The Postgraduate Diploma in Procurement Management primarily aims at providing students with a rigorous conceptual framework and systematic knowledge on the best practices in procurement management while ensuring efficient and effective utilisation of organisational resources. Furthermore, this programme aims to develop a deep understanding of sustainable public procurement practices to promote integrity, transparency and the attainment of national developmental goals.

**Admission Requirements**
This programme admits candidates with a Bachelor’s degree in any discipline or an equivalent qualification at NQF Level 7 from a recognised institution, worth at least NQF 360 credits. At least three years of procurement related work experience in the public or private sector is required. NUST reserves the right to apply any admission criteria deemed relevant in instances of different, yet equivalent, industry-based experience.

Applicant’s competency in English language is demonstrated in one or more of the following ways:
- The requisite undergraduate qualification was obtained from a higher education institution with English as the medium of instruction.
- Achieve a score at the minimum of Band Seven (7) on the International English Language Testing System (IELTS) or an equivalent test.
- Alternatively, proficiency in the English language should be demonstrated at the appropriate level through written assessments under controlled conditions. At the same time, applicants may also be required to take part in an interview.

**Duration and Mode of Study**
This one-year programme will be offered on block release mode through online and blended learning, and per NUST rules and regulations.

**Possible Career Opportunities**
Demand and Supply Chain Planners, Procurement Specialist, Procurement Managers, Supply Chain Managers