



UNIVERSITY OF
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The University of Bath, UK and Amman Bacculaureate School

Amman Study Centre

11–14 December 2020

Assessment

The University of Bath, UK, in conjunction with Amman Bacculaureate School in Jordan, offers an opportunity for qualified educators to participate in the University's MA Education programme. The MA Education programme comprises five taught units and a dissertation. Each taught unit is followed by individual research and the submission of a 5,000 word written assignment.

In December 2020 we plan to teach the **Assessment** unit at Amman Bacculaureate School. The unit, which is relevant to teachers of all age ranges, addresses a number of issues, including the following:

- develop understanding of key concepts and terminology in the field of educational assessment;
- broaden participants' awareness of the variety of assessment options available and their applicability to different purposes and contexts;
- encourage critical reflection on assessment practice;
- raise awareness of the roles of assessment in broader educational and social contexts;
- familiarise participants with recent debates and research in this field.

Participants may use the Masters level credits gained by successful completion of this unit towards the **International Bacculaureate Educator Certificates** (previously known as IB Teacher Awards Levels 1 and 2). See: www.bath.ac.uk/education/postgraduate/international-baccalaureate/
www.ibo.org/en/professional-development/professional-certificates/ib-educator-certificates/

The unit sessions will take place at Amman Bacculaureate School (www.abs.edu.jo/index.php/en/) as follows:

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| Friday 11 December 2020: | 09:00-12:00 and 13:00-16:00 |
| Saturday 12 December 2020 | 09:00-12:00 and 13:00-16:00 |
| Sunday 13 December 2020 | 09:00-12:00 and 13:00-16:00 |
| Monday 14 December 2020 | 09:00-12:00 and 13:00-16:00 |

The fee for this 12 credit unit will be £1,265 payable in pounds sterling in advance. You may pay using a variety of methods.

An administrative charge will be levied locally to cover tutor costs, refreshments and other relevant costs, and this should be paid direct to the school. Further details of this charge and other local information can be obtained from **Bassma Marji Nimri**, the Amman Bacculaureate School Study Centre Coordinator (bassma@abs.edu.jo), telephone number: +962 654 11191 Ext. 2800.

Important Reminder:

Please note that if a viable group size has not been reached once the deadline for applications has passed (30 October 2020) the unit may be cancelled or postponed. The unit may also need to be cancelled or postponed as a result of the situation with respect to Covid-19. Please do not make any travel or accommodation arrangements until you receive confirmation that the unit is definitely going ahead.

Why study a Masters unit at a University of Bath Study Centre?

The Department of Education at the University of Bath offer students a number of ways of working towards the degree of MA Education, or the Postgraduate Certificate and Postgraduate Diploma in Education which form part of the same programme – by distance learning, full time study, attending our popular Summer School (July, in Bath) and/or participating in one of our successful Study Centre programmes around the world. The Study Centre method of study is based on units taught by a University of Bath tutor, and enables local and international educators to share their experiences and learn together. Students work with other teachers and educators in an intensive learning environment with the guidance and full support of an experienced unit tutor.

Application Process

New students: You need to have been accepted as a student on the MA Education programme before your application to take an MA unit at the Amman Baccalaureate School Study Centre can be processed.

Details of entry requirements (including English language expectations) can be found at:

<http://www.bath.ac.uk/study/pg/programmes/ma-in-educ/>

Please submit your application for the MA Education programme on-line **as soon as possible, but by 16 October 2020 at the latest:** <https://www.bath.ac.uk/study/pg/applications.pl#education>

Choose: MA Education Study Centres (Amman) Part-time Starting 11 December 2020

At the same time, please submit a unit enrolment form (as for current students – see below) by email. If your application is successful you will receive an offer letter. Once you have accepted the offer, your enrolment for the unit will be processed.

Current students: The Study Centre unit enrolment form is available at:-

<http://www.bath.ac.uk/education/postgraduate/ways-of-studying/study-centres/>

All students (current students and new students):

Please submit your Study Centre unit enrolment form to the MA Office at the University of Bath, on education-ma@bath.ac.uk, **for new students by no later than 16 October 2020 and for current students by no later than 30 October 2020.**

