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## AFFILIATED COLLEGE

**NIGERIAN NAVAL COLLEGE 'ONURA' ONNE.** Affiliated 1984. Establd. for trg. of naval officers; offers 1-semester cert. in educn. (NNCCE).

## GENERAL INFORMATION

The Univ. of Port Harcourt is one of the univ. instns. establd. in 1975 by the federal military govt. operated as a univ. coll. from the 1975-76 session until 1 Oct., 1977 when it was granted full univ. status. The policy of the univ. is to provide opportunities for outstanding students drawn from as many pts. of the country as possible and to contribute to the educn. devel. of the area in which it is situated.

**Location.** The campus is on a site at Choba, some 9 km. outside Port Harcourt (pop. 410,000), capital of the Rivers state. Port Harcourt, a comml. and indust. city, is the second largest port in Nigeria, with rly. terminus and an internat. airport. It is the major centre of the oil industry in Nigeria and the heart of the great historic Niger delta.

**Constitution.** The chancellor is the ceremonial hd. of the univ. The business of the univ. is conducted mainly under the auspices of 2 bodies: (1) governing council, under the chairmanship of the pro-chancellor, charged with gen. control and superintendence of univ. policies, especially its finances, property and public relns.; (2) senate, headed by the vice-chancellor, responsible for gen. academic policies and programmes. The vice-chancellor, as *ex-officio* member of council and chief exec. and academic hd. of the univ., establs. a working relnshp. between the 2 bodies. The registrar is sec. to both council and senate.

**Income (1988-89).** Total, ₦23,219,057 (govt. int, 91.6 per cent.; internal sources, 8.4 per cent.).

**Faculties and Deans, etc.** See end of 'Admin. and Other Staff', above.

**University Campuses** at Choba Pk., Delta Pk. 1 Univ. Pk. The permanent site (4000 hectares) Choba lies along the E.-W. road and is conveniently adjacent to the temp. academic area. Delta Pk., pt. of the permanent site, has been developed as an emergency site to provide accomm. for staff, students and admin. offices. 1st phase of master plan phys. devel. of site incl. constrn. of residential bldg. in Gambala-Ama; multi-purpose bldg. (Ofirima 1) and addtnl. residential units for staff (see 'Staff Accommodation', below).

**Library.** 36,862 vols.; 2414 periodical subscriptions.

**Laboratories, etc.** Labs. in facs. of engin., humanities, and scis. and in coll. of health scis. 2 museums; 3 observatories; bot. gdn.

**Computers.** Data gen. eclipse C-150 (mini), IBM PC/XT, NESS (XT compatible), NCR DM5. Lang. compilers: Cobol, Fortran, Pascal, Basic. No network systems and no links to outside networks.

**Institute of Education** (see also 'Academic Staff', above) establd. 1982 as a link between the univ. and the min. of educn. It runs vacation courses and workshops, offers in-service vocational and professl. trg. for teachers and workers, trains educators to provide functional literacy educn. for adults and functional and remedial educn. for those who drop out of the formal sch. system, and assists in curric. devel. evaluation. It also advises the affiliated coll. and reviews and evaluates its curric.

**Institute of Agricultural Research and Development** (see also end of 'Academic Staff', above), establd. 1982. Conducts res. in different ecol. systems on varieties of crops obtained from res. insts. and various localities and in fish farming and rice cultivation, and advises farmers in the use of improved as well as traditional seeds. Financial help is provided from various sources incl. the min. of sci. & technol., Niger Delta Basin Devel. Authority and the Agric. Bank.

**Unipart Investments Limited**, registered in 1983, was set up to conduct the comml. operations of the univ. Projects under way incl. the acquisition of real estate, plans for the devel. of an indust./comml. complex on the E.-W. rd., integrated farm, comml. bookshop, printing press (see 'Univ. Press', below) & publishing house.

**Pre-Degree Course** of remedial instructn. for students from educnally disadvantaged areas offered by sch. of basic studies (for dir., see end of 'Academic Staff', above). **Length of course**—1 yr. from U.M.E. (with performance score lower than acceptable score for admission to degree course) plus 5 ord. credits incl. Engl. and maths.

**Admission** (which is by U.M.E. only) to first degree courses. For headings other than those below, see Appendix IV. Full details in J.A.M.B. 'Guidelines for Admission'.

**Reservation of places.** Admission quotas are determined by fed. govt.

**Enrolment restrictions.** None, though entry to med. and sci.-based courses subj. to lab. space and facilities.

**Additional requirements for entry to preliminary courses** (U.M.E. subjs.) must also be satisfied for specified subjs.

**Entry to a later year** is possible. See 'First Degrees. Length of course', below.

**Mature age entry** programme no longer exists.

**Language.** Credit in Engl. at ord. (O) level required.

**Enquiries** to univ. registrar.

**First Degrees.** **Length of course.** 4 yrs.—BA, BSc, BSc(Econ), BSc(Pol&AdminStudies), BSc(Soc), BEd (also 2 yrs. for serving teachers with Nigerian cert. in educn.). 5 yrs.—BEng. 6 yrs.—MB BS.

All courses full-time. Min. attendance required at this univ.: as above, except that in exceptional circumstances students may be admitted to the univ. on transfer from another univ. instn. Such transfer students will be admitted into the yr. of study appropriate to their credentials, provided that no student may

graduate until at least 2 yrs. have been spent in the univ.

**Classification.** All degrees may be awarded with honrs. (1st, 2nd upper, 2nd lower and 3rd class), or as pass degrees.

**Structure of arts and science degrees.** The curricula for BA and BSc comprise: (1) introductory pt. for first 2 yrs. designed to inculcate a common learning experience among students in the individual schs. and (2) major concentration pt. for last 2 yrs., with students taking intensive courses in their major disciplines. To graduate, min. 38 courses (3 units/semester hours each) must be taken as follows: (a) 2 gen. educn. courses (for all students); (b) 2 community service courses; (c) at least 11 foundation courses prescribed by each sch.; (d) at least 2 elective courses; (e) 18 to 19 3rd and 4th yr. level courses in approved major discipline. Students are also required to take a comprehensive exam. in their major areas at end of 4th yr.

**Subjects of specialization.** BSc in appl. chem., biochem., bot., chem., econ., educn., engin. (chem., civil, electr. or petroleum), geog., geol., maths. (with emphasis on computer scis., maths. or stats.), microbiol., phys., physiol., pol. & admin. studies, sociol., zool. BA majors in biol., chem., creative arts, econ., educn., Engl. studies, foreign langs. & lit., geog., hist., lang., linguistics & African langs., lit., maths., philos., pol. sci., religious studies.

**Higher Degrees.** Applicants for admission must normally hold an appropriate first degree with at least 2nd class honrs. from a recog. univ. or equiv. qualif. All degrees are open to approved grads. of other univs. The periods of advanced study and res. indicated below must be spent in this univ.

**MA**—1 yr. full-time or 2 yrs. pt.-time; by course work, grad. seminar and dissertation in one of: Africa & its cultural extensions in the New World, compar. lit., Engl., French, linguistics with spec. ref. to African langs.

**MSc**—1 yr. full-time or 2 yrs. pt.-time; by course work, res. and thesis in one of: class analysis & soc. formation, devel. studies, entomol., hydrobiol. & fisheries biol., instal. analysis, internat. relns., Nigerian govt. & pol., parasitol., plant physiol., pol. theory & methodol., regional devel. planning, rural land use & rural devel., sociol. of devel., transport geog., urban geog.

**MEng**—min. 12 mos., max. 24 mos. full-time for holders of engin. degree with min. 2nd class honrs. (others with postgrad. engin. dipl. also considered); by course work, field practice, res. project and thesis in fuel & energy, petroleum engin.

**MPhil**—2 yrs. full-time or 4 yrs. pt.-time; by course work, res. and thesis in one of: Engl., entomol., hydrobiol. & fisheries biol., parasitol., plant physiol.

**MEd** (for holders of BEd), **MA(Ed)**—1 yr. full-time (MA(Ed) also available by vac. study over 2 yrs.); by course work, exam. and project; in one of: hist. of educn., philos. of educn., sociol. of educn.

**MBA**—2 yrs. full-time or 4 yrs. pt.-time for grads. with sound background in quantitative methods (candidates for pt.-time programme must have had full-time employment in a managerial position for at least 3 yrs. in a recog. orgn.); by course work and project report or thesis in one of: acctg., finance & banking, management, marketing.

**PhD** (in facs. of engin., scis., humanities, soc. scis.)—3 yrs. full-time, min. 4 yrs. pt.-time; candidates (except those with master's degrees) register initially for and obtain MA or MSc; by thesis after res. in approved topic.

**Diplomas** (postgrad.). PGDE, 12 mos. full-time, also available by vac. study; petroleum technol.

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(PGDPT), 1 academic yr. plus min. 2 mos.' indust. experience; DMS, 4 long vac. periods (equiv. 2 yrs.).

**Certificates.** Assoc. cert. in educn. (ACE), 2 long vac. periods (8 wks. each) plus 6 wks.' teaching practice for qualified primary sch. teachers with min. 5 yrs.' experience, or those with equiv. qualifs.; theatre arts, 12 mos. full-time, from 5 ord. level credits & aptitude test. *See also* under 'Affiliated Coll.', *above*.

**Research** schemes with spec. emphasis on interdisciplinary programmes are being developed.

**Formal Links/Exchanges with Universities Abroad.** There is a link for exchange of visiting scholars between the univ. and the Univ. of Texas at Austin in petroleum and electr. engin. Staff will also be admitted into higher degree programmes in the coll. of bus. admin. at that univ.

**Study Leave.** The univ. provides opportunities for its staff to proceed on study leave to obtain higher degrees and other professl. qualifs.

**Fees.** Tuition fees: *see* end of Nigerian Introduction.

**Academic Year.** 2 semesters: 1 Nov.-28 Feb.; 1 April-31 July. Sandwich courses, July-Sept.

**Language of Instruction.** Engl.

**Vacation Courses.** MA(Ed) (*see* 'Higher Degrees', *above*), DMS and PGDE (*see* 'Dipls.', *above*) are available by vac. study. *See also* 'Inst. of Educn.' and 'Certs.', *above*.

**Student Residences.** 6 halls of residence, each with 5 units, accomm. 5600 regular and sandwich students (2645 women, 2955 men).

**Staff Residences.** The univ. has about 172 residential units of its own for members of staff on campus and about 200 rented flats off-campus. About 12 units under construcn.

**Health Services** (*see also* 'Admin. and Other Staff', *above*) dept. operates on all 3 campuses; main health centre at Choba Pk. Health care is provided for students, sr. staff, jr. staff and their dependants.

**Publications.** *Calendar*, *Prospectus*, *Diary*; *News Bulletin* (monthly); *Kiabara: A Journal of the Humanities* (twice a yr.).

**University Bookstore** on campus caters for staff and students.

**University Press** establd. 1986 primarily to publish journals, res. materials and tertiary-level books. Plans to develop 4 divs.: editorial, prodn., printing and marketing.

## Statistics

STUDENT NUMBERS, 1990-91  
(as at the beginning of the academic year)

		Full-Time	Part-Time
Men	.	5622	1140
Women	.	2385	587
Total	.	8007	1697

Included in the figures above are:  
Postgraduate students, 1553 (734 full-time, 819 part-time).

[Information compiled as at 24/9/91]

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