

WORKSHOPS/SEMINARS FOR THE HIGHER EDUCATION SECTOR

Objective

The aim of this scheme is to create a platform at TEC to bring together stakeholders in the sector to share experiences and build capacity in field of Higher Education in Mauritius, through the workshops/seminars, it is proposed that each event will target 80-100 participants from the Higher Education sector. Three workshops/seminars to be earmarked over the next five years (on a bi-annual basis); the resource persons to be contracted can either be local or international.

Financial Provision

- The scheme provides for a maximum of MRU 500,000 per workshop/ seminar to cover cost related to logistics, honorarium, airfare and accommodation of resource persons.
- Any TEI willing to organise a capacity building workshop jointly with TEC which targets staff from the sector may apply for funding up to a maximum of Rs 100,000 per event.

Conditions/Criteria

- 1 day workshop.
- Areas and fields that cut across the needs of the sector in the domains of Higher Education Management, Internationalisation of higher education, Quality Assurance, Strategic planning in Higher Education, Research and Research training, Teaching and Learning, Assessment and other related areas of interest.
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Implementation Modalities

- An Organising Team to be chaired by ED will be set up comprising of the following members: all the head of divisions of the Commission; ROs and PO from RPL; The Terms of Reference of the Organising Team will be:
 - to determine the thematic areas for the workshops/seminars;
 - to identify tentative dates for the event;
 - to propose resource persons;
 - to develop the organising check list and assign task to relevant divisions
- TEC Board's approval will be sought.

Expected output/outcome

- Creating greater synergy through networking between local and international stakeholders
- Capacity building of TEC staff through continuous professional development
- Improving processes and understanding in such areas as Strategic Planning and Research, Quality assurance, Financing, *etc*