

ACCREDITATION STATEMENT

ISSUED TO: Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology
(KNUST) - 5705718

PROGRAMME: MSc Procurement and Supply Chain Management

ROUTE/CONDITIONS: As defined in Appendix 1

VALIDATION PERIOD: September 2019 – August 2020

1. A condition of accreditation requires the University to ensure learners are aware of CIPS and encourage membership of CIPS during their period of study.
2. Learners who successfully complete the above programme and meet the conditions specified may apply for MCIPS, the globally recognised standard for procurement and supply management professionals. Applications must be received within **five years** of the date on the degree certificate. Acceptance will be subject to the submission of a formal application form and evidence of three years' experience in procurement and supply management in a position of responsibility. Entrance and membership fees applicable at the time of admission to CIPS will be payable.
3. This Statement is renewable annually and is subject to a review process which requires the University to provide details of any relevant changes to the programme, particularly as they relate to content, structure or standard. Previous versions of the programme are not automatically accredited.
4. This Statement applies solely to the programme and institution mentioned above. Any other programmes, however similar in content, structure or standard are not included and must be accredited separately.
5. CIPS reserves the right to withdraw its accreditation of this programme if it becomes evident that the content, structure or standards have deviated substantially from the original programme or, if in the opinion of CIPS, further association with the programme brings CIPS into disrepute.

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SIGNED:



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APPENDIX I

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MSc Procurement and Supply Chain Management

1 September 2019 to 31 August 2020

The programme comprises of 12 x 3 credit modules, i.e. a total of 36 taught credits, plus a further 9 compulsory credits for research work. A total of 45 credits are required in order to complete the programme.

Module Code	Module Title	Total credits
CORE MODULES – Students must complete and pass ALL modules listed below		
LSM 575	Strategic Operations Management	3
LSM 573	Strategic Supply Chain Management	3
LSM 577	Strategic Procurement Management	3
LSM 579	Project Management	3
LSM 571	Finance for Supply Chain Management	3
LSM 561	Business Research Methods	3
All of the above are also common to the MSc Logistics and Supply Chain Management programme		
PSM 562	Sustainable Supply Chain and E-Procurement	3
PSM 556	Strategic Sourcing and Purchasing	3
PSM 554	Logistics and Inventory Management	3
PSM 558	Business Law and Contract Management	3
PSM 550	Leadership in Procurement and Supply	3
LSM 560	Strategic Management and Policy	3
	Final Project and Associated Research Work	9

To enable learners to apply for MCIPS the following conditions apply to this CIPS Accreditation Statement and must be met in full:

- The Final Project and Associated Research Work must be carried out on a procurement and/or supply related topic
- All modules must be successfully passed with no exemptions or compensations

Documentary evidence (i.e. transcript and certificate) supporting the above conditions must be provided to CIPS.