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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 TID 3100 Research Methodology Computer Applications in Health Research TID 3101 Epidemiology TID 3103 TID 3104 Biostatistics and Demography TPS 3102 Principles of Organic and Inorganic Synthesis Instrumental Methods TPS 3103 TPS 3112 Methods in advanced pharmacognosy TPS 3105 Chemistry of natural products TPS 3113 Screening methods in pharmacology TPS 3108 Bio-inorganic chemistry 10 TPS 3116 Advanced Pharmacology and toxicology 11