

REVISED PROGRAMME OF THE BACHELOR OF EDUCATION DEGREE (HISTORY)

Justification

There is a need to study the past so as to understand ourselves and our societies. This programme, therefore, is designed to produce professional history teachers who will conduct research and contribute to the dissemination of historical knowledge.

Objectives

- a) To develop in students a strong understanding and appreciation of the past.
- b) To train professional historians and teachers for secondary schools and colleges.
- c) To develop a sense of respect for people's cultural practices and national differences.

DEGREE REGULATIONS

I Entry Requirements

- a) The "Common Regulations" for all Bachelor degrees in the University shall apply.
- b) The "Common Regulations" for all Bachelor degrees in the Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences of the University shall apply.
- c) The Department will admit:
 - (i) to the four-year programme, applicants with a minimum grade of C in history in the Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education examination or its equivalent.
 - (ii) to the three-year programme, applicants with a principal pass in history in the Kenya Advanced Certificate of Education examination or its equivalent.
 - (iii) to the two-year programme, applicants with a credit in history in the diploma examination or its equivalent.

II Degree Patterns and Course Duration

The Four -Year Programme

- a) In the first year, students shall take the two common university units, GS 100 and GS 101, four units in history, four units in education and four units from another department.
- b) In the second, third and fourth year, they shall take four units in history, six units in education and four units from another department in each year.

The Three -Year Programme

- a) In the first year, students shall take the common university unit, GS 100, four units in history, five units in education and four units from another department.
- b) In their second and third year, students shall take four units in history, six units in education and four units from another department in each year.