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DIRECTORATE OF POST GRADUATE STUDIES

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APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION INTO POSTGRADUATE STUDIES

The Catholic University of Health and Allied Sciences is pleased to invite applications from qualified candidates to apply for Postgraduate studies in the following programmes for the Academic Year 2019/2020 at CUHAS. The University is located within Bugando Medical Centre premises in Mwanza, Tanzania:

- A) MASTER OF PUBLIC HEALTH (MPH)
- B) MASTER OF MEDICINE IN INTERNAL MEDICINE AND MASTER OF MEDICINE IN SURGERY (M.Med)
- C) MASTER OF SCIENCE IN PAEDIATRIC NURSING (MSc.PN)
- D) DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY (Ph.D)

A: MASTERS OF PUBLIC HEALTH

1. PROGRAM: MASTER OF PUBLIC HEALTH
2. DURATION: One year.
3. ENTRANCE QUALIFICATIONS:
 - a) Holder of MD degree or its equivalent from a recognized higher learning institution with a pass of B grade or above in Community Medicine and at least one year of working experience
 - b) Holder of B.Sc Nursing degree with a pass of B grade or above in Community Medicine/Health and at least one year of working experience
 - c) Holder of first degree in Health related disciplines and passed with at least lower second with at least one year of working experience
 - d) Holder of Master degree in Health related disciplines with at least one year of working experience.

B: MASTER OF MEDICINE (INTERNAL MEDICINE AND SURGERY)

1. PROGRAM: MASTER OF MEDICINE IN INTERNAL MEDICINE AND MASTER OF MEDICINE IN SURGERY
2. DURATION: Three Years.
3. ENTRANCE QUALIFICATIONS:
 - a) Holder of MD degree or its equivalent from a recognized higher learning institution.
 - b) Must have scored (at undergraduate level) B grade or higher in the specialty he/she wants to pursue.
 - c) Must have successfully completed internship and obtained B grade or higher in the specialty he/she wants to pursue.
 - a) Must have completed at least one year of working experience as a medical practitioner in a recognized hospital by the Tanganyika Medical Council or equivalent registering institution from the country of origin.

C: MASTER OF SCIENCE IN PAEDIATRIC NURSING

1. PROGRAM: MASTER OF SCIENCE IN PAEDIATRIC NURSING
2. DURATION: Two years.
3. ENTRANCE QUALIFICATIONS:
 - b) Holder of Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BScN), or Bachelor of Science in Nursing Education (BScNE), or Bachelor of Science in Mental Health Nursing (BScM) or Bachelor of Science in Midwifery (BScMid) or Bachelor of Science in Nursing Management from a recognized higher learning institution with a GPA of at least 2.7.
 - c) Must have a minimum of 2 years of working experience
 - d) Must have a valid licence to practise as a registered nurse and midwife from Tanzania Nurses and Midwives Council (TNMC) or equivalent registering institution from the country of origin

D: DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY (PhD)

1. PROGRAM: DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY
2. DURATION: Three to five years.
3. ENTRANCE QUALIFICATIONS:
 - 1) Holder of a relevant Master degree (MSc or M.Med) from a recognized higher learning institution.
 - 2) A holder of MD or BVM/DVM under the special MD-PhD or BVM/DVM-PhD programs as stipulated in the CUHAS Guidelines for Higher Degrees.
 - 3) Must demonstrate the capacity to carry out research independently and ability to pursue the study programme.

INSTRUCTIONS TO APPLICANTS:

Applicants must carefully read the information above before attempting to fill the application forms.

- a) Applicants must give full particulars of citizenship (including a copy of the birth certificate) and enclosing photocopies of their academic certificates.
 - b) Applicants must pay a non-refundable application fee of **Tshs. Fifty thousands only (50,000/=)** into Catholic University College **Account Number: 01J1054045501 CRDB** (Bugando branch) and submit the original pay-in-slip together with the application forms. For foreign applicants who have to pay by dollar the **Account Number is: 02J1054045500 CRDB; Account Name CUHAS Establishment Fund; Swift Code: COUR TZTZ**
 - c) Applicants must ascertain themselves that they possess the minimum entrance qualifications before they pay fees as the fees will not be refunded under any circumstances.
- *Application form and other instructions are available in our web page (www.bugando.ac.tz).*
 - *The Fee structure for these programmes are available in our web site.*
 - *Deadline for receiving application forms is strictly at 3.00pm on 15th May, 2019 (for prospective MPH students) and 3.00pm on 15th June, 2019 (for prospective M.Med and MScPN students). Prospective Ph.D students can apply anytime throughout the year.*

NOTE THAT PROSPECTIVE COURSES WHICH WILL BE ANNOUNCED LATER PENDING TCU APPROVAL ARE ;

- MASTER OF MEDICINE IN PAEDIATRICS AND CHILD HEALTH
- MASTER OF MEDICINE IN OBSTETRICS AND GYNAECOLOGY
- MASTER OF SCIENCE IN CLINICAL MICROBIOLOGY AND DIAGNOSTIC MOLECULAR BIOLOGY.