

# **DIPLOMA ON**

# **HOTEL OPERATIONS & MANAGEMENT**

A PROGRAM TEACHING YOU TO BECOME PROFICIENT AND KNOWLEDGEABLE IN ALL ASPECTS OF HOTEL OPERATIONS AND MANAGEMENT; ABOUT THE KEY FEATURES OF HOTELS, THE MAIN DEPARTMENTS AND THEIR RESPONSIBILITIES, AND HOW TO PROVIDE GOOD SERVICE TO CUSTOMERS.





This Program aims to train men and women to be knowledgeable and professional in the operation and management of hotels, and in hotel positions. Hotel departments perform many operations which need trained, efficient staff to ensure guest satisfaction, and section leaders to control and guide them. Hotels vary in size, standard and type, and cater for guests with differing demands, which requires managerial understanding and skill. Hotels must be correctly and carefully marketed and promoted, and finances managed to avoid losses; all hotels are businesses with common functions and their prosperity and profitability requires managers with the skill and ability to ensure staff are effective, that guest needs are met, and that a quality service is provided. This Program covers all of these aspects and more.



### **SUMMARY OF MAJOR TOPICS**

### MAJOR TOPICS COVERED IN THIS DIPLOMA PROGRAM INCLUDE:

- Hotels as businesses: their functions and types, ratings and categories.
- The various locations, sizes, standards of hotels.
- The range and quality of facilities provided by hotels.
- Types and categories of hotel guests and their motivations for travel and visiting hotels.
- Planning the provision of hotel services; the organization and management structures of hotels.
- Hotel products: accommodation, food and beverages.
- Tangible and intangible features of hotel products, various services.
- Marketing hotels and methods of selling hotel products; brochures, the internet, websites.
- Recruitment and staffing in the hotel industry, responsibilities and requirements.
- Hotel front offices: duties of receptionists, reservations, check-in, check-out, guest relations, guest billing, cashiering, complaints and dealing with them.
- The importance of product knowledge, attributes and skills looked for in staff.
- Uniform staff and their duties.
- Hotel bedrooms, furniture, fixtures, decor, en suite facilities, occupancy, features.
- The duties of the housekeeping department, staff training, motivation, room inspections, servicing, linen, security.
- Hotel catering: purchasing, storing and issuing foodstuffs, security and protections.
- Food preparation, hygiene issues and concerns, food outlets, catering; kitchens.
- Hotel restaurants, their ambience, layout, types of menus, types of service, restaurant staff.
- Hotel beverages, sales in bars, restaurants, room service, minibars, additional guest services.
- Financial accounts and statements, hotel computer systems.
- The ownership of hotels, the need for profitability, starting a hotel.



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### **RELATED COURSES**

### STUDY & CAREER DEVELOPMENT

- Tourism & Travel Management <u>Diploma</u> 12 months (flexible)
- Hospitality Management Honors (Higher) Diploma 21 months (flexible)
- Hospitality Administration (BSA) <u>Baccalaureate</u> 2 years (flexible)
- Hospitality & Events Administration <u>Executive Business Administration</u> (EBA) 3 years (flexible)

### STUDY & CAREER DEVELOPMENT

This Program is ideal for men and women of all ages and experience who are already employed in hotel, hospitality or related jobs, and who are aiming to gain promotions or new jobs within the hotel industry. It will also assist men and women who are looking to enter this important career area. By covering a wide range of operational and managerial aspects of hotels it also provides important knowledge and understanding for advancement to managerial roles. The course also allows focus on a range of career opportunities both within and outside of hotels, as it covers communications, human resource, financial aspects and other areas; so becoming a specialist in a particular area of hotel management is also possible too. All countries, regions, towns, cities have hotels and hospitality businesses in place, so there are always career opportunities for trained individuals in this industry.

CIC also offers advancement in hotel management in both general and specialized areas, and such studies - at Diploma or advanced level - are good routes to higher studies with other regional and international educational establishments and universities.