



## LIST OF POSTGRADUATE PROGRAMMES AND ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

### GENERAL ENTRY REQUIREMENTS:

#### Master's degree programme

The normal minimum entrance requirement shall be a Bachelor's degree of this or any other recognized University or equivalent institution with at least a second class, second division or equivalent (3.0 GPA, on a 5-point scale) in the relevant field.

Candidates with a Pass degree or equivalent, and who have at least two years of relevant work experience, may be considered for admission.

Applicants who have completed a post-graduate diploma are eligible for admission into a Master's programme. The number of credits to be allowed towards the Master's will be assessed on admission.

#### Master of Philosophy Degree Programme

Normally, applicants must have obtained an appropriate Bachelor's degree National Credit and Qualifications Framework (NCQF) Level 7 or equivalent Bachelor's Degree Honours NCQF level 8 with a First or Upper Second Class (overall A or B average; GPA of 3.5 on a 5-point scale), or equivalent or similar grade, from a recognized University or equivalent Institution of Higher Education or a Master's degree.

Applicants who have obtained an appropriate combined major degree with a First or Second Class (overall A or B average) may be considered provided that, at least, an Upper Second Class performance (B average) is achieved in the intended field of study.

#### Doctor of Philosophy Degree Programme

Applicants who have obtained an appropriate Master's degree NCQF Level 9 or equivalent with course work and research are eligible to apply.

Applicants without a Master's degree but possess a Bachelor's Degree NCQF Level 7 or equivalent obtained at second class (upper) or a Cumulative GPA of 3.5 out of 5 and above, or equivalent or similar grade, and have a minimum of 2 first authored articles in journals in a relevant field in UB-recognised databases may be admitted directly into a PhD programme, upon recommendation by the Departmental Board and approval by the Faculty/Institute Graduate Studies Board.

## **FACULTY OF BUSINESS**

- **Master of Business Administration**

1. *(\*Candidates whose undergraduate degrees are not business related will have to enroll on the MBA Foundation program. The program runs for five weeks [June – July] on part-time basis during the weekend, starting on Friday evening until Sunday afternoon. The MBA Foundation attracts a flat fee of P5000.00. The difference between Part time and Full-time students is the load of work/credits they are allowed to carry in a semester. Full time students are allowed to register for a maximum of 15 credits whilst the part time's maximum is 12 credits. MBA classes are scheduled for 1800hrs -2100hrs which both full time and part time students attend*

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## **FACULTY OF EDUCATION:**

### **MEd (Master of Education) in**

- Counselling and Human Services
- Curriculum & Instruction
- Early Childhood Education
- Educational Technology
- Environmental Education
- Gender Studies
- Language Education
- Lifelong Learning & Community Development
- Leadership Planning Policy and Management
- Mathematics
- Physical Education (streams: Pedagogy, Sports Management, Sports Science, Sports Psychology)
- Primary Education
- Religious Education
- Research and Evaluation
- Science Education
- Social Studies Education

## **FACULTY OF ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGY:**

### **MSc (Master of Science) in**

- Civil Engineering (streams: Geotechnics, Transportation, Water and Environment, Structural Engineering, Construction Management)
- Electrical/Electronic Engineering (streams: Electrical Power Engineering, Electronics Systems Engineering)
- Mechanical Engineering (stream: Manufacturing Engineering; Energy and Process Engineering; Engineering Management and Control Systems)
- Project Management (MPM)

## **FACULTY OF HEALTH SCIENCES**

### **Master of Nursing Science (MNS) in**

- Adult-Gerontology Oncology and Palliative Care
- Child & Adolescent Health Nursing
- Community Health Nursing
- Family Nurse Practitioner
- Psychiatric and Mental Health Nursing

## **FACULTY OF HUMANITIES**

### **MA (Master of Arts) in**

- African Languages and Literature (streams: Literature, Linguistics, African Oral and Written Literature)
- English (streams: English Language and Linguistics, English Literature, Literature of Africans in the Diaspora and Theatre Studies)
- French Studies (streams: Translation-Interpretation, French Literature, French as Foreign Language. (FLE))
- History
- Media & Communication
- Theology and Religious Studies

### **Master**

- Archives and Records Management
- Library and Information Studies

## **FACULTY OF SCIENCE:**

### **MSc (Master of Science) in**

- Applied Microbiology \* (Full - time only)
- Chemistry \*(Full-time only) (Streams: Analytical Chemistry, Inorganic Chemistry, Organic Chemistry, Physical Chemistry)
- Computer Information Systems
- Computer Science
- Environmental Science (Streams: Geospatial Science, Environmental Resources Management, Sustainable Development & Climate Change, Environmental Policy and Assessments)
- Hydrogeology
- Mathematics (Streams: Pure Mathematics, Applied Mathematics)
- Physics \* (Full-time only) (Streams: Energy and Environmental Physics, Geophysics, Instrumentation, Theoretical Physics)

## **FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES:**

### **MA (Master of Arts) in**

- Development Studies
- Economics (Now offered both Part time & Full-time)
- Politics and International Relations \* *Need Foundation Program same as Public Administration*
- Population Studies (streams: Demography, Population Studies)
- Public Administration (Public Financial Management)
- Sociology

- Statistics

#### Master

- Law (LLM)
- Public Administration- General
- Public Administration in Environmental Resources Management
- Public Administration in Human Resource Management
- Public Administration (Public Policy and Administration)

*\*Candidates whose undergraduate degrees are not Political Science and Public Administration - related will have to enroll on the Political Science/Public Administration Foundation program. The program runs for one week [July) on a full-time basis during the day. Enrolled students will be expected to pay P3000.00 for the foundation course.*

- Social Work (streams: (i) Health, Mental Health, Substance Abuse and Disability (HMHSAD); (ii) Children, Youth and Families (YCF); and (iii) Social Policy and Social Development (SPSD).

#### Postgraduate Diploma

- Statistics

#### MPhil PROGRAMMES.

##### FACULTY OF ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGY:

- MPhil in (Built Environment)

##### FACULTY OF HEALTH SCIENCES

- MPhil in Medical Science

##### OKAVANGO RESEARCH INSTITUTE (offered at Maun Campus):

- MPhil in Natural Resource Management

##### FACULTY OF SCIENCE:

- MPhil Biological Sciences
- MPhil in Physics

##### FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

- MPhil in Population Studies

#### PhD PROGRAMMES

## **FACULTY OF EDUCATION**

- PhD in Counselling and Human Services
- PhD in Curriculum and Instruction
- PhD in Early Childhood Education
- PhD in Education (Family and Consumer Sciences)
- PhD in Education (Gender Studies)
- PhD in Education (History Education)
- PhD in Education (Lifelong Learning and Community Development)
- PhD in Educational Management, Leadership, Planning and Policy
- PhD in Educational Technology
- PhD in Environmental Education
- PhD in Food and Nutrition
- PhD in Language Education
- PhD in Mathematics Education
- PhD in Physical Education
- PhD in Research and Evaluation
- PhD in Science Education
- PhD in Special Education
- PhD in Social Studies Education
- PhD in Religious Education
- PhD in Textiles & Clothing

## **FACULTY OF ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGY:**

- PhD in Project Management

## **FACULTY OF HEALTH SCIENCES**

- PhD in Medical Sciences

## **FACULTY OF HUMANITIES:**

- PhD in African Languages and Literature
- PhD in English
- PhD in History
- PhD in Library and Information Studies
- PhD in Theology and Religious Studies

## **FACULTY OF SCIENCE:**

- PhD in Biological Sciences
- PhD in Chemistry
- PhD in Computer Information Systems
- PhD in Computer Science
- PhD in Environmental Science

- PhD in Mathematics
- PhD in Physics

## **FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES**

- PhD in Economics
- PhD in Political Science
- PhD in Population Studies
- PhD in Public Administration
- PhD in Sociology
- PhD in Statistics

## **APPLICATION PERIOD**

Applicants seeking admission into postgraduate programmes at UB for the academic year 2025-2026 which begins in August 2025 may apply on-line on the University website [www.ub.bw](http://www.ub.bw) until the 30<sup>th</sup> April 2025. MPhil and PhD applications are continuous.

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