School of Applied Humanities and Languages

Department of Social Work

Professional Diploma in Social Work: Migration and Refugees (PDSMR)

This is a specialized postgraduate programme focusing on treating the challenges of refugees and migration. It offers an understanding of refugees and migrants in context of conflicts and socio-political change. In addition, the program brings together national, regional and international aspects and perspectives to encompass the current pressing issues of refugees.

We are committed to delivering high-quality social work training, with a skilled team, maintaining a strong emphasis on practice - local and international research – informed learning. This Professional Diploma is unique in Jordan and the Middle East, it is a degree that is suitable for social work practitioners who graduated and gained the first degree some time ago. It is also designed for professionals from other disciplines and who are working in humanitarian aid with immigrants/refugees. Our graduates will be qualified to perform their role with migration and refugees in a variety of governmental, private and voluntary organizations and in camps. They will also be qualified to engage with an interdisciplinary team, health, experts, policy maker and community development planners. In addition, graduates will be able to design interventions aiming at strengthening the resilience of refugees.

The programme comprises five months of structured academic teaching and training. 120 days of assessed practice learning — during this time you will be supervised on job – if working - or as interns in a governmental or nongovernmental / voluntary organization.

Location: GJU Amman

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