



DIRECTORATE OF RESEARCH, PUBLICATIONS AND POSTGRADUATE STUDIES (DRPS)

POSTGRADUATE PROGRAMMES OFFERED BY MZUMBE UNIVERSITY FOR THE 2026/2027 ACADEMIC YEAR

The Directorate of Research, Publications and Postgraduate Studies (DRPS), Mzumbe University, invites applications from qualified candidates for admission to the postgraduate programmes (Master's and Doctoral degree Programmes) for the 2026/2027 Academic year.

A: MASTER'S DEGREE PROGRAMMES

Master's degree programmes at Mzumbe University are offered across three campuses: the Main Campus in Mzumbe, Morogoro; the Dar es Salaam Campus in Upanga, Dar es Salaam City; and the Mbeya Campus in Forest, Mbeya City. At the Main Campus, programmes are delivered through both blended and face-to-face (physical) modes, depending on the nature and requirements of each programme. For programmes offered in the blended learning mode at the Main Campus, the physical (face-to-face) sessions are held in the evenings. The Dar es Salaam Campus offers programmes in both evening and executive modes of study, with the executive mode available exclusively for MBA and MPA programmes. At the Mbeya Campus, all programmes are delivered through a blended learning mode, with physical (face-to-face) sessions also held in the evenings.

The Main Campus (Mzumbe, Morogoro) provides residential accommodations; however, due to limited space, some students may need to seek off-campus accommodation. The Dar Es Salaam and Mbeya Campuses do not offer accommodation services.

NOTE: THE DEADLINE OF THE APPLICATION WINDOW FOR MASTER'S DEGREE PROGRAMMES IS 31ST OCTOBER, 2026.

All Mzumbe University Postgraduate Programmes offered by different Schools, Faculties, Institutes, and Campuses are listed hereunder;

S/NO	PROGRAMME NAME	MODE OF DELIVERY	DURATION (MONTHS)	FEES PER PROGRAM (TSH)
SOPAM – SCHOOL OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION AND MANAGEMENT				
1	Master of Public Administration (MPA)	Blended	12	4,590,000/=
2	Master of Public Administration in Local Government Management (MPA- LGM)	Blended	12	4,590,000/=

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SOPAM – SCHOOL OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION AND MANAGEMENT				
1	Master of Public Administration (MPA)	Blended	12	4,590,000/=
2	Master of Public Administration in Local Government Management (MPA- LGM)	Blended	12	4,590,000/=
3	Master of Health Systems Management (MHSM)	Blended	12	4,590,000/=
4	Master of Health Systems in Economics and Financing (MHSEF)	Blended	12	4,590,000/=
5	Master of Health Systems in Policy and Planning (MHSPP)	Blended	12	4,590,000/=
6	Master of Science in Health Monitoring and Evaluation (Dissertation and Publications)	Blended	24	7,230,000/=
7	Master of Science in Health Monitoring and Evaluation (Coursework and Dissertation)	Blended	24	7,230,000/=
8	Master of Science in Human Resource Management (MSc. HRM)	Blended	12	4,590,000/=
9	Master of Research and Public Policy (MRPP)	Face to Face	24	4,590,000/=
10	Master of Public Administration in Ethics and Governance (MPA – EG)	Face to Face	18	4,590,000/=
SOB – SCHOOL OF BUSINESS				
1	Master of Business Administration in Corporate Management (MBA– CM)	Blended	18	4,590,000/=
2	Master of Science in Accounting and Finance (MSc. A&F)	Blended	18	4,590,000/=
3	Master of Science in Procurement and Supply Chain Management (MSc. PSCM)	Blended	18	4,590,000/=
4	Master of Science in Entrepreneurship and Innovation Management (MSc. EIM)	Blended	18	4,590,000/=
5	Master of Science in Marketing Management (MSc. MM)	Blended	18	4,590,000/=
6	Master of Science in Digital Finance (MSc. DF)	Blended	18	4,590,000/=

S/NO	PROGRAMME NAME	MODE OF DELIVERY	DURATION (MONTHS)	FEES PER PROGRAM (TSH)
FSS – FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES				
1	Master of Science in Economics (MSc. Econ)	Blended	18	4,590,000/=
2	Master of Science in Project Planning and Management (MSc. PPM)	Face to Face	18	4,590,000/=
3	Master of Science in Economic Policy and Planning (MSc. EPP)	Face to Face	18	4,590,000/=
4	Master of Arts in Education (MA Edu.)	Face to Face	18	4,590,000/=
5	Master of Development in Monitoring and Evaluation (MDME)	Blended	18	4,590,000/=
6	Master of Arts in Kiswahili (MAK)	Blended	24	4,590,000/=
7	Masters of Economics in natural Resources (MENR)	Blended	18	4,590,000/=
FOL – FACULTY OF LAW				
1	LL.M in Commercial Law (LL.M- CL)	Face to Face	18	4,590,000/=
2	LL.M in Constitutional and Administrative Law (LL.M-CAL)	Face to Face	18	4,590,000/=
3	LL.M in International Law (LL.M-IL)	Blended	12	4,590,000/=
4	LL.M in Natural Resources Law (LL.M -NRL)	Blended	12	8,000,000/=
FST – FACULTY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY				
1	Master of Science in Information Technology (MSc. IT)	Face to Face	24	6,570,000/=
2	Master of Science in Applied Statistics (MSc. AS)	Blended	18	6,570,000/=
3	Master of Science in Operations Management and Logistics (MSc. OML)	Face to Face	18	4,590,000/=
4	Master of Science in Applied Data Science (MSc. ADS)	Blended	24	4,590,000/=
5	Master of Science in Business Informatics (MSc. BI)	Blended	24	4,590,000/=

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IDS- INSTITUTE OF DEVELOPMENT STUDIES				
1	Master of Arts in Development Policy and Planning (MA. DPP)	Face to Face	18	4,590,000/=
2	Master of Environmental Management (MEM)	Face to Face	18	4,590,000/=
2.0 MASTER'S DEGREE PROGRAMMES AT DAR ES SALAAM CAMPUS COLLEGE (DCC)				
1	Master of Business Administration in Corporate Management (MBA- CM)	Blended	18	4,640,000/=
2	Master of Leadership and Management (MLM)	Face to Face	18	4,640,000/=
3	Master of Science in Applied Economics and Business (MSc. AEB)	Face to Face	18	4,640,000/=
4	Executive Master of Business Administration (Ex-MBA)	Blended	18	6,515,000/=
3.0 MASTER'S DEGREE PROGRAMMES AT MBEYA CAMPUS COLLEGE (MCC)				
1	Master of Business Administration in Corporate Management (MBA- CM)	Blended	18	4,570,000/=
2	LL.M in International Law (LL.M-IL)	Blended	12	4,570,000/=

4.0 PROGRAMMES INFORMATION

The duration of our Master's programmes is as follows;

- (i). Twelve (12) months programs: these programs involves both coursework's and dissertation running in parallel.
- (ii). Eighteen (18) months programs: these programs have twelve months of coursework to be run in two semesters, and a minimum of six months for dissertation/project work.
- (iii). Twenty-Four (24) months programs: these programs have three semesters of coursework and six months (one semester) for dissertation work

Note: For more (specific) information about individual programmes, please visit the DRPS Website

www.mu.ac.tz/en/academics/directorates/directorate-research-and-postgraduate-studies/. You may also surf on our main website at: mu.ac.tz and/or respective schools/faculties/directorates' websites as hereunder given:

- a) Dar es Campus College (DCC): www.mu.ac.tz/en/academics/campuses/dar-es-salaam-campus-college/
- b) Mbeya Campus: www.mu.ac.tz/en/academics/campuses/mbeya-campus-college/
- c) School of Public Administration and Management (SOPAM): www.mu.ac.tz/en/academics/schools/school-of-public-administration-management/
- d) School of Business (SOB): www.mu.ac.tz/en/academics/schools/school-business/
- e) Faculty of Social Sciences (FSS): www.mu.ac.tz/en/academics/faculties/faculty-social-science/
- f) Faculty of Law (FOL): www.mu.ac.tz/en/academics/faculties/faculty-law/
- g) Faculty of Science and Technology (FST): www.mu.ac.tz/en/academics/faculties/faculty-science-technology/
- h) Institute of Development Studies (IDS) website: www.mu.ac.tz/en/academics/institutes/institute-development-studies/

i) 5.0 ENTRY QUALIFICATIONS FOR PROGRAMMES

General Qualifications

A candidate seeking admission into our Master degree programmes shall hold a relevant academic bachelor degree (UQF level 8) or equivalent with GPA of 2.7 or B grade from a recognized institution of higher learning. Applicants with a PASS degree (i.e those who obtained third class in the first degree) will also be considered upon producing evidence of having obtained a postgraduate diploma in the relevant discipline/area of study with minimum GPA of 3.0 or B grade from a recognized institution or equivalent professional qualifications such as the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants (ACCA), Certified Public Accountant, Tanzania (CPA (T)), Procurement and Supplies Professional and Technicians Board (PSPTB)

A candidate who holds a foreign degree (degree obtained outside Tanzania) should have an average credit of “B” or above (evaluated according to Mzumbe University system) and have his/ her academic qualifications validated by the Tanzania Commission for Universities (TCU). For further information regarding validation of foreign qualifications please visit this link <https://www.tcu.go.tz/?q=content/recognition-and-equation-foreign-qualifications>

Specific Qualifications

- ✓ Applicants for MSc. (A&F) must possess solid accounting background and must have completed courses in Financial Accounting, Management Accounting, Financial Management, Auditing and Assurance and Quantitative Methods at a Bachelor’s degree level.
- ✓ Applicants for MSc. MM must have studied marketing-related subjects at a Bachelor’s degree level.
- ✓ Applicants for MSc. PSCM must have studied supply management-related subjects at Bachelor’s degree level.
- ✓ Applicants for Master of Environmental Management (EM) must have studied environment related social science degrees and those working in the field of environment will be at an added advantage
- ✓ Applicants for MSc. Economics must possess a solid background in Economics by having studied economics at Bachelor’s degree level.
- ✓ Applicants for MSc. PPM and MSc. EPP must have studied Economics/and or development related subjects at Bachelor’s degree level.
- ✓ Applicants for MSc. HM&E must have two years of working experience in health- related projects. For this programme, all shortlisted candidates shall attend an interview conducted at the Main Campus to determine the final selected applicants to be admitted.
- ✓ Applicants for the MSc. ITS must have already completed Bachelor degree or equivalent in appropriate area.

B: DOCTOR OF PHILISOPHY (PhD) DEGREE PROGRAMMES

Applicants for PhD studies should be holders of Master's degree (UQF level 9) in the relevant field/discipline/area of study or equivalent (see above for the fields of studies offered at Mzumbe University) with a minimum of GPA of 3.0 or B obtained from any accredited university or higher learning institution. For foreign degree, applicants must have an average grade of not less than "B" as evaluated according to Mzumbe University system and having the degree qualifications validated by TCU (Refer para 5, above). An application for admission into a PhD programme is received at any time of the year using Mzumbe University application forms of that particular academic year but registration to the programme will be effective on biannual basis (March and October/November each year). PhD applicants should submit along with the application forms, firstly a one page motivation statement (clearly explaining what motivates her/him to pursue this higher academic degree, what he/she would like to achieve as a result of his/her studies, and what impact the studies may/will have on his/her life, research area and society in general) and secondly, a concept note of around two to three (A4 paper) pages indicating a topic intended to be addressed, the reasons for choosing the topic and how s/he intends to tackle it (answers to these questions should be informed by most recent research based literature/evidences).

There are two options in our PhD design, namely part-time or full-time options. A full-time candidate shall be one who registers into a programme by dedicating 100% of his/her time to studies and is thus expected to accomplish PhD studies in three (3) years and they should present a written commitment to abide to the full-time registered students schedule of study. An allowance of eight (8) extensions of six months each will be granted during the entire PhD programme amounting to total duration of seven (7) years. A part-time candidate shall be one who combines work and studies and is expected to accomplish PhD studies in four (4) years. An allowance of ten (10) extensions of six months each will be granted during the entire PhD programme amounting to total duration of nine (9) years. PhD applicants may choose any of these options during application. All our PhD programmes are offered by thesis (i.e it is only by research and thesis, thus no formal coursework is delivered during the programme except for School of Public Administration and Management (SOPAM) also offers PhD in Public Administration by Coursework and Dissertation.

C: MODE OF APPLICATION FOR MASTER PROGRAMMES

a) Applicants are required to complete all stages as shown on the guideline for Online Application through the link: <https://admission.mu.ac.tz/>. On this admission portal, applicants are required to fill application forms together with providing emails of two references in boxes provided. All referees should be persons who are academically familiar with the applicant, either as his/ her undergraduate/master's tutor/lecturer, research supervisor or (for master's degree applicants) one of them could be professional associate (immediate manager or employer) for those employed, but NOT relatives, friends and/or primary/secondary school teachers. For PhD applicants all referees must be academic and their reference must refer to their relationship with the applicants at master's level. Reference forms filled by other than those categories of referees mentioned above commenting on the academic suitability of the applicant will not be accepted. The application and reference forms can be downloaded from the Mzumbe University website: mu.ac.tz and/or Directorate of Research, Publications and Postgraduate Studies (DRPS) website:

www.mu.ac.tz/en/academics/directorates/directorate-research-and-postgraduate-studies/

b) Application to all of the above postgraduate programmes must be accompanied by a non-refundable application fee of TZS. 30,000/= (for local applicants) or USD 30 (for international /foreign applicants).

c) During filling the online application form, applicants are required to indicate their campus of preference, i.e. whether Main Campus, Dar es Salaam Campus or Mbeya Campus.

d) The application fee should be paid to Mzumbe University up on requesting the control number from the Mzumbe University Online Application and Admission Portal (OAAP) – admission.mzumbe.ac.tz

FOR INQUIRIES

Please do not hesitate to contact the Director of Research, Publications and Postgraduate Studies, Mzumbe University, P.O.Box 63, MOROGORO. Tel. +255 23 293120/1/2 OR

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