

FOUNDATION IN ECONOMICS AND MANAGEMENT SCIENCES

PROGRAM SYNOPSIS

Foundation in Economics and Management Sciences (ENMS) was established alongside the operation of the Department of Economics and Management Sciences (DENMS), Centre for Foundation Studies (CFS) IIUM in 1984. The programme aims to prepare students with the fundamental knowledge and skills required by the undergraduate studies at the Kulliyyah of Economics and Management Sciences (KENMS), IIUM Gombak campus. ENMS introduces students to different disciplines of economics studies such as accounting, business, economics, finance, and mathematics while integrating the element of Islamization of Human Knowledge (IOHK) into these courses, which is consistent to the vision and mission of KENMS. ENMS is a programme that fits well into the *Sejahtera* Academic Framework (SAF). ENMS holistic curriculum allows students to relate the element of *KhAIR* within themselves. Courses offered by DENMS allow students to enhance their leadership quality (*Khalifah*); infused with the concept of *Amanah* (Islamic virtues); instilling the culture of *Iqra'* through the elements of lifelong learning among its courses; and to become a productive and beneficial member of the society who characterizes the concept of *Rahmatan lil- 'Alamin* to its surroundings.

COURSE SYNOPSIS

LANGUAGES	
COURSE	COURSE SYNOPSIS
English Level 5	This is an English language course designed for intermediate level of English. It is an integrated course which focuses on effective development of receptive and productive skills in English. Through the inclusion of SAF as the key features of students' learning experience, the course embeds the elements and values that are significant in the holistic nurturing of <i>Insan Sejahtera</i> . Learners take an active role in the classroom to find ways to communicate clearly and concisely. At the end of the course, students will be able to express themselves clearly on a wide range of subjects which include topics on sustainability such as the environment, economy and social issues, incorporate Islamic values, communicate fluently and be independent users of the language.
English Level 6	This is an English language course designed for upper intermediate level of English. It is an integrated course which focuses on effective development of receptive and productive skills in English. Through the inclusion of SAF as the key features of students' learning experience, the course embeds the elements and values that are significant in the holistic nurturing of <i>Insan Sejahtera</i> . Learners take an active role in the classroom to find ways to communicate clearly and concisely. This course also incorporates community engagement project work that allows students to apply and demonstrate language skills. At the end of the course, students will be able to express themselves clearly on a wide range of subjects which include topics on sustainability such as the environment, economy and social issues, incorporate Islamic values, communicate fluently and be independent users of the language.
Quranic Level 1	This course provides students with non-Arabic basic an introduction to everyday expressions, and high frequency words and phrases for the elementary level. It is an integrated course which aims to develop all the fundamental language skills, i.e., reading, writing, listening, and speaking. Through this course, students are also equipped with Islamic values and practices imbued with <i>Iman</i> , <i>Taqwa</i> , <i>Amanah</i> and <i>Akhlaq</i> . The course aims to help students express their opinions on some familiar sustainability issues such as good health and well- being, quality education and gender equality towards becoming and embodying <i>Insan Sejahtera</i> in their life.

Quranic Level 2	This course provides a module of the Arabic Language for elementary level. It is designed for students with some prior knowledge of the language. It is an integrated course, which combines four essential language skills. This course will equip students with the ability to use the Arabic Language in areas of immediate relevance such as personal information, study, work, and leisure. Through this course, students are also equipped with Islamic values and practices imbued with Iman, Taqwa, Amanah and Akhlaq. The course aims to help students express their opinions on some familiar sustainability issues such as good health and well-being, quality education and gender equality towards becoming and embodying Insan Sejahtera in their life.
Understanding Islam 1	This course explores the concept of Islam and its characteristics. It later discusses elementary understanding of the three components of Islam. The discussion on al'Aqīdah encompasses its characteristics and invalidations. The discourse on al-Sharī'ah covers its Maqāṣid (objectives) and the concept of 'Ibādah in Islam. Finally, the discussion on al-Akhlāq highlights its principles, emphasising on understanding its virtues and vices. By the end of the course, students will have a thorough understanding of Islam and its key components as well as synthesising the understanding of Islam in order to comprehend and adequately describe Islam as al-Dīn.
Understanding Islam 2	This course covers general discussions on the concepts of knowledge, vicegerency, and civilisation in Islam. It also highlights the relationship between Qur'ān and science and arts. It also exposes to the students the belief systems and ideologies, along with religious tolerance.
Ethical Digital Literacy	Ethical Digital Literacy is a comprehensive course designed to equip students with essential skills and knowledge required to navigate the 21 st century confidently and ethically. In this course, participants will explore the fundamental concepts of exploring information, searching tools, and practice skills associated with digital literacy, enabling them to engage with technology effectively and responsibly in various aspects of their personal and professional lives without neglecting the ethics. By the end of this course, students will have developed a strong foundation in digital literacy, empowering them to navigate the digital landscape confidently, responsibly, and ethically, while leveraging digital tools for personal and professional growth.

ELECTIVES (UniCORE)	
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Tilawah Al-Qur'an 1	This course is designed for students who have little knowledge of Quranic recitation. In this course, students will be guided through imitating, vocalising and reciting Juzuk 'Amma with the transmission of Imam Hafs 'An 'Asim. Students are also required to memorise 13 surahs which are: Al-Takathur, Al-'Asr, Al-Humazah, Al-Fil, Quraysh, Al-Ma'un, Al-Kawthar, Al-Kafirun, Al-Nasr, Al-Masad, Al-Ikhlās, Al-Falaq, Al-Nas. While undergoing the course, students will be given two opportunities to sit for the Exit Tilawah Placement Test (ETPT) for possible early fulfilment of the tilawah requirement.
Tilawah Al-Qur'an 2	This course is designed for undergraduate Muslim students of IIUM who have acquired basic skills of Quranic recitation. In this course students will be assisted to reach the intermediate level of Quranic recitation through open consultation and 4 times obligatory consultations with lecturers. Students will also be given personalised instruction to help them memorise 22 surahs of Juz 'Amma: (Al-Duha, Al-Sharh, Al-Tin, Al-Qadr, Al-Bayyinah, Al-Zalzalah, Al-'Adiyat, Al-Qari'ah, Al-Takathur, Al-'Asr, Al-Humazah, Al-Fil, Quraysh, Al-Ma'un, Al-Kawthar, Al-Kafirun, Al-Nasr, Al-Masad, Al-Ikhlās, Al-Falaq, Al-Nas). While undergoing the course, students will be given two opportunities to sit for the Exit Tilawah Placement Test (ETPT) for possible early fulfilment of the tilawah requirement.

Usrah 1	This course highlights the important concepts for Muslims: Islam, Imān dan Ihsān as well as other selected issues related to Muslim daily life such as <i>adab</i> , eschatology and balanced personality. In this course, students will engage in a series of discussions and other co-curricular activities which will enhance their communication skills.
Usrah 2	The course discusses the relevance of Ibadah in the inculcation of values in Muslims' daily activities. The course will also focus on the accurate implementation and performance of fundamental ' <i>ibādah (fard 'ayn)</i> such as <i>salāh, sawm, zakāt</i> and <i>hajj</i> as the catalyst for positive values.

COMMON CORES	
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Introduction to Law	This course is a common core course for the Social Science and Humanities module. It provides introductory knowledge of law including functions, classification, sources as well as its operation and related institutions. It also discusses the relation between law and selected concepts such as morality, human rights, government and society. The understanding of this course will produce law-abiding citizen that ultimately appreciate the roles of law in the society.
Introduction to Economics	This course is a common core course for the Social Science and Humanities module. It introduces students to basic concepts of economics. The first part of the course deals with the concept of microeconomics and the second part covers the concept of macroeconomics. Moreover, students will learn various essential economic models which may allow them to appreciate various economic phenomena in their surroundings.
Introduction to Communication	This course is the common core course for the Social Sciences and Humanities module. Students will learn the basic concepts in communication such as types, elements, and principles. It also highlights the specialisations and careers in the discipline. It also designed to provide students with both theoretical and practical aspects of communication. The students will be equipped to become an effective communicator.

NICHE COURSE	
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Mathematics	The course provides the required algebraic concept, mathematical knowledge on function, differentiation, and integration. The course aims to introduce real-life applications of the topics taught. In general, this course exposes students to calculus, which has many applications in business and economics.
Accounting	This course provides students with basic technical knowledge in bookkeeping concepts and preparation of financial statements for business entities. Students will learn about the accounting equation, double entry system, full coverage on accounting cycle and preparing financial statements. Students will also be introduced to the basic cost concepts in managerial accounting.
Business Studies	This course is designed to equip the students with the basic knowledge of domestic and international business environment, management, production, and marketing. It aims to expose various aspects of everyday business activities as well as the decision to become an entrepreneur. Each topic is repleted with Islamic spirit and principles.
Finance	This course is designed to equip students with the basic knowledge in finance and Islamic finance, for both personal and professional use. It concerns with good understanding on finance and Islamic finance concept, function, and objectives. It broadly covers the financial markets and its instruments, financial tools, and Islamic financial contracts. This course also aims to enable students to appreciate the major differences between the Islamic and conventional finance.