



## Disaster Management Training and Education Centre for Africa

# POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA IN DISASTER MANAGEMENT

PGDipDM | 120 credits | NQF8

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## OVERVIEW

Our PGDip is at NQF Level 8, with an entry level of NQF 7. It entails eight subjects, four in the first semester and four in the second semester. This qualification will equip learners with strategic and operational skills to plan for and manage disaster risk to build resilience. Upon completion of this qualification, the student will be able to work as a practitioner at a managerial level within a government department, private sector, UN agencies, civil society organisations or non-governmental organisations.

## DURATION

Minimum one year (full-time), two years (part-time)

## MODULE FRAMEWORK

FIRST SEMESTER		
<i>Module Code</i>	<i>Module Name</i>	<i>Credits</i>
DIMR5800	Research Design and Methodology	15
DIMI5810	Introduction to Disaster Management	15
DIMM5810	Theoretical Models for Disaster Risk Reduction	15
DIML5810	Legal and Institutional Arrangements for Disaster Management	15
SECOND SEMESTER		
DIMS5825	Strategic Disaster Management	20
DIMT5820	Information Technology in Disaster Management	10
DIMP5820	Public Health in Disaster Management	15
DIMN5820	Management of Natural and Human-made Disasters	15

## ENQUIRIES/APPLICATIONS

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