# **♦ bout the University**

Kenya Methodist University (KeMU) is a Chartered Private University which has continued to play a major role in higher education sector since its establishment in 1997. The University's vision, mission, philosophy and core values have provided direction in its growth and development in academic, research and service to the community.

KeMU has five campuses: Main Campus - Meru, Nairobi Campus (KeMU Towers & KeMU HUB), Mombasa Campus (Buxton House), Nakuru Campus (Mache Plaza), Nyeri Campus (Rware Building) and three centres: Meru Town, Maua and Marimanti.

#### **Vision Statement**

To be a leading World Class University, raising a new generation of transformational leaders, who are well grounded in their professional and academic expertise and committed to spiritual and ethical values.

#### **Mission Statement**

To contribute to the transformation of our society by providing high quality education that promotes excellence in scholarship, research and selfless service to the community.

# **Philosophy of the University**

The University's philosophy is to foster the intellectual, spiritual and physical development of the wholesome individual in order to recognize and utilize the available opportunities for enhancement of human development with the appropriate recognition and respect for other creations. This philosophy is therefore based on the belief that God is the Creator of Heaven and Earth, the fountain of knowledge, and that the application of knowledge and skills should be guided by Christian values and principles.

#### bout the Programme

Welcome to the Kenya Methodist University School of Medicine and Health Sciences. The faculty and staff of the Nursing

Department are pleased that you are interested in the Master of Science in Nursing Education program. The program is designed to provide an opportunity for advancement of educators in Nursing as a result of professional healthcare in Kenyan market. Masters program is a wise and important step towards meeting your career goals. The programme adopts an integrated approach to learning and provides the knowledge, practice, and competitive edge you need to assume a leadership role in the nursing profession. The main purpose of the program is to prepare nurse educators who have in depth knowledge, skills and professional values essential for working in a variety of educational and health care settings. The graduates will assume leadership roles as dynamic faculty members in Universities and other training programs including staff development, continuing education and community programs.

#### **Expected Learning Outcomes:**

- · Analyze societal health needs.
- Utilize a variety of teaching strategies and educational resources to facilitate learning in classroom and clinical areas.
- Analyze trends in nursing education and their impact on development.
- Participate effectively in the development, implementation review and evaluation of Nursing Education curricula and programs.
- Conduct research in the area of nursing education.

## **Admission Requirements:**

Be a holder of Bachelor of Science Nursing (BScN) or its equivalent registered by Nursing Council of Kenya.

The candidate should have worked minimum of two years in a recognized institution.

### **Modes of Study:**

- a) Full Time Study- If the student is taking full load (13-18 credits) program shall extend over a period of calendar years (24 months).
- b) Part Time Study- If the student is taking less than 13 credits. The program shall extend over a period of three years (36 months).

A candidate will be required to identify research area and to write a master's thesis based on original work.

## **Career Opportunities**

As a graduate of Kenya Methodist University, you will join the ranks of those who have taken the extra step in environments as diverse as academia and government. With a KeMU Master degree, you'll be equipped with the tools to achieve your goals.

#### **Course Structure:**

The program will be 60 credit hour course and will be structured on a trimester basis with credit hours for various courses as shown below.

60 credits
15 credits
12 credits
17 credits
16 credits

