**EHS 3211 LEADERSHIP IN ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH (2 CU)**

**Aim**

i) To improve the leadership skills of students graduating from the Bachelor of Environmental Health Science programme.

ii) To improve the delivery of environmental health services to communities.

**Course Objectives**

By the end of this course, the student should be able to:

i) Apply factors which motivate people to perform their duties

ii) Decide when, how, why and whom to delegate authority and responsibility

iii) Choose the style of supervision that suits the team and working environment

iv) Appreciate the role of leadership qualities and political involvement in promoting environmental health.

**Course Outline**

Teambuilding; setting objectives; motivating team members; delegating authority and responsibility; strategic leadership practice; and using different styles of supervision.

**Assessment**

- Individual assignments for progressive assessment

- Final exam: MCQ’s, short answer and long assay questions.

**Suggested Reading List**

1. Lecture handouts and additional materials on reserve at the MUSPH Resource Centre.

2. Kotter John P. Leading Change. (1996) Harvard Business School Press.