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Dear Colleague,

Subject: Request of nomination for the scholarship provided by Cairo Demographic Center (CDC), Government of Egypt

We are pleased to inform you that, PPD, with support from Cairo Demographic Center (CDC), Government of Egypt, is offering seven (7) scholarships for a one year diploma in "Population and Sustainable Development" from 22nd September 2019 to 31st August 2020 at the Cairo Demographic Center (CDC), Egypt, for the professionals working in the field of Population and Development from PPD member countries and nominated by respective Partner Country Coordinators (PCC) of PPD.

The scholarship covers tuition waiver, a modest stipend and accommodation at the Center's Hostel. The nominating authority/ candidate will meet the cost of round trip air ticket and the health insurance. Also, the candidate may need to carry some Host Country Member - Bangladesh amount to subsidize his/her living cost.

To be eligible for the scholarship, the candidate must be

- A university graduate in a related field of Population Studies or Statistic in Social Science
- Government service holder with at least two years' experience in population & development.
- Fluent in English having good communication and understanding skills since English is the medium of the instruction of the course.

You are kindly requested to send us the nomination along with duly filled application form, CV, Passport size photo and the necessary academic and job certificate of candidate before 15 May 2019.

The application should be sent to [tahrima@ppdsec.org] to the attention of Ms. Tahrima Khan, Program Officer of PPD.

We are looking forward to hearing from you soon.

With many thanks and kind regards,

Mr. Adnene Ben Hai Aiss **Executive Director**

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Professional Diploma in: "Population and Sustainable Development"

Program Aims

The primary goal of this diploma program is to develop students' skills in applying multi-disciplinary analytic approaches to population and its relationship to sustainable development. It adopts a multi-perspective approach that provides an overview of the interrelationship between population and sustainable development through addressing these issues from theoretical, substantive and policy angles. It aims to provide students with a strong theoretical background on population dynamics and key issues and introduce students to practical experiences pertaining to the interplay of population dynamics and the various dimensions of sustainable development.

By the end of the program, participants will be able to

- demonstrate advanced knowledge and understanding of major population theories and measurements;
- demonstrate advanced knowledge and understanding of scientific, evidence-based approaches to the study of population dynamics;
- demonstrate advanced knowledge and understanding of demographic behavior in social, economic and policy contexts;
- demonstrate knowledge of the new international efforts in the area of population and sustainable development
- identify causes and consequences of population change and relate these to underlying relationship between population dynamics and various dimensions of sustainable development;
- formulate research questions and use demographic data, and appropriate methods of analysis, to address them;

Audience

The program targets are individuals with different backgrounds who aim to understand ways in which population dynamic can influence and be

Influenced by different dimensions of sustainable development and intend to purse high level careers in public, private and voluntary agencies dealing with population and development issues at both the national and international levels.

Selection Criteria

Admission to this program is open to all those with

- 1. A university degree of a recognized University related to the area of population and sustainable development.
- 2. Proven proficiency in English.

Learning and Teaching Methods

The program is taught through different teaching methods including: lectures, small group seminars, practical applications, and group work with peers. All elements of the program have specific learning objectives, with content designed to help students achieve these outcomes. Students are expected to learn through both directed and self-directed study.

Assessment is carried out through the different courses assessments. These assessments include formal exams, final project report as well as other assessment modules (written coursework, short written exams, practical exams, group work, presentations, essays and other methods). These tasks are designed to assess the extent to which the objectives of the program have been met.

Program Structure

The program covers a period of one year starting in September for three semesters (45 credit hours).

Semester	Course	Credit hours		
	Principles of Statistics	2		
Introductory Session	Introduction to Statistical Packages (SPSS)	2		
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roducte Session	PowerPoint)			
ntr S	Introduction to population and	2		
_	development readings			
_	Demographic Theories	3		
ste	Demographic Analysis I	3		
me	Statistical Analysis I	3		
Se	Population & gender	3		
irst	Demographic Analysis I Statistical Analysis I Population & gender Population Economic			
ш	Total credit hours	15		
od ter	Demographic Analysis II	3		
	Statistical Analysis II	3		
Second	Family, Community, and Population	3		
Ser	Statistical Analysis II Family, Community, and Population 2 course of elective courses			
	Total credit hours	15		
	Research methodology with an application	12		
	of a graduation research project			
Third	nird Research methodology			
semester	ester Graduate research project			
	Total credit hours			
Total credit h	ours	45		

Learning outcomes

By the end of the program, students will be expected to achieve the following learning outcomes:

Learning outcome	Program element	Assessment methods
demonstrate advanced knowledge and understanding of major population theories and measurements;	 Population theories (1) Gender and population (1) Economics and population (1) Elective courses (2) 	Formal examPresentationsGroup work
demonstrate advanced knowledge and understanding of population dynamic measurements;	 Demographic analysis-I (1) Demographic analysis-2 (2) 	Pieces of analysisGroup workShort answer tests
demonstrate advanced knowledge and understanding of demographic behavior in social, economic and policy contexts	 Gender and population (1) Economics and population (1) Elective courses (2) 	Formal examsPresentationsEssays
identify causes and consequences of population change and relate these to underlying relationship between population dynamics and various dimensions of sustainable development;	 Gender and population (1) Economics and population (1) Elective courses (2) 	Formal examsPresentationsEssaysPieces of analysis
formulate research questions and use demographic data, and appropriate statistical methods of analysis, to address them;	 Research methodology (2) Statistical analysis-I (1) Statistical analysis-2 (2) Elective courses (2) 	Formal examPieces of analysisResearch paper

Application For

Diploma

"Population and Sustainable Development"

Name:				ersonal information
Name.				
Date of Birth:				
Sex:	Male	Fem	iale	
Employment				
Home address				
2-Educational (Qualification			
Educational qualification	specialty	College/University	Date	Graduation grade

3-Work experience

Organization	Duration		Position	Work
	from	to		experience

4-English Proficiency

	Speaking	Reading	Writing	
Level of proficiency				

5-Statistical Packages

	Level of proficiency		
	Excellent	Average	Weak
SPSS			
STATA			
Others			

6-Write a paragraph explaining why you think that this diploma will benefit you in your area of work