



IBRAHIM BADAMASI BABANGIDA UNIVERSITY, LAPAI, NIGER STATE, NIGERIA

SCHOOL OF POSTGRADUATE STUDIES

ONLINE SALE OF POSTGRADUATE FORMS:

This is to inform the general public that online sale of Ibrahim Badamasi Babangida University, Lapai, Niger State, Postgraduate Application Forms for the **2020/2021** Academic Session commences Monday 26th October, 2020. In addition to the existing programmes, the following new programmes are now available:

All interested applicants should visit the Ibrahim Badamasi Babangida University, Lapai website portal ***ibbu.edu.ng/pgapp*** for details of the available courses, requirements, details of purchase, filling and submission of the online forms. Please note the following information:

1. The cost of each application form is **₦20, 300.00** only.
2. Sale of application forms and submission ends on **15th February, 2021**.
3. The phone number and e-mail addresses of the applicant should reflect in the online application form
4. The phone numbers and e-mail address of the applicant's referees should be included in the online application form.
5. Applicants are to ensure that they meet the basic entry requirements of five O'Level Credits including English and Mathematics in not more than two sittings. Candidates for English Language and English Literature programmes must have at least a credit in Literature at O'Level.
6. All candidates are to present themselves for physical screening on **Friday 26th February, 2021**.

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AVAILABLE PROGRAMMES

FACULTY OF AGRICULTURE

S/NO.	DEPARTMENT	STATUS
A.	Department of Animal Production:	
1.	M.Sc./Ph.D - Animal Production with specialization in: i. Monogastric Nutrition ii. Animal Physiology iii. Animal Products & Processing and iv. Ruminant Nutrition	FULL TIME
2.	PGD - Animal Production with specialization in: i. Monogastric Nutrition ii. Animal Physiology iii. Animal Products & Processing and iv. Ruminant Nutrition	PART TIME
B.	Department of Agricultural Economics & Extension Services:	
1.	M.Sc./Ph.D. Agricultural Economics with specialization in: i. Agricultural Development and Policy ii. Agricultural Finance iii. Production Economics and Farm Management iv. Agricultural Marketing	FULL TIME
2.	PGD - Agricultural Economics with specialization in: i. Agricultural Development and Policy ii. Agricultural Finance iii. Production Economics and Farm Management iv. Agricultural Marketing	PART TIME
C.	Department of Crop Production:	
1.	M.Sc./Ph.D - Crop Production with specialization in: i. Agronomy ii. Plant Pathology iii. Entomology iv. Soil Science v. Weed Science	FULL TIME
2.	PGD. -Crop Production with specialization in: i. Agronomy ii. Plant Pathology iii. Entomology iv. Soil Science and v. Weed Science	PART TIME

FACULTY OF EDUCATION AND ARTS

S/NO.	DEPARTMENT	STATUS
A.	Department of Counselling Psychology:	
1.	M.Ed./ Ph.D. -Guidance and Counseling with specialization in: i. Education Guidance and Counselling	

	ii. Educational Psychology iii. Test and Measurement	FULL TIME
2.	M.Ed./Ph.D. - Educational Psychology with specialization in: i. Education Guidance and Counselling ii. Educational Psychology iii. Test and Measurement	
B.	Department of Continuing Education and Community Development:	
1.	M.Ed./Ph.D. in Adult and Non-Formal Education with specialization in: i. Adult and Non-Formal Education ii. Rural and Community Development iii. Gender Education iv. Industrial Education v. Entrepreneurial Adult Education vi. Communication Arts in Adult Education.	FULL TIME
2.	PGD in Education (PGDE) with specialization in: i. Adult and Non-Formal Education ii. Rural and Community Development iii. Gender Education iv. Industrial Education v. Entrepreneurial Adult Education vi. Communication Arts in Adult Education.	PART TIME
C.	Department of Human Kinetics & Health Education:	
1.	M.Sc./Ph.D Human Kinetics & Health Education with specialization in: i. Exercise Physiology ii. Health Education iii. Sports Psychology iv. Sports Administration and Planning	FULL TIME
D.	Department of History & International studies:	
1.	M.A/Ph D History with specialization in: i. Social and Political History ii. Economic History iii. Diplomacy and Strategic Studies.	FULL TIME

FACULTY OF LANGUAGES & COMMUNICATION STUDIES

S/NO.	DEPARTMENT	STATUS
A.	Department of Arabic:	
1.	M.A/PhD Arabic Language and M.A/PhD - Arabic Literature with specialization in: i. Arabic Literature ii. Arabic Language	FULL TIME
2.	PGD Arabic with specialization in: i. Arabic Literature ii. Arabic Language	PART TIME
B.	Department of English:	

1.	M.A/PhD English Language with specialization in: i. Stylistics ii. Phonology iii. Discourse Analysis iv. Applied Linguistics v. Sociolinguistics vi. Pragmatics vii. Syntax	FULL TIME
2.	M.A/PhD. - Literature in English with specialization in: i. Cultural and Literary Studies ii. Drama iii. Prose iv. Oral Literature v. Children's Literature vi. Popular Literature vii. Comparative Literature	FULL TIME

FACULTY OF NATURAL SCIENCES

S/NO.	DEPARTMENT	STATUS
A.	Department of Biochemistry:	
1.	M.Sc./Ph.D. - Biochemistry with specialization in: i. Nutritional Biochemistry ii. Biochemical Toxicology iii. Medical Biochemistry iv. Chemical Pathology v. Molecular Biology & Biotechnology vi. Environmental Biochemistry vii. Pharmacological Biochemistry.	FULL TIME
2.	PGD - Biochemistry with specialization in: i. Nutritional Biochemistry ii. Biochemical Toxicology iii. Medical Biochemistry iv. Chemical Pathology v. Molecular Biology & Biotechnology vi. Environmental Biochemistry vii. Pharmacological Biochemistry.	PART TIME

B.	Department of Biology:	
1.	M.Sc./Ph.D -Biology with specialization in: i. M.Sc. Entomology ii. Ph.D Environmental Biology iii. Ph.D Hydrobiology and Fisheries	FULL TIME
2.	PGD - Environmental Biology with specialization in: i. Hydrobiology and Fisheries ii. Environmental Biology iii. Genetics iv. Parasitology v. Mycology/Plant Pathology	PART TIME
C.	Department of Chemistry:	
1.	M.Sc./Ph.D Chemistry with specialization in: i. Analytical Chemistry ii. Organic Chemistry iii. Environmental Chemistry	FULL TIME
D.	Department of Computer Science:	
1.	M.Sc./Ph.D Computer Science with specialization in: i. Computer Science Theory/Foundation of Computer Science ii. Computer Systems iii. Software Engineering iv. Database System/Data Engineering v. Computer Communication and Networks vi. Artificial Intelligence vii. Computer Forensics viii. Human Computer Interactions	FULL TIME
2.	PGD in Computer Science with specialization in: i. Computer Science Theory/Foundation of Computer Science ii. Computer Systems iii. Software Engineering iv. Database System/Data Engineering v. Computer Communication and Networks vi. Artificial Intelligence vii. Computer Forensics viii. Human Computer Interactions	PART TIME
3.	PGD in Information & Communication Technology with specialization in: i. Computer Science Theory/Foundation of Computer Science ii. Computer Systems iii. Software Engineering iv. Database System/Data Engineering	

	v. Computer Communication and Networks vi. Artificial Intelligence vii. Computer Forensics viii. Human Computer Interactions	
E.	Department of Geography:	
1.	M.Sc./Ph.D. Water Resources & Environmental Management with specialization in: i. Water Resources ii. Environmental Management	FULL TIME
2.	PGD. -Water Resources & Environmental Management with specialization in: i. Water Resources ii. Environmental Management	PART TIME
F.	Department of Geology:	
1.	M.Sc./Ph.D Geology with specialization in: i. Petroleum Geology ii. Mineral Exploration	FULL TIME
2.	PGD Geo Resources	PART TIME
G.	Department of Mathematics:	
1.	M.Sc./Ph.D Mathematics with specialization in: i. Applied Mathematics ii. Pure Mathematics	FULL TIME
2.	PGD in Mathematics with specialization in: i. Applied Mathematics ii. Pure Mathematics	PART TIME
H.	Department of Microbiology:	
1.	M.Sc./Ph.D Microbiology with specialization in: i. Medical Microbiology ii. Food and Industrial Microbiology iii. Environmental Microbiology iv. Virology v. Microbial Biotechnology	FULL TIME
2.	PGD Microbiology with specialization in: i. Medical Microbiology	PART TIME

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ii. Food and Industrial Microbiology iii. Environmental Microbiology iv. Virology v. Microbial Biotechnology 	
	Professional Programmes in Microbiology:	
2.	PGD/Master in Food Safety and Hygiene Management	PART TIME
3	PGD/Master in Public Health and Epidemiology	
I.	Department of Physics:	
1.	M.Sc./Ph.D Physics with specialization in: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Theoretical Physics ii. Applied Geophysics iii. Solid State Physics iv. Energy Studies v. Radiation Biophysics vi. Astro Physics vii. Space Physics 	FULL TIME
2.	PGD - Physics with specialization in: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Applied Geophysics ii. Solid State Physics iii. Radiations & Health/Nuclear Physics iv. Energy Studies 	

FACULTY OF MANAGEMENT AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

S/NO.	DEPARTMENT	STATUS
A.	Department of Accounting:	
1.	M.Sc./Ph.D Accounting with specialization in: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Public Finance Management ii. Taxation and Tax Management iii. Audit Management iv. Treasury Management 	FULL TIME
	M.Phil/Ph.D Accounting with specialization in: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Public Finance Management ii. Taxation and Tax Management iii. Audit Management iv. Treasury Management 	
	M.Sc. Finance with specialization in: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Public Finance Management ii. Taxation and Tax Management iii. Audit Management iv. Treasury Management 	
	Professional Programmes in Accounting	

	PGD Accounting and Finance (PGDAF)	PART TIME
	Master in Public Sector Accounting (MPSA)	
	Master in Accounting (MAC)	
B.	Department of Business Administration:	
1.	M.Sc./Ph.D Business Administration with specialization in: i. Business Accounting & Finance ii. Islamic Finance iii. Entrepreneurial Development iv. Insurance & Actuarial Science v. Marketing, Human Resource Management vi. Auditing & Public Sector Accounting vii. Public Finance Management	FULL TIME
2.	Master in Business Administration (MBA) with specialization in: i. Business Accounting & Finance ii. Islamic Finance iii. Entrepreneurial Development iv. Insurance & Actuarial Science v. Marketing, Human Resource Management vi. Auditing & Public Sector Accounting vii. Public Finance Management	PART TIME
3.	Postgraduate Diploma in Management (PGDM) with specialization in: i. Business Accounting & Finance ii. Islamic Finance iii. Entrepreneurial Development iv. Insurance & Actuarial Science v. Marketing vi. Human Resource Management vii. Auditing & Public Sector Accounting viii. Public Finance Management	PART TIME
C.	Department of Economics:	
1.	M.Sc./Ph.D Economics	FULL TIME
2.	Master in Financial Economics (MFE)	PART TIME
3.	PGD in Finance & Administration (PGDFA)	
4.	PGD in Health & Environmental Economics (PGDHEE)	PART TIME
D.	Department of Political Science:	

1.	M.Sc./Ph.D. Political Science	FULL TIME
2.	Masters of Art (M.A) Electoral Policy and Administration (M.A-EPA)	
3.	Masters of Art (M.A) Peace, Conflict and Security Studies (M.A-PCSS)	
4.	Master in International Studies & Diplomacy (MISD)	
5.	Master in Public Policy & Administration (MPPA) with specialization in:	
6.	PGD in Development Studies (PGDDS)	PART TIME
7.	PGD in Public Policy & Administration (PGDPPA)	
E.	Department of Public Administration:	FULL TIME
1.	M.Sc./Ph.D Public Administration	
2.	Master in Public Administration (MPA)	
3.	PGD Public Administration (PGDPA)	PART TIME
F.	Department of Sociology:	FULL TIME
1.	M.Sc./Ph.D Sociology with specialization in: i. Medical Sociology ii. Industrial Sociology iii. Sociology of Education iv. Criminology v. Development Studies vi. Demography	

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Candidates are advised to read the specified entry requirements for the course applied for:

1. Postgraduate Diploma (PGD) Programmes Applicants must possess:

- A Bachelor's degree with a minimum of Third Class Degree
- HND from a recognized Polytechnic with a minimum of Lower Credit
- NYSC discharge, exemption or exclusion certificate/letter
- 5 O' Level Credit passes including English Language and Mathematics
- Any other qualification acceptable to the Senate of Ibrahim Badamasi Babangida University, Lapai.

2. Master's Programmes, Applicant must possess:

- Bachelor's degree with a minimum of Second Class Lower Division honours from recognised institutions.
- NYSC discharge, exemption or exclusion certificate/letter.
- 5 O' Level credit passes including English Language and Mathematics.
- Candidates for English Language and Literature must possess credit in O'Level Literature.
- Candidates with Third Class Bachelor's degree or HND (Upper Credit) who in addition, possess a Postgraduate diploma (PGD) with a minimum CGPA of 3.50 on a 5.00 scale in a relevant discipline may be considered.
- Minimum duration of the Masters degree is 18 months.
- The **PGD Management and MBA programmes** will hold their lectures at **IBB University Suleja Campus**.

3. Ph.D. Degree Programmes (applicants must possess):

Candidates seeking admission to the Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) degree programme of IBB University must possess the Bachelor's and Master's Degrees of IBB University or any other University recognized by the Senate of IBB University in the relevant discipline. To qualify for direct entry into the Ph.D. degree programme, a candidate must have a minimum CGPA of 4.00 on a 5.00 scale or equivalent of 60% in Master's (M.A./M.Sc.) degree result. Candidates who graduated with CGPA of 3.50-3.99 on a 5.00 scale or equivalent (55-59%) in the Master's degree may be considered for M.Phil./Ph.D. programme in the respective discipline. Candidates with professional Master's degrees are not eligible for the Ph.D. programme except they have obtained M.Sc. degrees in relevant fields. A Ph.D. degree programme runs for a minimum period of 36 calendar months and a maximum period of 48 calendar months for full-time candidates OR a minimum period of 48 calendar months and a maximum period of 60 calendar months for part-time candidates. Relevant courses will be taken for the Ph.D. studies where prescribed and a Thesis is required at the end of the Ph.D. programme.

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