MZUZU UNIVERSITY

ACADEMIC YEAR 2021/2022 ADMISSIONS (UPGRADING AND WEEKEND PROGRAMMES INTAKE)

Applications are invited from suitably qualified persons for studies in various Upgrading and Weekend programmes for Diploma and Degree for the 2021/2022 Academic Year. The applications should reach the University by **Friday, 27th August 2021.**

A. FACULTY OF EDUCATION

S#	Programme	Entry Requirements	Duration
1	Bachelor of Education (Arts)– Upgrading	• Diploma in Education or its equivalent obtained from a recognised institution of higher learning • Should be qualified to teach any 2 of the following secondary school subjects: History, Geography, Social and Development Studies, Bible Knowledge, Chichewa and French • At least 2 years post diploma teaching experience • Evidence of MSCE or its equivalent	2 years
2	Bachelor of Education (Arts) – Upgrading	• At least 2 years teaching experience • MSCE or its equivalent with six credits including English and any three of the following subjects: History, Geography, Social and Development Studies, Bible Knowledge, Chichewa and French	4 years
3	Bachelor of Education (Languages) – Upgrading	• Diploma in Education or its equivalent obtained from a recognised institution of higher learning • Should be qualified to teach any two of the following secondary school teaching subjects: English, Chichewa and French • At least 2 years post diploma teaching experience • Evidence of MSCE or its equivalent	2 years
4	Bachelor of Education (Languages) – Upgrading	• At least 2 years teaching experience • MSCE or its equivalent with six credits in English and in Chichewa or French, and in any 2 of the following subjects: Geography, History, Bible Knowledge, Social and Development Studies	4 years
5	Bachelor of Education (Science) – Upgrading	• Diploma in Education (Sciences) obtained from a recognised institution of higher learning • Should be qualified to teach any 2 of the following secondary school subjects: Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry and Biology • At least 2 years post diploma teaching experience • Evidence of MSCE or its equivalent	2 years
6	Bachelor of Education (Science) – Upgrading	• At least 2 years teaching experience • An MSCE or its equivalent with six credits including English, Mathematics or Additional Mathematics, Biology, Physical Science or General Science or Physics and Chemistry	4 years
7	Bachelor of Education Science (ICT) - Upgrading	• At least 2 years teaching experience, • Diploma in Education majoring in Mathematics, Computer Studies or Physical Science (Physics and Chemistry) or equivalent obtained from a recognised institution • Evidence of MSCE or its equivalent.	3 years
8	University Certificate of Education (UCE)	• Applicants should have at least a minimum of a diploma in any relevant field from a recognised institution • Able to teach any **two** of the following sciences or humanities subjects: Bible Knowledge, Biology, Chemistry, Chichewa, Computer Studies, English, French, Geography, History, Life Skills, Social and Development Studies, Mathematics and Physics	1 year

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Bachelor of Education (Arts), Bachelor of Education (Languages), Bachelor of Education (Science) and Bachelor of Education (Science- ICT)

These programmes are aimed at producing professional teachers for secondary schools in the following subjects: French, History, Geography, English, Chichewa, Mathematics, ICT, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Computer Studies, Theology and Religious Studies, and Religious and Moral Education.

University Certificate of Education (UCE)

The aim of the programme is to prepare teachers who will have the knowledge and skills that will enable them to teach and provide them with a career development opportunity in education for both pre-service and in-service personnel with non-education qualifications. The programme is structured into two components: One semester of face-to-face coursework, and one term of teaching practice. The programme covers educational foundation and teaching methodology courses.

B. FACULTY OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

S#	Programme	Entry requirements	Duration
9	Bachelor of Arts (Theology and Religious Studies) – Upgrading	• Diploma in Theology and Religious Studies or its equivalent obtained from a recognised institution • Evidence of MSCE or its equivalent	2 years
10	Diploma in Security Studies - Upgrading	• MSCE or its equivalent with six credits including English and Mathematics • At least 2 years' work experience in recognisable defence or security service or related sectors	2 years
11	Bachelor of Arts (Security Studies) - Upgrading	• Diploma in Peace and Security Studies or its equivalent, obtained from a recognised institution • At least 2 years' work experience in recognisable defence or security service or related sectors • Evidence of MSCE or its equivalent	2 years

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Bachelor of Arts (Theology and Religious Studies)

The programme is designed to provide students with professional knowledge, skills and values within the context of religious studies. The degree will provide job opportunities and advancement for ethically oriented careers in public, private, non-governmental, and religious sectors.

Diploma and Bachelor of Arts in Security Studies

Graduates of these programmes will be equipped with professional knowledge and transferable skills in security sector management that will enable them respond to emerging challenges in the security sector with regard to such areas as conflict prevention and resolution, international humanitarian law, counter-terrorism, migration and development, diplomacy and international relations, intellectual property rights, public policy analysis, financial management, security and development, gender and security, and national security management among others. The programmes target middle and senior management from Defence, Police, National Intelligence Services, Immigration, Correction Service, Anti-Corruption Bureau, Revenue Collection Authority, Fiscal Management Services, Media, the Judiciary and civil society organizations working in the field of peace and security.

Bachelor of Arts (History and Heritage Studies)

The aim of the programme is to provide high quality education, training and research to prospective historians and other stakeholders in History and Heritage Studies. Graduates of History and Heritage studies would work as secondary school history teachers and tutors, curators in museum, archaeologists, public history narrators, tourist managers, media institutions, and so on.

C. FACULTY OF ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES

S#	Programme	Entry requirements	Duration
12	Bachelor of Science (Forestry and Environmental Management) – Upgrading	• Certificate in Forestry, Agriculture or other related fields obtained from a recognised institution • MSCE or its equivalent with six credits in English, Biology, Mathematics, and any other three science-related subjects • Relevant work experience will be an added advantage	4 years
13	Bachelor of Science (Forestry and Environmnetal Management) – Upgrading	• Diploma in Forestry, Agriculture or other related fields obtained from a recognised institution • MSCE or its equivalent with six credits including English, Biology, Mathematics and any other three science-related subjects • Relevant work experience will be an added advantage	3 years
14	Bachelor of Science (Fisheries and Aquatic Science) – Upgrading	• Certificate in Fisheries Management/Science, Agriculture, Animal Science or its equivalent, obtained from a recognised institution • MSCE or its equivalent with six credits in English, Biology, Mathematics, and any other three science-related subjects • Relevant work experience will be an added advantage	4 years
15	Bachelor of Science (Fisheries and Aquatic Science) – Upgrading	• Diploma in Fisheries Science, Agriculture, Animal Science or its equivalent, obtained from a recognised institution • MSCE or its equivalent with six credits • Relevant work experience will be an added advantage	3 years
16	Bachelor of Science in Land Management (Land Surveying) – Upgrading	• Certificate in Land Administration or Land Surveying obtained from a recognised institution • MSCE or its equivalent with at least six credits in English, Mathematics, Geography, Agriculture and Social and Development Studies plus any other science subjects • Two-year minimum relevant work experience will be an added advantage	4 years
17	Bachelor of Science in Land Management (Estate Management) – Upgrading	• Certificate in Land Administration, Property Investment, Valuation, Estate Agency, Property Management, Property Development or Facilities Management or any other related field obtained from a recognised institution • MSCE or its equivalent with six credits including the following: Mathematics, Geography, and Agriculture • Two-year minimum relevant work experience will be an added advantage	4 years
18	Bachelor of Science in Land Management (Physical Planning) – Upgrading	• Certificate in Land Administration, Physical Planning, Environmental Management, Development Control or Housing Studies obtained from a recognised institution • MSCE or its equivalent with six credits including Mathematics, Geography, Agriculture, and Social and Development Studies • Two-year minimum relevant work experience will be an added advantage	4 years
19	Bachelor of Science in Land Management (Land Surveying) – Upgrading	• Diploma in Land Administration, Land Surveying, GIS, Engineering, Hydrographic Surveying or any other related fields from a recognised institution • MSCE or its equivalent with six credits including English, Mathematics, Geography, Agriculture, Social and Development Studies and any other science subjects • Two-year relevant work experience will be an added advantage	3 years
20	Bachelor of Science in Land Management (Estate Management) – Upgrading	• Diploma in Land Administration, Property Investment, Valuation, Estate Agency, Property Management, Property Development, Facilities Management or any other related fields • MSCE or its equivalent with six credits including English, Mathematics, Geography, Agriculture, Social and Development Studies and any other science subjects • Relevant work experience will be an added advantage	3 years
21	Bachelor of Science in Land Management (Physical Planning) – Upgrading	• Diploma in Land Administration, Physical Planning, Development Control, Environmental Management or Housing Studies from a recognised institution • MSCE or its equivalent with at least six credits including English, Mathematics, Geography, Agriculture, Social and Development Studies and any other science subjects • Relevant work experience will be an added advantage	3 years

22	Bachelor of Science (Water Resources Management and Development) – Upgrading	• Diploma in Hydrology, Civil or Mechanical Engineering, Agriculture, or any other water resources-related fields obtained from a recognised institution • MSCE or its equivalent with six credits including English, Mathematics and any two science-related subjects from the following: Physical Science, Chemistry, General Science, Agriculture, Geography and Biology • Relevant work experience will be an added advantage	3 years
23	Bachelor of Science in Transformative Community Development – Upgrading	• Diploma in Community Development, Agriculture Education, Rural Development, Agriculture Extension or other development related fields obtained from a recognised institution • MSCE or its equivalent with at least six credits • Relevant work experience will be an added advantage	3 years
24	Bachelor of Science in Value Chain Agriculture – Upgrading	• Diploma in Agriculture, Agri-business, Livestock, Marketing, Entrepreneurship, Financial Accounting, Supply Chain or other development-related fields obtained from a recognised institution • MSCE or its equivalent with at least six credits Relevant work experience will be an added advantage	3 years

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Bachelor of Science (Forestry and Environmental Management)

The aim of this programme is to produce graduates with a blend of professional, scientific knowledge and transferable skills in technical, economic and social aspects of forestry, natural resources and environmental management. Main areas of training encompass forest science, forest resources management, forest products and utilization, forest engineering and social forestry among others. Graduates of the programme are expected to work in key areas of research, forest management, conservation and participatory forest resources management initiatives in private, public and non-governmental sectors.

Bachelor of Science (Fisheries and Aquatic Science)

Graduates of this programme will be equipped with scientific knowledge and technical and transferable skills to manage, restore, conserve, explore and utilise both capture and culture-based fisheries. The programme covers courses in limnology, ichthyology, fisheries management, fish processing and quality management, fisheries and aquaculture economics, and general aquaculture.

Bachelor of Science in Land Management (Land Surveying)

The programme aims to produce graduates specialised in land surveying. It combines scientific knowledge and technical skills to address land management challenges related to land surveying, and therefore incorporates units that address land registration, cadastral surveying, hydrographic surveying, engineering surveying, remote sensing, and land information systems among others. The graduates of this programme are expected to practice as land surveyors with full recognition of local and international professional institutes.

Bachelor of Science in Land Management (Estate Management)

The programme aims to produce graduates specialised in estate management. It combines scientific knowledge and technical skills to address land management challenges related to real estate, and therefore incorporates units that address property management, property valuation, property investment, estate agency, facilities management, and development among others. The graduates of this programme are expected to practice as estates management officers and valuers recognised by national and international professional institutes.

Bachelor of Science in Land Management (Physical Planning)

The programme aims to produce graduates specialised in physical planning. It combines scientific knowledge and technical skills to address land management challenges related to urban, regional and rural planning; housing and land tenure security; environmental planning and management; population dynamics; local governance; transportation planning among others. The graduates of this programme are expected to practice as physical planners or housing officers or environmental officers in government, city and district councils, parastatals, NGOs or as planning and environmental consultants recognised by national and international professional institutes.

Bachelor of Science (Water Resources Management and Development)

Graduates in this programme will be equipped with professional, transferable skills, scientific and technical knowledge in water resources management and development, planning, engineering, environmental management, sanitation and hygiene. Opportunities await graduates of the programme as planners, consultants, managers and entrepreneurs in the private, public and non-governmental sectors.

Bachelor of Science Transformative Community Development

Graduates in Transformative Community Development will be equipped with professional knowledge, skills and attitudes in research, community development and agriculture extension. They will be in a position to facilitate community transformation, plan, implement, monitor and evaluate programmes and deliver consultancy and advisory services in the field of community development and rural development. Graduates will also be able to become: entrepreneurs; employers; researchers in community development, agriculture,

climate change and development policies. The graduates of this programme are expected to work with a wide range of organizations and Government Departments and Ministries.

Bachelor of Science Value Chain Agriculture

The Bachelor of Science Value Chain Agriculture program complements traditional programmes that concentrate on agricultural production. Graduates will develop the appropriate knowledge, understanding, skills and attitudes to take crop and animal products through the entire value chain. The course will particularly emphasize the concept of high value crops and livestock products. Graduates of this program will be able to run own enterprises, employ others, manage full value chains of various high value crops and livestock in their own enterprises or of other already established enterprises. They will also be able to carry out consultancies on value chain analysis of various crops and livestock for the government and private sector organizations, or to enter into research for higher degree qualifications in this field.

D. FACULTY OF SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY AND INNOVATION

S#	Programme	Entry Requirements	Duration
25	Bachelor of Science (Renewable Energy Technologies) – Upgrading	• Diploma in Electrical or Mechanical Engineering or its equivalent, obtained from a recognised institution • Evidence of an MSCE or its equivalent • At least 2 years relevant work experience	3 years
26	Bachelor of Science in Biodiversity Conservation and Management – Honours (Upgrading)	• Diploma or its equivalent in any of the following: Biological Sciences, Conservation Sciences, Wildlife Conservation and Management, Natural Resources Management, Environmental Science, Diploma Education Science (Biology major) or any qualification related to the field of study obtained from a recognized institution. Candidates should have covered basic sciences (Chemistry, Biology, Mathematics and Physics) at diploma level. • Evidence of an MSCE or its equivalent • At least two years relevant work experience.	3 years
27	Bachelor of Science in Biodiversity Conservation and Management – Honours (Upgrading)	• Certificate in any of the following: Biological Sciences, Conservation Sciences, Wildlife Conservation and Management, Natural Resources Management, Environmental Science, in any related field obtained from a recognized institution • MSCE or its equivalent with six credits in any of the following: English, Biology, Mathematics, Physics, chemistry or physical Science or General Science, and Geography or Social and Development Studies • At least 1 year relevant work experience	5 years
28	Bachelor of Science in Parasitology and Disease Vector Control - Honours (Upgrading)	• Diploma or its equivalent in any of the following: Biological Sciences, Biomedical Sciences, Veterinary Sciences, Animal Sciences, Zoology, Animal Health, Medical Laboratory Science or any closely related field of study obtained from a recognized institution. Candidates should have covered basic sciences (Chemistry, Biology, Mathematics and Physics) at diploma level. • Evidence of MSCE or its equivalent • At least 2 years relevant work experience	3 years
29	Bachelor of Science in Parasitology and Disease Vector Control - Honours (Upgrading)	• Certificate in any of the following: Biological Sciences, Biomedical Sciences, Veterinary Sciences, Animal Sciences, Zoology, Animal Health, Medical Laboratory Science or any closely related field of study obtained from a recognized institution. • MSCE or its equivalent with six credits in the following: English, Biology, Mathematics, physics, Chemistry, Physical Science or General Science and any other science subject • At least 1 year relevant work experience	5 years

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Bachelor of Science (Renewable Energy Technologies)

The programme is aimed at producing specialists in renewable energy technologies (RETs) and in energy policy formulation and planning. Students are equipped with scientific, technical and theoretical skills in designing, installation, operation and maintenance of renewable energy systems such as hydro, solar, wind, geothermal, wave, solid biomass, biofuels and biogas. Furthermore, they are provided with skills to carry out energy supply and demand assessment, energy planning and policy analysis, environmental impact assessment, environmental auditing and addressing issues of environmental degradation, waste management and climate change.

Graduates from this programme are expected to work in government, industry, non-governmental organizations (NGOs) and as entrepreneurs in the fields of energy generation, transmission and distribution; energy consulting and contracting; energy regulation, planning and policy formulation; waste management and also in services such as health, housing, water supply, social welfare and community development.

Bachelor of Science in Biodiversity Conservation and Management

This Programme aims at providing students with broad–based knowledge, scientific tools, skills and expertise in biodiversity, conservation and management. The Programme will enable students develop knowledge and skills in biodiversity and environmental assessment, monitoring, evaluation, conservation, management, inventorying and sustainable utilization of the country's biological resources.

It will also prepare them for the wide range of career opportunities in biodiversity conservation related areas where they could be employed by NGOs, consulting agencies and government bodies at both national and international level, this includes and not limited to Wildlife protection, game management, conservation and management, natural resource management, Environmental consulting firms, Colleges and universities, research institutes having centres of excellence or teaching and carrying out research, consultancies and outreach in Environmental and Biodiversity protection, conservation and management. Hence the program is well suited to both academic and non-academic careers in biological diversity conservation and management and you prepared for positions which require you to analyse policy and influence decision-making in the field of biodiversity conservation and Management.

Bachelor of Science in Parasitology and Disease Vector Control

The Programme is designed to take into account of the current national and international priorities and policies in the field of parasitology and disease vector control and aims at equipping students with in-depth knowledge in theoretical and practical aspects of the biology and control of the disease vectors, technical skills, values and attitudes required to assume a role in studying, investigating, surveillance, and controlling disease vectors.

It will also prepare them for the wide range of career opportunities in Parasitology and disease vector control related areas where they could be employed by consulting agencies and government bodies at both national and international level in such positions which include and not limited to Medical Parasitologist, Medical Entomologist, Epidemiologist , Immunologist, Vector control surveyor, Vector Control Technician, Vector Control Specialist, Public Health Officer, Veterinary pathologist, Veterinary Parasitologist, among others. It equips graduates to work in positions which require development of technologies and innovations, analysis of policy and influence decision-making in the parasitic disease vector control programmes.

E. FACULTY OF HEALTH SCIENCES

S#	Programme	Entry Requirements	Duration
30	Bachelor of Science (Biomedical Sciences) – Upgrading	• Diploma in Biomedical Sciences or its equivalent obtained from a recognised institution • Evidence of MSCE or its equivalent • Proof of current registration with Medical Council of Malawi • At least 2 years relevant work experience	2 years
31	Bachelor of Science in Optometry - (Honours) Upgrading	• Diploma in Optometry or its equivalent obtained from a recognised institution • Evidence of MSCE or its equivalent • At least 2 years of optometry clinical work experience post internship • Proof of current registration with Medical Council of Malawi or registration with the regulatory body in country of practice for international students	3 years
32	Bachelor of Science in Nursing and Midwifery (Upgrading)	• A College Diploma in Nursing and Midwifery or its equivalent from a recognised institution • Proof of current registration with the Nurses and Midwives Council of Malawi • MSCE or its equivalent with six credits including English, Physical Science or General Science or Physics and Chemistry, Biology, and Mathematics • Minimum of 3 years clinical working experience post NMT qualification	3 years

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Bachelor of Science (Biomedical Sciences)

The programme provides students with scientific and practical knowledge and transferable skills in biomedical sciences in order to prepare them for a wide range of career opportunities and further training in health-related professions.

Bachelor of Science in Optometry - (Honours)

This programme is designed to develop professionally and technically competent optometrists who will provide appropriate ocular health, refractive, contact lens and low vision services to a variety of patients in various clinical settings. The graduates of this programme will provide promotive, preventive, therapeutic and rehabilitative ophthalmic eye care services within the principles of primary health care.

Bachelor of Science in Nursing and Midwifery

The programme is aimed at producing a professional nurse midwife who will be equipped with professional, and scientific knowledge, positive attitudes and transferable, critical thinking skills in nursing and midwifery. The graduates will provide promotive, preventive, therapeutic and rehabilitative nursing and midwifery care in clinical, community and any other health-related setting.

Graduates from the programme are expected to work in Government and private hospitals, Non-Governmental Organizations (NGOs) and as entrepreneurs in the field of nursing, midwifery and other health related fields as managers, practitioners, clinical specialists, advisors and others.

S#	Programme	Entry Requirements	Duration
33	Bachelor of Science (Tourism) - Upgrading	• Diploma in Travel Management or Tourism Management or any related field obtained from a recognised institution • Evidence of MSCE or its equivalent	3 years
34	Bachelor of Science (Hospitality Management) - Upgrading	• Diploma in Hospitality Management, Hotel Management, or any related field obtained from a recognised institution • Evidence of MSCE or its equivalent	3 years

F. FACULTY OF TOURISM, HOSPITALITY AND MANAGEMENT

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Bachelor of Science (Tourism) Programme

Graduates in this program will be equipped with professional, transferable skills, scientific and technical knowledge in planning, management, research and development of tourism. Opportunities await graduates of the programme in the Transport and Service industries including but not limited to Airlines, Airports, Travel agencies, Tour Operators, Car Hires and Destination Branding and Marketing, Private, Public and non-governmental sectors as well as entrepreneurs in the tourism and travel markets. Tourism management degree program provides students with the business, entrepreneurial and management skills necessary to run travel agencies, recreational business, tourism development agencies, International travel and tourism agencies, organise and plan tours, meetings as well as large conventions.

Bachelor of Science (Hospitality Management) Programme

The programme aims to equip graduates with diverse skills and knowledge to pursue careers in the hospitality operations and management. career opportunities await graduate for positions in hotels, restaurants, food service companies, institutional food service, food processing companies, cruise ship industry, airline industry, and other customer service-related careers. Graduates of this programme can also pursue careers as consultants and entrepreneurs in the hospitality industry.

WEEKEND PROGRAMMES

I. FACULTY OF SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY AND INNOVATION

SN	Programme	Entry Requirements	Duration
35	Diploma in Information and Communication Technology	• MSCE or its equivalent with six credits including English, Mathematics and any two of the following subjects: Physical Science, Physics, Biology, Computer Studies, Additional Mathematics, Agriculture, Home Economics, and Geography	2 years
36	Bachelor of Science in Information and Communication Technology – Upgrading	• Diploma or Advanced Diploma in ICT or ICT-related field obtained from a recognised institution • MSCE or its equivalent with at least six credits which should include English and Mathematics.	3 years
37	Bachelor of Science (Data Science)	• MSCE or its equivalent with six credits including English, Mathematics or Additional Mathematics and any two of the following subjects: Computer Studies, Physics or Physical Science, Biology or General Science, and Agriculture.	4 years
38	Bachelor of Science in	• Diploma or its equivalent in any of the following: Biological	3 years

	Biodiversity Conservation and Management - Honours (Upgrading)	Sciences, Conservation Sciences, Wildlife Conservation and Management, Natural Resources Management, Environmental Science, Diploma Education Science (Biology major) or any qualification related to the field of study obtained from a recognized institution. Candidates should have covered basic sciences (Chemistry, Biology, Mathematics and Physics) at diploma level. • Evidence of an MSCE or its equivalent • At least 2 years relevant work experience.	
39	Bachelor of Science in Parasitology and Disease Vector Control – Honours (Upgrading)	• Diploma or its equivalent in any of the following: Biological Sciences, Biomedical Sciences, Veterinary Sciences, Animal Sciences, Zoology, Animal Health, Medical Laboratory Science or any closely related field of study obtained from a recognized institution • Evidence of MSCE or its equivalent • At least 2 years relevant work experience	3 years

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Diploma in Information and Communication Technology

The programme aims at developing a cadre of qualified ICT professionals and preparing students for further training in ICT related fields. Graduates from this programme have an added advantage of immediately proceeding into Bachelor of Science (Information and Communication Technology) – upgrading programme.

Bachelor of Science (Information and Communication Technology) – Upgrading

The aim of the programme is to train students to become ICT professionals who would be equipped with scientific and technical knowledge and transferable skills to plan and manage ICT services efficiently and effectively. The graduates from this programme are expected to be able to: design, develop, manage and support information systems; design, administer and maintain computer networks; manage and maintain computer hardware and software; establish and manage ICT – related businesses; conduct ICT – related research and consultancy and; provide expert advice on matters of ICTs.

Bachelor of Science (Data Science)

The programme aims at providing students with scientific knowledge, analytical and interpretational skills, values and attitudes required for them to competently apply data science concepts in solving real life problems in this big data era.

II. FACULTY OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

S#	Programme	Entry Requirements	Duration
40	Bachelor of Arts (Communication Studies)	• MSCE or its equivalent with six credits including English and any other five subjects plus at least a pass in Mathematics	4 years
41	Bachelor of Arts (Communication Studies) - Upgrading	• Diploma in Communication Studies, Public Relations, Journalism, Education (Languages) or other related fields • Evidence of an MSCE or its equivalent	3 years
42	Diploma in Library and Information Science	• MSCE or its equivalent with six credits including English and any two of the following subjects: History, Geography, Chichewa, French, Development Studies, Computer Studies, Bible Knowledge and Life Skills • A certificate in Library and Information Science (LIS) or any Information Sciences related certificate will be an added advantage	2 years
43	Bachelor of Library and Information Science - Upgrading	• Diploma in Library and Information Science, Records Management, Archives Management or any Information Sciences related fields from a recognised institution • Evidence of MSCE or its equivalent with six credits	2 years

44	Bachelor of Arts (History and Heritage Studies)	• MSCE or its equivalent with six credits including English and History, and any other three subjects.	4 Years

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Bachelor of Arts in Communication Studies

The Bachelor of Arts Communication Studies has been designed to offer adequate theoretical grounding as well as to facilitate acquisition of practical experience in communication and its role in socio-economic development especially within the fields of reputation management, health communication, environment communication, strategic communication, integrated marketing communication and corporate social responsibility, among others.

Bachelor/Diploma in Library and Information Science

The Diploma in Library and Information Science and Bachelor of Library and Information Science - Upgrading programmes have been designed to equip learners with knowledge, skills and values to plan and manage libraries, information services, documentation centers, archives, and telecentres efficiently and effectively using various information and communication technologies.

III. FACULTY OF TOURISM, HOSPITALITY AND MANAGEMENT

S#	Programme	Entry Requirements	Duration
45	Bachelor of Arts (Sports Management)- Upgrading	• Diploma in Sports Management or any related field obtained from a recognised institution • Evidence of MSCE or its equivalent with six credits	3 years
46	Diploma in Sports Management	• Certificate in Sports Management or any related field obtained from a recognised institution • Evidence of MSCE or its equivalent with six credits.	2 years
47	Diploma in Travel and Tourism Management	• MSCE or its equivalent with six credits including English and Mathematics • Those with a certificate in Travel Studies or any related field obtained from a recognised institution will have an added advantage	2 years
48	Diploma in Tour and Safari Guiding	• MSCE or its equivalent with six credits including English • Those with a certificate in Travel Studies, Tour guiding and Safari or any related field obtained from a recognised institution will have an added advantage	2 years
49	Diploma in Pastry and Bakery	• MSCE or its equivalent with six credits including English • Those with relevant industry experience will have an added advantage	2 years

Mode of Delivery for Weekend Programmes

The programmes are offered during weekends as follows:

Friday to Sunday every other week (fortnightly)

Friday *3:00 pm – 9:00 pm (6 hours)*

Saturday *7:00 am – 12:00 pm (5 hours)*

1:00 pm – 6:00 pm (5 hours)

Sunday *7:00 am – 12:00 pm (5 hours)*

G. INTERPRETATION OF INTERNATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

Qualifications comparable to O-Level/IGCSE shall be interpreted as follows for purposes of admission: A*= 1; A = 2; B = 3; C = 5; D = 7; EFG = 8.

H. TUITION FEES AND SCHOLARSHIPS

1. Fees for programmes in all other faculties except Faculty of Health Sciences, including Weekend release is **K450, 000. 00** per academic year.
2. Fees for programmes in Faculty of Health Sciences is as follows:

    i. Bachelor of Science in Nursing and Midwifery – **K850,000.00** per academic year
    ii. Bachelor of Science in Optometry (Honours) – **K700,000.00** per academic year
    iii. Bachelor of Science in Biomedical Sciences – **K650,000.00** per academic year

3. Fees for Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Physics and Electronics/ Instrumentation in **MK700,000** per academic year.
4. Fees for Bachelor of Sciences (Hons) in Biodiversity Conservation and Management; Parasitology and Disease Vector is **MK 750,000**

    Please note that fees is subject to revision as may be determined by Council from time to time, with or without notice.

5. **Fees for Non-Malawian students per academic year**

SADC	**Non-SADC**
USD 1,500	**USD 3,500**

All candidates will be admitted on self-sponsored category. Candidates will be expected to provide for their own board and lodge. Candidates selected for studies in education (science), fisheries, biomedical sciences, optometry, tourism, and in hospitality management have additional requirements such as protective clothing and upkeep during practical/attachment period.
Most programmes also require students to do research projects and other academic related requirements. Candidates should therefore prepare for these additional costs. Detailed costs will be available to the successful students at a later stage.

I. APPLICATION PROCEDURE

Applications should be sent by post or delivered by hand at Mzuzu University Campus in the Registry.

All applicants should complete a Mzuzu University **2021/2022 Admission Application Form** and attach applicable copies of the following documents:

a) Copies of their academic qualifications,
b) Previous academic record (transcripts),
c) MSCE or equivalent certificates,
d) Curriculum vitae,
e) Copy of National ID (for Malawian nationals), and
f) A copy of the application fee bank deposit slip

Application forms can be obtained from the Porters Lodge or Registry at Mzuzu University Campus or downloaded from the website www.mzuni.ac.mw

Completed applications should be returned with a non-refundable admission application fee of **K10,000** for Malawian applicants and **US$ 150** for international applicants. Applications submitted without the admission application fee will be disqualified.

Payment of Admission Application Fee

The application fee should be paid by depositing the amount of K10,000 into the following bank account:

Name of the Bank : NBS Bank
Account Name : Mzuzu University Admission Account
Account Number : 21430908
Branch : Mzuzu Branch
Swift code (for international transfers): NBSTMWMW

Applicants must attach the **bank deposit slip** to the admission application form. The application fee is non-refundable.

Applications can be delivered by hand or sent to the following address:

[….*name of programme being applied for….*] **2021/22 Admissions**
University Registrar
Mzuzu University
Private Bag 201
Luwinga

Mzuzu 2

To reach the Registrar's Office not later than Friday, 27th August 2021.

All other enquiries should be directed to the relevant Faculties, Departments or Centres on the following contacts:

Faculty of Education	: (265) 1 320 656, or email to deanofed@mzuni.ac.mw
Faculty of Health Sciences	: (265) 1 930 804, or email to deanofhs@mzuni.ac.mw
Faculty of Tourism and Hospitality Management	: (265) 1 930 421, or email to deanofth@mzuni.ac.mw
Faculty of Environmental Sciences	: (265) 1 320 575, ext 235 or email to deanofes@mzuni.ac.mw
Department of Governance, Peace and Security Studies	: (265) 1 930 317, or email to securitystudies@mzuni.ac.mw
Department of Theology and Religious Studies	: (265) 1 320 575 ext 286, or email to headtrs@mzuni.ac.mw
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