



SHORT COURSE ANNOUNCEMENT

POLICY BRIEF WRITING AND DISSEMINATION

Muhimbili University of Health and Allied Science in collaboration with Karolinska Institute is providing a unique opportunity for interested party (ies) to learn how to prepare an effective policy brief. This one-week course is designed to provide participants with knowledge, skills and competencies needed for preparing, writing, and disseminating policy briefs emanated from research and related activities to implementers, policy, and decision makers.

DATES: 4th – 8th March 2019, CHPE Building, MUHAS.

AIM: The course aims to equip participants with skills to communicate their research findings and evidence gathered from project implementation to policymakers using policy briefs. The course will provide participants with an introduction to the theoretical understanding of using evidence to inform decision policy and decision making, identification of critical audiences, writing policy briefs and their dissemination.

TARGET AUDIENCE: The course is open to university faculty, researchers, program officials and post-graduate students

ELIGIBILITY:

- ❖ A minimum of bachelor degree in health and health related degree
- ❖ This is a hands-on course and therefore candidates must have a written manuscript, project report, or draft policy brief that they will be working on during the course. Applicants must submit proof of any of these during the application.

MODE OF DELIVERY: The course will be administered by facilitators from Muhimbili University of Health and Allied Sciences (MUHAS) and Karolinska Institute (KI). The training will include interactive lectures, discussions, group work and practical hands-on sessions. Participants will be awarded a certificate of competence and attendance and Continuing Education (CE) Credits.

COURSE FEES: 900,000 to be paid directly to the University. Scholarships are available for those that will apply. Eligibility criteria will also be checked against applications.

MODE OF APPLICATION: Interested participants should send their draft manuscript, abstract, project report, or policy brief and accompanied short description on what they hope to achieve from the course to muhas.shortcourse@gmail.com by FEBRUARY 18TH, 2019, 1800HRS.

ONLY ELIGIBLE CANDIDATES SHOULD APPLY!

THERE ARE ONLY 25 PLACES PER CLASSROOM