



**CALL FOR APPLICATIONS FOR POSTGRADUATE ACADEMIC PROGRAMMES
AT THE UNIVERSITY OF RWANDA
ACADEMIC YEAR 2026, SEPTEMBER INTAKE**

The University of Rwanda (UR) informs prospective applicants that the online application system for receiving applications for Postgraduate Academic Programmes to be offered in its Colleges during the Academic year 2026, September intake is *open from 08th June 2026 to 07th July 2026*.

Applicants are requested to take note of the following important information:

I. Minimum entry requirements specific to each advertised programme

The minimum entry requirements specific to each advertised programme are published on the UR website along with this call.

II. Advertised Programs

See the Annex 1

III. Required documents for application

All applicants are required to submit the following:

1. A letter addressed to the Director of the UR Center of Postgraduate Studies that must include:
 - (i) Your programme or track of choice;
 - (ii) your full contact details
2. Updated Curriculum Vitae
3. Certified photocopies of academic transcripts and degree certificates
4. Two reference letters from senior academic referees
5. A concept note for PhD applicants, 10 pages maximum

IV. Selection criteria

The selection will be done through the assessment of submitted documents. Only applicants who meet the entry requirements as indicated will be selected.



V. Funding

The University will not give scholarships to admitted candidates. Candidates shall apply for scholarships elsewhere or can be self-sponsored.

VI. Application process

1. Go to UR Website (www.ur.ac.rw)
2. Go to Admission, Applicant Portal, and click on ([New Application](#))
3. Fill out the **Biographical Form** and click (**Save**) at the end, you will get “**Your Student ID Reference Number**”. *Please keep this ID Number as it will be your ID for all transactions at UR*
4. Create a PIN of 5 numeric digits, do not start with a 0 (this PIN will serve as your password to access your student account), leave the page, and open the link below
5. Candidates are requested to submit all required documents by using the following Link:
[https:// pgfile.ur.ac.rw/pgfile/findme.php](https://pgfile.ur.ac.rw/pgfile/findme.php)

NB:

- All documents must be in PDF
- If all required documents are not submitted, you cannot go to the next step.

VII. Contact for any Further Information

For any additional information, clarifications or inquiry, please do not hesitate to contact the Project Coordinator the UR Postgraduate officer, Mukangoga Christine, e-mail: c.mukangoga@ur.ac.rw; Tel: +250 788 642 427

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Assoc. Prof. KAYIHURA Muganga Didas
Acting Vice Chancellor

Advertised Programs 2026-2027(September Intake)

S/N	Name of the College	Name of School/Center	Advertised programs	Offering mode and Campus
1	College of Arts and Social Sciences(CASS)	Center for Gender Studies	Master of Social Sciences in Gender and Development	18months(Three Semesters)evening Program blended-learning(mixed online and face -to face attendance)Gikondo
		School of Arts Languages and Communication Studies	Master of Arts in Translation and Interpretation Studies	18months (with a possibility of 6 months extension)Full-Time Theoretical and Practical classes are conducted during weekend (Huye)
			Master of Arts in Media and Communication Studies	2years Full-Time Evening Programme(Gikondo)
		School of Law	LL.M. in Business Law	18months evening class,course work+Discertation (Gikondo)
			LL.M. in International Criminal Justice and Law of Human Rights	18months evening class,course work+Discertation (Gikondo)
		School of Social Studies and Governance	Master of Arts in Development Studies	18months-24months ,Full-time weekend
			Master of Social Sciences in Local Governance Studies	18months-24months ,Full-time weekend programme
		2	College of Agriculture, Forestry and Food Science (CAFF)	School of Agriculture and Food Sciences
MSc of Science Postharvest Technology	2years/Full -time Program(Busogo)			
MSc of Science in Circular Agro-Economy	2years/Full -time Program(Gikondo)			
MSc of Science in Crop Sciences	2years/Full -time Program(Busogo)			
MSc of Science in Food Safety and Quality	2years/Full -time Program(Busogo)			
MSc of Science in Agroforestry and Soil Management	2years/Full -time Program(Busogo)			
PhD by Research in Agroforestry	4years/Full -time and blended mode(Busogo)			
PhD by Research in Agricultural	4years/Full -time Program(Busogo)			

3	College of Veterinary Medicine and Animal Sciences (CVAS)	School of Animal Sciences and Biotechnology	Master of Science in Animal Production	Mode of attendance:Blended Duration:2Years(Nyagatare)
			PhD by Research in Animal Production and Veterinary Sciences	Mode of attendance:Blended Duration:3Years(Nyagatare)
4	College of Business and Economics(CBE)	School of Economics	MSc Economics	Program duration :2 years,Mode of attendance:weekend(from Friday 5:00PM to Sunday,12:00AM,up to 20hours per weekend),face to face learning and teaching mode.(Gikondo)
			Master of Science in Data Science in: Data Mining, Biostatistics, Econometrics, Actuarial Sciences, Demography	24 months, Full time by Coursework courses will be offered in modular system and dissertation in day and or evening program(Gikondo)
		African Centre of excellence in Data science(ACE-DS)	PhD by Research in Data Science in: Data Mining, Biostatistics, Econometrics, Actuarial Science and Demography	4years, Full-Time PhD program by research, publications and thesis; Professional Development courses and seminars will be offered (Gikondo)
		School of Helth Sciences	Master of Hospital and Healthcare Administration(MHA)	Program duration :2 years,Mode of Teaching:Full Time-Blended Learning model(Face to Face and online) Remera
			Master of Science in Medical Microbiology	Program duration :2 years,Mode of Teaching:Full Time-Blended Learning model(Face to Face and online) Remera
			PhD in Biomedical Sciences	Program Duration :Minimum (3years);Maximum(4years).Mode of Teaching:Research-Based with advenced research,research seminars and biostatistics cources.(Remera)
			PhD by Reaserch in Reabilitation Sciences	Program Duration :Minimum (3years);Maximum(4years).Mode of Teaching:Research-Based with advenced research,research seminars and biostatistics cources.(Remera)

School of Nursing and Midwifery	Master of Science in Nursing in the following options: - NeonatologyTrack, PediatricTrack, OncologyTrack, NephrologyTrack, Critical Care, and Trauma Nursing,Medical Surgical Nurcing,Peri-operativeTrack,Nurcing Edication,Nurcing Leadership and Management,Mental Health Nursing	2years,Full-time(Remera)
	Master of Science in Midwifery	2years,Full-time residency program (Remera)
	Doctorate of Nurcing Practice(DNP)in the following tracks:Neonatology track,Pediatric track	3years,Full-time residency program (Remera)
	PhD by Research in Nursing	Program duration:Minimum duration is 3yearsand maximum is 4years.Mode of attendance:blended for advenced research and biostatistics cources and research seminar
	Master of Medicine in Internal Medicine	Full-time-4years (Remera)
	Master of Medicine in Pediatrics	Full-time-4years (Remera)
	Master of Medicine in Anesthesia	Full-time-4years (Remera)
	Master of Medicine in Emergency Medicine and Critical Care Medicine	Full-time-4years (Remera)
	Master of Medicine in Anatomical Pathology	Full-time-4years (Remera)
	Master of Medicine in Diagnostic Radiology	Full-time-4years (Remera)
	Master of Medicine in Psychiatry	Full-time-4years (Remera)
	Master of Medicinein Ear, Nose and Throat	Full-time-4years (Remera)
	Master of Medicine in General Surgery	Full-time-4years (Remera)
	Master of Medicine in Urology	Full-time-5years (Remera)
	Master of Medicine in Neurosurgery	Full-time-6years (Remera)
	Master of Medicine in Orthopedic Surgery	Full-time-5years (Remera)
	Master of Medicine in Neurology	Full-time-5years (Remera)

School of Medicine and
Pharmacy

Master of Medicine in Dermatology	Full-time-4years (Remera)
Master of Medicine in Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery	Full-time-5years (Remera)
Master of Medicine in PediatricSurgery	Full-time-5years (Remera)
Master of Medicine in Clinical Anatomy	Full-time -2years(Remera)
PhD in Clinical Anatomy	Full-time -3years(Remera)
Master of Medicine in Pharmaceutical Sciences, Quality Assurance and Quality Control	Full-time -2years(Remera)
Master of Medicine in Medical Physiology	Full-time -2years(Remera)
Fellowship in Gynecologic Oncology	Full-time -2years(Remera)
Fellowship in Gastroenterology and Hepatology	Full-time -2years(Remera)
Fellowship in Adult Cardiology	Full-time -3years(Remera)
Fellowship in Nephrology	Full-time -2years(Remera)
Fellowship in Maternal-FetalMedicine	Full-time -2years(Remera)
Fellowship in Pediatric Cardiology	Full-time -3years(Remera)
Fellowship in Endocrinology	Full-time -2years(Remera)
Fellowship in PediatricHematology and Oncology	Full-time -2years(Remera)
Fellowship in Adult Pulmonology	Full-time -2years(Remera)
Fellowship in Geriatrics	Full-time -2years(Remera)
Fellowship in Rheumatology	Full-time -2years(Remera)
Fellowship in Adult Infectious Diseases	Full-time -2years(Remera)
Fellowship in Pediatric Anesthesia	Full-time -2years(Remera)
Fellowship in Vascular and Interventional Radiology	Full-time -2years(Remera)
Fellowship in Medical Oncology	Full-time -2years(Remera)
Fellowship in Neonatal Perinatal Medicine	Full-time -2years(Remera)
Fellowship in Renal Transplant Surgery	Full-time -2years(Remera)
Fellowship in Body Imaging	Full-time -2years(Remera)
Fellowship in Adult Critical Care Medicine	Full-time -2years(Remera)
Master of Science in Clinical Psychology and Therapeutics	Full-time -2years(Remera)

6	College of Science and Technology(CST)		Master of Science in Clinical Trials	Full-time -2years(Remera)
			Phd in Translational Health Sciences	Full-time-4years (Remera)
			PhD by Research in Anatomy	Full-time -4years(Remera)
			Master of Public Health	Full-time 2years blended learning(Remera)
			Master of Science in Epidemiology	Full-time 2years blended learning(Remera)
			PhD by Research in Public Health	Full-Time 4years(Remera)
		School of Dentistry	Master of Dental Surgery in Oral and Maxillofacial	Full-time 5years(Remera)
			Master of Dental Public Health(MDPH)	Full-time 2years(Remera)
		School of Sciences	Master of Science in Applied Mathematics	2Years/Full Time Day(Nyarugenge)
			Master of Science in Atmospheric and Climate Science	2Years/Full Time Day(Nyarugenge)
			Master of Science in Environmental Chemistry	2Years/Full Time Day(Nyarugenge)
			Masteron Science in Biodiversity Concervation and Natural Resource Management	2Years/Full Time Day(Nyarugenge)
		African Center of Excellence in Energy for Sustainable Development(ACE-ESD)	Master of Science in Electrical Power Systems	Masters of electrical power System is 24 months(equivalent to 4 semesters)full -time coursework(cources will be offered on modular basis)and discertation.(Nyarugenge)
			Master of Science in Renewable Energies	Masters of Renewable Energies is 24 months(equivalent to 4 semesters)full -time coursework(cources will be offered on modular basis)and discertation.(Nyarugenge)
			Master of Science in Energy Economics	Masters of Energy Economics is 24 months(equivalent to 4 semesters)full -time coursework(cources will be offered on modular basis)and discertation.(Nyarugenge)
			PhD by Research in Electrical Power Systems	The PhD by Research Program is full time. The duration of the PhD by Program is 48 months maximum.(Nyarugenge)
			PhD by Research in Renewable Energy	The PhD by Research Program is full time. The duration of the PhD by Program is 48 months maximum.(Nyarugenge)
			PhD by Research in Energy Economics	The PhD by Research Program is full time. The duration of the PhD by Program is 48 months maximum.(Nyarugenge)

		School of ICT	PhD by Research in ICT: Software Engineering	4years /DayTime (Nyarugenge)
			PhD by Research in ICT: Computer Science	4years /DayTime (Nyarugenge)
			MSc in Information Systems;(option: e-Government)	2years/DayTime (Nyarugenge)
			MSc in Information Systems: (option:Internet Technology)	2years/DayTime (Nyarugenge)
			MSc in Information Technology: (Option:Operations and Communication)	2years/DayTime (Nyarugenge)
			MSc in Software Engineering	2years/DayTime (Nyarugenge)
		School of Architecture and Built Environment(SABE)	MSc. Of Geo-Information Science for Environment and Sustainable Development(GI-ESD)	Duration:2Years/Full Time week-end :face to face Running from Friday (evening)to Sunday
		African Centre of Excellence in Internet of Things (ACEIoT)	MSc: Wireless Intelligent Sensor Networking (WSN)	2 Years/Physical on Campus /Full-Time(Nyarugenge)
			MSc: Embedded Computing Systems (ECS)	2 Years/Physical on Campus /Full-Time(Nyarugenge)
			PhD in IoT: Wireless IntelligentSensor Networking (WSN)	3-4 Years/Physical on Campus /Full-Time (Nyarugenge)
			PhD in IoT: Embedded Computing Systems (ECS)	3-4 Years/Physical on Campus /Full-Time(Nyarugenge)
		African Centre of Excellence for Innovative Teaching and Learning	PhD by Research in Biology Education	Full-Time Research Study programmes for a tree -years period,maximum four- years(36-48Months) part - time research study programmes for four -years period,maximum five years.(Rukara)
			Master of Education in Chemistry Education	Full-Time Research Study programmes for a tree -years period,maximum four- years.Part - time research study programmes for four - years period,maximum five years.(Rukara)

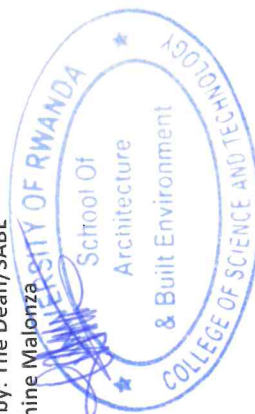
Teaching and Learning Mathematics and Science (ACEITLMS)	PhD by Research in Mathematics Education	Full-Time Research Study programmes for a tree -years period,maximum four- years(36-48Months) part - time research study programmes for four -years period,maximum five years.(Rukara)
	PhD by Research in Physics Education	Full-Time Research Study programmes for a tree -years period,maximum four- years(36-48Months) part - time research study programmes for four -years period,maximum five years.(Rukara)
School of Mathematics and Science Education	PhD by research in ICT in Education	Full-Time Research Study programmes for a tree -years period,maximum four- years(36-48Months) part - time research study programmes for four -years period,maximum five years.(Remera)
Languages and Social Science Education (LSSE)	PhD by research in Education (French Education)	Full-Time Research Study programmes for a tree -years period,maximum four- years(36-48Months) part - time research study programmes for four -years period,maximum five years.(Remera)
	PhD by research in Education (English Education)	Full-Time Research Study programmes for a tree -years period,maximum four- years(36-48Months) part - time research study programmes for four -years period,maximum five years.(Remera)
	PhD by research in Education (Geography Education)	Full-Time Research Study programmes for a tree -years period,maximum four- years(36-48Months) part - time research study programmes for four -years period,maximum five years.(Remera)

7	College of Education (CE)		PhD by research in Education (History Education)	Full-Time Research Study programmes for a tree -years period,maximum four- years(36-48Months) part - time research study programmes for four -years period,maximum five years.(Remera)
		Educational Sciences	PhD by research in Education (Curriculum and Instruction)	Full-Time Research Study programmes for a tree -years period,maximum four- years(36-48Months) part - time research study programmes for four -years period,maximum five years.(Remera)
			PhD by research in Education (Philosophy of Education)	Full-Time Research Study programmes for a tree -years period,maximum four- years(36-48Months) part - time research study programmes for four -years period,maximum five years.(Remera)
			PhD in Educational Psychology	Full-Time Research Study programmes for a tree -years period,maximum four- years(36-48Months) part - time research study programmes for four -years period,maximum five years.(Remera)
			PhD by research in Educational Leadership and Management	Full-Time Research Study programmes for a tree -years period,maximum four- years(36-48Months) part - time research study programmes for four -years period,maximum five years.(Remera)
			PhD by research in Education (Early Childhood Education)	Full-Time Research Study programmes for a tree -years period,maximum four- years(36-48Months) part - time research study programmes for four -years period,maximum five years.(Remera)

			PhD by research in Education (Special Educational Needs)	Full-Time Research Study programmes for a tree -years period,maximum four- years(36-48Months) part - time research study programmes for four -years period,maximum five years.(Remera)
			PhD by Research in Education (Disability Studies)	Full-Time Research Study programmes for a tree -years period,maximum four- years(36-48Months) part - time research study programmes for four -years period,maximum five years.(Remera)
			PhD by Research in Education (Inclusive Education)	Full-Time Research Study programmes for a tree -years period,maximum four- years(36-48Months) part - time research study programmes for four -years period,maximum five years.(Remera)

Entry Requirements To MSc Programme					
College	School	Program	Campus Name	Qualification Name/E	Area of Study (STEM/NON STEM)
CST	School of Architecture and Built Environment (SABE)	Geo-Information Science	Nyarugenge	MSc. of Geo-Information Science for Environment and Sustainable Development (GI-ESD)	STEM
				1. Working experience with GIS and Remote Sensing (a proof is required) or Background Education with some courses related to GIS and Remote Sensing for freshly graduated candidates 2. Bachelor degree in Geography, Urban and Regional Planning (URP), Environmental Planning and Management (EPM), Agriculture, Civil Engineering, Environmental Engineering, Mining and Geology, Surveying and Geomatics, Land administration and Management, Estate Management and Valuation, and other related fields 3. An academic standing of a minimum of second class lower division in the current UR grading or a minimum of 68%. 4. Willingness to pay the required tuition fees Contact person: Dr. Ernest Uwayezu, Post Graduate Coordinator at SABE; Mobile: +250 783 022 510 Email: e.uwayezu@ur.ac.rw	
				Duration: Two years Full time week-end: face to face Running from Friday (evening) to Sunday	

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