

## MASTER OF ARTS IN HUMAN RIGHTS (MAHR)

### Objectives

The objectives of the programme are:

- To introduce students to the major Rights issues, generally, and Human Rights issues specifically.
- To equip students (many of whom may be policy makers) with theoretical foundations of Human Rights issues.
- To equip students with skills of dealing with Human Rights issues in specific social settings. e.g. among Refugees, Prisoners, Workers, Children etc.
- To sensitize students about various Human Rights Organisations and how they go about their jobs.
- To sensitize students about the many impediments which stand in the way of enjoyment of Human Rights e.g. armed conflicts?
- To equip students with research skills in Human Rights issues.

### Programme Structure

Year I: Semester I (Core Courses)		
Course Code	Course Name	CU
HRT 7101	Introduction to Concepts and Theories of Human Rights	3
HRT 7102	Classical Theorists of Human Rights	3

HRT 7103	Evolution of Human Rights	3
HRT 7106	Research Methodology	3
Electives Courses		
HRT 7107	The Media and Human Rights	3
Semester II (Core Courses)		
HRT 7209	Protection and Promotion of Human Rights in Uganda	3
HRT 7210	International and Regional Human Rights Regimes	3
Electives Courses		
HRT 7204	Gender and Human Rights	3
HRT 7205	Peace and Conflict Resolution	3
HRT 7211	A Study of Children's Rights	3
HRT 7215	Human Rights and Refugees	3
HRT 7219	A Detailed study of selected Human Rights Issues	

### Year II

#### Semesters I and II

- A candidate shall conduct research in a chosen area of specialization with the guidance of a supervisor(s).
- The candidate shall present their research findings in the form of a Dissertation in accordance with the common University Rules and Regulations for Masters Degrees in all Faculties.

## MASTER OF ARTS IN PHILOSOPHY (MPHI)

The Department offers the MA.. Philosophy degree both by Thesis and by Coursework and Dissertation.

### Programme Structure

Semester I (Core Courses)		
Course Code	Course Name	CU
PHI 7101	African Philosophy	3
PHI 7102	Moral Issues and Human Rights in Africa	3
PHI 7103	Advanced Logic	3
Electives Courses		
PHI 7104	An African Philosopher	3
PHI 7105	Issues in Social and Political Philosophy	3

PHI 7106	A School or Period of Philosophy	3
Semester II (Core Courses)		
PHI 7207	Research Methodology	3
PHI 7208	Philosophical Thought in Uganda	3
PHI 7209	Applied Ethics	3
Electives Courses		
PHI 7210	Issues in Metaphysics and Epistemology	3
PHI 7211	Issues in Aesthetics	3
PHI 7212	Intercultural Philosophy	3