



# Studying with EFA Local Access To Global Education

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In Today’s Environment”**



# About EFA

- We provide **high-quality, flexible and affordable** education opportunities throughout the Caribbean region
- We have exclusive partnerships with **internationally accredited** universities from the UK and USA
- We have **offices and local staff** throughout the Caribbean region
- We help **localize the distance learning** process through a range of added-value activities



# EFA Caribbean Network

## Local support offices in:

- Antigua
- Bahamas
- Barbados
- Belize
- Bermuda
- Cayman Islands
- BVI
- Dominica
- Guyana
- Grenada
- Jamaica
- St Kitts
- St Lucia
- St Vincent
- Turks and Caicos
- Trinidad





# Academic Partners



University of  
**Leicester**

- Established in 1921
- Over 19,000 students from 150 countries
- One of the largest providers of distance learning in the UK with over 8,000 active students
- Voted **University of the Year for 2008/2009** by Times Higher Education
- A top 12 UK university and world top 5%

**2008**  
**THE AWARDS**  
UNIVERSITY OF THE YEAR



# Academic Partners

- Established in 1987 and today a worldwide leader in accredited online education
- Fully accredited by the Distance Education and Training Council, USA (DETC)
- Over 70,000 active students and nearly 1,000,000 graduates
- Over 100 self-paced degree and professional career qualifications





# Levels of Study

We offer a range of study levels to suit career starters to seasoned professionals. Levels include:

- High School
- Associate's Degree
- Bachelor's Degree
- Master's Degree
- Doctorate Degree
- Undergraduate Certificates
- Professional Career Diplomas



# Areas of Study

Degree programs are designed in collaboration with academic and industry professionals to ensure quality, relevance and rigor. Our curriculum is regularly updated to reflect the latest proven concepts, methods and practices.

- Accounting and Finance
- Business and Management
- Criminology
- Education
- Human Resources
- Information Technology
- Marketing
- Media and Communications
- Psychology



# Continuing Education

Over 40 courses leading to **professional certification** in the following areas

- Business and Management
- Finance and Accounting
- Education
- Health Care
- Information Technology
- Legal Studies
- Marketing
- Professional Services





# Studying Online

With EFA, you are fully equipped to achieve your education goals. Materials and support includes:

- Student Handbook (Leicester)
- Tailored Study Modules
- Text Books
- Online Student Portal
- Distance Learning Library Service
- Access to optional campus-based events
- Regional Summer School



# Payment Options



Level	Cost * Subject to increase in August 2010	Installments
Doctorate	\$22,275	12 installments
MBA	\$13,300	6 installments
Master's	From \$8,900	6 installments
Bachelor's (Final Year)	From \$4,700	3 installments
Foundation Degree	\$6,990	6 installments
Diploma	From \$4,700	3 installments
Certificate	\$2,700	3 installments



# Payment Options



Level	Cost	Installments
Bachelor's	\$9,600	From \$100 /month
Associate's	\$4,800	From \$100 /month
Undergraduate Certificates	\$1200	From \$100 /month
Career Diploma's	\$1,000 - \$500	From \$50 /month



# Studying with EFA

- Earn a **globally accredited** and recognized qualification without traveling overseas
- Full range of accredited **associate's, bachelor's, master's and professional career qualifications** available
- Flexibility to continue to work while you study – **no mandatory travel required**
- Earn the **exact same degree** you would on a university campus
- All **courses fully inclusive** of study materials, textbooks and online support
- Flexible **interest-free payment plans** and EFA scholarships available
- Local administration and study support now **locally** available



# EFA Service and Support

- Pre-enrollment counseling and guidance
- Free application processing
- Local material distribution and document collection  
(including assignments, fees etc)
- Local new student inductions
- Regular information updates via EFA newsletters
- Locally proctored examinations
- Local/Regional Student Networking
- Regional faculty visits, workshops, graduation and alumni events



# The Benefits for YOU

- Earn a **globally accredited** without leaving the Caribbean
- Choose from over **80** associate's, bachelor's, master's and professional career qualifications
- **Study** when and where it suits you **without leaving your employment**
- Flexible, **interest-free payment** plans
- Access to **local resources** and staff
- Year-round enrollment

# Benefits of Distant Education

- Flexibility
- Cost
- Programme Structure
- Global Education in a Local Setting
- Global Accreditation



# Contact Us

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