

Workshop on 'Gender Mainstreaming and Development of Gender Policy for BOU Open School'

Day 1

09:30 am - 11:00 am Inaugural Session	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Welcome address● Self introduction● Gender issues: Global and International Perspective● Institutional Gender issues in Open Schooling● BOU-OS Perspective– presentation of Policy Analysis Report● Objectives of the workshop Vote of Thanks
11:00 am - 11:30 am	Tea Break
11:30 am - 01:00 pm	Gender Policy -NIOS Model to be discussed
01:00 pm - 02:00 pm	Lunch
	Presentations on- <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Learning support related issues● Academic issues● Administrative issues Evaluation issues Group Work
03:00 pm - 03:30 pm	Tea-Break
03:30 pm - 05:00 pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Group A: Academic● Group B: Learner Support Services● Group C: Evaluation● Group D: Administration

Day 2

09:30am-11:00am	Group work(cont.)
11:00 am - 11:30 am	Health Break
11:30 am - 01:00 pm	Presentation of Group reports on the COMOSA-CONNECT for discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Group A: Academic● Group B: Learner Support Services● Group C: Evaluation● Group D: Administration
01:00 pm - 02:00 pm	Lunch
02:00 pm - 03:00 pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● COMOSA-CONNECT discussions (cont.)● The group reports to be finalized
03:00 pm - 03:30 pm	Health Break
03:30 pm - 05:00 pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Development of draft Gender Policy● Suggestions for improvement

Day 3

09:30am - 11:00am	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Draft Gender Policy to be presented● Suggestions for improvement
11:00 am - 11:30 am	Health break
11:30 am - 01:00 pm	Group work for Preparation of Plan of Action for implementation of Gender Policy
01:00 pm - 02:00 pm	Lunch
02:00 pm - 03:00 pm	Action points for implementation of Gender Policy to be prepared in each group
03:00 pm - 03:30 pm	Health break
03:30 pm - 05:00 pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Action plan to be presented● Views on the workshop by BOU● Views on the workshop by NIOS● Vote of Thanks

Responsibilities of Facilitators

1. To give an overview and set the tone for the workshops
2. To spell the objectives of the workshop
3. To mention the format to be followed
4. To present the draft gender policy
5. To facilitate the flow of workshop
6. To support the development of a draft gender policy.