FEDERAL UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY, OWERRI
POSTGRADUATE SCHOOL

2019/2020 POSTGRADUATE ADMISSION APPLICATION

A. The Postgraduate School, Federal University of Technology, Owerri (FUTO) invites applications from suitably qualified candidates for consideration for admission into the underlisted Diploma, Masters and Doctorate Degree programmes for the 2019/2020 session under Regular, Part Time, Centre for Continuing Education (Weekend), Institute of Women/Gender and Development Studies (IWoGDS), Institute of Erosion Studies (IES) and Public Procurement Research Centre (PPRC).

Any interested candidate should pay a non-refundable fee of eleven thousand, three hundred naira (N11,300.00) only at any of the Deposit Money Banks (DMB) through the Remita Gateway on the Postgraduate application platform and then complete the online application at www.futo.edu.ng

B. ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

All candidates applying for any of the following postgraduate programmes must satisfy the basic matriculation requirements including O’ Level Credit Passes in English Language and Mathematics and any other related subjects as required by the Department.

1.1 POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA (PGD)

Candidates applying for the Postgraduate Diploma (PGD) programme must possess any of the following in addition to O’ Level Credit Passes in English Language and Mathematics and satisfying the basic matriculation requirements of the Department:

i) Higher National Diploma (HND) Lower Credit or above
ii) Bachelors Degree in the relevant discipline from FUTO or any other recognized University with at least a Third Class Honours.
iii) A good Bachelors Degree with at least Second Class Honours in other related disciplines.

1.2 POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA (PGD) in Gender Studies

Candidates applying for the Postgraduate Diploma (PGD) in Gender Studies programme must possess any of the following:

i) A good Bachelors Degree with at least Second Class Honours in other related disciplines.
ii) Higher National Diploma (HND) Lower Credit or above
iii) Bachelors Degree in the relevant discipline from FUTO or any other recognized University with at least a Third Class Honours.

O’ LEVEL REQUIREMENT FOR GENDER STUDIES

O’ level credit passes in English Language and Mathematics in addition to any other three subjects as follows:
i) **Gender and Development Studies** (Economics, Government or History, Commerce, Geography)

ii) **Gender and Entrepreneurship** (Economics, Government or History, Commerce, Geography)

iii) **Global Health** (Chemistry, Biology, Physics)

iv) **Gender and Agricultural Technology** (Chemistry, Agricultural Science or Biology and Food Nutrition or Home Economics)

2.1 **MASTERS: M.Sc, M.Eng and MPH**

Candidates applying for the Master of Science (M.Sc), Master of Engineering (M.Eng), and Master of Public Health (MPH) programme must possess any of the following in addition to O' Level Credit Passes in English Language and Mathematics and satisfying the basic matriculation requirements of the Department/Institute:

i) A Bachelors degree with at least a Second Class Honours (Lower Division) qualification in the related area from FUTO or from any other recognized University.

ii) A Bachelors degree from a recognized University plus a PGD of not less than **3.00 CGPA on a 5-point scale** and a **2.50 CGPA on a 4-point scale** in the relevant area.

However, for M.Sc in Financial Management Technology and Management Technology candidates must possess O’ Level credit passes in English Language, Mathematics Economics and any two subjects from Physics, Biology, Agricultural Science, and Geography

2.2 **M.Sc in Optometry**

Candidates applying for the Master of Science (M.Sc) in Optometry programme must possess any of the following in addition to O’ Level Credit Passes in English Language, Mathematics, Biology, Physics and Chemistry

i) A Doctor of Optometry (O.D) degree with a minimum of **2.50 CGPA on a 5-point scale** or **2.50 CGPA on a 4-point scale** in the related area from FUTO or from any other recognized University.

ii) Completion of one year internship programme and NYSC programme

2.3 **M.Sc in Gender Studies**

Candidates applying for the Master of Science (M.Sc) in Gender Studies programme must possess any of the following:

i) Higher National Diploma (HND) Upper Credit or above plus PGD in Gender Studies

ii) Bachelors Degree in the relevant discipline from FUTO or any other recognized University with at least a Third Class Honours plus a PGD in Gender Studies.

iii) A good Bachelors Degree with at least Second Class Honours in other related disciplines.
O' LEVEL REQUIREMENT FOR GENDER STUDIES
O’ level credit passes in English Language and Mathematics in addition to any other three subjects as follows:

i) Gender and Development Studies/Entrepreneurship (Economics, Government or History, Commerce, Geography)

ii) Gender and Science/Global Health (Chemistry, Biology, Physics)

iii) Gender and Technology (Physics, Chemistry and Biology or Agricultural Science)

iv) Gender and Agricultural Technology (Chemistry, Agricultural Science or Biology and Food Nutrition or Home Economics)

3. MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (MBA)
Candidates applying for the Master of Business Administration (MBA) programme must possess any of the following in addition to O’ Level Credit Passes in English and Mathematics and satisfying the basic matriculation requirements of the Department:

i) A good Honours Degree with at least a Second Class Honours (Lower Division) in the area of Science, Technology, Engineering and Management Technology from FUTO or from any other recognized University.

ii) Graduates with Bachelors degree from a recognized University with at least a third class qualification

iii) Higher National Diploma (HND) lower credit or above plus a Postgraduate Diploma in relevant field may apply for the MBA programme

iv) A Bachelors degree in other fields plus a PGD in a relevant field

However, for MBA in Financial Management Technology and Management Technology, candidates must possess O’ Level credit passes in English Language, Mathematics Economics and any two subjects from Physics, Biology, Agricultural Science, and Geography.

4. DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY (Ph.D)
Candidates applying for the Ph.D programme must possess any of the following in addition to O’ Level Credit Passes in English and Mathematics and satisfying the basic matriculation requirements of the Department/Institute:

i) A Master's degree with a CGPA of 3.50 on a 5.00 point scale or 3.00 on a 4.00 point scale or its equivalent in the relevant areas from FUTO or any recognized University

ii) Any other qualification as the University Senate may from time to time recognize/approve.
C. DURATION OF PROGRAMMES

i. **Ph.D Programmes**: A minimum of six (6) semesters and a maximum of ten (10) semesters for full-time, and minimum of eight (8) semesters and a maximum of fourteen (14) semesters for part-time students.

ii. **M.Sc, M.Eng, MPH and MBA Programmes**: A minimum of three (3) semesters and a maximum of six (6) semesters for full-time, and minimum of four (4) semesters and a maximum of eight (8) semesters for part-time students.

iii. **PGD Programmes**: A minimum of two (2) semesters and a maximum of four (4) semesters for full-time, and minimum of four (4) semesters and a maximum of six (6) semesters for part-time students.

iv. **POSTGRADUATE (WEEKEND) Programmes**:
   a. **PGD Programmes**: A minimum of four (4) semesters and a maximum of eight (8) semesters.
   b. **MBA Programmes**: A minimum of eight (8) semesters and a maximum of twelve (12) semesters.

**NOTE:**
- Candidates with Bachelor or Master’s degree in Education (B.Ed and M.Ed) need not apply
- Candidates with HND background without a Bachelor’s degree need not apply for MSc and PhD programmes.

D. METHOD OF APPLICATION
Candidates are advised to apply on-line following the procedure given below:

*Step 1*: Go to the FUTO Website - [www.futo.edu.ng](http://www.futo.edu.ng)

*Step 2*: Click on Prospective Students.

*Step 3*: Select Postgraduate Application

*Step 4*: Click on the link Apply here

*Step 5*: Enter your email address

*Step 6*: Click on Generate Invoice

*Step 7*: Enter your details and click on submit to generate payment invoice

*Step 8*: Print your invoice containing your RRR number (Remita Retrieval Reference) and proceed to the bank for payment or make payment via ATM card.

*Step 9*: Return to Step 4 above

*Step 10*: Enter your email address again to complete PG Application form online

Note: Ensure that the referee’s email address supplied is valid as a referee form link would be sent to your referees for completion online.

*Step 11*: Print out a copy of the Acknowledgement Slip when the form is completed. Also an acknowledgement would be sent to the email address you provided while filling the form. Therefore, make sure you provide a valid email address.
E. DOCUMENTS TO UPLOAD TO THE PG SCHOOL PORTAL
Candidates should upload the following relevant documents in support of their application online
   i. Higher National Diploma (HND) Certificate/Statement of Result
   ii. University Degree Certificates/Statement of Result
   iii. NYSC Discharge Certificate/Exemption Certificate
   iv. “O” Level Result

SUBMISSION OF ACADEMIC TRANSCRIPT:
All applicants must forward their transcript to reach the Deputy Registrar/Secretary, Postgraduate School, Federal University of Technology, Owerri, Imo State, Nigeria, not later than Monday, November 4, 2019.

Please note that any application without academic transcript will not be considered for admission.

CLOSING DATE:
The website will close on Monday, October 14, 2019 and all submission of documents as in E above will close on same day. All successful candidates will be notified via email/SMS.

F. AVAILABLE POSTGRADUATE PROGRAMMES

1.0 SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE AND AGRICULTURAL TECHNOLOGY (SAAT)

1.1 DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURAL ECONOMICS
   a) M.Sc. and Ph.D Degrees in Agricultural Economics with specialization in:
      i) Farm Management and Production Economics
      ii) Agricultural Development and Policy
      iii) Agricultural Marketing and Cooperatives
      iv) Agricultural Finance
      v) Agricultural Project Planning and Analysis
      vi) Agricultural Resources and Environmental Economics
   
   b) PGD in Agricultural Economics

1.2 DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION
   a) M.Sc. and Ph.D Degrees in Agricultural Extension with specialization in:
      i) Agricultural Extension Administration
      ii) Programme Planning and Evaluation
iii) Rural Sociology  
iv) Agricultural Extension Communication  
v) Community and Rural Development  
vi) Indigenous Knowledge Systems in Agricultural and Rural Development

b) PGD in Agricultural Extension

1.3 DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY
a) M.Sc. and Ph.D Degrees in Animal Science and Technology with specialization in:
   i) Animal Breeding and Genetics  
   ii) Animal Management  
   iii) Animal Nutrition  
   iv) Animal Products  
   v) Reproductive Physiology

b) PGD in Animal Science and Technology

1.4 DEPARTMENT OF CROP SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY
a) M.Sc and Ph.D Degrees in Crop Science and Technology with specialization in:
   i) Agronomy  
   ii) Seed Technology  
   iii) Plant Breeding and Genetics  
   iv) Farming Systems  
   v) Crop Physiology  
   vi) Horticulture and Landscaping  
   vii) Crop Protection with options in the following:
       • Mycology  
       • Nematology  
       • Weed Science  
       • Agricultural Entomology  
       • Bacteriology  
       • Virology

b) PGD in Crop Science and Technology

1.5 DEPARTMENT OF SOIL SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY
a) M.Sc. and Ph.D. Degrees in Soil Science and Technology with specialization in:
   i) Soil Science  
   ii) Soil Genesis and Classification  
   iii) Soil Physics/Soil Conservation  
   iv) Soil Survey and Land-use Planning  
   v) Soil Microbiology  
   vi) Soil Fertility  
   vii) Soil Chemistry  
   viii) Soil and Environmental Management

b) PGD in Soil Science and Technology
1.6 DEPARTMENT OF FISHERIES AND AQUACULTURE TECHNOLOGY
a) M.Sc and Ph.D. in Fisheries and Aquaculture

b) PGD in Fisheries and Aquaculture

2.0 SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING AND ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGY (SEET)

2.1 DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURAL and BIO-RESOURCES ENGINEERING
a) M.Eng and Ph.D. Degrees in Agricultural Engineering with specialization in:
   i) Farm Power and Machinery Engineering Technology
   ii) Soil and Water Engineering Technology

b) PGD in Agricultural Engineering (Note: Only candidates with 3rd class are qualified for PGD in Agricultural Engineering)

2.2 DEPARTMENT OF CHEMICAL ENGINEERING
a) Ph.D Degree in Chemical Engineering with options in:
   i) Chemical Reaction Engineering
   ii) Process Plant Design
   iii) Refinery/Gas Engineering
   iv) Separation Processes
   v) Simulation and Optimization
   vi) Systems Dynamics and Control
   vii) Chemical Engineering Thermodynamics

b) M.Eng. in Chemical Engineering

c) PGD in Chemical Engineering

2.3 DEPARTMENT OF CIVIL ENGINEERING
a) M.Eng. and Ph.D Degrees in Civil Engineering with specialization in:
   i) Water Resources Engineering
   ii) Structural Engineering
   iii) Public Health Engineering

b) PGD in Civil Engineering

2.4 DEPARTMENT OF ELECTRICAL AND ELECTRONIC ENGINEERING
a) M.Sc. and Ph.D Degrees in Electrical and Electronic Engineering with specialization in:
   i) Power System Engineering
   ii) Communication Engineering
   iii) Control Engineering
   iv) Computer Engineering
   v) Electronic Engineering

b) PGD in Electrical and Electronic Engineering
2.5 DEPARTMENT OF FOOD SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY
a) M.Sc. and Ph.D Degrees in Food Science and Technology with specialization in:
   i) Food Microbiology
   ii) Food Chemistry and Nutrition
   iv) Beverage and Brewing Technology
   v) Food Processing Technology
b) PGD in Food Science and Technology

2.6 DEPARTMENT OF MATERIALS AND METALLURGICAL ENGINEERING
M.Eng. and Ph.D Degrees in Materials and Metallurgical Engineering with specialization in:
   i) Materials Engineering
   ii) Metallurgical Engineering

2.7 DEPARTMENT OF MECHANICAL ENGINEERING
M.Eng. and Ph.D Degrees in Mechanical Engineering with specialization in:
   i) Industrial Production Engineering
   ii) Energy and Power Engineering
   iii) Automated Design and Manufacturing

2.8 DEPARTMENT OF PETROLEUM ENGINEERING
a) M.Eng. and Ph.D Degrees in Petroleum Engineering with specialization in:
   i) Reservoir Engineering
   ii) Production Engineering
   iii) Drilling Engineering
   iv) Natural Gas Engineering
   v) Petroleum Economics
b) PGD in Petroleum Engineering

2.9 DEPARTMENT OF POLYMER AND TEXTILE ENGINEERING
a) Ph.D Degrees in Polymer and Textile Engineering with specialization in:
   i) Polymer Science
   ii) Textile Science
b) M.Sc. Degrees in Polymer and Textile Engineering with specialization in:
   i) Polymer Science and Engineering
   ii) Textile Science and Engineering
3.0 SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT TECHNOLOGY (SMAT)

3.1 DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT TECHNOLOGY
   a) Ph.D, M.Sc. and MBA in Financial Management Technology
   b) PGD in Financial Management Technology

3.2 DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT TECHNOLOGY
   a) MBA, M.Sc. and Ph.D Degrees with specialization in Management Technology
   b) PGD in Management Technology

3.3 DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION MANAGEMENT TECHNOLOGY
   PGD, M.Sc. and Ph.D Degrees in Information Management Technology

3.4 DEPARTMENT OF MARITIME MANAGEMENT TECHNOLOGY
   a) MBA and Ph.D Degrees in Maritime Management Technology
   b) M.Sc. Degree with specialization in:
      i) Maritime Economics and Finance
      ii) Marine Transport Management
   c) PGD in Maritime Management Technology

3.5 DEPARTMENT OF PROJECT MANAGEMENT TECHNOLOGY
   a) Ph.D, M.Sc. and MBA in Project Management Technology
   b) PGD in Project Management Technology

3.6 DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORT MANAGEMENT TECHNOLOGY
   a) M.Sc. and Ph.D Degrees with specialization in:
      i) Aviation Management
      ii) Transport Planning and Management
      iii) Maritime Management Technology
   b) MBA with specialization in:
      i) Sea Transport Management
      ii) Air Transport Management
      iii) Transport Management
      iv) Logistics Management
   c) PGD in Transport Management Technology
4.0 SCHOOL OF ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES (SOES)

4.1 DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT
a) M.Sc. and Ph.D Degrees in Environmental Management with specialization in:
   i) Pollution Control Technology
   ii) Flood and Erosion Control Technology
   iii) Geo-Environmental Technology

b) PGD in Environmental Management

5.0 SCHOOL OF BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES (SOBS)

5.1 DEPARTMENT OF BIOLOGY
a) M.Sc and Ph.D degrees in Biology Science with specialization in
   i) Applied Entomology and Parasitology
   ii) Environmental Conservation and Management
   iii) Mycology and Plant Pathology

b) PGD in Biological Science

5.2 DEPARTMENT OF BIOTECHNOLOGY
M.Sc. and Ph.D Degrees in Biotechnology with specialization in:
   i) Biotechnology
   ii) Environmental Health Biology

5.3 DEPARTMENT OF MICROBIOLOGY
a) M.Sc. and Ph.D Degrees in Microbiology with specialization in:
   i) Food/Industrial Microbiology
   ii) Medical Microbiology
   iii) Environmental Microbiology

b) PGD in Microbiology

5.4 DEPARTMENT OF BIOCHEMISTRY
a) M.Sc. and Ph.D Degrees in Biochemistry with specialization in:
   i) Industrial Biochemistry
   ii) Environmental Biochemistry
   iii) Medical Biochemistry
   iv) Pharmacology Biochemistry
   v) Nutrition and Toxicological Biochemistry
b) PGD in Biochemistry

6.0 SCHOOL OF PHYSICAL SCIENCES (SOPS)

6.1 DEPARTMENT OF CHEMISTRY
a) M.Sc. and Ph.D Degrees in Chemistry with specialization in:
   i) Chemical Quality Control and Industrial Safety
   ii) Analytical Chemistry
   iii) Mineral Processing
   iv) Organic Chemistry
   vi) Physical Chemistry
   vii) Inorganic Chemistry
   viii) Environmental Chemistry

b) PGD in Chemistry

6.2 DEPARTMENT OF COMPUTER SCIENCE
M.Sc. and Ph.D Degrees in Computer Science.

6.3 DEPARTMENT OF GEOSCIENCES
a) M.Sc. and Ph.D Degrees in Geosciences with specialization in:
   i) Geophysics
   ii) Petroleum Geology/Sedimentology
   iii) Hydrogeology
   iv) Environmental Geology

b) PGD in Geosciences

6.4 DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS
M.Sc. and Ph.D Degrees in Mathematics with specialization in:
   i) Industrial and Applied Mathematics
   ii) Differential Equations
   iii) Control Theory
   iv) Elasticity
   v) Semi-Group Theory

6.5 DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS
a) M.Sc. and Ph.D Degrees with specialization in:
   i) Time Series Analysis
   ii) Econometrics
   iii) Probability Theory
   iv) Multivariate Analysis
   v) Demography
   vi) Sampling Theory
vii) Statistical Inference  
viii) Stochastic Process  

b) PGD in Statistics

6.5 **DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICS**  
M.Sc. and Ph.D Degrees in Physics with specialization in:  
i) Solid State Physics  
ii) Materials Science  
iii) Solar Energy Physics  
iv) Space Physics  
v) Radiation and Health Physics

7.0 **SCHOOL OF HEALTH TECHNOLOGY (SOHT)**

7.1 **DEPARTMENT OF BIOMEDICAL TECHNOLOGY**  
M.Sc. and Ph.D Degrees in Biomedical Technology with specialization in:  
i) Medical Electronics and Instrumentation  
ii) Clinical Engineering  
iii) Rehabilitation Engineering

7.2 **DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH**  
a) MPH and Ph.D in Public Health with specialization in:  
i) Disease Control  
ii) Environmental Health and Safety  
iii) Epidemiology and Biostatistics  
v) Health Promotion  

b) PGD in Public Health

7.3 **DEPARTMENT OF OPTOMETRY**  
M.Sc in Optometry with specialization in:  
i) Clinical Optometry  
ii) Vision Science  
iii) Ocular Health
G. POSTGRADUATE (WEEKEND PROGRAMME)

SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT TECHNOLOGY (SMAT)

1. DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT TECHNOLOGY
   MBA and PGD in Financial Management Technology

2. DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION MANAGEMENT TECHNOLOGY
   PGD in Information Management Technology

3. DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT TECHNOLOGY
   MBA and PGD in Management Technology

4. DEPARTMENT OF MARITIME MANAGEMENT TECHNOLOGY
   MBA and PGD in Maritime Management Technology

5. DEPARTMENT OF PROJECT MANAGEMENT TECHNOLOGY
   MBA and PGD in Project Management Technology

6. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORT MANAGEMENT TECHNOLOGY
   MBA and PGD in Transport Management Technology
H. INSTITUTE OF WOMEN, GENDER AND DEVELOPMENT STUDIES (IWoGDS)
a) M.Sc Degree with specialization in:
   i) Gender and Development Studies
   ii) Gender and Science
   iii) Gender and Technology
   iv) Gender and Agricultural Technology
   v) Gender and Global Health
   vi) Gender and Entrepreneurship

b) PGD with specialization in:
   i) Women and Gender Studies
   ii) Gender and Entrepreneurship
   iii) Gender and Global Health
   iv) Gender and Agricultural Technology

I. INSTITUTE FOR EROSION STUDIES (IES)
M.Sc and Ph.D Degrees in Erosion Studies with specialization in:
   i) Integrated Watershed Management
   ii) Urban Drainage System and Management

J. PUBLIC PROCUREMENT RESEARCH CENTRE (PPRC)
PGD in Public Procurement

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