



Centre for
the study of Education in an
International Context (CEIC)



The University of Bath, UK & the Indus Training and Research Institute, Bangalore, India

Bangalore Study Centre

Thursday 8th – Sunday 11th March 2018

Understanding Learners and Learning

The University of Bath, UK, in conjunction with the Indus Training and Research Institute, Bangalore, India offers an opportunity for qualified educators to participate in the University's MA in Education programmes. The full MA programme comprises five taught units and a dissertation. Each taught unit is followed by individual research and the submission of a 5000 word written assignment.

In March 2018 the **Understanding Learners and Learning unit** will be taught in Bangalore. The unit, which is relevant to teachers of all age ranges, will address a number of issues, including the following:

- different perspectives on learning
- ways in which we learn and how learning can be supported
- the major families of learning theories – their development and use
- how approaches to teaching can be influenced by tacit and explicit learning theories
- how insights from neuroscience can impact on classroom learning
- how knowledge gained about learning and learners can be applied in practical educational and training contexts

Participants may use the Masters level credits gained by successful completion of this unit towards the International Baccalaureate Educator Certificates (previously known as IB Teacher Awards Levels 1 and 2).

See: www.bath.ac.uk/education/postgraduate/international-baccalaureate/
www.ibo.org/en/professional-development/professional-certificates/ib-educator-certificates/

The contact sessions for this unit will take place at the Indus Training and Research Institute (ITARI), Bangalore, India (www.itari.in) as follows (including lunch and refreshment breaks):

Thursday 8 th March 2018:	9:00 am – 3:30 pm
Friday 9 th March 2018:	9:00 am – 3:30 pm
Saturday 10 th March 2018:	9:00 am – 3:30 pm
Sunday 11 th March 2018:	9:00 am – 3:30 pm

The fee for this 12 credit unit will be £1,150. You may pay using a variety of methods (please see reverse side for details of payment methods). An administrative charge of Rs. 15,000/- for the four days contact sessions will be levied locally and should be paid by cheque/DD to 'Indus International School'. This will cover tutor costs, refreshments (including lunch and tea) and other relevant costs. *N.B. Costs of travel and accommodation are not included in the local charge.* For local information please contact Taniya Khurana (Study Centre Coordinator, Indus-ITARI): taniya.khurana@itari.in 08022895982 (office); +91-9632304506 (mobile).

Important Reminder: Please note that if a viable group size has not been reached once the deadline for applications has passed (25th January 2018) the unit may be cancelled or

postponed. Please do not make any travel or accommodation arrangements until you receive confirmation that the unit is definitely going ahead.

Why study a Masters unit at a University of Bath Study Centre?

The Department of Education at the University of Bath offer students a number of ways of working towards the degree of MA in Education, or the Postgraduate Certificate and Postgraduate Diploma in Education which form part of the same programme – by distance learning, attending our popular Summer School (July, in Bath) and/or participating in one of our successful Study Centre programmes around the world. The Study Centre method of study is based on units taught by a University of Bath tutor, and enables local and international educators to share their experiences and learn together. Students work with other teachers and educators in an intensive learning environment with the guidance and full support of an experienced unit tutor.

Application Process

New students: You need to have been accepted as a student on the MA in Education programme before your application to take an MA unit at the Bangalore Study Centre can be processed.

Applicants must hold a degree from a recognised university and, where English is not the first language, a recent IELTS score of 6.5 or equivalent. Further details of entry requirements (including English language expectations) can be found at: <http://www.bath.ac.uk/study/pg/programmes/ma-in-educ/>

Please submit your application for the MA in Education Programme on-line **as soon as possible but by 11 January 2018 at the latest:** www.bath.ac.uk/study/pg/applications.pl?department=education
Choose: MA Education Study Centres (Bangalore) Part-time Starting 8th March 2018

At the same time, please submit a unit enrolment form (as for current students – see below) by email. If your application is successful you will receive an offer letter. Once you have accepted the offer, your enrolment for the unit will be processed.

Current students: The Study Centre unit enrolment form is available at:-
<http://www.bath.ac.uk/education/postgraduate/ways-of-studying/study-centres/>

All students (current students and new students):

Please submit your Study Centre unit enrolment form to the MA Office at the University of Bath, on education-ma@bath.ac.uk, **for new students by no later than 11th January 2018 and for current students by no later than 25th January 2018.**

Payment Methods: You may pay using a variety of methods:

- Pounds sterling cheque made payable to the 'University of Bath'
- By debit/credit card; telephone + 44 (0)1225 383187 (NB the University is closed 23/12 – 2/1)
- Via bank transfer to the University's bank account, details below:

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N.B. Paying by bank transfer usually incurs bank charges of £6-£12 per transaction which are deducted at the time of transfer from the amount payable, resulting in a shortfall on your account with the University. Please take this charge into account and increase the amount payable accordingly