

# **HRODC Postgraduate Training Institute**

## **A Postgraduate-Only Institution**

**142**

**International Humanitarian and Human Rights Law:  
National, Regional and International Human  
Rights Practices, Conventions and Law**

### **Programme**

#### **Leading To:**

#### **DIPLOMA – POSTGRADUATE IN**

*International Humanitarian and Human Rights  
Law in Peacetime and War*

#### ***Accumulating to***

#### **POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA**

#### **Progressing To – *MA***

*International Humanitarian and Human Rights  
Law in Peacetime and War*

## **For Whom This Programme is Designed**

### **This Programme is Designed For:**

- Human Rights Workers;
- Human Rights Officers;
- Humanitarian Workers;
- Humanitarian Officers;
- Armed Forces Officers;
- Armed Forces Commissioned Officers;
- Armed Forces Non-Commissioned Officers;
- Heads of Forces of Occupation;
- Humanitarian Lawyers;
- United Nations Officials;
- Embassy Officials;
- High Commission Officers;
- Officers of Statutory Human Rights Organisations;
- Officers of Non-Governmental Humanitarian Organisations;
- Human Rights Lawyers;
- International Relations Specialists;
- Legal Practitioners;
- Legal Professionals;
- Lawyers;
- Law Students;
- Human Rights Lecturers and Tutors;
- Humanitarian Lecturers and Tutors;
- Law Graduates;
- Diplomats;
- Ambassadors;
- Political Science Graduates;
- Political Science Professors;
- Any other personnel wishing to gain expertise in Human Rights and Humanitarian Issues, relevant to Peacetime and Conflict Zones.

**Programme Coordinator:**

**Prof. Dr. R. B. Crawford – Director of HRODC Ltd. and Director of HRODC Postgraduate Training Institute, A Postgraduate-Only Institution. He has the following Qualifications and Affiliations:**

- Doctor of Philosophy {(PhD) (University of London)};
- MEd. Management (University of Bath);
- Advanced Dip. Science Teacher Ed. (University of Bristol);
- Postgraduate Certificate in Information Systems (University of West London, formerly Thames Valley University);
- Diploma in Doctoral Research Supervision, (University of Wolverhampton);
- Teaching Certificate;
- Fellow of the Institute of Management Specialists;
- Human Resources Specialist, of the Institute of Management Specialists;
- Member of Academy of Management (MAoM), within the following Management Disciplines:
  - Human Resources;
  - Organization and Management Theory;
  - Organization Development and Change;
  - Research Methods;
  - Conflict Management;
  - Organizational Behavior;
  - Management Consulting;
  - Gender & Diversity in Organizations; and
  - Critical Management Studies.
- Member of the Asian Academy of Management (MAAM);
- Member of the International Society of Gesture Studies (MISGS);
- Member of the Standing Council for Organisational Symbolism (MSCOS);
- Life Member of Malaysian Institute of Human Resource Management (LMIHRM);
- Member of ResearchGate Community;
- Member of Convocation, University of London;
- Professor HRODC Postgraduate Training Institute.

**Prof. Crawford was an Academic at:**

- University of London (UK);

- London South Bank University (UK);
- University of Greenwich (UK); and
- University of Wolverhampton (UK).

**Duration:**

**3 Months Intensive Full-Time (5 Days Per Week) or**

**6 Months Full-Time (2-2.5 Days Per Week)**

**Cost:£45,000.00Per Delegate**

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- Postgraduate – Diploma – in **International Humanitarian and Human Rights Law in Peacetime and War**; or
- Certificate of Attendance and Participation – if unsuccessful on resit.

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- Sources of International Law:
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