The University of Dar es Salaam invites applications for admission into the Master of Business Administration (MBA) Degree programme.

**General Information**

The general objective of the MBA programme is to contribute to the world of business by creating a critical mass of professionals who are enterprising and who can take stock of the changing competitive business environment and make critical decisions for effective and efficient strategy formulation and implementation. Specifically, the MBA programme is designed with the needs of the business world, employers, employees, organizations and students in mind, to enable them:

- acquire the requisite theoretical understanding of the total business world and generic areas of management;
- develop practical skills for effective management building confidence in teams and motivating other people;
- facilitate the development of professional and problem solving attitude for profitable business.

The MBA degree programme of the University of Dar es Salaam Business School (UDBS) is offered in three different modes:

- Full Time Mode
- Evening Mode
- Executive Mode

**Full Time Mode**
The Full time MBA programme is offered during normal working hours and students registered in the programme are expected to be residing within Dar es Salaam for effective utilization of facilities. The programme is divided into four semesters offered within two calendar years starting in October of every year. The first three semesters are for coursework while the fourth semester is dedicated for the students to conduct research and write a dissertation.

**Evening Mode**
This two years programme is designed to cater for those who would like to pursue studies while working. In this mode students attend classes three days a week starting from 17.00hrs to 20.00 hrs. This mode is organized in seven trimesters with one week breather period between trimesters. The first six trimesters are for classes while the seventh trimester is dedicated for dissertation writing. The new intake into the programme commences in July of each year.

**Executive Mode**
The MBA Executive programme is also designed and target those who would like to combine work and study but they are living and/or working outside Dar Es Salaam. This programme is highly interactive and is run on modular organized in 8 modules. Each module comprises of 3 courses. Each course runs for 5 days for each course (4 days for lectures and one day for revision and a test). In between the modules, students break for two months and go back to their work places while undertaking practical assignments. The 8th module is dedicated for writing a dissertation.

**MBA Degree Entry Requirements**
The MBA programme is open to applicants with different academic backgrounds, including (but not limited to) business, management, social sciences, animal sciences, humanities, natural sciences, engineering, architecture, lawyers, medicine, development studies and general social studies, etc. The general entry requirements are:-

a) A first or second class degree of the University of Dar es Salaam or its equivalent from another approved University or higher learning institution.

OR

b) Candidates with a pass degree may be considered if:
   - They have at least 2 years working experience after graduation, and
   - They have evidence of post-graduation training lasting at least six months.

OR
c) An Advanced Diploma from a recognized higher learning institution with a minimum of upper second class PLUS a Postgraduate Diploma.

OR

d) Have a recognized professional qualification such as ACCA, CA, CPA, CPSP, CIB, MCIM, CMA.

In addition to the above general entry requirements, students intending to join MBA through the Executive mode need to have accumulated working experience of at least 3 years at managerial positions.

**How to apply and Deadline for receiving Applications**

Applicants are required to complete all stages as shown on the guideline for Online Application through the link: [https://aris2.udsm.ac.tz/pgoa](https://aris2.udsm.ac.tz/pgoa) For further inquiries on how to apply please contact the Directorate of Postgraduate Studies using the following e-mail: admission.dpgs@udsm.ac.tz

Deadline for application submission: **31st May 2017**.

**Application Fee**

Tshs. 50,000/= for Tanzanians and $50 for foreigners. (non-refundable)

Application fees should be paid through the bank as follows:

**FOR FULL TIME PROGRAMMES**

Bank: NBC Bank, Mlimani Branch., A/C Name: University of Dar es Salaam, A/C Number: 040103001709(Tsh.) OR

**FOR EVENING AND EXECUTIVE PROGRAMMES**

Bank: CRDB UDSM Branch, A/C Name: FCM BUILDING A/C Number: 01J1088730900

Foreign: NBC Bank, Samora Branch, A/C Name: University of Dar es Salaam, A/C Number: 012105005554 (Dollar A/C), SWIFT: NLCBTZTX

**Inquiries:** All inquiries about the course contents (MBA) should be addressed to:

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https://aris2.udsm.ac.tz/pgoa