploma

Language of Instruction:

The programme is offered in English on all sites of delivery.

After completion of this qualification, students should be able to demonstrate:

- knowledge of and engagement in the theories and principles of general management knowledge, including functional areas of accounting, information systems, economics, statistics, marketing, finance, operations, local governance, small business management, public and non-profit management, training and development, labour relations, human resources, and purchasing management;
- the ability to select and use appropriate methods of identifying, researching and diagnosing management problems and critically assess environmental influences on management activities;
- the ability to produce appropriate interpersonal skills and show sensitivity in personal interaction in the business environment in various team-based activities of different organisations in the public and private sector;
- the ability to select and use appropriate techniques of problem resolution, including developing, defending and implementing recommendations;
- analytical skills in the area of resource utilisations, including people, finance, equipment, time, space as well as qualitative and quantitative information for decision-making;
- the ability to contribute effectively to the formulation, implementation and review of policies, plans, and the design of accompanying control processes; and
- the ability to analyse their own leadership roles

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and the roles of others in management situations, and assess their effectiveness in the fulfilment of these roles, and to cope with change more effectively through an enhanced understanding of the process of change, and be able to implement change in complex situations.

The programme is designed to provide students with an advanced academic understanding of management processes and Postgraduate Diploma in Management

Code: 5FCD05 (FULL-TIME AND PART-TIME) AND (5HAD05 – DISTANCE)

Delivery mode: Full-time, part-time or distance

FIRST SEMESTER		
Module code	Module description	Credits
BLLR511	Labour Relations	12
CCMM511	General Management	12
CCMM515	Managerial Economics	12
CCMM517	Financial Reporting	12
GOPM511	Operations Management	12
First semester credits total		60
SECOND SEMESTER		
Module code	Module description	Credits
GLOM522	Strategic Talent Management	12
MKTM521	Principles: Marketing Management	12
PGRE521	Research Methodology	12
Electives (select two)		
GPRM521	Project Management	
CCMM521	Information Management	12
GLOM521	Logistics Management	12
GSCM521	Supply Chain Management	
BLCG522	Corporate Governance	
Second semester credits total		60
Total credits for the curriculum		120
<p>Note that part-time/distance students could spread their modules across a two-year period to manage their workload.</p>		

Accessibility

The full-classes are presented in Potchefstroom. (Offering of modules is subject to a minimum of 20 registered students per site).

The part-time classes are presented in a combination of synchronous and asynchronous classes.

The distance classes are online but can also include a combination of synchronous and asynchronous classes. (Offering of modules is subject to a minimum of 20 registered students)

Credits

The diploma carries a total weight of 120 credits on HEQF level 8. Each module has a weight of 12 credits.

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