



## DIPLOMA IN CLEAN DEVELOPMENT MECHANISM

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## PROSPECTUS



## AFC INSTITUTE OF MANAGEMENT AND TECHNOLOGY

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## **AIMTEC**

AFC Institute of Management and Technology has been established by Agricultural Finance Corporation Ltd (AFCL) with the objective of providing short autonomous courses of “Add-on” nature to basic qualifications of students which would enhance their knowledge and skill base and improve their preparedness in the work environment.

## **AFCL**

Agricultural Finance Corporation Ltd. (AFCL) is a leading Consultancy Organization in India with more than four decades of experience since 1968. It is an organization promoted by the Indian Banking Industry comprising Commercial Banks, National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development (NABARD), and EXIM Bank for the purpose of stimulating institutional credit in the rural sector by providing a broad spectrum of consulting services.

India has the largest youth population in the world. Its human resources are its greatest asset in the 21st Century. However acquisition of the right skills by the youth alone can make India one of the developed nations of the world by 2020 as envisaged by former President Dr A P J Abdul Kalam. AFCL has dedicated itself into Human Resource Development to train the youth of the country by Distance Education mode by offering a variety of market driven courses to supplement their basic qualifications through distance education mode. These carefully crafted practical courses would be responsive to the needs of industry, service sector etc. For this purpose it has established the **AFC Institute of Management and Technology (AIMTEC)**.

## **INTRODUCTION:**

The **Clean Development Mechanism (CDM)** is an arrangement under the Kyoto Protocol allowing industrialized countries with a greenhouse gas reduction commitment (called Annex B countries) to invest in projects that reduce emissions in developing countries as an alternative to more expensive emission reductions in their own countries.

## **DISTANCE EDUCATION PROGRAMME IN CLEAN DEVELOPMENT MECHANISM (CDM)**

With the objective of building up a pool of quality professionals in the field of Clean Development Mechanism or CDM as it is popularly known, the AFC announced introduction of Diploma course in CDM through distance education.

## **STRUCTURE OF THE COURSES**

The contents of the course have been designed by the AFC in consultation with the Experts in the discipline. The study material will be self-instructing with suitable theoretical and practical assignments to enable the candidates to have adequate inputs.

**Course Content:**

<b>UNIT-1</b>	
<b>PRINCIPLE OF CLEAN DEVELOPMENT MECHANISM</b>	
Chapter 1.	Introduction
Chapter 2	Climate Change and Global Warming
Chapter 3	International Response to Climate Change & Global Warming
Chapter 4	Kyoto Protocol and its Mechanisms
	Exercises
	Glossary
<b>UNIT-2</b>	
<b>CLEAN DEVELOPMENT MECHANISM PROCESS</b>	
Chapter 1.	Overview of Clean Development Mechanism
Chapter 2	Administration and Participation
Chapter 3	CDM Project Cycle
Chapter 4	Financing
Chapter 5	Post Kyoto Negotiations and India
	Exercises
	CDM Project Cycle Glossary
<b>UNIT-3</b>	
<b>MAJOR PROJECTS AND SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT IN CDM</b>	
Chapter 1.	CDM, Sustainable Development and its Assessment
Chapter 2	The CDM Market
Chapter 3	Types of Major CDM Projects
Chapter 4	Small sectors and CDM
	Project Design Document Form (CDM-SSC-PDD)
	Exercises
<b>UNIT-4</b>	
<b>PREPARING CDM PROJECT DESIGN DOCUMENT (PDD)</b>	
Chapter-1	CDM, Sustainable Development and its Assessment
Chapter-2	PDD of a Renewable Energy Project (Small Scale Project)
Chapter-3	Example of SSC-PDD
Chapter-4	CDM and Developing Countries
Annex I	Exercises
<b>UNIT-5</b>	
<b>POTENTIAL OF CDM PROJECTS IN INDIA</b>	
Chapter-1	Environmental issues in India
Chapter-2	CDM and India
Chapter-3	Areas of Potential CDM in India
Annex I	Exercises

## Time Frame for Dispatch of Course Material and Return of Assignments

Unit Number	Tentative date of dispatch of material by AFC Foundation	Date of return of Assignment by the candidates	Time for sending feedback on assignments by AFC Foundation
Unit -1	Within one month from the date of registration	Within one month from the date of receipt of the course material Unit-1	Along with the reading material of the succeeding unit.
Unit -2	Within two months from the date of registration	Within one month from the date of receipt of course material Unit-2	Along with the reading material of the succeeding unit.
Unit-3	Within three months from the date of registration	Within one month from the date of receipt of course material Unit-3	Along with the reading material of the succeeding unit.
Unit-4	Within five months from the date of registration	Within one month from the date of receipt of course material Unit-4	Within three weeks from the date of receipt of the answer sheets
Unit-5	Within six months from the date of registration	Within one month from the date of receipt of course material Unit-5	Within three weeks from the date of receipt of the answer sheets
	Date will be intimated in due course		
	The examination schedule will be communicated to the participants separately		

### DURATION

- Diploma Course will be of six months.

**MEDIUM OF INSTRUCTION:** The program is conducted through English.

### ELIGIBILITY QUALIFICATION

- Qualification – The minimum qualification for this course is Graduate Degree in any stream – Arts / Science / Commerce / Engineering etc.

## **FEE**

- Rs.7500 [Rs. seven thousand five hundred only] per candidate for diploma course which shall be paid by Demand Draft drawn in favour of “AFC Foundation” payable at Mumbai sent to the following address: AFC Foundation, Dhanraj Mahal, 1st Floor, Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj Marg, Mumbai-400 001
- Fee is inclusive of cost of study material & examination fee for first two attempts. Fee for third special attempt is Rs. 500/-or \$15/-. No additional attempt would be permitted unless the student registers once again.
- Fee is inclusive of dispatch fee of all types of correspondence from AIMTEC to the student. Fee once paid is non refundable under any circumstances. Fee paid does not make the student eligible for admissions / course until the admission form accompanied with it is accepted by AIMTEC.

**MODE OF EDUCATION:** Through distance learning

### **EXAMINATION AND ASSESSMENT**

- Students are required to submit the assignments given at the end of each unit before the expiry of 6 months from the date of admission.
- After the receipt of five filled assignment sheets within maximum of 180 days of admission, AIMTEC will issue an examination slip to the candidate.
- A candidate is eligible to appear for final examination only after completion of minimum 180 days of admission. Examination will be conducted every month. The exam will be conducted at the end of the semester (six months).
- CERTIFICATES – Diploma Certificates will be awarded to the successful candidates. (Minimum percentage of passing is 50%).

### **STARTING DATE OF COURSE**

JANUARY 2010. The registration of the course will be from January 1 – 31, 2010. Registration for subsequent batches will be done on monthly basis. For registrations after the fifteenth of the month, the period of six months would commence from the first of the subsequent month.

### **TARGET GROUP**

Diploma Course in CDM has also been launched to meet the needs of the field level professionals to enable them become vibrant members of any Consultancy/ Company/NGO, etc.

## **SCOPE OF EMPLOYMENT FOR THE CANDIDATES/PARTICIPANTS OF THE PROGRAMME**

Tackling Climate Change is the prime concern of the Governments world wide. Market-based mechanisms like the CDM will be key to achieving this. The CDM has experienced rapid growth in recent years, beyond expectations. The World Bank reckons the CDM has prompted investments of about \$59 billion. At the moment, there are over 3,000 CDM projects in progress, according to the World Bank. However, there is lack of specialized CDM experts. Considering this a course has been designed to reducing the yawning gap of demand and supply of CDM experts.

The interested candidates may contact

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## Application form for admission to Diploma Course

Chief Executive Officer,  
AFC Foundation,  
Dhanraj Mahal, 1st Floor,  
Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj Marg  
Mumbai-400 001

*Affix a passport size  
photograph*

*With sign across it*

Dear Sir,

I wish to seek admission in your Diploma Course and furnish the following particulars for consideration:  
(Note: use CAPITAL letters only)

1. Name in Full: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Father's /Husband's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

3. Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ 4. Gender: \_\_\_\_\_

5. Address for correspondence:

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6. Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile: \_\_\_\_\_

7. Email: \_\_\_\_\_

8. Educational Qualifications<sup>#</sup> : \_\_\_\_\_

9. Course in which admission is sought: DBF  / DMF  / DCDM  / DFTM  (mark appropriate)

10. Medium of Instruction: English

11. Details of fee remitted\*\*

DD No. \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_ Rs. \_\_\_\_\_ drawn on (bank) \_\_\_\_\_

Place:

Signature of the candidate

Date:

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Notes:

\*Please attach the photocopies of the Educational Qualification

\*\*DD to be drawn in favour of 'AFC Foundation' and payable at Mumbai. Fee for Diploma Course Rs.7500/-.

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