

FEDERAL UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY, OWERRI CENTRE OF EXCELLENCE IN SUSTAINABLE PROCUREMENT ENVIRONMENTAL AND SOCIAL STANDARDS (CE-sPESS)

CALL FOR APPLICATION FOR POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA (PGD) PROGRAMME ADMISSIONS BATCH C 2024/2025 SESSION

The Centre of Excellence in Sustainable Procurement, Environmental and Social Standards (CE-sPESS) of the Federal University of Technology, Owerri (FUTO) is established by the World Bank and the National Universities Commission (NUC) in 2019 to produce skilled manpower for research and development, and efficient implementation of projects with the best value for money and compliance to environmental and social standards.

Applications are invited from suitably qualified candidates into Postgraduate Diploma (PGD) programmes of **FUTO CE-sPESS for Batch C 2024/2025 Academic Session:**

1. PROCUREMENT MANAGEMENT

- Postgraduate Diploma (PGD), Procurement Management

2. SUSTAINABLE ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES

- Postgraduate Diploma (PGD) Sustainable Environmental Studies

3. SUSTAINABLE SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT

- Postgraduate Diploma (PGD) Sustainable Social Development

4. GENERAL ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Postgraduate Diploma (PGD)

- a. Candidates must meet the matriculation requirements for first Degree in the area of intent as stipulated by the University (5 O' Level Credits, including Mathematics and English Language);
- b. Bachelor's Degrees not lower than third class division in any relevant discipline from a recognized university may be considered.
- c. Higher National Diploma (HND) with a minimum of Credit or its equivalent in Natural or Applied Sciences, Agriculture, Social Sciences and Engineering from recognized higher institutions may also be considered.

5. Course duration:

Postgraduate Diploma (PGD) runs for twelve (12) months.

6. Mode of Delivery: Lecture delivery will be online via FUTO LMS. Examinations and Seminars/workshops will be physical on Campus.

7. Fees: It is tuition-free for Civil/Public Servants. For others, municipal and other charges will be in line with FUTO Postgraduate standards.

8. Method of Application:

Interested applicants will take an **online Aptitude Test on Thursday, 13th March 2025**. All information will be available at the Centre's Website: <https://cespess.org.ng/>

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