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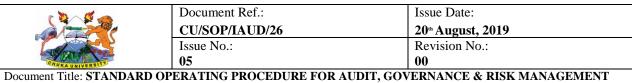
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1.0 AMENDMENT RECORD

This Standard Operating Procedure is reviewed regularly to ensure relevance to the systems and process that it defines. A record of contextual additions or omissions is given below.

Amendment Record Sheet

Amendment	Issue	Revision	Page	Subject of Review	Revised By	Reviewed &
Date	No.	No.	No.	/Modification		Approved By
20/8/2019	05	00	6 to 12	Added "resources" in all processes by revising inputs heading to read "inputs/resources" and expanding the section as necessary	HOD	ISO M.R./VC
20/8/2019	05	00	12	Revised KPIs in quality objectives to be "measurable"	HOD	ISO M.R./VC
20/8/2019	05	00	12 to 14	Revised quality objectives to distinguish from routine duties and responsibility, & infused actions that will ensure customer satisfaction	HOD	ISO M.R./VC
20/8/2019	05	00	16	Revised risks to capture factually binding and persistent ones	HOD	ISO M.R./VC
20/8/2019	05	00	18	Generated stand-alone Opportunities for the Department and de-linked them from Risks	HOD	ISO M.R./VC

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2.0 GENERAL

2.1 Purpose

Internal auditing is an independent, objective assurance and consulting activity designed to add value and improve an organisations operations. It helps an organisation accomplish its objectives by bringing a systematic, disciplined approach to evaluate and improve the effectiveness of risk management, control and governance processes. The audit procedure provides guidelines to achieving the above-mentioned objective in a timely and cost-effectiveness manner.

2.2 Scope

The procedure is applicable to but is not limited to all system audits, audit investigations and any other assignments as assigned by the Vice-Chancellor/CEO.

2.3 References

- (i) Kenya Constitution, 2010
- (ii) Universities Act No. 42 of 2012
- (iii) CU Charter, 2013
- (iv) CU Statutes, 2014
- (v) CU Strategic Plan, 2017-2022
- (vi) CU Internal Audit Charter, 2017
- (vii) Exchequer and Audit Act/Public Audit Act, 2003
- (viii) International Auditing Standards
- (ix) International Financial Reporting Standards
- (x) ISO 9001:2015 Standard, Clauses 4 to 10
- (xi) CU ISO Quality Management System Manual, 2017
- (xii) CU Customer Service Delivery Charter
- (xiii) Public Officer Ethics Act, 2003
- (xiv) CU Code of Conduct and Ethics Policy, 2014
- (xv) CU Policies
- (xvi) Public Procurement and Asset Disposal Act, 2015
- (xvii) Public Procurement and Disposal Regulations, 2016
- (xviii) State Corporations Act Cap. 446
- (xix) Public Finance Management Act, 2012
- (xx) Public Finance Management Regulations, 2015 (National Government)

2.4. Abbreviations

AGRMC = Audit, Governance and Risk Management Committee

CEO = Chief Executive Officer CU = Chuka University

DVC (AFPD) = Deputy Vice-Chancellor (Administration, Finance, Planning & Development)

GRNs = Goods Received Notes HOD = Head of Department

IIA = Institute of Internal Auditors ISA = International Standard for Auditing

LPO = Local Purchase Orders
M.R. = Management Representative

PCA = Pay Change Advice RQs = Requisition Notes VC = Vice-Chancellor

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2.5. Definition of Terms

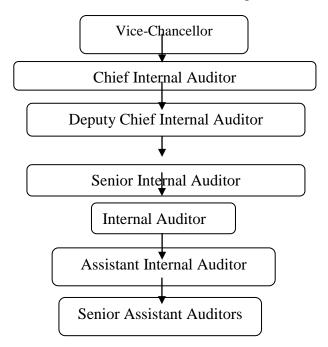
- (i) **An Audit Query**: This refers to an audit matter raised by the internal auditor requiring the account or the relevant official to provide an explanation or clarification relating to the matter raised. This may include provision of supporting documents needed to ascertain validity and fairness of a transaction.
- (ii) **Systems Audit**: This is an audit conducted to provide assurance whether, the objectives of the university unit are being achieved, and the system design and operations are efficient.
- (iii) **Accountable Document**: Validated official document that has a monetary value and must be accounted for e.g. LPO, Quotations, Payment Vouchers, Cheques, Imprest, Invoices, GRN's, RQs, Supplier Delivery Note

2.6 Responsibility

The Chief Internal Auditor has the primary responsibility of ensuring that this procedure is implemented and remains adequate for its intended purpose and providing information from which the documentation for their processes and activities can be compiled and for initiating action to keep them up to date. All departmental staff members are responsible for implementing and ensuring that these procedures are followed.

3.0 ADMINISTRATIVE STRUCTURE

The Administrative structure for the Internal Audit Office is given below



4.0 PROCESSES

4.1 Overview

The main activities of the Audit Department include:

- (i) Audit Investigation
- (ii) Systems Audit

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- (iii) Post-Auditing of Payments, Receipts & Other Accounting Documents
- (iv) Pre-Audit of Payments, Receipts & Other Accounting Documents
- (v) Opening of Quotations
- (vi) Monthly Payroll Pre-Audit Process
- (vii) Tender Box Opening

4.2 Process for Audit Investigation

4.2.1 Source

CU/SOP/VCIM/01

4.2.2 Required inputs/resources

- A call for investigation
- Standards and guidelines
- Resource persons (Experts)
- Stationery
- Furniture and Equipment
- Suitable working environment
- Facilitation budget

4.2.3 Expected outputs

- Investigation report
- System audit report

4.2.4 Receiver(s)

CU/SOP/VCIM/01; AGRMC; Council

4.2.5 Procedure details

No.	Description	Output	Responsibility
1.	Receipt of a call for an investigation from VC/CEO		HOD
2.	Plans the investigation, determines the scope and the	Audit	HOD/ CEO
	parties to be involved and the resources required	programme	
3.	Review of all the relevant policy guidelines and	Check list	Audit team
	procedures that govern the affected operations.		
4.	Obtaining all the relevant documents and other	Paper work	Audit team
	relevant information in physical or soft copy		
5.	Verification and analysis of the relevant documents.	Audit working	Audit team
		papers	
6.	Interview of persons concerned where necessary.	Interview notes	Audit team
7.	The Auditor gets written statements from persons	Paper work	Audit team
	mentioned or connected as considered necessary.		
8.	Formation of an opinion on the irregularity,	Draft Report	Audit Team
	malpractice or fraud		
9.	Preparation and submission of a report on the	Report	HOD

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findings to the VC/CEO.	

4.3 Process for Systems Audit

4.3.1 Source

CU/SOP/VCIM/01

4.3.2 Required inputs/resources

- Audit work plan and programme
- Standards and guidelines
- Resource persons (Experts)

4.3.3 Expected outputs

• Audit reports and recommendations

4.3.4 Receivers

CU/SOP/VCIM/01; AGRMC; Council

4.3.5 Procedure details

No.	Description	Output	Responsibility
1.	Preparation of the Draft Annual Work Plan	Draft AAWP	HIA
2.	Presentation of the Annual Audit Work Plan to the	Approved	Chair, AGRMC
	AGRM Committee for approval	AAWP	& HIA
3.	Preparation of audit programme based on the	Audit	HIA
	approved Annual Work Plan to ensure that all	programme	
	identifiable risks are covered during the audit		
4.	Notification of the Auditee of the intended audit.	Audit Working	HIA
		Papers	
5.	Conducting entrance conference to discuss and agree	Opening	Audit team
	on the purpose, scope and the timing of the audit.	attendance	
6.	conducting the Audit review in accordance with the	Audit Working	Audit team
	plan and laid down procedures as per ISA standards	Papers	
7.	Discussion of the findings with the Auditee in an	Exit meeting	HIA/ Audit
	exit conference as per the work plan	attendance	team
8.	Preparation of a draft report discussed with the	Draft Report	HIA/ Audit
	Auditee and any outstanding issues are clarified.		team
9.	Forwarding of the draft report to the Auditee for	Feedback	HIA/Auditee
	feedback/ Responses within two weeks.		
10.	Receiving of the Auditee responses within two	Responses	HIA/Auditee
	weeks and all Reponses to be supported.		
11.	Preparation of the final report, comprising of	Report	HIA
	practical recommendations to the Management.		
	Final Report may also be shared with the Auditee.		
12.	Following up on all recommendations on the	Follow up visit	HIA

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improvement of systems to ensure implementation.	/ memo	

4.4 Process for Post-auditing of Payments, Receipts & Other Accounting Documents

4.4.1 Source

CU/SOP/FIND/24; CU/SOP/RADP/04

4.4.2 Required inputs/resources

Accounting documents/payments Standards and guidelines Resource persons (Experts)

4.4.3 Expected outputs

Processed payment

4.4.4 Receivers

CU/SOP/FIND/24; CU/SOP/VCIM/01

4.4.5 Procedure details

No.	Description	Output	Responsibility
1.	Receipt of documents in the Internal Audit	Payment	Auditor
	Department	documents	
2.	Determining whether documents received are correct,	Verification	Auditor/FO
	accurate, authentic and reflect the true and fair view	notes	
	of the actual operations and corporate guidelines		
3.	Performance of analytical and other evaluations	Analytical	Auditor
		notes	
4.	Examinations of relevant documentation and other	Examination	Auditor
	material.	notes	
5.	Performance of inspections, test checks and uses and	Inspection	Auditor
	other verifications as necessary.	notes	
6.	Calling for support documentation from the user	Gapping notes	Auditor
7.	Comparison with prevailing industry position	Notes	Auditor
8.	Appraisal of existing internal control system and	Appraisal	Auditor
	processes and level of compliance relating to	notes	
	submitted documents.		
9.	Processing of payments / accounting documents	Processed	Auditor
		payment	

4.5 Process for Pre-Audit of Payments, Receipts & Other Accounting Documents

4.5.1 Source

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4.5.2 Required inputs/resources

Accounting documents/payments Standards and guidelines Resource persons (Experts)

4.5.3 Expected outputs

Processed payment

4.5.4 Receivers

CU/SOP/FIND/24; Employees

4.5.5 Procedure details

No.	Description	Output	Responsibility
1.	Receipt of payment documents in the Internal Audit Department	Payment documents	Auditor
2.	Ascertainment of correctness of accounting documents before payment is made	Verification notes	Auditor/ FO
3.	Ascertainment of compliance with both external and internal statutory provisions and management guidelines as issued from time to time.	Compliance notes	Auditor
4.	Determining whether documents presented to auditors are correct, accurate, authentic and present true and fair view of the actual operations and corporate guidelines	Validation notes	Auditor
5.	Use of analytical and other evaluations to audit	Analytical notes	Auditor
6.	Examination of relevant documentation and other material	Examination notes	Auditor
7.	Performance of inspections, test checks and uses other verification as necessary.	Validation notes	Auditor
8.	Calling for support documentation from the user	Gapping notes	Auditor
9.	Comparison with prevailing industry position	Comparison notes	Auditor
10.	Appraisal of existing internal control system and processes and level of compliance.	Appraisal notes	Auditor
11.	Processing of payments / accounting documents	Processed payment	Auditor

4.6 Process for Opening of Quotations

4.6.1 Source

CU/SOP/PROD/25

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4.6.2 Required inputs/resources

Quotations Standards, guidelines and regulations Resource persons (Experts)

4.6.3 Expected outputs

Fairness and Transparency in procurement activities.

4.6.4 Receivers

CU/SOP/PROD/25; CU/SOP/DVCF/02; CU/SOP/VCIM/01; Employees

4.6.5 Procedure details

SN	Description	Output	Responsibility
1.	The Procurement Department gives an alert on the	Received	Auditor
	need to open quotations	quotations	
2.	Opening of the quotation box in the presence of	Opening	Auditor
	representatives from the User Department, Internal	minutes	
	Audit Department and Procurement Department.		
3.	Checking whether Quotations received electronically	Passwords	Auditor
	are opened by a committee with restricted passwords.	opening	
		verification	
4.	Checking for responsiveness in terms of number of	Responsiveness	Auditor
	people who have responded (min is three suppliers).	notes	
5.	The quotations are signed by the user and the	Signed opened	Auditor
	procurement representatives respectively in the	quotations	
	presence of the auditor.		
6.	The quotations are handed over to the Procurement	Signed opened	Chair of
	Department for evaluation.	quotations	Opening team

4.7 Process for Monthly Payroll Pre-Audit Process

4.7.1 Source

CU/SOP/FIND/24; CU/SOP/RADP/04

4.7.2 Required inputs/resources

The draft payroll Standards and guidelines Resource persons (Experts)

4.7.3 Expected outputs

Processed payroll

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4.7.3 Receivers

CU/SOP/VCIM/01; CU/SOP/FIND/24

Procedure details

SN	Description	Output	Responsibility
1.	Presentation of the payroll for the month from	Complete &	Finance Officer
	Finance Department by 24 th of the month	Supported Payroll	
		Schedules	
2.	Checking for authorisation by Registrar (A& P)	Authorization notes	Auditor
3.	Confirmation that all changes are supported by	Confirmation	Auditor
	properly authorised PCA's.	documents	
4.	Confirmation that any new employees have a	Verified new	Auditor
	genuine copy of appointment letters	entries	
5.	Checking calculations of statutory deductions.	Verified	Auditor
		calculations	
6.	Checking for arithmetic accuracy of the entire	Verified arithmetic	Auditor
	payroll	accuracy	
7.	Confirms that the net amounts in the payroll are	Cross-checked	Auditor
	the amounts written in the payment cheques	payroll & cheques	
8.	Confirms employees who have left are	Verified terminated	Auditor
	terminated in the payroll.	employees	

4.8 Process for Tender Box Opening

4.8.1 Source

CU/SOP/PROD/25

Required inputs/resources

Advertised tenders Standards, guidelines and regulations Resource persons (Experts)

4.8.3 Expected outputs

Tender documents
Tender opening report/minutes

4.8.4 Receivers

CU/SOP/PROD/25; CU/SOP/VCIM/01

4.8.5 Procedure details

SN	Description	Output	Responsibility
1.	Notification by Procurement Department about	Tender Bids	Auditor
	opening of an Open Tender		
2.	Attending tender opening as observers for open	Tender opening	Auditor
	tenders.	attendance	

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3.	The tenders are opened in the presence of bidders and	Tender opening	Auditor
	tender opening committee	notes	
4.	Verify the documents submitted	Verified	Auditor
		documents	
5.	The bids are handed to the Procurement Department	Tender opening	Auditor
	to organise for evaluation.	minutes	

5. RECORDS/RETAINED DOCUMENTED INFORMATION

Minutes of Departmental meetings Audit reports Annual Audit Work Plan AGRMC Minutes Audit working papers

6.0 KEY PERFORMANCE INDICATORS/OBJECTIVES

6.1. Key Performance Indicators

- (i) Percentage of audit investigation conducted
- (ii) Percentage of systems audit conducted
- (iii) Percentage of post-auditing done
- (iv) Percentage of pre-audit done
- (v) Percentage timely opening of quotations minutes
- (vi) Percentage of monthly payroll pre-audit process done
- (vii) Percentage of timely tender box opening done
- (viii) Percentage compliance with statutory rules, regulations and acts
- (ix) Percentage audit feedback issued on time

6.2. Quality Objectives

Linked Strategic Objective(s):

- SO 22: Strengthening University Governance for Effective Decision Making
- SO 24: Development and Projection of a Positive Image of the University
- SO 26: Improvement of Productivity, Efficiency and Effectiveness
- SO 27: Compliance with Statutory Requirements
- **1. Quality Objective:** To monitor and evaluate the effectiveness of the University's risk management processes and mechanisms and complete before end of stipulated time

Strategy (Actions/Activities required to achieve the objective)

Inclusion of the university corporate risks in the preparation of the annual audit work plan Understanding of the University policies, procedures policies and other regulations

Responsibility	Resources Required	Timeline	Measure of Success (KPIs)
HOD Internal Audit	Policies, regulations and procedures	Continuous	Percentage follow up coverage on adequacy of the
	Strategic Plan Statutes, staff & stationery		risk matrix assessed
Review dates:	Quarterly		

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Linked Strategic Objective(s):

SO 25: Maintenance and Improvement of Quality Assurance

SO 27: Compliance with Statutory Requirements

2. Quality Objective: To continuously provide independent assurance on adequacy of internal control systems to include 7 Faculties up from 5 Faculties, or achieve 85% AAWP

Strategy (Actions/Activities required to achieve the objective

Implementation of management requests

Implementation of the Annual Audit Work Plan.

Responsibility	Resources Required	Timeline	Measure of Success (KPIs)
HOD Internal Audit	Approved Annual Audit	Continuous	Implementation of at least
	Work Plan		85% of the AAWP
	Procedures, Policies		% audit reports generated
	Regulations & Guidelines		% implementation of audit
	Staff & stationeries		recommendations
Review dates:	Quarterly		

Linked Strategic Objective(s):

SO 27: Compliance with the Constitution and Statutory Requirements

3. Quality Objective: To increase compliance/adherence with laid down statutory laws, rules and regulations to 100% from 95%

Strategy (Actions/Activities required to achieve the objective

Preparation of annual work plan to include statutory audits, CUE Requirements and other laws

Responsibility	Resources Required	Timeline	Measure of Success (KPIs)
HOD Internal Audit	Statutes & Constitution,	Continuous	Implementations of Audit
	Staff & stationeries,		Recommendation on
	Different regulation		compliance requirements
	documents such as PFM,		Compliance by the
	PPOA ACT, etc.		University with Regulations.
Review dates:	Quarterly		

Linked Strategic Objective(s):

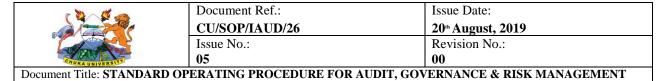
SO 26: Improvement of Productivity, Effectiveness and Efficiency

4. Quality Objective: To increase periodic reporting on internal audit activity purpose, authority, responsibility and performance to 100% up from 95%

Strategy (Actions/Activities required to achieve the objective)

Having Departmental meetings quarterly to discuss the progress of audit activities.

Responsibility	Resources Required	Timeline	Measure of Success (KPIs)
Internal Audit Team	Staff & stationeries	Continuous	Quality of reports prepared
	Continuous Training of the		Practical recommendations
	staff in the department		Pre-audit activities
	Provision with new		% feedback issued
	guidelines		
Review dates:	Quarterly		



Risk identification table (For information – refer to complete the register below)

Risk	identification	table (For information – refer to	o complete the register below)
SN	Risk	Source	Impact
		(How can the risk occur)	(What is the impact of the risk occurring)
1	Inherent Risk	Susceptibility of an assertion to a misstatement that could be material, individually or when aggregated with other misstatements, assuming that there are no related controls. Inherent risk is addressed at both the financial statement level and at the assertion level.	These are the University and other risks that arise from the University objectives, nature of operations and industry, the regulatory environment in which it operates and its size and complexity. The risks of material misstatement will vary based on the nature of the account balance or class of transaction. Risks of particular concern to the auditor might include: Complex calculations which could be misstated; High value inventory; Accounting estimates that are subject to significant measurement uncertainty; Failure of ERP or some module becoming obsolete.
2	Fraud Risk (Part of inherent or possible control risk)	The risk of an intentional act by one or more individuals among management, governance, employees or third parties, involving use of deception to obtain unjust or illegal advantage.	There are two types of intentional misstatement that are relevant to the auditor: 1. Misstatements resulting from fraudulent financial reporting; and 2. Misstatements resulting from misappropriation of assets.
3	Control Risk (Do internal controls in place mitigate the inherent risks?)	Risk that the University internal control system will not prevent, or detect and correct on a timely basis, a misstatement that could be material, individually or when aggregated with other misstatements.	The University should identify and assess its business and other risks (such as fraud) and respond by designing and implementing a system of internal control. University level controls such as AGRMC oversight, IT general controls, and HR policies are pervasive to all assertions whereas activity level controls generally relate to specific assertions. Some control risk will always exist because of the inherent limitations of any internal control system. The auditor is required to understand the entity's internal control and perform procedures to assess the risks of material misstatement at the assertion level.
4	Combined Risk	This is a term that is sometimes used to refer to the assessed (inherent and control risk) risks of material misstatement at both the Financial Statement level and the assertion level.	Auditors can make separate or combined assessments of inherent and control risks depending on preferred audit techniques or methodologies and practical considerations.
5	Detection Risk	This is the risk that the auditor will not detect a misstatement that exists in an assertion that could be material, either individually or when aggregated with other misstatements. The acceptable level of detection risk for a given level of audit risk bears an inverse relationship to the risks of material misstatement at the assertion level	The auditor identifies assertions where there are risks of material misstatement and concentrates audit procedures on those areas. In designing and evaluating the results of performing procedures, the auditor should consider the possibility of: 1. Selecting an inappropriate audit procedure; 2. Misapplying an appropriate audit procedure; or 3. Misinterpreting the results from an audit procedure.

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Risk Identification Key

Likelihood	Consequence	Raw Risk (Likelihood x
		consequence)
1: Low, very unlikely	1: insignificant, consequences are	1 - 3: Low, managed within
less than 10% chance	very low, can lead to nil/minor	existing controls, monitor
of occurring	disruptions (1 day), leads to no	annually
	financial loses	
2: Medium, possible	2: Moderate, consequences are	4 - 6: Medium, evaluate
20% - 60% chance of	moderate, disruption can be up to a	efficiency of existing controls or
occurring	week, financial loss can be up to	implement mitigation plan,
	\$10,000	monitor quarterly or 6 monthly
3: High, likely to	3: Serious, consequences are	7 - 9: High, implement mitigation
almost certain 70% -	adverse, can lead to legal	plan immediately, escalate to
100% chance of	prosecutions, media coverage,	senior management, monitor
occurring	investigation by statutory body,	weekly or monthly
	complete loss of service delivery	
	or financial loss of > \$ 100,000	

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RISK REGISTER

Note for monitoring, the responses are: What = risk described. Why = prevent/correct consequence. How = mitigations/controls. Who = risk owner.

Risk name/				Potent	Mitigations/ controls	-				Actual		
description	Risk Consequences	(L)	(C)	Risk = (LxC)	(Opportunities source)	Risk Owner	Monitoring	LA	CA	RI= LA*CA	RR% = RI/PR	EC%
Substandard reports	Substandard recommendation	2	2	4	-Predetermination of the required documents -Proper allocation of assignments; On-job training of employees	Audit team	Quarterly	1	2	2	50%	50%
Failure to comply with the statutes	-Summons by the government -Damaged reputation -Legal suit	1	3	3	Informing the auditees on the consequences	HOD	Continuous	1	0	0	0%	100%
Unresponsive auditees/ delayed responses	Non-adherence to the annual work plan	3	3	9	-Follow ups with auditees -Development audit programme and sharing with the auditees	Audit team	Weekly/ quarterly	2	4	8	90%	10%
External interference with the audit activities/ Independency	Non objectivity/ independence	3	3	9	-Training of audit staff on objectivity & independence -Development of audit objectives	HOD	Bi- Annual	2	2	4	44%	56%
Leakage of audit Reports/ Confidentiality	Lack of objectivity	2	3	6	-Signing of oath of secrecy -Adherence to code of ethics	Audit Team	Continuous	1	3	3	50%	50%
Complex University Operations/ Business Impact risks	Inherent audit risk	3	3	9	-Good understanding of business operation -Updated Audit working Papers Continuous education of audit staff	Audit Team	Continuous	2	3	6	56%	44%
Fraud at Financial or Asset level	Loss to the University	2	3	6	-Ensuring good internal controls -Adherence and compliance with financial rules/policies -Safeguarding University assets	HOD	Continuous	1	3	3	50%	50%

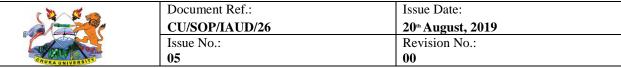
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Lapses in IT Controls	Weak Internal Control Systems	2	2	4	-Ensuring Internal Controls are working	HOD	Continuously	1	3	3	25%	75%
Inappropriate audit Procedures	Lack of objectivity	2	2	4	-Ensuring workable audit programmes -Reporting on overall audit programme status	Audit team		1	2	2	50%	50%
Misinterpretation of the results from an audit procedures	Lack of objectivity	2	2	4	-Having practical working programmes -Ensuring Audit peer review of the Audit reports and Audit working papers -Ensuring audit results are properly supported/ evidence based reports/ statement -Ensuring timely issuance of audit reports	HoD	Continuously	2	1	2	50%	50%

Key: LA= Likelihood achieved. CA= Consequence achieved. RI= Risk incidences encountered. RR% = Residual Risk

EC (%) = Effectiveness of Control

Potent Risk (PR): Refers to potential raw risk that is anticipated. EC% = 100% - RR%



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OPP	OPPORTUNITIES TABLE			
S/N	Opportunities	Action plan	Time line	Effectiveness status
1	Community goodwill	Collaborate with the	Continuous	80%
	and support	community to encourage		
		them on the available		
		programmes		
2	Potential	Thoroughly audit University	Continuous	80%
	funding/grant agencies	/Agencies grants and issue		
		recommendations based on		
		best practices		
3	National and County	Monitor the implementation	Continuous	80%
	government	of rules and regulations for		
		continuous improvement by		
		the auditees		
4	Increasing demand for	Undertake audit review of	Twice a year	70%
	higher education and	the entity processes to ensure		
	professional	operation is as stated in SOP		
	programmes			
5	Kenya attainment of	Embrace ISO 9001-2015 for	Continuous	70%
	middle income	quality audit report		
	economic status in			
	global arena			

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APPENDIX I: PROCESS MAPS

i. Audit Investigation		
RESPONSIBILITY	ACTION	
VICE- CHANCELLOR/DEPUTY VICE-CHANCELLOR (AFPD)/INTERNAL AUDITOR	To issue appointment letters once a situation warranting such arise	
INTERNAL AUDIT	Formulation of programme on investigation based on the terms of reference	
CLIENT/DEPARTMENT CONCERNED	Provision of all records needed for the task by the Auditor	
INTERNAL AUDIT	To write to appointing authority on whether they have received all records for task. If yes proceed with task. If no let appointing authority know the limiting factors. NO/YES	
INTERNAL AUDIT	Analysis of findings and preparation of the report	
VC/DEPUTY VICE- CHANCELLOR (AFPD)	Receive the report of the investigation from Internal Audit End	

ii. Post-Auditing of Payments, Receipts and Other Accounting Documents

RESPONSIBILITY	ACTION
FINANCE OFFICER	Start
	To avail payment vouchers for payments and receipts arranged in box files in serial order of their payments and receipts
INTERNAL AUDIT	Checks all payments to verify financial regulations and corporate guidelines are observed in all payments. Test sample may be used
INTERNAL AUDIT	To check and ensure payment cheques follow serial order. In case of irregularity to check with Finance Officer and satisfy the omission NO/YES
INTERNAL AUDIT	Analysis of the findings and preparation of the report
VICE-CHANCELLOR	Receive the report on Post-Audit for action as per recommendations in the report End

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iii. Pre-Audit of Payments, Receipts and Other Accounting Documents

RESPONSIBILITY	ACTION
FINANCE OFFICER	To ensure all payments vouchers are submitted to the Department for examination
INTERNAL AUDIT	Receive all payment vouchers brought by a payment voucher register
INTERNAL AUDIT	Ascertain correctness of accounting documents. Check on statutory provisions and management guidelines as issued from time to time
INTERNAL AUDIT	Processes and examines all correct documents. Unsupported documents are queried. All vouchers are entered in a register for submission to Finance Office
FINANCE OFFICER	Receive documents for second signature for cleared payment.
REPRESENTATIVE	Queried vouchers received for concerned to comply with query.
VICE-CHANCELLOR	Receive a report from audit for areas in the process which requires his attention End

iv. System Audit

RESPONSIBILITY	ACTION	
VICE-CHANCELLOR AUDITOR	He/she provides guidelines on how to conduct system audit based on riskiness of auditable area	
AUDIT STAFF	Prepares audit programme of area he/she is allocated for approval by Vice-Chancellor Auditor	
AUDIT STAFF	Familiarize with client department and arranges for familiarization day with client before starting actual system audit	
AUDIT STAFF	Client to avail all documents necessary for compilation of report	
AUDIT STAFF	Compilation and submission of report and filter it for onward transmission	
VC/ AUDITOR	Receive report and filter it for submission onward	
VC	Receive report of system audit for action	
	End	