



# MA in Children's Rights Studies



**CENTER FOR HUMAN RIGHTS**

## Program Description

The Center for Human Rights, Addis Ababa University, is pleased to announce a new state of the art academic program ‘Master of Arts (M.A.) in Children’s Rights Studies’ which is the first of its kind in Ethiopia. The objective of the program is to offer quality and rigorous graduate level multidisciplinary training in children’s rights studies. Taking the discourse on human rights as a foundation, the program approaches children’s rights issues from diverse academic disciplines including human rights, law, sociology, social work, psychology, and development studies. It aims to graduate qualified experts that have the necessary knowledge and skills to be engaged in different sectors working with children and to address the multifaceted challenges of children in Ethiopia. The program will include international exchange programs offering opportunities for students to gain international experiences and improve their skills to undertake advanced research practices.

## Admission Requirements

Candidates will be eligible to apply for admission if they possess Bachelor’s Degree (Undergraduate degree) in Social Work, Psychology, Sociology, Political Science, Economics, Law, and Development, and Gender Studies. Having a master's degree in the above disciplines including Human Rights is a plus for an applicant.

The applicants should have a minimum of 2.00 CGPA in the undergraduate degree as per the regulation of the University. The applicants are also expected to pass the entrance exam (at least 50% of it) prepared by the program. Other requirements designed by the program such as preparing Letter of Intent and sitting for interviews have to be attended by the applicants upon request.

CHR welcomes potential applicants who have a desire to pursue Children’s Rights Studies and fulfill the above-mentioned eligibility criteria.

**Apply online via [portal.aau.edu.et](http://portal.aau.edu.et)**

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