

COMSATS Institute of Information Technology
Registrar Office, Principal Seat, Islamabad

No: CIIT-Reg/Notif- 712/12/ 1037

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NOTIFICATION

Scheme of Studies of Master of Science in Development Studies

It is hereby notified that the Academic Council in its 13th meeting held on June 04, 2012 approved the following Scheme of Studies of the Master of Science in Development Studies, MS (DS) with effect from Fall 2012 at CIIT system:

	<u>Minimum No. of Courses</u>	<u>Minimum No. Credit Hours</u>
1. MS Course Work		
i. Core Courses	4	12
ii. Elective Courses	4	12
Total Credit Hours of course work		24
2. MS Thesis		06
3. Total Credit Hours of the Program		30

Note: All Rules and Regulations approved by BASAR from time to time shall be applicable

Eligibility Criteria

- a) Masters in Development Studies/ Master's degree/four years bachelor degree in social sciences, management/administrative sciences or other relevant disciplines with First Division (Annual System) or CGPA 2.5/4.0(Semester)
- b) No third division or D grade throughout the academic career.
- c) GAT(General) with 50% marks minimum.

This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.


Nadeem Uddin Qureshi
Additional Registrar

Distribution:

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List of Core Courses

Course Code	Course Title	Credits Hours
DEV601	Development Theory, Policy and Practices	3(3, 0)
DEV602	Statistical Analysis for Development Studies	3(3, 0)
DEV603	Applied Research Methods	3(3, 0)
DEV604	Economic, Social and Political Dimensions of Development	3(3, 0)

Thesis

Course Code	Course Title	Credits Hours
DEV800	Thesis	6

List of Elective Courses

Course Code	Course Title	Credits Hours
DEV605	Advanced Readings in Development Studies	3(3, 0)
DEV611	Anthropology of Development	3(3, 0)
DEV612	Major issues in Gender and Development	3(3, 0)
DEV621	Advanced Topics in Development Economics	3(3, 0)
DEV623	Project Management for Rural Development	3(3, 0)
DEV624	Sustainable Agriculture and Development	3(3, 0)
DEV625	Aid and Development	3(3, 0)
DEV631	Natural Resources and Development	3(3, 0)
DEV632	Climate Change and Development	3(3, 0)
DEV633	Health and Development	3(3, 0)
DEV634	Political Ecology	3(3, 0)
DEV641	Conflict and Development	3(3, 0)
DEV642	Global Political Economy	3(3, 0)
DEV643	Human Rights and Development	3(3, 0)
DEV644	International Relations, Politics and Development	3(3, 0)
DEV645	Institutions and Governance	3(3, 0)
MGT551	Human Resource Development	3(3, 0)

Included