ICDL Training and Testing Centre at Manipal University Dubai

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Manipal University Dubai has joined hands with the International Computer Driving License (ICDL) GCC Foundation in order to offer the internationally recognized certifications. The Department of Information Technology has been successfully accredited as the ICDL authorized Training and Testing Centre. The Department is currently offering the ICDL certification to Bachelor of Science in Information Systems Management (BSc – ISM) and the Bachelor of Arts in Interior design (BA – ID) students. This course is open for Manipal University students from other programmes as well as students from other Institutes.

The campus of Manipal University Dubai, situated at Block 7, Dubai International Academic City, www.mahedubai.com

Dr. B. Ramjee,
Director, Manipal University Dubai

Dr. B. Ramjee, Director of Manipal University Dubai feels that "*Industry recognized certifications are invaluable for the fresh young graduates to be more competitive in the global workforce*". This alliance augers well for the Asian Subcontinent students, for whom Manipal University Dubai remains as a preferred Educational Institution. The students can thus achieve internationally acclaimed industrial credentials in addition to their Academic Qualifications. This can sufficiently enrich the student profile and can lead to better employment opportunities.

Jamil Ezzo, Director General, ICDL GCC Foundation said, "ICDL GCC Foundation has been committed to providing access to world class training in basic IT skills to the entire society in the Gulf region. The recent roll-out of the ICDL centre at Manipal University in Dubai will help in furthering the scope of ICDL in the higher Education sector. Manipal University shares our vision in empowering society through the delivery of targeted knowledge that helps develop equitable skills in the new knowledge economy."

ICDL Training and Testing facilities at Manipal University Dubai