



## **MASTER OF ARTS IN DEVELOPMENT**

### **PROGRAM GUIDE**

The Master of Arts (MA) in Development at IUDI is designed to cultivate leaders who will drive the transformational development of their communities through innovative leadership, strategic project management, and a deep understanding of contemporary theories and practices in the field.

The program addresses key issues and challenges facing developing countries, exploring a range of solutions that encompass economic growth, human development, sustainability, and social entrepreneurship. Students are equipped to create sustainable, market-driven solutions that address pressing social problems, fostering long-term impact and positive change.

#### **Our Educational Model: Flexibility and Empowerment**

At IUDI, our fully online, asynchronous model lets you study at your own pace, from anywhere. With no fixed schedules or enrollment deadlines, you can start anytime and balance your studies with your personal, family, and work commitments.

#### **A Curriculum Designed for Leaders and Practitioners**

Our learner-centered approach empowers students to become transformational leaders and effective practitioners. We employ a flipped classroom model, where students take responsibility for their own learning without professor-led instruction. Interactive coursework, case studies, and practical projects develop critical thinking and servant leadership for real-world impact.

#### **Modular Learning for Seamless Progression**

Our curriculum is organized into modules that focus on building specific skills. Start with any course in a module and complete all the courses to unlock the next one. Plus, you only need to pay for one module at a time, giving you the financial flexibility to plan and manage your education at your own pace.

#### **Moodle: Our Digital Campus**

Moodle is IUDI's online learning platform designed to support and enhance your educational journey. It serves as your central hub for accessing course materials, participating in discussions, submitting assignments, and tracking your progress.

#### **Our Accreditation**

IUDI is accredited by the Association of Independent Christian Colleges and Seminaries (AICCS) in the United States. IUDI's Development programs are accredited through our affiliation with the University of Maroua, a Cameroonian government university accredited by Conseil Africain et Malgache pour l'Enseignement Supérieur (CAMES).

### Program Outline: MA in Development

Module	Course	Credit Units	Tuition	Tuition with Academic Scholarship
<b>Orientation</b>	Orientation to IUDI	0	\$0	\$0
<b>Foundations</b>	How to Learn	5	\$600	\$540
	Academic French/English	5		
	Survey of Post-Colonial Africa	5		
	Introduction to Development	5		
<b>Core</b>	Effective Communication	4	\$600	\$540
	Ethical Leadership	4		
	Managing People and Organizations	4		
	Business Math	4		
	Theories of Development	4		
<b>Advanced</b>	Understanding Poverty	5	\$600	\$540
	Public Policy and Administration	5		
	Global Economics	5		
	Strategic Planning	5		
<b>Application</b>	Conflict and Peacemaking	5	\$450	\$405
	Decision-Making Strategies	5		
	Entrepreneurship	5		
<b>Research</b>	Citation Styles and Formatting	5	\$450	\$405
	Ethical Research	5		
	Research Methods	5		
<b>Capstone</b>	Thesis or Practicum	30	\$900	\$810
<b>Total</b>		120	\$3,600	\$3,240