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ENTRY REQUIREMENT

The following shall be eligible for registration for the Master of Science in Medicinal Phytochemistry:

- ➤ A holder of at least an Upper Second-Class Honours degree in Pharmacy, Chemistry, Biochemistry, or any other qualification recognized by JKUAT senate.
- ➤ Under exceptional circumstances a holder of a Lower Second Class Honours degree in pharmacy or chemistry or biochemistry or any other qualification from a recognized university provided that the candidate produces acceptable evidence of research ability.

DURATION AND PATTERN OF THE PROGRAMME

The duration of the Master of Science course in Medicinal Phytochemistry shall be at least eighteen months (18 months) from the date of registration.

The Master of Science course in Medicinal Phytochemistry shall consist of:

- Taught courses in the first year of study
- Research, seminars, and thesis in the second year of study.

PROGRAMME STRUCTURE S/No. Course Code Course Year One Research Methodology TID 3100 Computer Applications in Health Research TID 3101 TID 3103 Epidemiology Biostatistics and Demography TID 3104 TPS 3105 Chemistry of Natural Products TPS 3112 Methods in Advanced Pharmacognosy TPS 3113 Screening Methods in Pharmacology TPS 3107 Chromatographic Methods TPS 3103 Instrumental Methods TPS 3104 Spectroscopic Methods 10 TPS 3114 Plant Taxonomy 11