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COMMUNITY-BASED

DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME

Training for Leadership and Community Effectiveness

A diploma course sponsored by the Kagiso Trust and the L'niwrsity oflhe Witwatersrand

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To provide, through interaction between CBDP,
community-based organisations (CBOis) and their
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marked the begmnmg of 21 new phase In South Atricut
Community organisations now face new demands and expectations and have
to ask themselves some tough questlons.
I What is their real strength on the ground?
I How strongly have they built democratic traditions?
I Have they generated the leadership needed at different levels?
I Have they increased skills and used resources effectively?
I Can slogans be translated into action?
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I the flexibility and adaptability to take a lead in transformation?
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New Era
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I What is CBDP?

The Community-Bused Development Programme (CBDP) was started in 1989 to address. together with community organisations. questions of effectiveness and accountability. The Policy Committee has respresentatives from the Kagiso Trust and the University of the Witwatersrand. as well as from participating community organisations and the student body. I What does CBDP offer?

I a two-yczlr. purt-timc training course in the management of community-based orgumsatlons (CBOK). The Unix'crsny OfIhc Witwatersrand awards a dlploma t0 partlupzmts who meet the required Standards.

I bzick-up 10 participating organisations through consultancy. workshops. tzICIhtutlon und trulmng.

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'Who can participate?

There are 25 places open to participants sponsored by a CEO. Formal educational qualifications, such as Matric or university certification are not a requirement. However, the participant should

I be a leadership person with strong experience in CBOls

I be able to introduce concepts learnt in the programme into the CEO

I be supported by a mentor who will act as a participant support and :1 catalyst for effecting Change within the CBO $\,$

I have a level of literacy and numeracy which will allow him/her to participate at a tertiary level

I dedicate him/hcrself t0 the programme by meeting the time commitment. and confirm the organisations willingness to participate I f

Tuition fees are R2 000,00 per year. Participating organisations may apply to the programme for a full or partial bursary.

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⁽⁾urorganisations, given a chance, may develop a partrirular expertise. But do we have the capaaty to (1050 - and, ifnol, who does? And how does the person who has that expertise use it to develop participation and the decisio; I-rmzking process?

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'ITuining takes place lhmugh an interactive process: case studies. group work lectures rescurch. role play. tusks and excursions.

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