

**SCHOOL OF POST GRADUATE STUDIES
IMO STATE UNIVERSITY, OWERRI**

A. AVAILABLE COURSES

1. FACULTY OF AGRICULTURE AND VETERINARY MEDICINE

(a) Department of Agricultural Economics, Extension and Rural Development

- (i) Postgraduate Diploma Programmes in:
 - Agricultural Economics,
 - Agricultural Cooperatives,
 - Agricultural Extension, and
 - Farm Management and Rural Sociology.
- (ii) M.Sc, M.Phil/Ph.D and Ph.D in Agricultural Economics with specialization in:
 - Agricultural Cooperatives,
 - Farm Management;
 - Production Economics;
 - Agricultural Finance;
 - Agricultural Marketing,
 - Agricultural Business,
 - Resource and Environmental Economics.
- (iii) M.Sc, M.Phil/Ph.D, and Ph.D. in Agricultural Extension with specialization in:
 - Rural Sociology;
 - Rural Development,
 - Agricultural Extension Systems;
 - Extension Communication;
 - Extension Administration.

(b) Department of Animal Science and Fisheries

- (i) Postgraduate Diploma Programmes in:
 - Animal Science, and
 - Fisheries.
- (ii) M.Sc, M.Phil/Ph.D, and Ph.D in Animal Science with specialization in:
 - Animal Production;
 - Animal Nutrition,
 - Animal Physiology; and
 - Animal Breeding and Genetics.

(c) Department of Crop Science and Biotechnology

- (i) Postgraduate Diploma Programmes in Crop Science.
- (ii) MSc, MPhil/PhD, and Ph D in Crop Science with specialization in:
 - Plant Protection;
 - Horticulture,
 - Breeding and Genetics;
 - Crop Nutrition and Physiology.

(d) Department of Soil Science and Environment

- (i) Postgraduate Diploma Programmes in Soil Science and Environment.
- (ii) M.Sc, M.Phil/Ph.D, and Ph.D in Soil Science and Environmental with specialization in:
 - Soil Chemistry and Fertility;
 - Soil Physics and Conservation;
 - Soil Microbiology and Biochemistry;
 - Soil Survey and Land Use Planning; and
 - Environmental Pollution.

2. FACULTY OF MANAGEMENT SCIENCES

(a) Department of Accountancy

- (i) Postgraduate Diploma in Accountancy
- (ii) MBA in accountancy
- (iii) M.Sc, M.Phil/Ph.D, Ph.D Accountancy

(b) Department of Banking and Finance

- (i) Postgraduate Diploma in Banking and Finance
- (ii) MBA Banking and Finance
- (iii) M.Sc, M.Phil/Ph.D, and Ph.D with specialisation in:
 - Banking
 - Finance

(c) Department of Business Management

- (i) Postgraduate Diploma in Business Management
- (ii) M.Sc. and MBA in Business Management
- (iii) MPhil/PhD in Business Management
- (iv) PhD in Business Management

(d) Department of Insurance and Actuarial Science

- (i) PGD in Insurance and Risk Management
- (ii) M.Sc in Insurance and Risk Management

(e) Department of Marketing

- (i) Postgraduate Diploma in Marketing
- (ii) M.Sc and MBA in Marketing
- (iii) M.Phil/Ph.D in Marketing,
- (iv) Ph.D in Marketing

(f) Department of Hospitality and Tourism Management

- (i) Postgraduate Diploma in Hospitality and Tourism Management
- (ii) M.Sc, M.Phil/Ph.D, and Ph.D in Hospitality and Tourism Management

3. FACULTY OF EDUCATION

- (i) Post doctoral Diploma in Education (PDDE)
- (ii) Postgraduate Diploma in Education (PGDE)
- (iii) Professional Diploma in Education (PDE)
- (iv) Postgraduate Diploma in Library and Information Science

(a) Department of Education Arts

- (i) MA (Ed) in Education Arts with options in:
 - History
 - Religion
 - Fine and Applied Arts
- (ii) M.Ed and Ph.D in Curriculum Studies

(b) Department of Foundations and Counselling

- (i) M.Ed and Ph.D in Guidance and Counselling
- (ii) M.Ed and Ph.D in Sociology of Education
- (iii) M.Ed and Ph.D in Philosophy of Education

(c) Department of Language Education

- (i) MA.(Ed) and Ph.D Language Education with option in:
 - English language
 - Igbo
 - French

(d) Department of Library and Information Science

- (i) PGD in Library and Information Science
- (ii) MLS in Library and Information Science
- (iii) MLS/Ph.D in Library and Information Science

- (iv) Ph.D in Library and Information Science
- (v) M.ED in Educational Technology
- (vi) Ph.D in Educational Technology

(e) Department of Life Science Education

- (i) MSc (Ed) in Science Education with options in:
 - Biology
 - Health Science
 - Agricultural Science
- (ii) M.Ed and Ph.D in Educational Psychology

(f) Department of Physical Science Education

- (i) M.Sc (Ed) in Science Education with options in:
 - Physics
 - Chemistry
 - Mathematics
- (ii) M.Ed and Ph.D in Measurement and Evaluation
- (iii) Ph.D in Research and Evaluation
- (iv) Ph.D Education Physics
- (v) Ph.D Education Chemistry
- (vi) Ph.D Education Mathematics

(g) Department of Social Science Education

- (i) M.Sc (Ed) in Science Education with options in
 - Economics
 - Accountancy
 - Social Studies
 - Government
- (ii) M.Ed and Ph.D in Educational Management and Planning
- (iii) Ph.D Education Accountancy
- (iv) Ph.D Education Economics
- (v) Ph.D Education Social Studies

4. FACULTY OF ENGINEERING

(a) Department of Civil Engineering

- (i) Postgraduate Diploma in Civil Engineering
- (ii) M.Engr in Civil Engineering
- (iii) M.Phil/Ph.D, and Ph.D in Civil Engineering

(b) Department of Mechanical Engineering

- (i) Postgraduate Diploma in Mechanical Engineering
- (ii) M.Engr. in Mechanical Engineering

(c) Department of Agricultural Engineering

- (i) PGD Agricultural Engineering
- (ii) M.Sc Agricultural Engineering

(d) Department of Food Science and Technology

- (i) Postgraduate Diploma Programmes in Food Science and Technology.
- (ii) M.Sc in Food Science and Technology
- (iii) M.Phil/Ph.D and Ph.D in Food Science and Technology with specialization in:
 - Food Microbiology/Biotechnology
 - Food Processing and Preservation
 - Food Chemistry and Nutrition

(e) Department of Electrical/Electronic Engineering

- (i) Postgraduate Diploma in Electrical/Electronic Engineering
- (ii) M. Engr. in Electrical/Electronic Engineering

5. FACULTY OF ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES

(a) Department of Architecture

- (i) M.Sc in Architecture
- (ii) M.Phil/PhD and Ph.D in Architecture

(b) Department of Building

- (i) PGD in Construction Technology/Management
- (ii) M.Sc. in Construction technology/Management

(c) Department of Estate Management

- (i) PGD in Estate Management
- (ii) M.Sc in Estate Management
- (iii) M.Phil/Ph.D and Ph.D in Estate Management

(d) Department of Fine and Applied arts

- (i) PGD in Fine and applied arts
- (ii) M.A. Fine Arts (Art History)
- (iii) MFA Fine Arts (Studio)
- (iv) M.Phil/Ph.D (Studio)
- (v) Ph.D Fine Arts (Art History)
- (vi) Ph.D (DocFa) Fine and Applied Arts (Studio)

(e) Department of Quantity Surveying

- (i) Post Graduate Diploma in Quantity Surveying
- (ii) M.Sc in Quantity Surveying with specialization in:
 - Quantity Surveying
 - Construction Project Finance
 - Construction Economics
- (iii) M.Phil/Ph.D and Ph.D in Quantity Surveying with specialization in:
 - Quantity Surveying
 - Construction Project Finance
 - Construction Economics

(f) Department of Urban and Regional Planning

- (i) MURP in Urban and Regional Planning
- (ii) M.Sc in Urban and Regional Planning
- (iii) Ph.D in Urban and Regional Planning

6. FACULTY OF HEALTH SCIENCES

(a) Department of Public Health

- (i) Postgraduate Diploma in Public Health
- (ii) M.Sc in Public Health
- (iii) M.Phil/Ph.D and Ph.D in Public Health

(b) Department of Nutrition and Dietetics

- (i) Postgraduate Diploma Programmes in Nutrition and Dietetics.
- (ii) M. Sc. in Human Nutrition and Dietetics
- (iii) M.Phil/Ph.D and Ph.D in Human Nutrition and Dietetics

(c) Department of Medical Laboratory:

- (i) PGD in Medical Laboratory Science
- (ii) M.Sc in Medical Laboratory Science with specialization in:
 - Chemical Pathology,
 - Medical Microbiology,
 - Haematology
 - Histopathology

(iii) M.Phil/Ph.D and Ph.D in Medical Laboratory Science with specialization in:

- Chemical Pathology,
- Medical Microbiology,
- Haematology
- Histopathology.

(d) Department of Optometry

(i) PGD in Optometry

(ii) M.Sc in Clinical Optometry with specialization in:

- Cornea and Contact lenses
- Orthoptics
- Public Health Optometry

(iv) M.Phil/Phd in Clinical Optometry with specialization in:

- Cornea and Contact Lenses
- Orthoptics
- Public Health Optometry

(v) Fellowship in Clinical Optometry which can be combined with MSc or PhD

(e) Department of Nursing Science

(i) PGD in Nursing Science

(ii) M.Sc Nursing Science with specialization in

- Medical-Surgical Nursing Science
- Maternal and Child Health Nursing
- Community Health Nursing
- Nursing Education

(iii) M.Phil/Ph.D in Nursing Science with specialization in:

- Medical-Surgical Nursing Science
- Maternal and Child Health Nursing
- Community Health Nursing
- Nursing Education

7. FACULTY OF HUMANITIES

(a) Centre for Igbo Studies

(i) M.A. Igbo Studies with options in

- Igbo Arts
- Igbo History and Archaeology
- Igbo Philosophy
- Igbo Religion

(b) Department of English and Literary Studies

(i) Postgraduate Diploma in English and Literary Studies

(ii) M.A. and Ph.D in English Language

(iii) M.A. and Ph.D in Literature

(c) Department of History and International Studies

(i) Post Graduate Diploma in

- History
- History and International Studies
- International Development Studies
- Conflict and Peace Management
- Military and Strategic History
- Institutional Studies and Development

(ii) MA History and International Studies with specialization in

- History
- International Studies
- International Development Studies
- Conflict and Peace Management
- Institutional Studies and Development

- Military and Strategic History
- (iii) M.Phil/Ph.D History and International Studies with specialization in
 - Igbo History
 - Nigerian History
 - African History
 - Urban History
 - Diplomatic History
 - Military and Strategic History
- (iv) Ph.D History and International Studies with specialization in
 - Igbo History
 - Nigerian History
 - African History
 - Urban History
 - Diplomatic History
 - Military and Strategic History

(d) Department of French

- (i) Postgraduate Diploma (PGD) in French
- (ii) M.A. French with specialization in:
 - Language
 - Literature
 - Translation
- (iii) M.Phil/Ph.D **and Ph.D French** with specialization in:
 - Language
 - Literature
 - Translation

(e) Department of Linguistics and Igbo

- (i) Post graduate Diploma (PGD) **Linguistics and Igbo with specialization in:**
 - Linguistics
 - Literature and translation studies
 - Igbo Language and cultural studies
 - Igbo Language in the Diaspora
- (ii) M.A. **Linguistics and Igbo with specialization in:**
 - Linguistics
 - Literature and translation studies
 - Igbo Language and cultural studies
 - Igbo Language in the Diaspora
- (iii) M.Phil/Ph.D **and Ph.D Linguistics and Igbo with specialization in:**
 - Linguistics
 - Literature and translation studies
 - Igbo Language and cultural studies
 - Igbo Language in the Diaspora

(f) Department of Philosophy

- (i) MA Philosophy
- (ii) M.Phil/Ph.D and Ph.D Philosophy

(g) Department of Religious Studies

- (i) Postgraduate Diploma in Religious Studies
- (ii) M.A. Religious Studies, with areas of specialisation in
 - African Traditional Religion
 - Biblical Studies (with option in Old Testament or New Testament)
 - Sociology of Religion
 - Religious Ethics
 - Comparative Religion
- (iii) M.Phil/Ph.D and Ph.D Religious Studies, with areas of specialisation in:

- African Traditional Religion
 - Biblical Studies (with options in Old Testament or New Testament)
 - Sociology of Religion
 - Religious Ethics
 - Comparative Religion

(i) Department of Theatre Arts

(i) **Postgraduate Diploma (PGD) in Theatre Arts**

(ii) **M.A. in Theatre Arts** with specialization in:

- Directing
- Acting
- Playwriting/Dramatology
- Dramatic Theory and Criticism
- African Drama and Theatre

(iii) **M.Phil/Ph.D and Ph.D in Theatre Arts** with specialization in:

- Theatre Studies and Performance Theory
- African Dance/Choreography
- Theatre History and Historiography
- Dramatic Literature
- Dramatic Theory and Criticism
- African Drama and Theatre
- Theatre in Education
- Media/Film Studies
- Arts Administration/Management

8. FACULTY OF LAW

(i) **Postgraduate Diploma (PGD) Law**

(ii) **Masters Degree Programmes (LLM)**

(iii) **M.Phil/Ph.D and Ph.D programme in Law** with specialization in:

- International Law and Jurisprudence
- Private and Property Law
- Public Law
- Commercial Law

9. FACULTY OF BASIC MEDICAL SCIENCES

(a) Department of Animal and Environmental Biology

(i) **Postgraduate Diploma (PGD) in:**

- Hydrobiology and Fisheries
- Public Health Parasitology and Entomology
- Environmental Biology
- Physiology

(ii) **M.Sc with specialization in**

- Public Health Parasitology and Entomology
- Fisheries and Hydrobiology
- Environmental Biology
- Physiology

(iii) **M.Phil/Ph.D and Ph.D with specialization in:**

- Medical Entomology
- Fisheries and Hydrobiology
- Environmental Biology
- Physiology
- Public Health Parasitology

(b) Department of Anatomy and Neurobiology

(i) **Postgraduate Diploma in Anatomy**

- (ii) **M.Sc** Anatomy with specialization in:
- Human Anatomy and Histology
 - Neuroscience
 - Surface Anatomy and Anthropology
 - Cell Biology and Genetics
 - Comparative Anatomy and Ecology
 - Musculoskeletal Anatomy
- (iii) **M.Phil/Ph.D** Anatomy with specialization in:
- Human Anatomy and Histology
 - Neuroscience
 - Surface Anatomy and Anthropology
 - Cell Biology and Genetics
 - Comparative Anatomy and Ecology
 - Musculoskeletal Anatomy
- (iv) **Ph.D** Anatomy with specialization in:
- Human Anatomy and Histology
 - Neuroscience
 - Surface Anatomy and Anthropology
 - Cell Biology and Genetics
 - Comparative Anatomy and Ecology
 - Musculoskeletal Anatomy

(c) Department of Medical Biochemistry

- (i) Postgraduate Diploma (PGD) in Biochemistry
- (ii) **M.Sc** with specialization in:
- Medical Biochemistry
 - Toxicological Biochemistry
 - Clinical Biochemistry
 - Neurobiochemistry
 - Pharmacological Biochemistry
 - Environmental/Xenobiochemistry
 - Nutrition/Micronutrient Biochemistry
 - Phytobiochemistry
 - Oxidative Stress/Wellness Biochemistry
 - Forensic Biochemistry
 - Edocrinology/Immunobiochemistry
- (iii) **Ph.D** with specialization in:
- Medical Biochemistry
 - Toxicological Biochemistry
 - Clinical Biochemistry
 - Neurobiochemistry
 - Pharmacological Biochemistry
 - Environmental/Xenobiochemistry
 - Nutrition/Micronutrient Biochemistry
 - Phytobiochemistry
 - Oxidative Stress/Wellness Biochemistry
 - Forensic Biochemistry
 - Edocrinology/Immunobiochemistry

(d) Department of Chemistry

- (i) Postgraduate diploma in Chemistry
- (ii) **M.Sc with specialization in:**

- Organic Chemistry
- Physical Chemistry,
- Inorganic Chemistry
- Analytical Chemistry
- Environmental Chemistry
- Polymer Chemistry

(iii) M.Phil/Ph.D and Ph.D in Chemistry with specialisation in:

- Physical Chemistry

(e) Department of Computer Science

- (i) Postgraduate diploma in Computer Science
- (ii) M.Sc, M.Phil/Ph.D and Ph.D Computer Science

(f) Department of Human Physiology

- (i) Postgraduate Diploma in Human Physiology
- (ii) M.Sc and Ph.D with specialization in:

- Neurophysiology
- Gastroenterology
- Reproduction and Endocrinology
- Environmental Physiology
- Cardiopulmonary Physiology

(g) Department of Microbiology

- (i) Postgraduate diploma in Microbiology
- (ii) M.Sc, M.Phil/Ph.D and Ph.D with specialisation in:

- Medical Microbiology.
- Environmental Microbiology
- Industrial Microbiology

(h) Department of Physics

- (i) Postgraduate diploma in Physics
- (ii) M.Sc, MPhil/Ph.D and Ph.D with specialisation in:

- Atmospheric Physics
- Solid State Physics
- Applied Geophysics.

(i) Department of Plant Science & Biotechnology

- (i) Postgraduate diploma in
 - Plant Taxonomy/Biosystematics
 - Mycology and Phytopathology
 - Cytogenetics
 - Plant Breeding
 - Plant Physiology.
- (ii) M.Sc with specialisation in:
 - Plant Biosystematics/Taxonomy
 - Mycology/Plant Pathology
 - Plant Physiology
 - Cytogenetics
 - Plant Breeding.
- (iii) M.Phil/Ph.D and Ph.D with specialization in:
 - Plant Taxonomy and Biosystematics
 - Pathology and Mycology
 - Plant Physiology

(j) Department of Statistics

- (i) Postgraduate Diploma in Statistics
- (ii) M.Sc, M.Phil/Ph.D and Ph.D in Statistics

(k) Department of Mathematics

- (i) Postgraduate Diploma in Mathematics
- (ii) M.sc Mathematics
- (iii) M.Phil/Ph.D and Ph.D in Mathematics

10. FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

(a) Department of Economics

- (i) Postgraduate Diploma in Economics with specialization in:
 - Public Sector Economics & Finance
 - Industrial Economics
 - Development Economics
 - Monetary Economics
- (ii) M.Sc Economics with specialisation in:
 - Public Sector Economics & Finance
 - Industrial Economics
 - Development Economics
 - Monetary Economics
- (iii) M.Phil/Ph.D and Ph.D Economics with specialization in:
 - Public Sector Economics & Finance
 - Industrial Economics
 - Development Economics
 - Monetary Economics

(b) Department of Geography and Environmental Management

- (i) Postgraduate diploma in Environmental Management
- (ii) M.Sc with specialization in:
 - Geography & Environmental Management
 - Environmental Management
- (iii) M.Phil/Ph.D and Ph.D with specialisation in:
 - Geography & Environmental Management
 - Environmental Management

(c) Department of Mass Communication

- (i) Postgraduate Diploma in:
 - Mass Communication and
 - Public Relation
- (ii) M.Sc in:
 - Mass Communication and
 - Public Relations
- (iii) M.Phil/Ph.D and Ph.D with specialization in:
 - Print Sequence,
 - Electronic (Broadcast) Sequence
 - Theory and Research Sequence
 - Public Relation and Advertising
 - Behaviour Change Communication/Development Communication

(d) Department of Political Science

- (i) Postgraduate Diploma in:
 - Political Science
 - Public Administration (PGDPA)
- (ii) M.Sc Political Science with specialization in:
 - International Relations and Diplomacy
 - Political Economy
 - Comparative Politics

(iii) Master of Political Science (MPSC) with specialization in:

- International Relations and Diplomacy
- Political Economy
- Intelligence and Security Studies
- Peace and Conflict Studies
- Development Studies

(iv) M.Sc in Public Administration with options in:

- Local Government Administration
- Human Resources Management
- Public Sector Management

(v) Master of Public Administration (MPA) with specialization in:

- Human Resources Management (MHRM)
- Public Sector Management (MPSM)
- Local Government Administration (MLGA)
- MPA Executive

(vi) Ph.D in Political Science with specialization in:

- International Relations and Diplomacy
- Political Economy
- Comparative Politics

(vii) Ph.D in Public Administration with options in:

- Local Government Administration
- Human Resources Management
- Public Sector Management.

(e) Department of Psychology

(i) Postgraduate Diploma in Psychology

(ii) M.Sc Psychology with specialization options in

- Clinical Psychology
- Industrial Psychology/Organizational Psychology
- Counselling Psychology
- Developmental Psychology

(iii) Ph.D with specialization in:

- Clinical Psychology
- Industrial Psychology/Organizational Psychology
- Counselling Psychology
- Developmental Psychology

(f) Department of Sociology

(i) Postgraduate Diploma in:

- Sociology
- Criminology and Security Studies
- Social Works

(ii) Master in Criminology and Security Studies (MCSS)

(iii) M.Sc Degree Sociology with options in:

- Sociology of Development
- Rural Sociology
- Industrial Sociology
- Personnel and Human Resources Management

(iv) M.Phil/Ph.D and Ph.D Programmes with options in:

- Sociology of Development
- Rural Sociology
- Industrial Sociology
- Human Resources and Personnel Management