# **Master of Science Degree in Development Finance**

#### Overview

The Master of Science Degree in Development Finance is designed to develop people and institutions that can help provide optimum financial outcomes that enhance the design and implementation of reforms and capacity-building programs adapted by development financial institutions, governments, the private sector, NGO and the wider emerging markets.

While Development Finance is typically known for its use by people working in development finance and other related institutions, it is also widely used by people in other banking and financial services institutions. It provides the expertise to start initial investments that act as the right catalyst, and demonstrate that enterprises can thrive in economically challenging markets. It is used to ensure that funds channeled through development projects provide sustainable outcomes that can sustain the development agendas of developing countries.

## Why this Degree?

As a professional discipline, Development Finance is widely practiced today by all central governments; major development financial institutions including the World Bank, the IMF, the UN; as well as public and private sector organizations, international foundations and NGOs.

However there is a shortage of Development Finance experts in Africa, where the expertise is needed most. It's for this reason the KCA University School of Graduate Studies (SGS), has partnered with Africa Growth Institute (AGI), to create the Master of Science Degree in Development Finance.

The Msc (Development Finance) programme aims to ensure that Africa produces enough development finance experts to meet the growing needs of the growing continent.

### Who Should Apply?

**Development Finance Practitioners** 

Civil servants

Staff of Development Finance Institutions

Staff of other Financial Institutions

Entrepreneurs

Staff of NGOs

Staff in the Private sector

## **Start Date & Mode of Study**

The degree will be offered starting from September 2016.

## Other Programmes available

Master of Science in Commerce with Specializations in Finance, Accounting Finance and Accounting, Finance and Investment, Finance and Economics, Economics and Investment.

Master of Business Administration (MBA) in Corporate Management.

Master of Business Administration (MBA) with Specializations in Marketing, Human Resource Management and Procurement and Supplies Management.

Bachelor of Commerce with specializations in Accounting, Finance, Banking, Marketing, Human Resource Management, Entrepreneurship.

## Why Study at KCA University?

Access to 20% discount on tuition for ALL university Programmes for ICPAK Members, 10% for spouse and children/depends besides quality training and market driven programmes

Over 1500 Members have already benefitted from the opportunity. With over Ksh 30m worthy of discount allowed on members.