



THE CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY OF MALAWI

Centre of Excellence for Quality Holistic Education



**CALL FOR APPLICATIONS FOR UNIVERSITY ADMISSION
FOR FULL-TIME (GENERIC AND MATURE ENTRY)
PROGRAMMES, FEBRUARY 2025 INTAKE**



The Catholic University of Malawi invites suitably qualified persons to apply for various programmes tenable at its main Campus in Nguludi, Chiradzulu.

To be considered, candidates must apply by completing and submitting their application forms.

Admission into generic/full-time programmes is through

- (1) University Entrance Examinations (UEE);
- (2) Consideration of relevant papers and certificates;
- (3) Bridging.

METHOD OF APPLICATION

Applicants can apply using one of the following methods

a) Online application

Apply online by clicking <https://apply.cunima1.online/application/>

b) Hard copies of Application Forms

Application forms are available at the following places: the university Campus at Montfort-Nguludi in Chiradzulu, the Catholic Secretariat (Area 11, Lilongwe), St. John's Secondary School (Lilongwe), Mary Mount Secondary School and Mzuzu Technical College (Mzuzu), and all Catholic Diocesan Education Offices (Karonga, Mzuzu, Lilongwe, Dedza, Mangochi, Zomba, Blantyre, Chikwawa).

c) Download Application Form from the University website: <http://www.cunima.ac.mw>

Application Fee

Applicants should pay a non-refundable application fee of MK20,000 (for local students) or USD25 (for foreign students) deposited into any of the following University Bank Accounts:

BANK	ACCOUNT NUMBER	SERVICE CENTRE
National Bank of Malawi	1928694	Customs Road
NBS	14421707	Limbe
Centenary Bank	9073757325025	Limbe

Please ensure that the deposit slip is machine printed at the back.

The University **will not receive** cash, postal orders or cheque payment. **The University does not have a Mpamba or Airtel Money Account.**

Application Package

Applicants must ensure that they submit a complete set of documents as listed below:

- i. Completed application form
- ii. Copy of certificate or copy of notification of results
- iii. Copy of the bank deposit slip for the non-refundable application fee
- iv. Letter of commitment for financial support
- v. Recent passport-size photograph

Please send the application package to the following address:

The University Registrar
The Catholic University of Malawi
P.O. Box 5452
Limbe

Or scan the Application package and send to the following email address:

admissions@cunima.ac.mw

UNIVERSITY ADMISSION POLICY

The Catholic University of Malawi is open to students of all faiths and respects freedom of thought and expression within the limits of Catholic ethos.

DISCLAIMER:

- 1. The University does not use any person as an agent to help it in recruiting new students;**
- 2. No employee of the University has the mandate to collect money from prospective students for them to be admitted into any of the programmes or to be on scholarship;**
- 3. The University does not have Airtel Money or TNM Mpamba accounts where you can deposit any type of fees. Fees must be deposited into the designated University bank account.**

For more information about this call for applications, visit our website at <http://www.cunima.ac.mw> or call the following number: 0886074600 or email: admissions@cunima.ac.mw

ROUTE 1: ADMISSION THROUGH UNIVERSITY ENTRANCE EXAMINATIONS

- Apply using application forms clearly marked "Admission through Entrance Examinations."
- Eligible applicants are those with **MSCE or its equivalent, and with credits in six subjects** including English. IGCSE equivalence of MSCE is as follows: A*=1, A=2, B=3, C=5, D=7, E, F, G=8
- Eligible applicants will sit for University Entrance Examinations on **Saturday, 23rd November, 2024 starting at 8 a.m.**
- University Entrance Examinations will consist of three papers: **Reasoning Skills; Numerical Skills; and English & Communication Skills.**

THE DEADLINE FOR SUBMITTING APPLICATION FORMS is **Saturday 16th November, 2024.**

- Names of successful candidates will be released on **Friday, 14th December, 2024.**
- Successful candidates will report for classes on **Monday, 17th February, 2025.**

NOTE: No individual has been mandated by the University to conduct coaching for the University Entrance Examinations.

ROUTE 2: ADMISSION THROUGH CONSIDERATION OF PAPERS AND CERTIFICATES

Apply using application forms clearly marked “Admission through Consideration of Post-Secondary Certificates”.

“A” Level Qualification

- Candidates with “A” Level qualification must have a minimum of three **principal passes** with an aggregate of at least 9 points. For purposes of selection, A-Level is interpreted as follows: **A=5, B=4, C=3**. Such candidates **will not be required to sit for the University Entrance Examinations**.

Other Advanced Post-Secondary Certificates

- The University also considers those with advanced certificates and diplomas from recognised and accredited institutions in the relevant areas of study. Candidates who apply using such qualifications are vetted by respective Faculties on a case-by-case basis to determine their eligibility and level of entry. Such candidates **will not be required to sit for the University Entrance Exams**.

THE DEADLINE FOR SUBMITTING APPLICATION FORMS is **10th November, 2024**.

CURRENT FEES STRUCTURE PER SEMESTER (SUBJECT TO CHANGE)

Programmes	Tuition	Accommodation (University Hostels)	Medical	Students Union	Student ID Card	TOTAL
Undergraduate Programs (Education)	K600,000	K180,000	K15,000	K6,000	K9,000	K810,000
Undergraduate Programs (Commerce, Science, Social Sciences,)	K678,000	K180,000	K15,000	K6,000	K9,000	K888,000
Undergraduate Programs (Law and Nursing & Midwifery)	K840,000	K180,000	K15,000	K6,000	K6,000	K1,050,000

Foreign students US\$ 2,000 (All inclusive)

Government Loans

The Higher Education Students Loans and Grants Board (HESLGB) provides loans to **needy and deserving students** equivalent to one Semester. Such students are expected to pay on their own the required fees for the first semester.

University Accommodation Policy

Admission into the University programmes is not tied to available on-campus accommodation. On-campus accommodation is provided subject to availability of bed space and upon payment of full accommodation fees (**K180,000.00/semester for University hostels**) deposited into any of the University’s accounts.

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ROUTE 3: ADMISSION THROUGH THE BRIDGING PROGRAMME

Apply using application forms clearly marked “Admission through Bridging Programme.”

- The Bridging Programme will run from **16th December 2024 to 25th January, 2025.**
- The closing date for receiving such applications is **30th November, 2024.**
- Applicants will arrive on Monday, **16th December, 2024.**
- Upon successful completion of the Bridging programme, a person will be eligible to enroll in one of the University programmes listed in the application form.

Eligibility for the Bridging Programme/ Who should apply

Those with Malawi School Certificate of Education (MSCE), or its equivalent, with six credits including English.

The university interpretation of IGCSE and O-Level as an equivalent to MSCE is as follows:
 IGCSE; A*=1, A=2, B=3, C=5, D=7, E=8, F=9
 GCE O-Level; A=1, B=3, C=5, D=7; E=8

Bridging Programme Outline

Successful applicants shall be enrolled and register for four courses which shall be examined at the end of the programme. The following courses are offered during the Bridging Programme:

- Numerical Skills,
- Information & Computer Technology,
- Communication & Study Skills,
- Critical Thinking.

Only those who pass will be eligible for admission into one of the programmes of study.

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Selection Criteria

Admission into a university degree programme is subject to

- Passing Bridging Examination in all courses (for those who already possess certificates).
- Passing Bridging Examination in all courses and MSCE with credits in six subjects including English.
- Satisfying additional specific programme requirements demanded by the various Faculties as specified in the Application Form. This means that upon successful completion of the Bridging Programme, candidates will be guided by Deans of Faculty on the programme they qualify for.

Bridging programme fee structure

TUITION	ACCOMMODATION	MEDICAL	STUDENTS UNION	TOTAL
K150,000	K75,000	K6,000	K3,600	K234,600

Catering Services

Catering Services are outsourced to a private catering company, RK Catering Services. For details about catering fees contact 0999 914 661.

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APPLICATION FORM FOR FULL-TIME PROGRAMMES

ADMISSION THROUGH ENTRANCE EXAMINATIONS (23RD NOV.,24)

CLOSING DATE: SATURDAY, 16TH NOVEMBER, 2024

- Applicants with MSCE/IGSCE/GCE sit for University Entrance Examinations (UEE) on 23rd Nov.2024
- Applicants should have MSCE/IGSCE/GCE with credits in six subjects including English
- Applicants with A Level and Teaching Certificates with MSCE of 6 credits will be exempted from UEE.

Complete both sides of this Application Form and send it together with all attachments plus a **recent passport size photograph** to: The Registrar, The Catholic University of Malawi, Montfort Campus, P.O. Box 5452, Limbe, Malawi, with a non-refundable application fee of **K20,000** to be deposited into one of the University's bank accounts:

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- No individual or group of individuals are mandated by the University to conduct coaching for the University Entrance Examinations.

SECTION 1: PERSONAL DETAILS

Surname: _____ Other Names _____ Date of Birth: ____ / ____ / ____

Nationality _____ Gender: M F Marital Status: _____

Address for Correspondence: _____

Personal Contact No: _____ Guardian's No: _____ Email address _____

Religious Affiliation: [] Catholic [] Other (specify): _____

Do you have any disability? [] Yes [] No. If YES, state nature of disability.

SECTION 2: ACADEMIC RECORD

List All High/Secondary Schools Attended:

Name: _____ Address: _____ From: _____ To: _____

Attach photocopies of ALL Academic Certificates, (If no certificate available, attach original results notification slip.

List All Colleges/Universities Attended

Name: _____ From: _____ To: _____

Degree/Diploma/Certificate _____

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SECTION 3: ACADEMIC PROGRAMMES

FACULTY	PROGRAMMES (choose any 3 in order of preference)			REQUIREMENTS
Commerce	1. Accountancy	2. Banking & Finance	3. Business Administration	Six credits including English with aggregate of not more than 30 points . Mathematics should be not more than 5
	4. Marketing	5. Human Resource Management		
Education Tuition Fees	6. Biblical & Religious Studies	7. English	8. Geography	Six credits including English
	9. History	10. Mathematics	11. Special Needs	
Law Tuition Fees	12. Laws (Honours)			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Six credits including English with aggregate of not more than 20 points ● Bachelor's degree in any field accredited by NCHE ● Diploma in any field accredited by NCHE with credit ● Diploma in Law accredited by NCHE ● Completed first year with credit in any programme accredited by NCHE with credit ● 3 A Level passes
Nursing Tuition Fees	13. Nursing and Midwifery			Six credits including English among which should be four Science subjects
Science Tuition Fees	14. Applied Statistics	15. Environmental Studies		Six credits including English, Mathematics, Physics or Chemistry.
Social Sciences Tuition Fees	16. Anthropology	17. Community Development		Six credits including English and Mathematics. For Economics, Mathematics should be not more than 4 points .
	18. Development Studies	19. Economics		
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Choices (insert the number of a programme in the blank spaces below)

1st Choice _____ 2nd Choice _____ 3rd Choice _____

Examination Centre (Choose one only) Main Campus Lilongwe Mzuzu

Entry Qualification(s) MSCE IGCSE GCE A Levels Advanced Certificate

SECTION 4: FINANCIAL SUPPORT

Who will sponsor your education at the Catholic University of Malawi? (Tick)

Self Parents Government Company Religious Institution Donors NGO

Attach a letter from the Sponsor.

SECTION 5: VERIFICATION

(Applicant's Signature Required)

I confirm that the information provided herein is correct and that misrepresentation of facts could be cause for expulsion or suspension from the Catholic University of Malawi if discovered after enrolment.

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APPLICATION FORM FOR FULL-TIME PROGRAMMES ADMISSION THROUGH CONSIDERATION OF POST- SECONDARY CERTIFICATES

CLOSING DATE: SATURDAY, 10TH NOVEMBER, 2024

- Applicants with MSCE/IGSCE/GCE **will NOT sit for** University Entrance Examinations (UEE)
- Applicants should have A Level and Diploma Certificates
- Aggregate of not more than 30 points in six subjects and 6 credits including English
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APPLICATION FORM FOR FULL-TIME PROGRAMMES ADMISSION THROUGH BRIDGING **CLOSING DATE: 30th NOVEMBER, 2024**

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