

UNIVERSITY OF NAIROBI COLLEGE OF EDUCATION AND EXTERNAL STUDIES

(CENTRE FOR OPEN AND DISTANCE LEARNING)

INTERNAL MEMO

FROM: Director, CODL DATE: 13.1.2011

TO: Vice Chancellor REF: UON/CESS/CODL/1/1/1

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Through: Principal, CEES.....

1. Introduction



The Centre for Open and Distance

Learning was established in 2005 to

enable the Internal Schools and

Faculties in the University to enrich and diversity their delivery by the use of open and distance learning modes.

To fulfil these general aims the Centre specific objectives are:

- Develop human capacity in open and distance learning mode
- Facilitate establishment of open and distance programmes in the University.
- In collaboration with Internal Schools and Faculties design and develop self-instructional course material in both print and e-learning modes.
- Produce and deliver course self-instructional materials for conducting open and distance learning and
- Provide Learner Support Services for open and distance learning.

The Centre has provision for the following units to enable it carry out its mandate: print materials development; Audio-visual materials development; e-learning materials development; Evaluation Research and Quality Control and Learner Support and Programme Coordination units. Currently, the Centre carries out its responsibilities through collaboration with School of Continuing and Distance Education and ICT e-learning Unit.

2. Programmes Offered

The Centre collaborated with the School of Business, School Continuing and Distance Education School of Mathematics, School of Physical Sciences, School of Biological Sciences and Faculty of Arts in offering degrees in those respective Schools and Faculty using self-instructional materials in both print and e-learning modes. The operations involved presentation to group of writers and students and one to one consultations.

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PARTICIPANTS AT THE WORKSHOP





DIRECTOR, CODL AND DEAN FACULTY OF ARTS



CONSULTATION IN THE WORKSHOP

3. Enrolment

Enrolment in the degree programmes in the respective Schools and Faculty are as given below:-

Bachelor of Commerce
 Bachelor of Arts
 B Sc
 Total
 167 Students
 160 Students
 55 Students
 382 Students

4. Capacity Building

The Centre was able to train a total of **233** in instructional materials development in print and elearning modes drawn from Schools of Commerce, Continuing and Distance Education, Mathematics, Physical Sciences, Biological Sciences and Faculty of Arts.

5. Courseware Material Development

The courseware materials developed and produced in the year 2010 are as follows:-

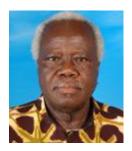
- Courseware in print mode 233
- Courseware materials in e-learning mode 233

6. Consultancies

The Director Mr. J. O. Odumbe was a consultant in the Project Planning and Implementation Committee on establishment of Open University of Kenya which involved representations from University of Nairobi, Moi University, Kenya University, Ministry of Education Science and Technology Officials and Commission of Higher Education representatives.



The Centre has also provided consultancy services to the Cooperative College of Kenya on developing distance learning materials for Certificate and Diploma in Cooperative.



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