



CITY UNIVERSITY
MALAYSIA



POSTGRADUATE PROGRAMME GUIDE

Academic Year 2026/2027

Global Academic Excellence & Recognition

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Welcome to CIMS Campus

Dear Prospective Participant,

We at CIMS are pleased to invite you to read this digital catalogue of CIMS Campus. Your interest indicates a desire to explore higher studies or human resource development opportunities to advance your professional horizon. It is widely understood that there is a critical vacuum between the demands of the global job market and the supply of technically competent, highly skilled human resources. CIMS stands today to fill this exact vacuum by producing industry-ready, capable leaders ready to meet global challenges.

The core difference at CIMS Campus is our commitment to offering well-balanced programmes. We merge practical skills with rigorously designed theoretical frameworks, delivered by a dedicated and friendly team comprising senior academic and industrial experts. Our partnership with City University Malaysia offers a phenomenal opportunity for the student community in Sri Lanka and abroad to fulfill their higher education dreams.

— Admission Team, CIMS Sri Lanka

About City University, Malaysia

- ✓ Recognized by the University Grants Commission (UGC), Sri Lanka
- ✓ Listed in the International Association of Universities (IAU / WHED)
- ✓ Accredited by the Malaysian Qualifications Agency (MQA)
- ✓ Accepted by the Public Service Department (JPA)
- ✓ 39 Years of Academic Excellence in producing employable graduates
- ✓ Over 75% graduation employment rate globally
- ✓ More than 40,000 successful alumni worldwide

About CIMS Campus, Sri Lanka

- ✓ 19 Years of continuous dedicated service in Higher Education
- ✓ 10 Higher Diploma Programmes approved by WES
- ✓ 15 Postgraduate & Undergraduate Programmes recognized by UGC
- ✓ 05 Global & Local University/HEI premium collaborations
- ✓ Awarded "Best Entrepreneur in 2018" by the National Chamber of Commerce
- ✓ Around 8,000 global graduates successfully produced

PARTNERSHIP BETWEEN CITY UNIVERSITY - MALAYSIA AND CIMS CAMPUS - SRI LANKA

REF: CUYU/RO/QAA/CDS-0621



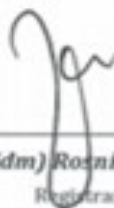
PARTNERSHIP CERTIFICATE

This certificate presented to

**College of Information Management
Sciences (CIMS), Sri Lanka**

City University is honored and welcome CIMS on board!

*Validity of Partnership:
25 July 2021 - 25 July 2026*

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "R. Shaari".

(Mdm) Rosnizah Shaari
Registrar

**RECOGNITION OF CITY UNIVERSITY, MALAYSIA
BY THE UNIVERSITY GRANTS COMMISSION (UGC), SRI LANKA**



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UNIVERSITY GRANTS COMMISSION**

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20, Ward Place, Colombo 07, Sri Lanka.

CITY UNIVERSITY (CITY U) - MALAYSIA

This has reference to the request made by you with regard to the recognition of the City University (City U), Malaysia.

Please note that the Public Administration Circular No. 16/92 dated 13th March 1992 has provision to recognize universities and Higher Educational Institutions in different Countries of the World.

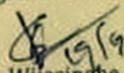
Accordingly, in terms of the decision taken by the Commission at its 1106th meeting held on 27th July 2023 the University Grants Commission recognizes Universities that are listed in the following International Publication/Database which are authentic sources of information on Universities and Higher Educational Institutions in different countries of the world.

1. Commonwealth Universities Yearbook
2. World Higher Education Database

City University (City U), Menara City U, No. 8, Jalan 51A/223, Petaling Jaya, Selangor, 46100, Malaysia is a University listed in the World Higher Education Database published by the International Association of Universities as at 15th September 2025.

Therefore, as the City University (City U), Malaysia is listed in the above mentioned Database, it is recognized.

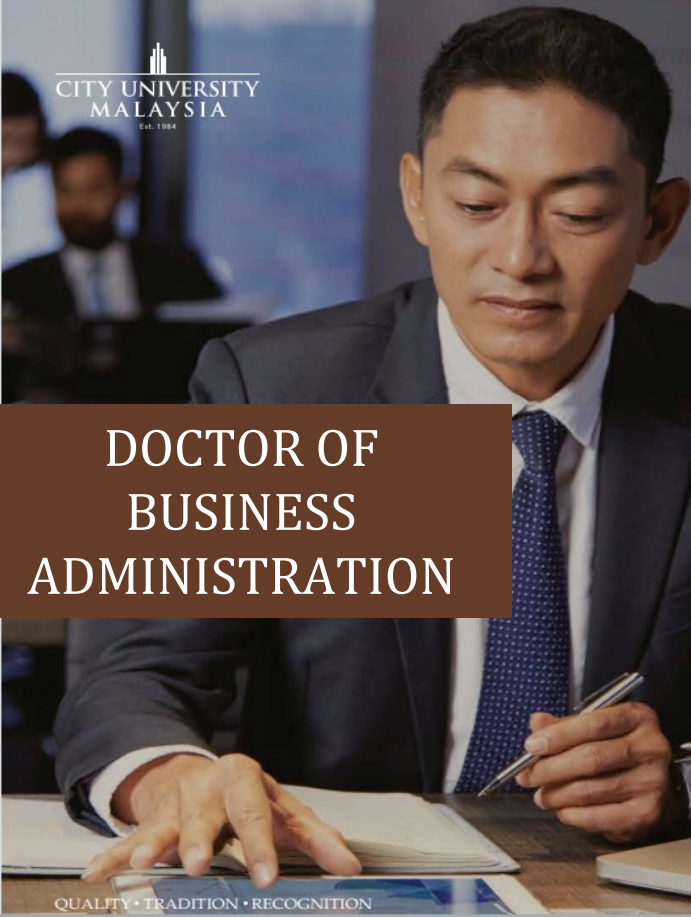
This letter does not indicate the authenticity of the degree certificate or indicate that the student has registered and followed the course in the University. The authenticity of the degree certificate should be verified from the University.


C. J. Wijesinghe
Deputy Secretary/ Academic Affairs
for Secretary

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Deputy Secretary, Academic Affairs
University Grants Commission
No.20, Ward Place,
Colombo 07.

City University of Malaysia, is listed at the www.whed.net website of International Association of Universities, which can be verified through UGC Sri Lanka website

DOCTOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (DBA)



CITY UNIVERSITY
MALAYSIA
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DOCTOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

QUALITY • TRADITION • RECOGNITION

Programme Modules

- *Advanced Marketing Management*
- *Organizational Leadership*
- *Strategic Human Resources Management*
- *Advanced Accounting and Financial Management*
- *Advanced Business Strategy and Policy*
- *Advanced Business Economic Development*
- *Advanced Quantitative Business Research Method*
- *Advanced Qualitative Business Research Method*
- *Advanced Research Analysis*
- *Stage 1: Topic Selection and Research Framework*
- *Stage 2: Literature Review and Methodology*
- *Stage 3: Proposal Defense*
- *Stage 4: Data Collection*
- *Stage 5: Data Analysis and Discussion*
- *Stage 6: Thesis Defense*
- *Stage 7: Thesis Amendment*

Programme Objective:

The Doctor of Business Administration (DBA) programme is structured to develop advanced analytical and problem-solving skills, empowering graduates to conduct independent, high-level research.

The program focuses on identifying and addressing real-world business challenges at both national and international levels. Participants are also encouraged to share their research outcomes through academic publications and professional journals.

Programme Duration: 36 Months

Entry Qualifications:

- A Master's degree (Level 7 MQF) or equivalent as approved by the Senate: OR*
- A Master's (Level 7 MQF or equivalent in a non- related field as approved by the Senate can be accepted, subject to working experience in the relevant field and through rigorous internal assessment; OR*
- A Master's degree (Level 7 MQF) or equivalent in a non-related field as approved by Senate and does not have related working experience, can be accepted, subject to passing pre-requisite courses.*
- A Bachelors degree accepted by the Senate*

DOCTOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (DBA)

Application process:

To proceed with the registration process, applicants are required to submit the duly completed application form together with the following supporting documents:

1. G.C.E Results Sheets (A/L and O/L)
2. Bachelor's Degree Certificate
3. Bachelor's Degree Transcript
4. Master's Degree Certificate
5. Master's Degree Transcript
6. Medium of Instruction Letter MOI from previous University / IELTS / PTE
7. Curriculum Vitae (CV) or Resume
8. Completed Student Application Form
9. Copy of Passport Copy of National Identity Card (English Translation)
10. Recent Passport-Sized Photograph (JPG/JPEG Format)

Note: Applicants seeking admission under APL / APEL must pay an additional processing fee of MYR 750 and LKR 20,000.

Upon receipt of the above documents, the admissions Board will process & eligible applicants will subsequently be issued an Official Offer Letter confirming their acceptance into the programme.

Awarding and Certifications

Doctor of Business Administration awarded by City University, Malaysia which is accepted by the Malaysian Qualification Agency (MQA) and Globally recognized Programme. UGC Sri Lanka recognize the City University of Malaysia

OPTION 1 : 14 Installments

Registration Fee : LKR 15,000 | University Fee : 6600 MYR | Local Tuition Fee : LKR 480,000

Registr. Fee	Inst : 1 - 2	Inst: 3 - 4	Inst: 5 - 6	Inst: 7 - 8	Inst: 9 - 10	Inst: 11 -12	Inst: 13 - 14
LKR 15,000	MYR 825	LKR 80,000	MYR 825	LKR 80,000	MYR 825	LKR 80,000	MYR 825

OPTION 2 : 24 Installments

Registration Fee : LKR 15,000 | University Fee : 6804 MYR | Local Tuition Fee : LKR 498,000

Regis. Fee	Inst : 1 - 3	Inst: 4 - 6	Inst: 7 - 9	Inst: 10 - 12	Inst: 13 -15	Inst: 16 -18	Inst: 19 - 21	Inst: 22 -24
LKR 15,000	MYR 567	LKR 42,000	MYR 567	LKR 42,000	MYR 567	LKR 42,000	MYR 567	LKR 40,000

DOCTOR OF EDUCATION (Ed.D)



DOCTOR OF EDUCATION

QUALITY • TRADITION • RECOGNITION

Programme Modules

- Professionalism in Education
- Assessment and Evaluation in Educational Program
- Teaching and Learning Theory in Education
- Strategic Planning in Education
- Leadership in Educational Organization
- Research Methodology
- Policy Analysis in Education
- Quantitative Data Analysis
- Qualitative Data Analysis
- Theory and Practice in Academic Writing
- Supervision in Educational Organization
- Proposal Development
- Educational Organization Management
- Dissertation 1
- Dissertation 2
- Dissertation 3

Programme Objective:

This programme is thoughtfully designed to meet the diverse needs of educators across various professional settings. Our core mission is to cultivate scholarly leaders who can harness the power of research to advance and enrich the educational landscape. Through this programme, graduates are equipped to become expert researchers in their chosen areas, driven by a shared vision of creating a transformative impact on educational research, policy, and practice.

Programme Duration: 36 Months

Entry Qualifications:

- A Master's degree (Level 7 MQF) or equivalent as approved by the Senate: OR*
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OPTION 2 : 24 Installments

Registration Fee : LKR 15,000 | University Fee : 6804 MYR | Local Tuition Fee : LKR 498,000

Regis. Fee	Inst : 1 - 3	Inst: 4 - 6	Inst: 7 - 9	Inst: 10 - 12	Inst: 13 -15	Inst: 16 -18	Inst: 19 - 21	Inst: 22 -24
LKR 15,000	MYR 567	LKR 42,000	MYR 567	LKR 42,000	MYR 567	LKR 42,000	MYR 567	LKR 40,000

MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (MBA)



MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

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Programme Modules

- *Research Methodology*
- *Management Information System*
- *Managerial Accounting*
- *Operational Management*
- *Human Resource Management*
- *International Business*
- *Managerial Economics*
- *Marketing Management*
- *Strategic Management*
- *Corporate Finance*
- *Organizations: Behaviour, Structure, Processes*
- *Project Management*
- *Project Paper*

Programme Objective:

The Master of Business Administration (MBA) programme is designed to develop competent and dynamic professionals capable of taking on managerial roles across business, professional, and public sectors.

The program offers comprehensive insights into the complex interactions between organizations and consumers while fostering a deep understanding of strategic management principles. It emphasizes the development of managerial knowledge, research competencies, and professional values, ensuring that graduates are well-prepared to apply these skills effectively within their respective workplaces.

Programme Duration: 12 Months

Entry Qualifications:

Bachelor Degree with minimum CGPA of 2.50, or equivalent as received by the Senate;
OR

Bachelor's Degree or its equivalent but below CGPA 2.50, subject to a minimum of five (5) years working experience in the relevant field.

MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (MBA)

Application process:

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OPTION 1 : 7 Installments

Registration Fee : LKR 15,000 / University Fee : 2600 MYR / Local Tuition Fee : LKR 210,000

Registr. Fee	Inst : 1	Inst: 2	Inst: 3	Inst: 4	Inst: 5	Inst: 6	Inst: 7
LKR 15,000	MYR 650	MYR 650	LKR 70,000	MYR 650	LKR 70,000	MYR 650	LKR 70,000

OPTION 2 : 10 Installments

Registration Fee : LKR 15,000 / University Fee : 2800 MYR / Local Tuition Fee : LKR 220,000

Regis. Fee	Inst : 1	Inst: 2	Inst: 3	Inst: 4	Inst: 5	Inst: 6	Inst: 7	Inst: 8	Inst: 9	Inst: 10
LKR 15,000	MYR 560	MYR 560	MYR 560	LKR 44,000	LKR 44,000	MYR 560	MYR 560	LKR 44,000	LKR 44,000	LKR 44,000

MASTER OF EDUCATION (M.Ed)



MASTER OF EDUCATION

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Programme Module

- Elective Courses (Choose Any Two)
- Educational Research Methodology
- Development of Curriculum and Instruction
- Philosophy of Education
- Sociology of Education
- Leadership and Educational Management
- Instructional Leadership
- Elective 1
- Elective 2
- Educational Leadership in Technology
- Organizational Communication
- Psychology of Learning
- Project Paper

Electives

- MOED7343 Life Span Development (3 credits)
- MOED7353 Brain and Cognition (3 credits)
- MOED7363 Research in Educational Psychology (3 credits)
- MOED7383 Social Psychology (3 credits)
- MOED7143 Research in Educational Management (3 credits)
- MOED7153 Strategic Planning in Education (3 credits)

Programme Objective:

The Master of Education programme at City University is designed to equip educators with advanced professional knowledge and skills relevant to diverse educational contexts.

The programme provides comprehensive training in key areas including educational philosophy, sociology, psychology, curriculum design, instructional methodology, technology integration, management, and evaluation preparing graduates to become effective and reflective leaders in the field of education.

Programme Duration: 12 Months

Entry Qualifications:

Bachelor's Degree in Education of other educational fields with CGPA 2.50 and above

OR

CGPA 2.00 - 2.49 with 5 years of working experience in relevant field.

Candidates who do not possess Degree in Education must undergo and pass with at least a B in History and the Philosophy of Education, Sociology of Education and Psychology of Education.

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OPTION 2 : 10 Installments

Registration Fee : LKR 15,000 / University Fee : 2800 MYR / Local Tuition Fee : LKR 220,000

Regis Fee	Inst : 1	Inst: 2	Inst: 3	Inst: 4	Inst: 5	Inst: 6	Inst: 7	Inst: 8	Inst: 9	Inst: 10
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