

## PRESS RELEASE

## ACCREDITATION OF MZUZU UNIVERSITY'S ACADEMIC PROGRAMMES

Mzuzu University (MZUNI) is pleased to inform the general public that the Council for the National Council for Higher Education (NCHE) at its 43<sup>rd</sup> Meeting held on 27<sup>th</sup> June 2024, approved accreditation of eight new academic programmes and renewal of accreditation for forty-one old programmes. MZUNI further wishes to inform the general public that Council for NCHE, during its 36<sup>th</sup> Meeting held on 28<sup>th</sup> June 2022 approved the accreditation of 16 programmes which is still valid.

MZUNI therefore wishes to publish the following accredited academic programmes which are currently being offered:

## A. Programmes offered through face-to-face mode of learning

- 1. University Certificate of Education
- 2. Diploma in Travel and Tourism
- 3. Diploma in Pastry and Bakery
- 4. Bachelor of Science (Chemistry)
- 5. Bachelor of Arts (Theology and Religious Studies)
- 6. Bachelor of Arts (Politics and Governance)
- 7. Bachelor of Arts (International Relations and Diplomacy)
- 8. Bachelor of Arts (Development Studies)
- 9. Bachelor of Arts (History and Heritage Studies)
- 10. Bachelor in Business (Tourism Management)
- 11. Bachelor of Hospitality Management
- 12. Bachelor Science (Optometry) Honours
- 13. Bachelor of Education (Information and Communication Technology)
- 14. Bachelor of Education (Sciences)
- 15. Bachelor of Science in Estates Management
- 16. Bachelor of Science in Town and Regional Planning
- 17. Bachelor of Science in Transformative Community Development
- 18. Bachelor of Science in Land Surveying
- 19. Bachelor of Science in Value Chain Agriculture
- 20. Bachelor of Science (Mathematical Sciences) Honours
- 21. Bachelor of Science in Renewable Energy Systems
- 22. Bachelor of Arts (Security Studies)
- 23. Bachelor of Science (Biomedical Laboratory Sciences) Honours
- 24. Bachelor of Science (Nursing and Midwifery)
- 25. Bachelor of Education (Arts)
- 26. Bachelor of Education (Languages)

- 27. Bachelor of Education (French)
- 28. Bachelor of Science (Information and Communication Technology)
- 29. Bachelor of Arts (Cultural and Tourism Heritage)
- 30. Bachelor of Science in Sports Management
- 31. Bachelor of Science (Parasitology and Disease Vector Control)
- 32. Bachelor of Science (Biodiversity Conservation and Management)
- 33. Bachelor of Science (Data Sciences)
- 34. Bachelor of Science (Physics and Electronics)
- 35. Bachelor of Science (Physics and Instrumentation) Honours
- 36. Bachelor of Library and Information Science
- 37. Bachelor of Arts in Communication Studies
- 38. Bachelor of Culinary Arts
- 39. Master of Science (Information Theory, Coding and Cryptography)
- 40. Master of Arts in Applied Linguistics (Law Enforcement)
- 41. Master of Arts in Theology and Religious Studies
- 42. Master of Arts in African History and Heritage
- 43. Master of Tourism and Hospitality Management
- 44. Master of Science in Transformative Community Development
- 45. Master of Science in Urban and Regional Planning
- 46. Master of Science in Sanitation
- 47. Master of Education (Teacher Education)
- 48. Master of Education (Leadership and Management)
- 49. Master of Science in Geo informatics
- 50. Master of Science in Nursing Education
- 51. Master of Science (Applied Chemistry)
- 52. Master in Information Science
- 53. Master of Science in Forestry and Environmental Management
- 54. Master of Science in Water Resource Management and Development
- 55. PhD in Forestry and Environmental Management
- 56. PhD in Transformative Community Development
- 57. PhD in Urban and Regional Planning
- 58. PhD in Sanitation
- 59. PhD in Fisheries and Aquatic Sciences
- 60. PhD (Information Theory, Coding and Cryptography)
- 61. PhD (Theology and Religious Studies)

## B. Programmes offered through Open, Distance and eLearning

- 1. Bachelor of Arts in Theology and Religious Studies
- 2. Bachelor of Arts in Communication Studies
- 3. Bachelor of Business (Tourism Management)
- 4. Bachelor of Hospitality Management
- 5. Bachelor of Education (Arts)



- 6. Bachelor of Education (Languages)
- 7. Bachelor of Education (Sciences)

The accreditation reaffirms MZUNI's commitment to excellence and its quest to meet highest academic standards. It also demonstrates the strides being taken by the University towards becoming *a more credible*, competitive and responsive University in the 21st Century, in line with the MZUNI 2021-30 Strategic Plan.

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