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ABOUT US

Iconic University is a private open, distance, and e-learning university approved by the National Universities Commission (NUC) of Nigeria to provide advanced educational opportunities for people to study and earn a degree from the comfort of their homes, businesses or workplaces. The university situates its headquarter in Sokoto State of Nigeria, having other potential learning centres across cities in Nigeria and beyond.

WHY CHOOSE ICONIC UNIVERSITY?

Iconic University stands out as a premier choice for all individual, regardless of age, who are seeking higher education for several reasons.

Iconic Open University offers a wide range of accredited degree programmes across various disciplines, ensuring that students can pursue their desired field of study and get the necessary knowledge and skills. The university boasts a distinguished faculty comprising leading experts across the globe who are also professionals in their respective fields, guaranteeing a high-quality learning experience for students. Additionally, Iconic University prides itself on its flexible learning options, allowing students to tailor their studies to fit their busy schedules. This flexibility is further enhanced by the university's online platform which enables students to access course materials, interact with professors and peers, submit tests, assignment and undertake research from the comfort of their homes. Iconic University places a strong emphasis on career development and offers robust support services, including job placement assistance and internship opportunities, to ensure students are prepared for the professional world upon graduation. With its commitment to excellence in academics, flexible learning options, renowned faculty, affordability and strong focus on career development, Iconic University is a top choice for those seeking a high-quality and rewarding educational experience.

Iconic Open University, Sokoto, is licensed as a full pledged university by the National Universities Commission, Federal Republic of Nigeria.



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MISSION, VISION, OBJECTIVES & CORE VALUES

MISSION

Our mission is to integrate learning and research through an open system that leverages technology in line with the best global practice of tertiary education.

VISION

We envision an open-virtual, world-class community connected from around the world as a globally recognised institution with an enhanced system of learning, research, and practice in all fields of human endeavour.

OBJECTIVES

In a bid to achieve its mission, the Iconic University has the following objectives:

- to create a learning environment where students can find complement for all instructions in open, distance and e-learning.
- to create an enabling environment with accessible on-demand education and at the pace that best suits individual students.
- to create a student-centered academic environment that relies on academic rigour, core values and a philosophy of combining traditional learning with practical experience as it relates to any field of human endeavour.

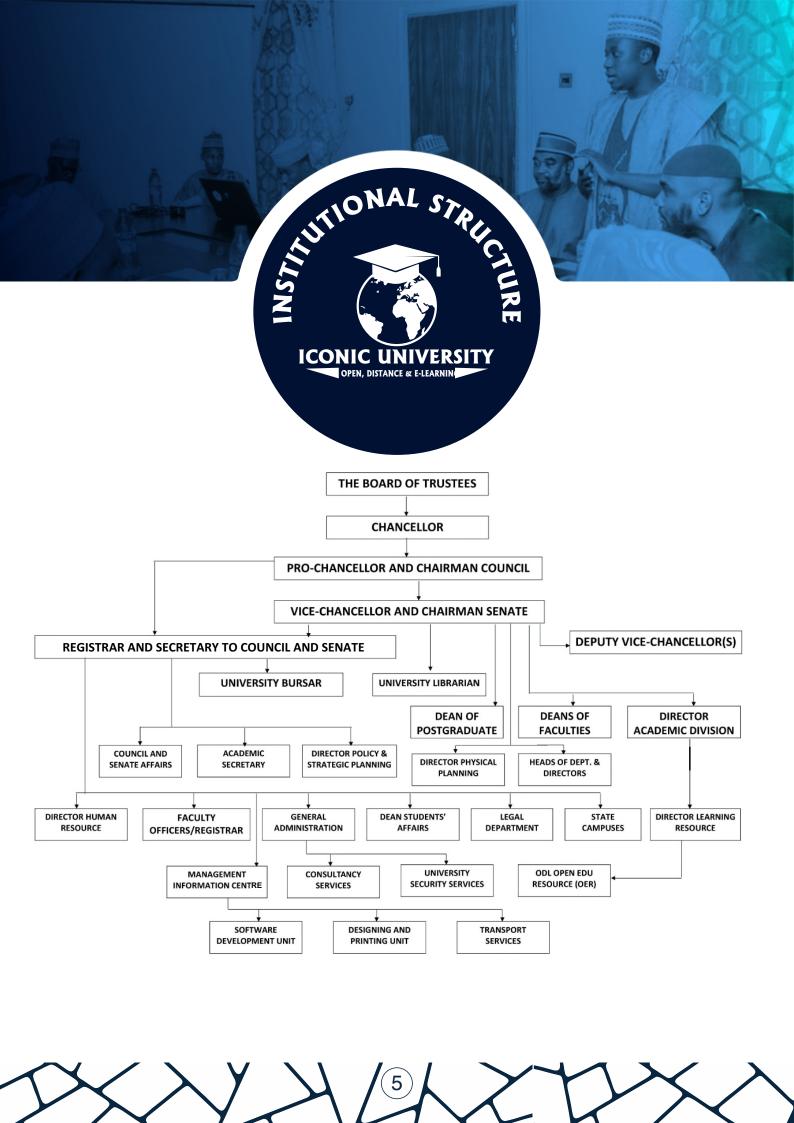
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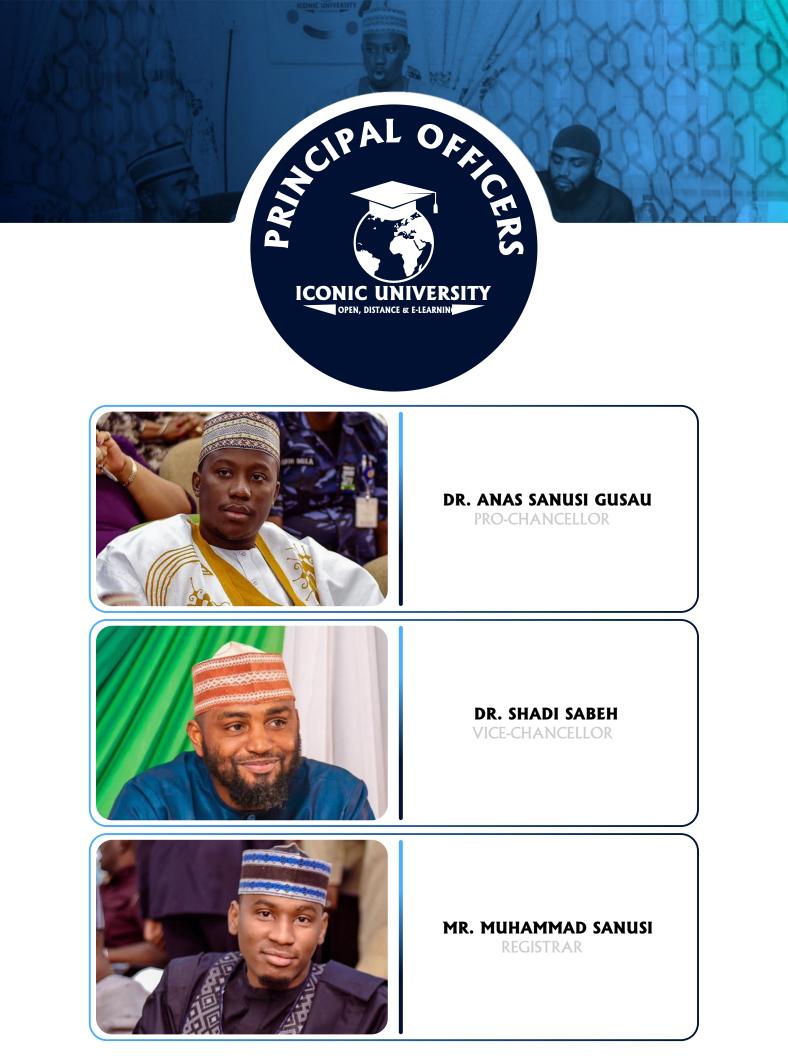
The core values of our university represent who we are as per commitment to the highest standards of teaching, research, and service. We have committed ourselves serving our students, faculty, staff, and our community. It is a commitment to treat all members of our university with dignity and respect.

Other values of the university are:

- Academic Excellence
- Professionalism
- Integrity
- Innovation
- Leadership
- Responsibility

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FACULTY OF COMPUTING & ALLIED HEALTH SCIENCES

DEPARTMENT OF COMPUTER & INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

- 1. B.SC. COMPUTER & INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
- 2. B.SC. SOFTWARE ENGINEERING

DEPARTMENT OF NURSING SCIENCE

1. B.SC. NURSING SCIENCE

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

1. B.SC. PUBLIC HEALTH

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH INFORMATION MANAGEMENT

1. B.HIM. HEALTH INFORMATION MANAGEMENT



FACULTY OF ARTS, MANAGEMENT & SOCIAL SCIENCES

DEPARTMENT OF ARTS & LANGUAGES

- **1. B.A. ARABIC LANGUAGE**
- 2. B.A. ISLAMIC STUDIES
- **3. B.A. ENGLISH LANGUAGE & LITERATURE**



DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT STUDIES

- **1. B.SC. ACCOUNTING**
- 2. B.SC. BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION
- **3. B.SC. PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION**

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL STUDIES

- **1. B.SC. CRIMINOLOGY & SECURITY STUDIES**
- 2. B.SC. INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS & DIPLOMACY
- **3. B.SC. MASS COMMUNICATION**



PROGRAMMES

Iconic University offers the following programmes:

B.SC. COMPUTER & INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

B.SC. SOFTWARE ENGINEERING

B.N.SC. NURSING SCIENCE

B.SC. PUBLIC HEALTH

B.HIM HEALTH INFORMATION MANAGEMENT

B.A. ARABIC LANGUAGE

B.A. ISLAMIC STUDIES

B.A. ENGLISH LANGUAGE & LITERATURE

B.SC. ACCOUNTING

B.SC. BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

B.SC. PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

B.SC. CRIMINOLOGY & SECURITY STUDIES

B.SC. INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS & DIPLOMACY

B.SC. MASS COMMUNICATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMPUTER & INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY B.SC. COMPUTER AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

OVERVIEW

B.Sc. Computer and Information Technology is a four-year, undergraduate programme that focuses on the study of hardware, software, and networks. It provides an indepth understanding of the use of computers and other information technology systems in the context of businesses, organisations, and society. The programme also provides skills related to problemsolving, communication, design, and implementation of computerbased systems. Coursework includes topics such as computer programming, software engineering, databases, operating systems, networking, and web design. Additionally, students gain knowledge in the fields of artificial intelligence, data structures, algorithms, and computer graphics. Through this programme, graduates are prepared to work in various computer–related industries.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENT:

Admission into Iconic Open University for bachelor's degree does not require JAMB-UTME result. However, candidates would be asked to register with JAMB after admission and get the regular JAMB number to be used for his/her NYSC at the time of graduation.

Note: Admission for B.Sc. Computer & Information Technology is available only for 100 level this session (2023/2024).

100 LEVEL (FRESHMAN)

1. Prospective candidates must possess: five (5) credit passes in WAEC, NECO, NBAIS, or similar bodies as recognised. The credit passes must include English Language, Mathematics and Physics at not more than two sittings.

2. Five (5) merits in NABTEB or Teachers Grade Two examinations in Science subjects. Also, the merit passes must include English Language, Mathematics and Physics.

REGISTRATION FEES:

Iconic University charges modest fees every session and gives learners the opportunity to pay per semester only. Nigerian candidates seeking admission for B.Sc. Computer and Information Technology will pay an application fee of N10,000 and foreign applicants would pay the sum of \$30. Upon admission, Nigerian candidates would pay a registration fee of N100,000 while foreign candidates would pay the sum of \$500. This schedule is only applicable to the Fall Semester of 2023/2024 academic session.

DEPARTMENT OF COMPUTER & INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY B.SC. SOFTWARE ENGINEERING

OVERVIEW

B.Sc. Software Engineering is a four-year, undergraduate programme that focuses on the development of software applications. The programme is a blend of software engineering and computer science. Students learn a variety of skills such as computer programming, problemsolving, software design, and software architecture. Students are also trained in the development of systems software, application software and web-based applications. Additionally, they gain knowledge of software engineering fundamentals such as requirements analysis, system design and software testing. The curriculum also includes electives in various topics such as artificial intelligence, database management and software security. Graduates of this programme can pursue further studies and research. They can enter the workforce as software engineers.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENT:

Admission into Iconic Open University for bachelor's degree does not require JAMB-UTME result. However, candidates would be asked to register with JAMB after admission and get the regular JAMB number to be used for his/her NYSC at the time of graduation.

Note: Admission for B.Sc. Software Engineering is available only for 100 level this session (2023/2024).

100 LEVEL (FRESHMAN)

1. Prospective candidates must possess: five (5) credit passes in WAEC, NECO, NBAIS, or similar bodies as recognised. The credit passes must include English Language, Mathematics and Physics at not more than two sittings.

2. Five (5) merits in NABTEB or Teachers Grade Two examinations in Science subjects. Also, the merit passes must include English Language, Mathematics and Physics.

REGISTRATION FEES:

Iconic University charges modest fees every session and gives learners the opportunity to pay per semester only. Nigerian candidates seeking admission for B.Sc. Software Engineering will pay an application fee of N10,000 and foreign applicants would pay the sum of \$30. Upon admission, Nigerian candidates would pay a registration fee of N100,000 while foreign candidates would pay the sum of \$500. This schedule is only applicable to the Fall Semester of 2023/2024 academic session.

DEPARTMENT OF NURSING SCIENCE B.N.SC. NURSING SCIENCE

OVERVIEW

The Bachelor of Nursing Science (B.N.Sc.) programme is designed to prepare students for a career in the nursing field. The programme focuses on the science and practice of nursing, including the development of clinical skills, ethical decision–making, health promotion and disease prevention, as well as care of the chronically ill. Students learn to assess, plan, implement and evaluate nursing care, as well as develop leadership and management skills. Coursework includes topics such as anatomy and physiology, pharmacology, health assessment, clinical nursing care, and research methods. The programme also emphasizes professional development, including communication, critical thinking, and problem–solving skills. The B.NSc. programme prepares graduates to become responsible and compassionate nurses who are capable of providing quality healthcare to patients and families.

Note: Admission for B.N.Sc. Nursing Science is available only for 200 level this session (2023/2024).

ADMISSION REQUIREMENT

Admission into Iconic Open University for bachelor's degree does not require JAMB-UTME result. However, candidates would be asked to register with JAMB after admission and get the regular JAMB number to be used for his/her NYSC at the time of graduation.

Furthermore, Iconic University follows guidelines established by the National Universities Commission (NUC) and the Nursing and Midwifery Council of Nigeria for admission in the open university system, whereby only registered nurses can be admitted to study through this mode.

200 LEVEL (SOPHOMORES)

Candidate to be admitted at 200 level must have completed professional diploma or National Diploma (ND) in Nursing Science only at the Colleges of Nursing Science in Nigeria or its equivalent. In addition, candidates are expected to have the same entry requirements of credit in five (5) subjects (Mathematics, English Language, Biology, Physics and Chemistry) at not more than two sittings.

REGISTRATION FEES:

Iconic University charges modest fees every session and gives learners the opportunity to pay per semester only. Nigerian candidates seeking admission for B.NSc. Nursing Science will pay an application fee of **N10,000 and** foreign applicants would pay the sum of \$30. Upon admission, Nigerian candidates would pay a registration fee of **N80,000** while foreign candidates would pay the sum of \$500. This schedule is only applicable to the Fall Semester of 2023/2024 academic session.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH B.SC. PUBLIC HEALTH

OVERVIEW

B.Sc. Public Health is a three-year undergraduate programme (for direct entry admission only) which provides students with a comprehensive understanding of health and healthcare delivery from an international public health perspective. It explores the social, economic, environmental, and political factors that influence health, and provides students with a strong foundation in public health research, policy, and practice. The programme covers a range of topics such as health promotion and disease prevention, epidemiology, health economics and management, health policy and health informatics. The programme provides students with the necessary skills and knowledge to become successful public health professionals.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENT:

Admission into Iconic Open University for bachelor's degree does not require JAMB-UTME result. However, candidates would be asked to register with JAMB after admission and get the regular JAMB number to be used for his/her NYSC at the time of graduation. Note: Admission for B.Sc. Public Health is only available for 200 level.

200 LEVEL (SOPHOMORES)

1. Prospective candidates must possess: five (5) credit passes in WAEC, NECO, NBAIS, NABTEB or similar bodies as recognised. The credit passes must include English Language, Mathematics and Physics/ Chemistry/ Biology/ Health Science, at not more than two sittings.

2. In addition to (1) above, health-related discipline for admission in B.Sc. Public Health programme includes first degree holders, diploma holders and technicians as shown below.

3. List of acceptable discipline for admission into BSc. Public Health include science and medical health courses of B.Sc. holders who must possess a minimum of third class, HND holders who must possess a minimum of lower credit, NCE holders who must possess a minimum of merit pass, ND and OND holders who must possess a minimum of lower credit in order to be eligible for admission.

4. Applicants must present certificates of programmes which include: BSc, HND, NCE, ND, OND and technical certificate.

5. An additional qualification from any health-related discipline such as Community Health Officer Training Certificate(CHO), NCE (physical/ health Education, Science Education, Nutrition, Home Economics, Food Science), Health Superintendent, Registered Nurse (RN), Physiology, Medical Laboratory Science, etc are considered for admission.

REGISTRATION FEES:

Iconic University charges modest fees every session and gives learners the opportunity to pay per semester only. Nigerian candidates seeking admission for B.Sc. Public Health will pay an application fee of N10,000 and foreign applicants would pay the sum of \$30. Upon admission, Nigerian candidates would pay a registration fee of N80,000 while foreign candidates would pay the sum of \$300. This schedule is only applicable to the Fall Semester of 2023/2024 academic session.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH INFORMATION MANAGEMENT B.HIM. HEALTH INFORMATION MANAGEMENT

OVERVIEW

B.HIM. Health Information Management is a five-year, undergraduate programme for fresh entry and four years for a direct entry. B.HIM. is designed to equip students with the knowledge and skills to effectively manage health information systems. The programme provides a comprehensive overview of medical coding, health care technology, health informatics, and medical records management. Students also learn about medical terminology, anatomy and physiology, health care law and ethics as well as health care data analysis. Through this programme, students gain the necessary skills to develop, maintain and protect health information records. Upon completion of the programme, students are prepared to pursue a career in the field of health information management.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENT:

Admission into Iconic Open University for bachelor's degree does not require JAMB-UTME result. However, candidates would be asked to register with JAMB after admission and get the regular JAMB number to be used for his/her NYSC at the time of graduation.

Note: Admission for B.HIM. is available only for 200 level this session (2023/2024).

Iconic University follows the guidelines established by the National Universities Commission (NUC) and the Health Records Officers' Registration Board of Nigeria for admission in the open university system, whereby only registered HROs can be admitted to study through this mode.

200 LEVEL (SOPHOMORES)

Candidate to be admitted at 200 level must have completed professional diploma or National Diploma (ND) in Health Information Management at the Colleges of Health Science and Technology in Nigeria or its equivalent. In addition, candidates are expected to have the same entry requirements of credit in five (5) subjects (Mathematics, English Language, Biology, Physics and Chemistry) at not more than two sittings.

REGISTRATION FEES:

Iconic University charges modest fees every session and gives learners the opportunity to pay per semester only. Nigerian candidates seeking admission for B.HIM. Health Information Management will pay an application fee of N10,000 and foreign applicants would pay the sum of \$30. Upon admission, Nigerian candidates would pay a registration fee of N80,000 while foreign candidates would pay the sum of \$300. This schedule is only applicable to the Fall Semester of 2023/2024 academic session.

DEPARTMENT OF ARTS & LANGUAGES B.A. ARABIC LANGUAGE

OVERVIEW

The B.A. Arabic Language programme at Iconic University is designed to provide students with an in-depth knowledge and understanding of the Arabic language and its associated culture. The programme provides students with the opportunity to learn all aspects of the language, including its history, grammar, literature and writing systems. Students can explore the various dialects of the language and learn the fundamentals of Modern Standard Arabic. In addition, they can study the impact of the language on politics, economics and social life in the Middle East and beyond. Through the programme, students can develop their skills in speaking, listening, reading and writing in the language. The course culminates in a comprehensive examination that tests the student's knowledge and skills in the language.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENT:

Admission into Iconic Open University for bachelor's degree does not require JAMB-UTME result. However, candidates would be asked to register with JAMB after admission and get the regular JAMB number to be used for his/her NYSC at the time of graduation.

Note: Admission for B.A. Arabic Language is available only for 100 level this session (2023/2024).

100 LEVEL (FRESHMAN)

1. Prospective candidates must possess: five (5) credit passes in WAEC, NECO, NBAIS, or similar bodies as recognised. The credit passes must include English Language, Arabic Language and/or Islamic Studies, and at least a pass in Mathematics at not more than two sittings.

2. Five (5) merits in NABTEB or Teachers Grade Two examinations in Arts or Social Science subjects. Also, the merit passes must include English Language, Arabic Language and/or Islamic Studies, and at least a pass in Mathematics.

REGISTRATION FEES:

Iconic University charges modest fees every session and gives learners the opportunity to pay per semester only. Nigerian candidates seeking admission for B.A. Arabic Language will pay an application fee of N10,000 and foreign applicants would pay the sum of \$30. Upon admission, Nigerian candidates would pay a registration fee of N50,000 while foreign candidates would pay the sum of \$200. This schedule is only applicable to the Fall Semester of 2023/2024 academic session.

DEPARTMENT OF ARTS & LANGUAGES B.A. ISLAMIC STUDIES

OVERVIEW

B.A. Islamic Studies is a four-year, undergraduate programme offered by Iconic University. This programme provides a comprehensive understanding of Islamic culture, history, and philosophy. It also covers topics such as the Qur'an and Hadith, Islamic law, Islamic art and architecture, political and economic thoughts, Islamic spirituality and Islamic civilization. The programme aims to equip students with the necessary knowledge and skills to become knowledgeable and effective members of the society who would work towards the promotion of islamic values. The programme focuses on developing the critical thinking, analytical and research skills of students, enabling them to engage in issues of contemporary relevance.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENT:

Admission into Iconic Open University for bachelor's degree does not require JAMB-UTME result. However, candidates would be asked to register with JAMB after admission and get the regular JAMB number to be used for his/her NYSC at the time of graduation.

Note: Admission for B.A. Islamic Studies is available only for 100 level now.

100 LEVEL (FRESHMAN)

1. Prospective candidates must possess: five (5) credit passes in WAEC, NECO, NBAIS, or similar bodies as recognised. The credit passes must include English Language, Arabic Language and Islamic Studies, and at least a pass in Mathematics at not more than two sittings.

2. Five (5) merits in NABTEB or Teachers Grade Two examinations in Arts or Social Science subjects. Also, the merit passes must include English Language, Arabic Language and/or Islamic Studies, and at least a pass in Mathematics.

3. Senior Islamic Studies Certificate (SISC) or Higher Muslim Studies Certificate (HMSC) or Higher Islamic Studies Certificate (HISC) with five credits in Arabic, Islamic Studies and any other three subjects including a pass in English Language.

REGISTRATION FEES:

Iconic University charges modest fees every session and gives learners the opportunity to pay per semester only. Nigerian candidates seeking admission for B.A. Islamic Studies will pay an application fee of N10,000 and foreign applicants would pay the sum of \$30. Upon admission, Nigerian candidates would pay a registration fee of N50,000 while foreign candidates would pay the sum of \$200. This schedule is only applicable to the Fall Semester of 2023/2024 academic session.

DEPARTMENT OF ARTS & LANGUAGES B.A. ENGLISH LANGUAGE & LITERATURE

OVERVIEW

The B.A. English Language & Literature programme at the Iconic University is designed to provide students with a comprehensive understanding of the English Language, its structure, and its use in a variety of contexts. The programme combines a broad–based foundation of linguistics with an in–depth exploration of the English Language and its many forms. Core modules cover topics such as language structure and analysis, language in society, English Language history and English Language teaching. Students have the opportunity to choose from a range of optional modules, allowing them to tailor the programme to their own interests and career aspirations. The programme also includes an applied element, allowing students to develop their professional skills in the context of their studies. Upon graduation, students will be well–equipped to pursue a range of careers in the fields of education, publishing, journalism, and communions.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENT:

Admission into Iconic Open University for bachelor's degree does not require JAMB-UTME result. However, candidates would be asked to register with JAMB after admission and get the regular JAMB number to be used for his/her NYSC at the time of graduation.

Note: Admission for B.A. English Language & Literature is available only for 100 level now.

100 LEVEL (FRESHMAN)

1. Prospective candidates must possess: five (5) credit passes in WAEC, NECO, NBAIS, or similar bodies as recognised. The credit passes must include English Language and Literature in English, at not more than two sittings.

2. Five (5) merits in NABTEB or Teachers Grade Two examinations in Arts or Social Science subjects. Also, the merit passes must include English Language.

REGISTRATION FEES:

Iconic University charges modest fees every session and gives learners the opportunity to pay per semester only. Nigerian candidates seeking admission for B.A. English Language & Literature will pay an application fee of N10,000 and foreign applicants would pay the sum of \$30. Upon admission, Nigerian candidates would pay a registration fee of N65,000 while foreign candidates would pay the sum of \$250. This schedule is only applicable to the Fall Semester of 2023/2024 academic session.

DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT STUDIES B.SC. ACCOUNTING

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OVERVIEW

B.Sc. Accounting is a four-year, undergraduate programme designed to provide students with a comprehensive understanding of the principles and practices of accounting. The programme covers the fundamentals of financial accounting, managerial accounting, taxation, auditing, and financial management. A B.Sc. Accounting student will learn how to analyse and interpret financial data, use accounting software, and develop effective financial management techniques. Upon graduation, students may pursue a career in public accounting, private accounting, or financial management.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENT:

Admission into Iconic Open University for bachelor's degree does not require JAMB-UTME result. However, candidates would be asked to register with JAMB after admission and get the regular JAMB number to be used for his/her NYSC at the time of graduation.

Note: Admission for B.Sc. Accounting is available only for 100 level this session (2023/2024).

100 LEVEL (FRESHMAN)

1. Prospective candidates must possess: five (5) credit passes in WAEC, NECO, NBAIS, or similar bodies as recognised. The credit passes must include English Language and Mathematics, at not more than two sittings.

2. Five (5) merits in NABTEB or Teachers Grade Two examinations in Management or Social Science subjects. Also, the merit passes must include English Language and Mathematics.

REGISTRATION FEES:

Iconic University charges modest fees every session and gives learners the opportunity to pay per semester only. Nigerian candidates seeking admission for B.Sc. Accounting will pay an application fee of N10,000 and foreign applicants would pay the sum of \$30. Upon admission, Nigerian candidates would pay a registration fee of N65,000 while foreign candidates would pay the sum of \$250. This schedule is only applicable to the Fall Semester of 2023/2024 academic session.

DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT STUDIES B.SC. BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

OVERVIEW

The Bachelor of Science in Business Administration is a four-year, degree programme that provides students with the knowledge and skills necessary to become successful business professionals. The curriculum focuses on the core areas of business administration such as accounting, economics, management, finance and marketing. Additionally, it provides a comprehensive overview of the legal, ethical, and social impacts of business decisions. The programme also offers courses in communication, technology, and international business. Students develop the knowledge and skills to analyse and interpret data, make sound financial decisions, and understand the complexities of the global business environment.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENT:

Admission into Iconic Open University for bachelor's degree does not require JAMB-UTME result. However, candidates would be asked to register with JAMB after admission and get the regular JAMB number to be used for his/her NYSC at the time of graduation.

Note: Admission for B.Sc. Business Admin is available only for 100 level this academic session (2023/2024).

100 LEVEL (FRESHMAN)

1. Prospective candidates must possess: five (5) credit passes in WAEC, NECO, NBAIS, or similar bodies as recognised. The credit passes must include English Language and Mathematics, at not more than two sittings.

2. Five (5) merits in NABTEB or Teachers Grade Two examinations in Management or Social Science subjects. Also, the merit passes must include English Language and Mathematics.

REGISTRATION FEES:

Iconic University charges modest fees every session and gives learners the opportunity to pay per semester only. Nigerian candidates seeking admission for B.Sc. Business Administration will pay an application fee of N10,000 and foreign applicants would pay the sum of \$30. Upon admission, Nigerian candidates would pay a registration fee of N65,000 while foreign candidates would pay the sum of \$250. This schedule is only applicable to the Fall Semester of 2023/2024 academic session.

DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT STUDIES B.SC. PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

OVERVIEW

The B.Sc. in Public Administration programme focuses on the study of public policy and management. It equips students with the knowledge and skills they need to effectively manage government agencies, international organisations, non-profit organisations, and other public sector organisations. The programme combines theoretical training with practical experience, allowing students to learn how to design, implement, and evaluate public policies. The curriculum also covers topics such as public finance, budgeting, public law, social policy, and organisational behaviour. Through experiential learning, internships, and fieldwork, students gain the insights and experience they need to navigate the complexities of public sector management.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENT:

Admission into Iconic Open University for bachelor's degree does not require JAMB-UTME result. However, candidates would be asked to register with JAMB after admission and get the regular JAMB number to be used for his/her NYSC at the time of graduation.

Note: Admission for B.Sc. Public Admin is available only for 100 level this academic session (2023/2024).

100 LEVEL (FRESHMAN)

1. Prospective candidates must possess: five (5) credit passes in WAEC, NECO, NBAIS, or similar bodies as recognised. The credit passes must include English Language and Mathematics, at not more than two sittings.

2. Five (5) merits in NABTEB or Teachers Grade Two examinations in Management or Social Science subjects. Also, the merit passes must include English Language and Mathematics.

REGISTRATION FEES:

Iconic University charges modest fees every session and gives learners the opportunity to pay per semester only. Nigerian candidates seeking admission B.Sc. Public Administration will pay an application fee of N10,000 and foreign applicants would pay the sum of \$30. Upon admission, Nigerian candidates would pay a registration fee of N65,000 while foreign candidates would pay the sum of \$250. This schedule is only applicable to the Fall Semester of 2023/2024 academic session.

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL STUDIES B.SC. CRIMINOLOGY & SECURITY STUDIES

OVERVIEW

B.Sc. Criminology & Security Studies is a four-year, undergraduate course that provides students with an in-depth understanding of the various aspects of security, crime prevention, crime investigation, and criminal justice. It covers topics such as criminology theories, criminal justice system, forensic science, cybercrime investigations, risk management and terrorism. The course also focuses on the development of essential skills such as communication, problem-solving, critical thinking and analytical skills. The curriculum also includes practical training such as field trips, internships, and workshops. It provides the knowledge and skills needed to work in various sectors such as public security, criminal justice, criminology, and security management.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENT:

Admission into Iconic Open University for bachelor's degree does not require JAMB-UTME result. However, candidates would be asked to register with JAMB after admission and get the regular JAMB number to be used for his/her NYSC at the time of graduation.

Note: Admission for B.Sc. Criminology & Security Studies is available only for 100 level this session (2023/2024).

100 LEVEL (FRESHMAN)

1. Prospective candidates must possess: five (5) credit passes in WAEC, NECO, NBAIS, or similar bodies as recognised. The credit passes must include English Language, Mathematics and Economics/ Geography/ Government/ Civic Education at not more than two sittings.

2. Five (5) merits in NABTEB or Teachers Grade Two examinations in Science subjects. Also, the merit passes must include English Language, Mathematics and Economics/ Geography/ Government/Civic Education.

REGISTRATION FEES:

Iconic University charges modest fees every session and gives learners the opportunity to pay per semester only. Nigerian candidates seeking admission for B.Sc. Criminology & Security Studies will pay an application fee of N10,000 and foreign applicants would pay the sum of \$30. Upon admission, Nigerian candidates would pay a registration fee of N65,000 while foreign candidates would pay the sum of \$250. This schedule is only applicable to the Fall Semester of 2023/2024 academic session.

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL STUDIES B.SC. INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS AND DIPLOMACY

OVERVIEW

B.Sc. International Relations and Diplomacy is a four-year, degree programme designed to develop students' understanding of the international system and equip them with the knowledge and skills needed to pursue a career in international diplomacy and other related fields. The programme covers topics such as international law, international economics, international relations, diplomatic protocol, and foreign policy analysis.

Additionally, students can choose from a range of electives, such as international security, global governance and conflict resolution. The programme also provides opportunities for internships and fieldwork, allowing students to gain hands–on experience in the international relations field. Graduates of the programme will be well–equipped to pursue a career in diplomacy, international organisations, NGOs, and other international institutions.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENT:

Admission into Iconic Open University for bachelor's degree does not require JAMB-UTME result. However, candidates would be asked to register with JAMB after admission and get the regular JAMB number to be used for his/her NYSC at the time of graduation.

Note: Admission for B.Sc. International Relations & Diplomacy is available only for 100 level this session (2023/2024).

100 LEVEL (FRESHMAN)

1. Prospective candidates must possess: five (5) credit passes in WAEC, NECO, NBAIS, or similar bodies as recognised. The credit passes must include English Language, Mathematics and Economics/ Geography/ Government/ Civic Education at not more than two sittings.

2. Five (5) merits in NABTEB or Teachers Grade Two examinations in Science subjects. Also, the merit passes must include English Language, Mathematics and Economics/ Geography/ Government/Civic Education.

REGISTRATION FEES:

Iconic University charges modest fees every session and gives learners the opportunity to pay per semester only. Nigerian candidates seeking admission for B.Sc. International Relations and Diplomacy will pay an application fee of N10,000 and foreign applicants would pay the sum of \$30. Upon admission, Nigerian candidates would pay a registration fee of N65,000 while foreign candidates would pay the sum of \$250. This schedule is only applicable to the Fall Semester of 2023/2024 academic session.

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL STUDIES B.SC. MASS COMMUNICATION

OVERVIEW

B.Sc. Mass Communication is a four-year, undergraduate programme offered by Iconic University. It is an interdisciplinary programme that combines elements of mass media and communication such as print, radio, television, and the internet. The programme focuses on providing students with a comprehensive understanding of the various aspects of mass communication such as media theory, journalism, advertising, public relations, and digital media. It equips students with the necessary knowledge, skills and tools to be successful in the field of media and communication.

The programme provides theoretical and practical knowledge in related areas, enabling students to face the challenges and complexities of the media industry. It also prepares them for various roles in the media industry such as a media planner, public relations executive, graphic designer, and copywriter.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENT:

Admission into Iconic Open University for bachelor's degree does not require JAMB-UTME result. However, candidates would be asked to register with JAMB after admission and get the regular JAMB number to be used for his/her NYSC at the time of graduation.

Note: Admission for B.Sc. Mass Communication is available only for 100 level this session (2023/2024).

100 LEVEL (FRESHMAN)

1. Prospective candidates must possess: five (5) credit passes in WAEC, NECO, NBAIS, or similar bodies as recognised. The credit passes must include English Language, and Mathematics at not more than two sittings.

2. Five (5) merits in NABTEB or Teachers Grade Two examinations in Science subjects. Also, the merit passes must include English Language and Mathematics.

REGISTRATION FEES:

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Admission into Iconic Open University for bachelor's degree does not require JAMB result but candidate would be asked to get a JAMB regularisation number upon successful admission in order to be used for his/her NYSC at the time of graduation.

Our admission will be open to candidates with the requisite qualifications and subject to the fulfillment of guidelines that the university may determine. Admission into the university is open to all, irrespective of religion, ethnic group, gender, creed and disability status. All applicants for admission into the university will have attained a minimum university requirement for admission.

The admission requirements into the undergraduate programmes of the university will be as follows:

TIER 1

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Admissions into the Iconic University for bachelor's degree will be through the Senior Secondary Certificate Examination (SSCE) i.e. WAEC, NECO, NABTEB, NBAIS or any other foreign recognised equivalent certificate, National Diploma, NCE, and HND.

TIER 3

For admission by direct entry (200 Level), candidates, in addition to having five(5) credits in SSCE, must have obtained at least 2 A' Level passes (or its equivalent) in relevant subjects or possess credit passes in NCE, ND or a good bachelor's degree in another field as the case may be. Candidates for B.Sc. Nursing Science must have a registered Nursing Certificate and candidate for B.Sc. Community Health must possess Community Health Extension worker license.

Note: 200 level admission is only available now for our allied health programmes (B.NSc. Nursing Science, B.Sc. Public Health, B.Sc. Community Health, B.HIM. Health Information Management).

TIER 2

For admission to 100 Level, candidates must have obtained five (5) credits at SSCE (or equivalent) in relevant subjects at not more than 2 sittings including credit passes in English and Mathematics.

TIER 4

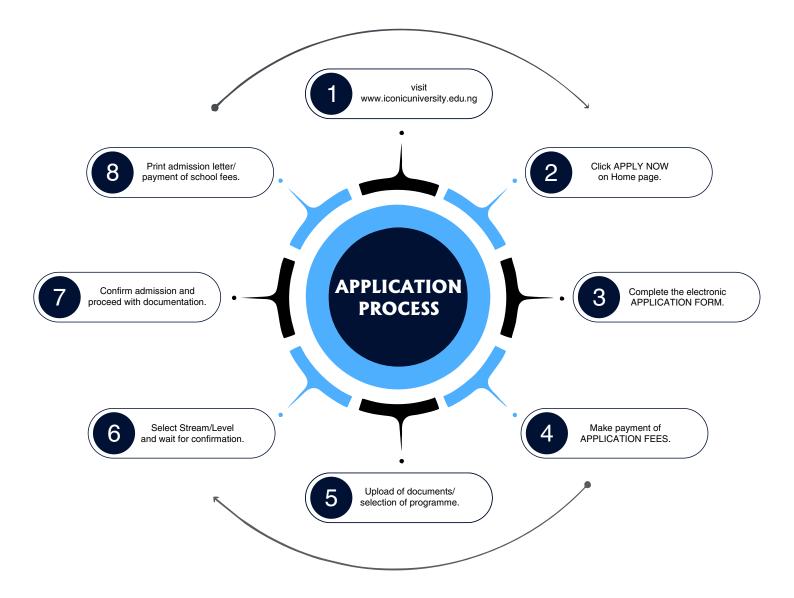
For admission by direct entry (300 Level), candidates with HND in related course would be admitted into 300 Level, while all other HND candidates will be admitted into 200 Level. Note: This admission is not available in this session

TIER 5

For admission by direct entry (400 Level top-up degree) candidates with good bachelor's degree in related field would be admitted into the university to complete the remaining years for award of degree.

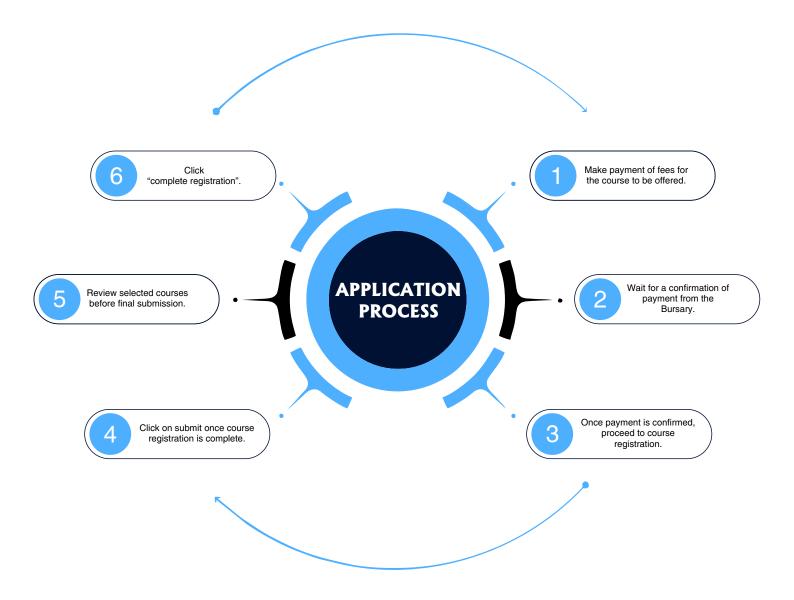
Note: This admission is not available in this session.

APPLICATION PROCESS



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REGISTRATION PROCESS



MODE OF STUDY

The Iconic University conducts teaching and research through Open and Distance Learning (ODL) system. A system defined as an educational process in which a significant proportion of teaching is conducted by someone removed in space and/or time from the learners.

At lconic University, distance education is delivered through an open system that is easily accessible to all people from around the globe. The open system of the university mandates the user (students) to learn and conduct research openly and virtually with easy access to live lecture streams, video and audio recordings including downloadable course materials, with a system of computer-based media and networking as well as other routes for the presentation of information and for communication between teachers, learners and the university itself.

ONLINE MODE

This is solely an online learning mode, which enables learners to sometimes have virtual contact with tutors via the live stream classes. This mode, which gives access to learning courses online, attempting tests, assignments and examinations, receiving feedbacks, downloading videos, audio, and text materials at any point in time, is recommended for students with computer literacy or ability to use smartphone effectively.

PRINT AND MULTIMEDIA MODE

This mode gives an option to students who are unable to use the online system due to technical or geographical reasons. Instead, it teaches through the provision of specialized study materials based on self-learning. The print copies of the study materials are dispatched to students from the university campus to students' destinations via postal service. Each course has a designed study material written specifically for the course and is expected to be studied by the student before being examined. Also, multimedia packages accompanied the print material to aid self-learning, whereby distance teaching is carried on receipt of portable storage devices encoded/uploaded with video recordings of lectures that are made available for students' consumptions. Students are mapped and attached to tutors that are geographically placed at nearby learning centres in order to have physical interactions at some points. Also, in the cause of pursuing self-study at home, students can instantly ask questions via regular phone calls to tutor's toll-free lines. While continuous assessment is conducted via phone-in quizzes and tests, examinations are conducted electronically and/or Pen On Paper (POP) at designated examination centres with proper supervision. Thus, this mode provides an opportunity for people without computer literacy.

THE VIRTUE OF ICONIC UNIVERSITY ODL

The ODL system of Iconic University provides the opportunity for students to pursue programmes for more than one career they aspire with an added advantage of students' apprenticeship scheme, thereby acquiring double honours, skills, and experience. It also allows people who work to acquire knowledge, skills, and techniques which may be relevant to their present work situation or future career prospects. Iconic University, thus, provides people with the opportunity to improve their academic qualifications without giving up their jobs and without moving away from their domicile areas. The university system also allows teaching to be facilitated regardless of location and creates connection for academic professionals. The university system is also flexible in terms of age and time, allowing for enrolment at any time and the convenience of pace dictated by the learners.

STUDY TIMELINE

ICONIC UNIVERSITY ACADEMIC CALENDAR												
ACTIVITIES	SPRING SEMESTER							FALL SEMESTER				
	MAR	2	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	ОСТ	NOV DEC	JAN FEB	
Registration												
Fresh Students' Orientation												
1 st Study Period												
1 st Test Period		Π										
2 nd Study Period												
Assignment Period												
2 nd Test Period												
Seminar												
Mid-Semester Break												
3 rd Study Period												
3 rd Test Period												
Semester Exams												
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STUDENTS' APPRENTICESHIP SCHEME

The Students' Apprenticeship Scheme at Iconic Open University is designed to provide students with valuable placement opportunities within industries related to their programme of study. This scheme gives students the chance to learn practical skills and gain real-world experience while still pursuing their studies.

The apprenticeship scheme aims to equip students with the skills needed to thrive in the 21st-century job market. By working alongside industry professionals, students can apply their theoretical knowledge to real-world scenarios and gain a deeper understanding of their chosen field.

The scheme offers a range of placement opportunities across various industries, allowing students to explore different career paths and gain insight into different areas of their field. This exposure helps students to make informed decisions about their future career paths and enhances their employability upon graduation.

During their placement, students are mentored by experienced professionals who guide them through their tasks and provide valuable feedback. This mentorship allows students to develop their skills and receive guidance from industry experts.

The duration of the apprenticeship scheme can vary depending on the programme and industry requirements. Some placements may be part-time, allowing students to balance work and study, while others may be full-time during breaks or holidays.

The Students' Apprenticeship Scheme is a mutually beneficial arrangement, as it not only provides students with practical experience but also allows companies to benefit from the fresh perspectives and enthusiasm of young talents. This collaboration fosters a strong relationship between the university and industry partners, leading to future opportunities for both parties.

Overall, the Iconic Open University Students' Apprenticeship Scheme offers students a unique opportunity to bridge the gap between academia and industry, enabling them to develop essential skills of the 21st century while still pursuing their education.



The Students' Affairs Directorate is a vital component of Iconic Open University, responsible for providing various support services and programmes to enhance the overall student experience. The main objective of the directorate is to ensure that students have a positive and fulfilling academic journey while studying at the university.

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The directorate operates under the supervision of the Dean Students' Affairs and consists of multiple specialized departments, each focusing on different aspects of student support. These departments include:

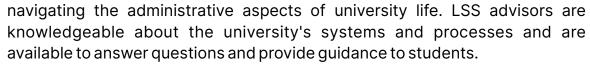
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academic journey. LSS is available to assist students with both academic and administrative issues that may arise during their time at the university. LSS offers one-time support services to students through various channels such as email, phone, or in-person at the nearest learning centre. The goal of LSS is to ensure that students have the resources and assistance they need to succeed in their studies and navigate any challenges they may encounter.

Learner Support Services (LSS) is a department at Iconic Open University that is dedicated to providing support to students in various aspects of their

Academic support services provided by LSS include assistance with course materials, guidance on study strategies and time management, clarification of academic policies and procedures, and referrals to additional resources or services as needed. LSS advisors are trained to provide guidance and support to help students overcome academic obstacles and achieve their educational goals.

Administrative support services offered by LSS include assistance with registration and enrolment, guidance on university policies and procedures, help on accessing online platforms and resources, and general support in



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In addition to one-time support services, LSS also provides proactive support through the provision of information and resources to help students stay on track with their studies and make informed decisions. This may include sharing important deadlines, reminders, and updates related to academic and administrative matters.

Overall, Learner Support Services at Iconic Open University is committed to providing high-quality support and guidance to students, ensuring that they have the best possible experience during their time at the university.

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Learning Resource Services (LRS) is a department of Iconic Open University that is dedicated to providing students with a wide range of course materials and multimedia resources to support their learning journey. LRS aims to enhance the learning experience of students by offering self-learning resources, access to various learning platforms, and providing support in both asynchronous and synchronous learning formats.

LRS offers a vast collection of course materials and resources in various formats, including text-based materials, video lectures, audio recordings, e-books, and interactive learning tools. These resources are carefully curated and updated regularly to ensure that they align with the latest advancements in the field of study.

In addition to course materials, LRS also provides access to an asynchronous learning platform. This platform enables students to access learning resources at their own pace and convenience. Students can access lectures, assignments,

tests, and other learning activities through this platform. They can also interact with their peers and instructors through discussion forums and online chat tools.

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LRS also offers a synchronous learning platform that facilitates real-time interaction between students and instructors. Through this platform, students can participate in live lectures, seminars, and interactive sessions. They can ask questions, clarify doubts, and engage in discussions with their peers and instructors.

Furthermore, LRS provides support services to assist students in effectively utilizing the resources and platforms offered. Students can avail themselves of assistance in navigating the learning platforms, accessing and downloading course materials, and resolving technical issues. LRS also offers guidance on effective self-learning strategies and time management to ensure students get the most out of their learning experience.

In summary, Learning Resource Services at Iconic Open University is dedicated to providing students with a comprehensive range of course materials, multimedia resources, and access to both asynchronous and synchronous learning platforms. LRS aims to enhance the learning journey of students by equipping them with the necessary resources and tools to succeed in their chosen field of study.

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Iconic Open University offers Information Advice & Guidance (IAG) services to support students and prospective candidates throughout their academic journey. The IAG team at Iconic Open University provides extensive mentoring, guidance, and counseling to ensure a smooth and successful study period. The IAG services begin even before a prospective candidate enrols at the university. The team assists candidates in making informed decisions about the courses and programmes offered at Iconic Open University. Team members provide detailed information about the various study options available, helping potential students choose the programme that aligns with their goals and interests.

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Once a student is enrolled, the IAG team continues to provide support and guidance throughout their time at the university. Team members provide information about the academic calendar, course structures and requirements ensuring that students have a clear understanding of their programme. This helps in effective programme planning and course selection to meet the student's academic and career goals.

The IAG team also assists students in accessing additional support services offered by the university. Team members provide information about financial options and offers available to eligible students. They also guide students in utilizing the university's learning resources, such as libraries, online databases, and academic support centres.

Apart from academic support, the IAG team offers career guidance and counseling. Members help students explore career paths related to their chosen field of study and provide information about job opportunities and internships. They assist students in developing their resumes and cover letters, enhancing their interview skills, and preparing for job interviews.

The IAG team at Iconic Open University ensures that students have access to timely and accurate information throughout their study period. Team members are available to answer any queries or concerns students may have, providing personalized guidance and support. The IAG services aim to empower students and help them make informed decisions, maximizing their academic and career potentials.





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