Curriculum & Credit Structure

The curriculum for the BIT has been developed through a series of meetings and workshops conducted by a group of IT experts from the industry and the academia. The following tables describe the Course Modules for the Bachelor of Information Technology External Degree programme. It also provides the information regarding the credit rating for each course module and the credits that the student is required to earn to complete the academic requirements for Level 1 (Table 01 and 02), Level 2 (Table 03 and 04) and Level 3 (Table 05 and 06) of the programme. Table 07 shows the overall requirements.

The following nomenclature is used through this document:

C - Compulsory Course Module

E – Elective Course Module

One credit is considered to be equivalent to about four study hours per week in a semester of 14 weeks.

Level 1

Level 01	
Semester 01	Credits
ITE 1912 Communication Skills Development	tC2
ITE 1112 Visual Application Programming	C4
ITE 1812 Mathematics for IT	C4
ITE 1712 Web Design	C4
ITE 1922 ICT Applications	C2
Total Credits – Semester 01	16
Semester 02	
ITE 1122 Fundamentals of Programming	C4
ITE 1932 Technical Writing	C2
ITE 1412 Information Management	C2
ITE 1212 Computer Systems	C2
ITE 1222 System Analysis & Design	C2
ITE 1942 ICT Project	C2
Total Credits – Semester 02	14
Total Credits – Level 01 (Compulsory)	30

Table 01: Level 1 – Curriculum and Credit Structure

Credit Requirements	GPA	GPA	Total
	Compulsory	Elective	
Total Credits offered	30	0	30
Total Credits required to complete Level 1	30	0	30

Table 02: Level 1 –Credit Requirements

Level 2

Level 02

Semester 01	Credits
ITE 2132 Object Oriented Programming	C4
ITE 2142 Data Structures and Algorithms	C2
ITE 2232 Computer Networks & Operating Systems	sC4
ITE 2722 Web Programming	C4
ITE 2422 Database Management Systems	C4
Total Credits – Semester 01	18
Semester 02	
ITE 2732 Multimedia Development	C2
ITE 2152 Mobile Application Development	C2
ITE 2162 Software Engineering	C4
ITE 2312 IT Quality Assurance	C2
ITE 2612 IT Project Management	C2
ITE 2952 Programming Group Project	C4
Total Credits – Semester 02	16
Total Credits – Level 02 (Compulsory)	34

Table 03: Level 2 – Curriculum and Credit Structure

Credit Requirements	GPA	GPA	Total
	Compulsory	Elective	
Total Credits offered	34	0	34
Total Credits required to complete Level 2	34	0	34

Table 04: Level 2 - Credit Requirements

Level 3

Level 03

Semester 01 + Semester 02	Credits	
ITE 3822 Discrete Mathematics	C 4	
ITE 3322 Professional Practice	C 2	
ITE 3242 Information Security	C 2	
ITE 3962 Project **	C 10	
ITE 3512 Fundamentals of Artificial Intelligence	E 3	
ITE 3622 Business Processes & Accounting Systems	E 3	
ITE 3632 Principles of Management	E 3	
ITE 3172 Enterprise Application Development	E 3	
ITE 3972 Research Methodology	E 3	
ITE 3742 Web Services	E 3	
ITE 3642 Marketing	E 3	
ITE 3432 Data Mining	E 3	
ITE 3832 Probability and Statistics	E 3	
ITE 3442 Management Information Systems	E 3	
ITE 3752 Human Computer Interaction	E 3	
ITE 3332 Quality Assurance in Practice	E 3	
ITE 3652 Organizational Behavior	E 3	
ITE 3522 Essentials of Artificial Cognitive Systems	E 3	
ITE 3532 Essentials of Machine Learning	E 3	
Total Credits Requirement – Level 3		
Composition of Total Credits Requirement in Level 03 36 (Compulsory 18 & Elective S1: 6+ S2: 12)		

Table 05: Level 3 – Curriculum and Credit Structure

Credit Requirements	GPA	GPA	Total
	Compulsory	Elective	
Total Credits offered	18	45	63
Total Credits required to complete Level 3	18	18	36

Table 06: Level 3 – Credit Requirements

** Note:

- Registration should be done in Level 3 Semester 1
- Distribution of work load 40% in Semester 1 and rest 60% in Semester 2

Note: At Level 3, a student must earn 36 credits (18 credits from compulsory course modules and 18 credits from elective course modules)

The overall credit requirements to complete the Levels and the degree are shown in Table 7.

Credit Requirements	GPA Compulsory	GPA Elective	Total
Credit Requirements (Level 1)	30	0	30
Credit Requirements (Level 2)) 34	0	34
Credit Requirements (Level 3)	18	18	36
Total	82	18	100