



CALL FOR APPLICATIONS

2023/2024 INTAKE FOR MATURE ENTRY AND UPGRADING PROGRAMMES

The Malawi University of Business and Applied Sciences (MUBAS) a leading institution in entrepreneurship and innovation, was established as a public university by an Act of Parliament Number 19 of 2019. The University is positioned to meet the multi-faced needs of industry and society at large, by offering a range of undergraduate programmes in the following Schools:

- A. Built Environment
- B. Business and Economic Sciences
- C. Education, Communication and Media Studies
- D. Engineering
- E. Science and Technology.

The University is inviting applications from suitably qualified persons for admission into its mature entry and upgrading programmes for the 2023/2024 academic year.

GENERAL ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

The requirement for admission into the university shall be based on:

1. Six credits at MSCE or its equivalent including English Language plus relevant Diploma qualification from accredited institution
2. Four credits at MSCE or its equivalent including English Language plus relevant Diploma qualification and a minimum of 2 years' relevant work experience

Specific requirements for each programme are detailed below:

1. SCHOOL OF BUILT ENVIRONMENT

| PROGRAMME | PROGRAMME CODE | MODE OF DELIVERY | PROGRAMME DURATION | YEAR OF ENTRY | SPECIFIC PROGRAMME ENTRY REQUIREMENTS |
|--|----------------|------------------|--------------------|---------------|--|
| a. Bachelor of Architectural Studies | MUB-BARC | Full-time | 4Years | Year 3 | Diploma in Architectural Studies/ Construction Technology/Quantity Surveying or any related field and MSCE or its equivalent with credits in Mathematics and Physical Science/ Chemistry and Physics. Candidates with credits in Art and Technical Drawing will have an added advantage. |
| b. Bachelor of Architecture (Honours) | MUB-BARC(Hons) | Full-time | 7 Years | Year 6 | Bachelor of Science Degree in Architectural Studies. Candidates must also submit the following in addition to other requirements: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Year Practical Experience Report Design Technology Case Study Report (outline to be collected from MUBAS) Letter of Recommendation from a Registered Architect or other allied Registered professionals (Engineers and Quantity Surveyors) proving that they have worked for not less than one year. |
| c. Bachelor of Science in Land Economy (Honours) | MUB-BLE (Hons) | Full-time | 5 Years | Year2/3 | Diploma in Land Economy//Estate Management/Land Surveying/Land Administration/Quantity Surveying or any other related programme plus MSCE or its equivalent with credits in Mathematics and Geography. Candidates with credit in Technical Drawing will have an added advantage. |
| d. Bachelor of Science in Land Surveying (Honours) | MUB-BLS (Hons) | Full-time | 5 Years | Year 3 | Diploma in Land Surveying/ Civil Engineering/ Land Administration/Physical Planning or any Land related programme plus MSCE or its equivalent with credits in Mathematics, Physical Science/ (Physics & Chemistry) and Geography. |
| e. Bachelor of Science in Quantity Surveying (Honours) | MUB-BQS (Hons) | Full-time | 5 Years | Year 2/3 | Diploma in Quantity Surveying/Construction Technology/Architecture or any related field and MSCE or its equivalent with credits in Mathematics and Physical Science/ (Physics and Chemistry) and Geography. |
| f. Bachelor of Science in Physical Planning (Honours) | MUB-BPP (Hons) | Full-time | 5 Years | Year 3 | Diploma in Physical Planning/Urban Planning and Management/Land Administration/Land Surveying or any related field and MSCE or its equivalent with credits in Mathematics and Geography |

2. SCHOOL OF BUSINESS AND ECONOMIC SCIENCES

| PROGRAMME | PROGRAMME CODE | MODE OF DELIVERY | PROGRAMME DURATION | YEAR OF ENTRY | SPECIFIC PROGRAMME ENTRY REQUIREMENTS |
|---|----------------|------------------|--------------------|---------------|---|
| a. Bachelor of Business Administration (Generic) | MUB-BBA | Weekend classes | 4 years | Year 3 | Diploma in Business Studies/Management/Marketing from recognized University/Advanced Diploma (Level 6 Diploma) in Business Studies or Administration from a recognized institution or examining body and MSCE with credit in Mathematics. Board of Governors Diploma in Business Studies/ Secretarial Studies ICAM or PAEC Diploma with an MSCE pass in Mathematics |
| | | | | Year 2 | Diploma (Level 5 Diploma) in Business Studies/Management/Marketing or any business related field from recognized examining body and MSCE with credit in Mathematics. |
| b. Bachelor of Accountancy | MUB-BAC | Weekend classes | 4 years | Year 3 | Diploma in Accounting from a recognized examining body and MSCE with credit in Mathematics ICAM or PAEC Diploma with an MSCE pass in Mathematics ACCA Technician Diploma, or an Advanced diploma (Level 6 diploma) in Accounting from a recognized examining body |
| | | | | Year 2 | Diploma (Level 5 Diploma) in Accounting or related discipline from a recognized examining body plus MSCE credit in Mathematics |
| c. Bachelor of Procurement and Logistics Management | MUB-BPLM | Weekend classes | 4 years | Year 3 | Graduate/Professional Diploma in Purchasing and Supply Management/Advanced Diploma (Level 6 Diploma) in Business Studies from a recognized examining body and MSCE credit in Mathematics Board of Governors Diploma in Business Studies/Secretarial Studies ICAM or PAEC Diploma with an MSCE pass in Mathematics |
| | | | | Year 2 | Diploma (Level 5 diploma) in Purchasing and Supply Management/Diploma in Business Studies from a recognized examining body and MSCE credit in Mathematics |

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| d. Bachelor of Commerce (Internal Auditing) | MUB-BCOMIA | Full -time | 4 years | Year 3 | Diploma in Business Studies/Management/ Marketing from recognized institution of higher learning plus MSCE credit in Mathematics Advanced Diploma (Level 6 diploma) in Business Studies / Management/ Marketing from a recognized examining body Board of Governors Diploma in Business Studies/ Secretarial Studies plus MSCE credit in Mathematics ICAM/PAEC or ACCA Diploma with an MSCE pass in Mathematics |
| | | | | Year 2 | Diploma (Level 5 diploma) in Business Studies / Management/ Marketing from a recognized examining body plus, MSCE credit in Mathematics Board of Governors Diploma in Secretarial Studies |
| e. Bachelor of Commerce in Banking and Finance | MUB-BAF | Weekend classes | 4 years | Year 3 | Advanced Diploma (Level 6 Diploma) in Banking and Finance or a business-related field from a recognized examining body or a related Diploma from a recognised institution of higher learning plus MSCE credit in Mathematics. Board of Governors Diploma in Business Studies ICAM or PAEC Diploma with an MSCE pass in Mathematics |
| | | | | Year 2 | Diploma (level 5 diploma) in Banking and Finance or a business-related field from a recognized examining body plus MSCE credit in Mathematics. |
| f. Bachelor of Commerce (Tourism Management) | MUB-BTM | Weekend classes | 4 years | Year 3 | Advanced Diploma (Level 6 diploma) in Tourism and/or Hospitality Management / Business Management from a recognized examining body plus MSCE pass in Mathematics Diploma in Tourism and/or Hospitality Management / Business Management or a Diploma in a related field from a recognized institution of higher learning plus MSCE pass in Mathematics. Board of Governors Diploma in Business Studies/ Secretarial Studies ICAM or PAEC Diploma with an MSCE pass in Mathematics |
| | | | | Year 2 | Diploma (Level 5 diploma) in Tourism and/or Hospitality Management / Business Management from a recognized examining body plus MSCE credit in Mathematics |

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| g. Bachelor of Commerce (Entrepreneurship) | MUB-BCOME | Weekend classes | 4 years | Year 3 | <p>Diploma in Business Studies/Management / Marketing from a recognised examining body plus MSCE pass in Mathematics</p> <p>Advanced Diploma (Level 6 diploma) in Business Studies/Management / Marketing or in a related field from a recognized institution of higher learning plus MSCE pass in Mathematics</p> <p>Board of Governors Diploma in Business Studies/ Secretarial Studies</p> <p>ICAM or PAEC Diploma with an MSCE pass in Mathematics</p> |
| | | | | Year 2 | Diploma (Level 5 diploma) in Business Studies/Administration / Marketing or related field from a recognized examining body plus MSCE credit in Mathematics |
| h. Bachelor of Business Administration (Marketing) | MUB-BBAM | Full-Time | 4 years | Year 3 | <p>Diploma in Business Studies from a recognised institution of higher learning or an Advanced Diploma (Level 6 Diploma) in Business Studies/Administration or/ Diploma in a related field from a recognized institution or examining body plus an MSCE pass in Mathematics.</p> <p>Board of Governors Diploma in Business Studies/ Secretarial Studies</p> <p>ICAM or PAEC Diploma with an MSCE pass in Mathematics</p> |
| | | | | Year 2 | Diploma (Level 5 diploma) in Business Studies/Management/ Marketing or in a related field from a recognized examining body plus MSCE credit in Mathematics |

3. SCHOOL OF EDUCATION, COMMUNICATION AND MEDIA STUDIES

| PROGRAMME | PROGRAMME CODE | MODE OF DELIVERY | PROGRAMME DURATION | YEAR OF ENTRY | SPECIFIC PROGRAMME ENTRY REQUIREMENTS |
|---|----------------|------------------|--------------------|---------------|--|
| a. Bachelor of Education (Business Studies) | MUB-EBS | Full-time | 4 years | Year 2 | Recognized Diploma in Education or Diploma in business / management or any related field plus MSCE or its equivalent with credit in Mathematics. |
| | | | | Year 3 | Two recognized Diplomas in Education and Business Administration / management or any related field. |
| b. Bachelor of Technical Education (Science) | MUB-BTED | Full-time | 4 years | Year 2 | Recognized Diploma in Education or Diploma in any technical field plus MSCE or its equivalent with credit in Mathematics and Physical Science/General Science/ Chemistry & Physics. |
| | | | | Year 3 | Two recognized Diplomas in Education and any Technical field. |
| c. Bachelor of Technical Education (Technology) | MUB-BTECH | Full-time | 4 years | Year 2 | Recognized Diploma in Education or Diploma in any technical field plus MSCE or its equivalent with credits in Mathematics and Physical Science/ General Science/ Chemistry & Physics. |
| | | | | Year 3 | Two recognized Diplomas in Education and any Technical field. |
| d. Bachelor of Business Communication | MUB-BBC | Week-end classes | 4 years | Year 2 | Recognized Diploma in Journalism/ Communication Studies/ Secretarial Studies/ Marketing/ Public Relations plus MSCE or its equivalent with credits in Geography/History/Social studies/ Life skills/ Bible knowledge and a pass in mathematics |
| e. Bachelor of Arts in Journalism | MUB-JOU | Weekend classes | 4 years | Year 2 | Recognized Diploma in Journalism or Mass Communication plus MSCE or its equivalent with credits in Geography/History/Social studies/ Life skills/ Bible knowledge and a pass in Mathematics. |

4. SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING

| PROGRAMME | PROGRAMME CODE | MODE OF DELIVERY | PROGRAMME DURATION | YEAR OF ENTRY | SPECIFIC PROGRAMME ENTRY REQUIREMENTS |
|---|----------------|------------------|--------------------|---------------|---|
| a. Bachelor of Civil Engineering - Structures (Honours) | MUB-BCES | Full time | 5 years | Year 2 | Diploma/Advanced Diploma (Level 6) in Civil Engineering or relevant engineering field and science from a recognised Institution plus MSCE with credits in Mathematics and Physical Science (Physics and Chemistry) /General Science. Board of Governors Diploma in Civil Engineering |
| | | | | Year 3 | Diploma in Civil Engineering from a recognised university. |
| b. Bachelor of Civil Engineering -Transport (Honours) | MUB-BCET | Full time | 5 years | Year 2 | Diploma/Advanced Diploma (Level 6) in Civil Engineering or relevant engineering field and science from a recognised Institution plus MSCE with credits in Mathematics and Physical Science (Physics and Chemistry) /General Science. Board of Governors Diploma in Civil Engineering |
| | | | | Year 3 | Diploma in Civil Engineering from a recognised university. |
| c. Bachelor of Civil Engineering - Water (Honours) | MUB-BCEW | Full time | 5 years | Year 2 | Diploma/Advanced Diploma (Level 6) in Civil Engineering or relevant engineering field and science from a recognised Institution plus MSCE with credits in Mathematics and Physical Science (Physics and Chemistry) /General Science. Board of Governors Diploma in Civil Engineering |
| | | | | Year 3 | Diploma in Civil Engineering from a recognised university. |
| d. Bachelor of Biomedical Engineering (Honours) | MUB-BBME | Full time | 5 years | Year 2 | Diploma/Advanced Diploma (Level 6) in Electrical Engineering from a recognised Institution plus MSCE with credits in Mathematics, Biology and Physical Science / (Physics and Chemistry) / General Science. Board of Governors Diploma in Electrical Engineering |
| | | | | Year 3 | Diploma in Biomedical Engineering from a recognised university. |
| e. Bachelor of Electrical and Electronics Engineering (Honours) | MUB-BEEE | Evening Classes | 5 years | Year 2 | Diploma/Advanced Diploma (Level 6) in Electrical Engineering Electrical Engineering from a recognised Institution plus MSCE with credits in Mathematics and Physical Science (Physics and Chemistry) / General Science. Board of Governors Diploma in Electrical Engineering. |
| | | | | Year 3 | Diploma in Electrical and Electronics Engineering from a recognised university. |

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| f. Bachelor of Electronics and Computer Engineering (Honours) | MUB-BECE | Full time | 5 Years | Year 2 | Diploma/Advanced Diploma (Level 6) in computer Engineering from a recognised Institution plus MSCE with credits in Mathematics, and Physical Science / (Physics and Chemistry) / General Science. Board of Governors Diploma in Electrical Engineering |
| | | | | Year 3 | Diploma in Electronics and Computer Engineering from a recognised university. |
| g. Bachelor of Electronics and Telecommunication Engineering (Honours) | MUB-BETE | Full time | 5 Years | Year 2 | Diploma/Advanced Diploma (Level 6) in Telecommunication Engineering from a recognised Institution plus MSCE with credits in Mathematics, and Physical Science / (Physics and Chemistry) / General Science. Board of Governors Diploma in Electrical Engineering. |
| | | | | Year 3 | Diploma in Telecommunication from a recognised university. |
| h. Bachelor of Automobile Engineering (Honours) | MUB-BAEN | Full time | 5 Years | Year 2 | Diploma/Advanced Diploma (Level 6) in Automobile Engineering or related fields from a recognised Institution plus MSCE with credits in Mathematics and Physical Science / (Physics and Chemistry) / General Science. Board of Governors Diploma in Mechanical Engineering. |
| | | | | Year 3 | Diploma in Automobile Engineering or related fields from a recognised university. |
| i. Bachelor of Energy Engineering (Honours) | MUB-BEEN | Full time | 5 Years | Year 2 | Diploma/Advanced Diploma (Level 6) in Energy Engineering or related fields from a recognised Institution plus MSCE with credits in Mathematics and Physical Science / (Physics and Chemistry) / General Science. Board of Governors Diploma in Mechanical Engineering. |
| | | | | Year 3 | Diploma in Energy Engineering or related fields from a recognised university. |
| j. Bachelor of Industrial Engineering (Honours) | MUB-BIEN | Full time | 5 years | Year 2 | Diploma/Advanced Diploma (Level 6) in Automobile Engineering/Mechanical Engineering or related fields from a recognised Institution plus MSCE or its equivalent with credits in Mathematics and Physical Science / (Physics and Chemistry) / General Science. Board of Governors Diploma in Mechanical Engineering. |
| | | | | Year 3 | Diploma in Industrial Engineering or related fields from a recognised university. |

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| k. Bachelor of Mechanical Engineering (Honours) | MUB-BME | Full time | 5 Years | Year 2 | Diploma/Advanced Diploma (Level 6) in Mechanical Engineering or related fields from a recognised Institution plus MSCE with credits in Mathematics and Physical Science / (Physics and Chemistry) / General Science. Board of Governors Diploma in Mechanical Engineering. |
| | | | | Year 3 | Diploma in Mechanical Engineering or related fields from a recognised university. |
| l. Bachelor of Geological Engineering (Honours) | MUB-BGEN | Full time | 5 Years | Year 2 | Diploma/Advanced Diploma (Level 6) in Geological Engineering, Mining Engineering, Civil Engineering or relevant engineering field or Earth science related fields from a recognised institution, plus MSCE with credits in Mathematics and Physical Science / (Physics and Chemistry) /General Science. Those with Geography will have an added advantage. Board of Governors Diploma in Civil Engineering. |
| | | | | Year 3 | Diploma in Geological Engineering from a recognised university. |
| m. Bachelor of Mining Engineering (Honours) | MUB-BMEN | Full time | 5 Years | Year 2 | Diploma/Advanced Diploma (Level 6) in Mining Engineering/ Civil Engineering/ Mechanical Engineering /Earth Science related fields from a recognised Institution plus MSCE with credits in Mathematics and Physical Science/ (Physics and Chemistry) /General Science. Those with Geography will have an added advantage Board of Governors Diploma in Civil Engineering. |
| | | | | Year 3 | Diploma in Mining Engineering from a recognised university. |
| n. Bachelor of Metallurgy and Mineral Processing Engineering (Honours) | MUB-BMMP | Full time | 5 Years | Year 2 | Diploma/Advanced Diploma (Level 6) in Mechanical Engineering related fields or its equivalent from a recognised Institution plus MSCE with credits in Mathematics and Physical Science / (Physics and Chemistry) /General Science. Those with Geography will have an added advantage. Board of Governors Diploma in Mechanical Engineering. |
| | | | | Year 3 | Diploma in Metallurgy and Mineral Processing Engineering from a recognised university. |

5. SCHOOL OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

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| a. Bachelor of Science in Information Technology | MUB-BIT | Weekend Classes | 4years | Year 2 | University or recognized institution Diploma in Information Technology or Information Systems, City and Guilds Advanced Diploma or any Diploma in ICT related programmes with MSCE credits in Mathematics and Physical Science (or Physics). |
| b. Bachelor of Science in Management Information Systems | MUB-MIS | Weekend Classes | 4years | Year 2 | University Diploma in Information Technology or Information Systems, City and Guilds Advanced Diploma or any Diploma in ICT related programmes with MSCE credits in Mathematics. |
| c. Bachelor of Science in Industrial Laboratory Technology | MUB-BILT | Weekend Classes (Friday to Sunday) | 4 years | Year 3 | University or recognized institution Diploma in Industrial Laboratory Technology (DILT) or any related qualification obtained from an accredited institution with MSCE/ O Levels with credits in Mathematics, Physical Science (or Physics and Chemistry)/ General Science and Biology. Holders of a DILT from MUBAS (or the then Polytechnic) are exempted from rule 1 and 2 of the general admission criteria. |
| d. Bachelor of Science in Environmental Health | MUB-EH | Full time | 4 years | Year 2 | Diploma in Environmental Health or Diploma in Public Health or any related qualification obtained from a recognised institution, plus MSCE/ O level with at least credits passes in English, Mathematics, Biology and Physical Science or Physics and Chemistry. |
| e. Bachelor of Science in Industrial and Environmental Physics | MUB-BIEP | Full time | 4 years | Year 2 | University or recognized institution Diploma in Applied Sciences or any related qualification obtained from an accredited institution with MSCE/ O Levels with credits in Mathematics, Physical Science (or Physics and Chemistry)/ General Science and Biology. |
| f. Bachelor of Science in Environmental Management and Technology | MUB-BEMT | Full time | 4 years | Year 2 | University or recognized institution Diploma in Environmental Management or any related qualification obtained from an accredited institution with MSCE/ O Levels with credits in Mathematics, Physical Science (or Physics and Chemistry)/ General Science and Biology. |
| g. Bachelor of Science in Food Science and Technology | MUB-BFST | Full time | 4 years | Year 2 | University or recognized institution Diploma in Food Science or any related qualification obtained from an accredited institution with MSCE/ O Levels with credits in Mathematics, Physical Science (or Physics and Chemistry)/ General Science and Biology. |
| h. Bachelor of Science in Mathematical Sciences Education | MUB-MSE | Full time | 4 years | Year 2 | University or recognized institution Diploma in Education Science/ Mathematics/ Statistics/Computing or any related qualification obtained from an accredited institution with MSCE/ O Levels with credits in Mathematics. |

3. TUITION FEES PER ANNUM

Tuition fees per annum for the programmes in the School Engineering; School of Science and Technology and School of Education, Communication and Media Studies; Malawians:

MWK 900,000.00, SADC: USD 2,400, NON-SADC: USD4,000.00.

Tuition fees per annum for programmes in the School of Built Environment and School of Business and Economic Sciences: Malawians: **MWK 900,000.00, SADC USD 1,200, NON-SADC USD2000.**

Please note that the fees indicated above are subject to change anytime.

4. APPLICATION PROCEDURE

Application form can be obtained on written request or in person from the address given below and it can also be downloaded from www.mubas.ac.mw.

All applicants are required to deposit their application fee of **K12, 000** for Malawians and **US\$25** for international applicants to the following bank account:

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| BANK NAME: | NATIONAL BANK |
| BRANCH: | CHICHIRI |
| ACCOUNT NAME: | POLYTECHNIC REVENUE |
| ACCOUNT NUMBER: | 737461 |
| SWIFT CODE: | NBMAMWMW |
| SORT CODE/BRANCH CODE: | 003 |

Duly completed application forms together with proof of payment of a non-refundable application fee should be sent to the following address:

The Registrar
Malawi University of Business and Applied Sciences
Private bag 303
Chichiri
Blantyre 3
(Attention : Admissions Office)

www.mubas.ac.mw

The closing date for receiving applications is **30th June 2023**